

# ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE CIRCLE OF PODAR

# **AFCP REPORT 2019-20**

## **About us:**

Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar (AFCP) is one of the associations of R.A. Podar College of Commerce and Economics, aimed at presenting the subject of accounting and finance in a different and interesting manner. AFCP is an interface between academicians, professional and practitioners from various colleges, business and industry.

## **Aims and Objectives**

#### Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar aimed at:

→ Presenting the subject of Accounts & Finance in a much interesting manner.

♣ Overall skills development of its members.

**Exploring the newer dimensions in the field of Accountancy and Finance.** 

#### **Our Team**

The core team handling the affairs of Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar for the year 2019-20 is

Faculty Incharge	Mrs. Sunita Panja
Student Secretary	Ms. Manali Kinikar
Student Joint Secretary	Ms. Vrushali Patkar Ms. Riya Tanksali
<b>Student Treasurer</b>	Ms. Durgeshri Patil Ms. Aditi Bhabhe

# Events Organized BY AFCP IN 2019-20

# 1) FINACC INTER 2019

#### 3rd August 2019, Saturday

The fifth intercollegiate event of Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar, FINACC 2019 was successfully concluded on 3<sup>rd</sup>August, 2019. FINACC 2019 was an Accounting and Finance fest encompassing four events, namely, Quiz-o-ccounts, Esploro Presentado, Business Analyst and Etude De Cas.

FINACC 2019 was inaugurated by the Chief Guest of the event, **Mr. Sachin Seth** (National Leader- Ernst &Young) and the Honorable vice Principal of the College, **Mr. S. Natarajan** in the presence of other professors and students of the college.

There was an insightful lecture by Mr. Sachin Seth on Start-ups and Fintech held for the participants and the students of the college.

**Quiz-o-ccounts** was a fun based accounting quiz with four rounds such as MCQs, Crosswords, Betting Round and Treasure Hunt. There was a participation of 23 teams (i.e.46 participants) from various colleges across Mumbai. The first prize was bagged by Jai Hind College.

**Esploro Presentado** was a research paper presentation competition aimed at developing the instinct of research amongst the students of Commerce faculty. There was a participation of 8 teams (i.e.16 participants) and the winners for the event were from K.C. College.

**Business Analyst** was a start-up simulation event, where the participants had to come up with a business idea and convince the venture capitalist to invest in their business. The event got a response of than 9 teams (i.e. 18 participants), and the winners for the event from K. C. College.

Étude De Cas was, where teams were presented with issues faced by a company and a specific amount of time to prepare a presentation with solution or suggestions

to resolve the problem. This event had 7 teams (14 participants) and the winners were from H. R. College.

The best contingent trophy for FINACC 2019 was bagged by H.R. College.

In a nutshell, FINACC 2019 got a great response from over 9 different colleges of Mumbai and all the events were carried out smoothly. The participants liked the initiative and gave positive feedback for the same.





Mr. Sachin Seth

Over all winners of FINACC



Organising team 2019-20

# 2) FINACC INTRA

#### Etude de cas

Etude de cas is the first event under the FINACC Intra series conducted on the 14<sup>th</sup> of September, 2019 by the Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar (AFCP).

It is a case study-based event where the participants would be given a business/economic or financial problem to come up with a solution for them.

Prof. Hetvi Dedhia of our college was the judge for this event. There were 4 teams for this event.

Ms. Amruta Joshi and Ms. Priyanka Kapre from TYBcom bagged the first place.



## **The Business Analyst**

The Business Analyst was the second event conducted under the FINACC Intra series on 14<sup>th</sup>December, 2019 by the AFCP. It was a start-up simulation event where the participants had to convince the venture capitalists to invest in their businesses.

Prof. Sonam Singh was the judge for the event acting as the venture capitalist. 5 teams participated for this event.

Ms. Durgeshri Patil and Ms. Riddhi Gawde bagged the first prize for this event.





## **Esploro Presentado**

In amidst of the difficult and confusing times during the lockdown, not knowing the status of reopening of schools and colleges or exams of the final year students; Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar (AFCP) found a way to keep the students busy with the event- 'Esploro Presentado', a research paper based event.

The participants registered and submitted their research papers, PowerPoint presentations and a video presenting it all by 25th May, 2020.

There were 7 participants, with 2 teams (of two) and 5 individual participants.

After which the judges for the event, ex-podarites, Ms. Nikita Tanksali and Mr. Shashank Sah evaluated and declared the winners on 6th June, Saturday. The winners of the event were Janani Ravishankar and Ruchira Salgaonkar from FYBMS and the runner up was Anjali Iyer from SYBCOM.

The event was a success and we received positive feedback from the students as this was an innovative manner to keep the students engaged, productive and get their perspective regarding the current scenario.



# PARTICIPATION AT INTER COLLEGE LEVEL

At Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar, we have encouraged our members to participate and represent our college in various accounting and related fests.

### 1) PRAYOG

'Prayog' was a start-up simulation event conducted by Anna Leela College of Commerce and Economics on 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2019. Ms. Hetvi Gala and Ms. Manushi Desai from SYBcom. They bagged the first prize, presenting with the idea of a portable charger.



## 2) <u>INNOVISION</u>

Innovision, a national level management fest, was conducted on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>January, 2020 by GLS University's Faculty of Commerce (SMPIC). There were 10 events in total. Our contingent won the second place overall with a cash prize of INR 10,000.

