



ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE  
CIRCLE OF PODAR  
(AFCP)  
2025-2026

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## INTRODUCTION TO AFCP

*“Shape your numbers today, secure your future tomorrow.”*

The Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar (AFCP) is one of the flagship academic associations of R.A. Podar College of Commerce and Economics, established with the vision to transform how students perceive and engage with the world of finance and accounting.

Founded in 2013, AFCP has now completed 11 impactful years of fostering a culture that blends technical knowledge with practical exposure, innovation, and leadership. What started as a student-led initiative has evolved into a platform that champions financial literacy, critical thinking, and industry-relevant learning.

AFCP has always been more than just an academic forum, it's a dynamic community that connects students with professionals, academicians, and industry leaders. Through seminars, hands-on workshops, interactive activities, and its flagship event FINACC, the circle continues to spark curiosity and equip students with real-world financial skills.

Our goals include:

- Reframing Accounts & Finance as subjects of strategy, relevance, and creativity.
- Developing analytical, presentation, and decision-making skills among students.
- Exploring emerging trends in accounting, fintech, and global financial practices.

Over the years, AFCP has successfully engaged students from all academic backgrounds, helping them break the myth that "accounts is dry or difficult" and instead inspiring them to discover its true power and potential.

With a legacy of excellence and a forward-looking vision, AFCP continues to nurture the financial leaders of tomorrow, right here at Podar.

**List of events conducted under Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar**  
**(AFCP)**

Sr.No	Name of the Event	Mode (online/offline/hybrid)
1	FINACC'25	Hybrid
2	Research paper presentation Competition	Online
3	Research paper publication	-

# FINACC'25



DATE: 11TH(ONLINE), 13TH &14TH AUGUST

VENUE:R.A.PODAR COLLEGE OF COMMERCE AND  
ECONOMICS

## ABOUT FINACC:

FINACC is not just a festival, it is a celebration of insight, innovation, and intellect in the fields of accounts and finance. Curated and executed by the Accounts and Finance Circle of Podar (AFCP), this annual academic fest is one of the most awaited events at R.A. Podar College of Commerce and Economics, Mumbai.

Now in its 11th successful edition, FINACC brings together the best of learning and leadership. The fest offers a dynamic platform where students from diverse academic backgrounds engage with finance beyond the classroom, through simulations, strategic games, case challenges, debates, and thought-provoking workshops.

What makes FINACC stand out is its unique ability to connect textbook theory with real-world financial systems. Participants get the opportunity to experience the fast-paced world of markets, policy decisions, budgeting, and risk, mirroring the challenges faced by financial professionals today.

Each year, the fest welcomes a wide range of participants, fosters collaboration, and encourages critical decision-making under pressure. It also opens doors for students to interact with industry leaders, professionals, and alumni, helping them gain practical insights and clarity on future career paths.

Through FINACC, AFCP and R.A. Podar College reaffirms their commitment to building financially informed, globally aware, and strategically capable individuals ready to thrive in the modern economic landscape.

## OBJECTIVE:

- Promoting financial literacy among the wider public by making complex concepts accessible and engaging.
- Highlighting the latest innovations, trends, and advancements shaping the future of finance and accounting.
- Showcasing diverse career paths in the fields of finance and accountancy, inspiring the next generation of professionals.
- Creating opportunities to network with industry professionals, peers, and like-minded individuals.
- Fostering meaningful collaborations and partnerships with experts and leaders from the financial industry.
- Introducing school students to the world of finance through simplified, interactive formats that spark early interest and awareness.

# INAUGURATION

The inauguration of FINACC 2025 commenced with an auspicious Aarti, symbolising a positive and spiritual beginning to the finance fest. This was followed by the official unveiling of the finance workbook “Dhanasangrah”, which proudly includes an exclusive interview with Mr. Kamal Jeswani, adding significant academic and practical value to the publication.

Despite his demanding schedule, Mr. Kamal Jeswani graciously agreed to be present for the ceremony. He blessed the occasion with his presence and shared invaluable insights, learnings, and guidance, which proved inspiring for students and faculty alike.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our respected Principal, Prof. Vinita Pimpale, for her constant encouragement and for honouring the inauguration with her presence, making the ceremony truly memorable.



## OVERALL WINNERS:



Winner: LS Raheja College

1st Runner up: Swami Vivekanand jr. Clg

2nd Runner up: H.R. College of Commerce and Economics

Best PR: Chetana sfc

Best Contingent Leader (CL): Pillai College of Arts Commerce and Science- Prabhanjan Padhy

Best Assistant Contingent Leader (ACL): Wilson College- Om Watsar



## Student Demographics

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Event Name</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>No. of Participants</b>
1.	Moneyball	30	11	41
2.	Quiz-O-Ccounts	24	12	36
3.	Risk Tactica	21	4	25
4.	Trial of Tryst	25	7	32
5.	Business Analyst	25	9	34
6.	Wall of Street	27	9	36
7.	Fundaaz Apna Apna	28	14	42
8.	Crypto-de-Crypto	29	4	33
9.	Between the Lines	17	7	24
10.	Esploro Presentado	13	14	27
11.	Market Mayhem	27	8	35
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>365</b>

## Closing Remarks

FINACC 2025 was not just a celebration of finance and accountancy but also a testament to the hard work, dedication, and innovation of our students over the eleven years. As we move forward, we look back with pride on the legacy we've built and look ahead with excitement for the future of FINACC.

## **2. Research Paper Presentation**

Under the AFCP Forum, students of R.A. Podar College of Commerce and Economics, Ms.Kalindi Thakare and Ms.Chhavi Joshi, participated in the *Inter-Collegiate Research Paper Competition 2025* organized by *Clara's College of Commerce*. The competition was conducted on 17th September 2025, and the participation was facilitated through the AFCP Forum. The students presented a research paper titled "The Bridge Between Sustainability and Profitability:

Impact of ESG Disclosures on Investor Confidence and Financial Performance.” This participation supported the objectives of the AFCP Forum by promoting research skills, analytical thinking, and academic exposure to contemporary issues in finance and sustainability.

### **3.Research Paper Publication**

Under the AFCP Forum, students of R.A. Podar College of Commerce and Economics, Ms.Kalindi Thakare and Ms.Chhavi Joshi, along with their teacher-in-charge, Mrs. Sunita Panja, collaboratively worked on a research paper which has been successfully published. The research work reflects the academic guidance provided under the AFCP Forum and highlights the students’ research capabilities, analytical thinking, and scholarly contribution. This achievement aligns with the objectives of the AFCP Forum by promoting research culture, faculty–student collaboration, and academic excellence.