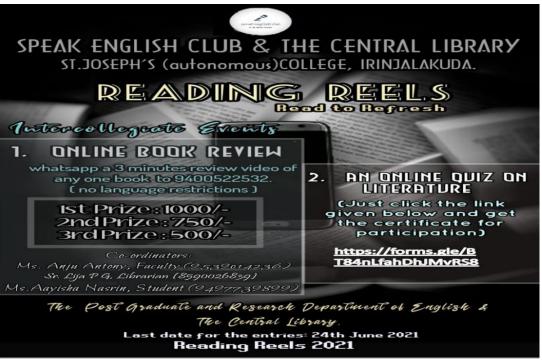
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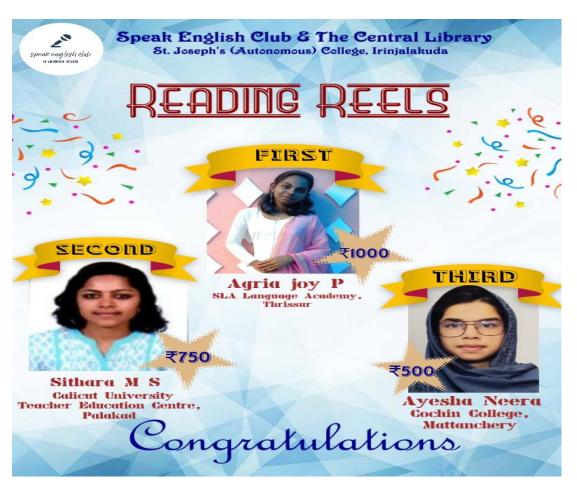
As part of observing World Environment Day, the Department of English hosted an online intercollegiate Poetry Recitation competition on the theme 'Restituto Ecosystem'. Candidates were asked to record their performance of maximum 4 minutes duration and submit their entries through watsap. Winners were awarded cash prize and certificate.



### 2. Reading Reels

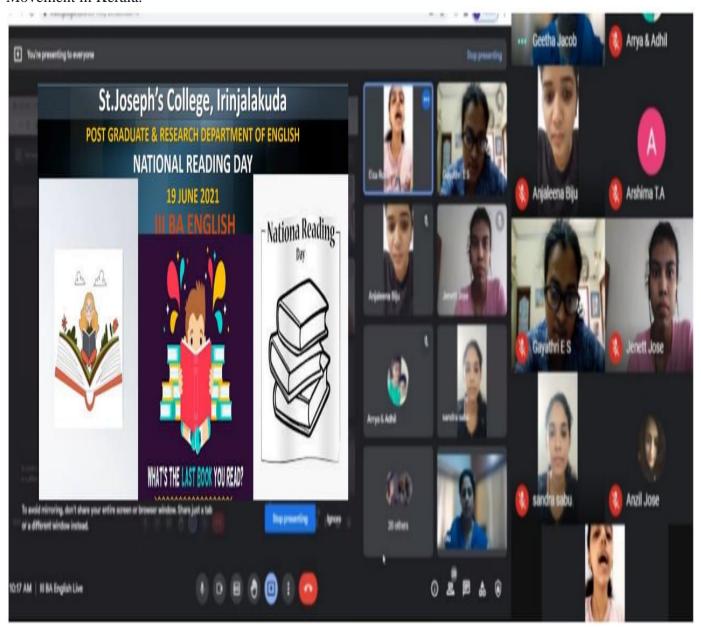
The department of English enthusiastically observed the Reading Week Celebration in collaboration with the central library of the college from 19<sup>th</sup> June 2021 to 24<sup>th</sup> June 2021 by conducting 'Reading Reels'. Keeping in mind the spirit of reading books and encouraging the same amongst students, the department hosted two intercollegiate competitions, an online quiz and an online book review competition. There were 20 entries for book review competition. The winners of book review competition were awarded cash prize and certificate and the participants of online quiz were given certificates.





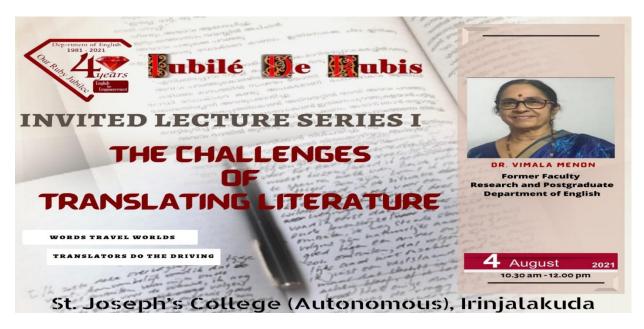
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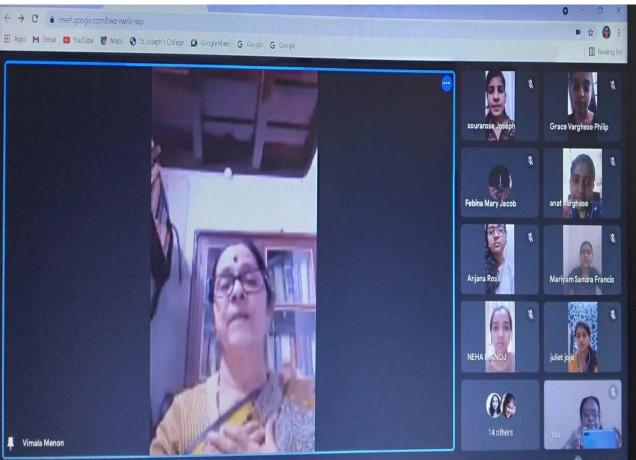
The second year UG students organized various online programmes as part of celebrating National Reading Day on June 19 in honour of P N Panicker, the father of the Library and Literacy Movement in Kerala.



### 4. Invited lecture Series-I-The Challenges of Translating Literature

The first lecture of the Invited Lecture series planned as part of Jubile De Rubis was held on 4<sup>th</sup> August on the topic 'The Challenges of Translating Literature'. The event was organized online in google meet. The resource person of the day was Dr Vimla Menon, Retired faculty, department of English, St Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda.

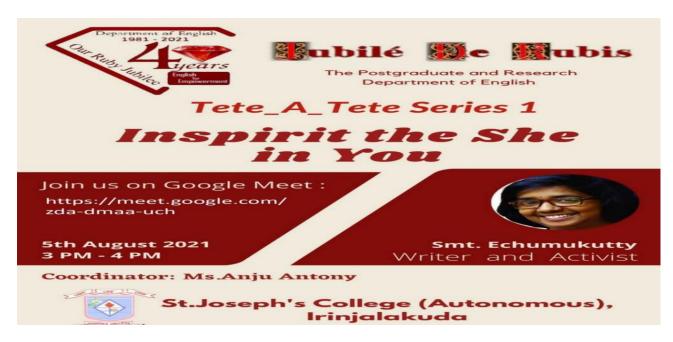




### 5. Tete-A-Tete Series-I- 'Inspirit the She in You'

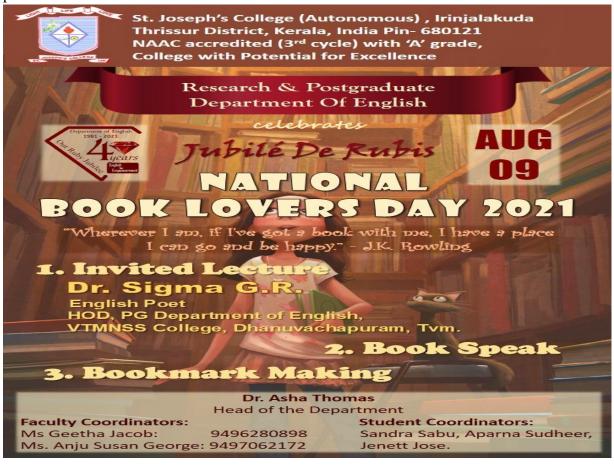
Tete – A \_Tete series is an initiative under the Jubile De Rubis programme which aims to bring people representing different walks of life to have a direct interaction with the students. As part of Tete-A-Tete series I students of the department got an opportunity to interact with Smt. Echmukutty, writer and activist. The programme titled 'Inspirit the She in You' was held on 5<sup>th</sup> August in online platform.



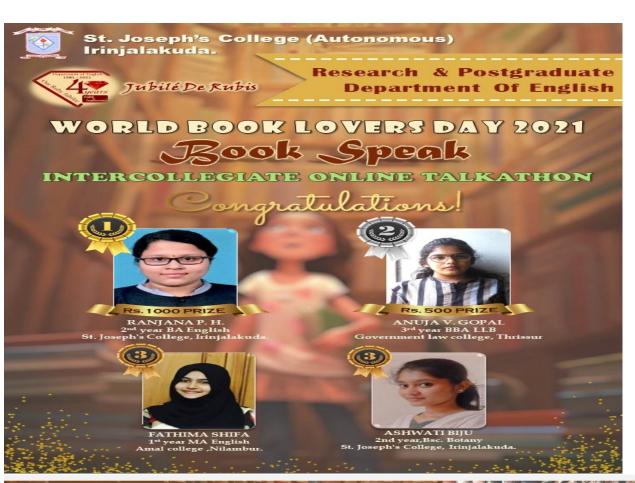


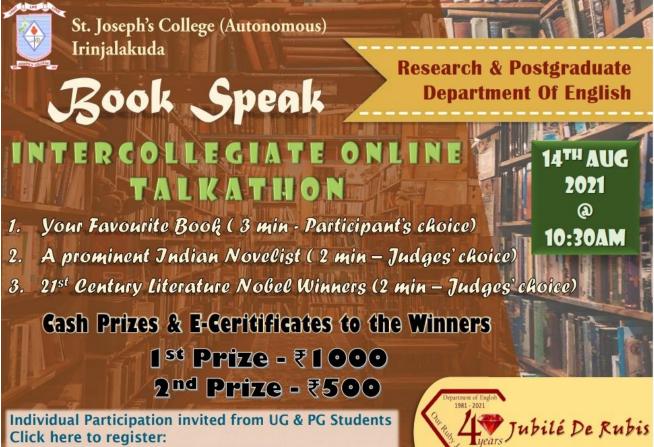
### 6. Book Lovers Day 2021

The department of English observed Book Lovers Day with an array of competitions and events to encourage and appreciate the art of reading and good literature. Two online intercollegiate competitions, Book Mark Making on 12<sup>th</sup> August and Book Speak- An Intercollegiate Online Talkathon on 14<sup>th</sup> August, were organized. The winners of both the competitions were given cash prize and certificate.





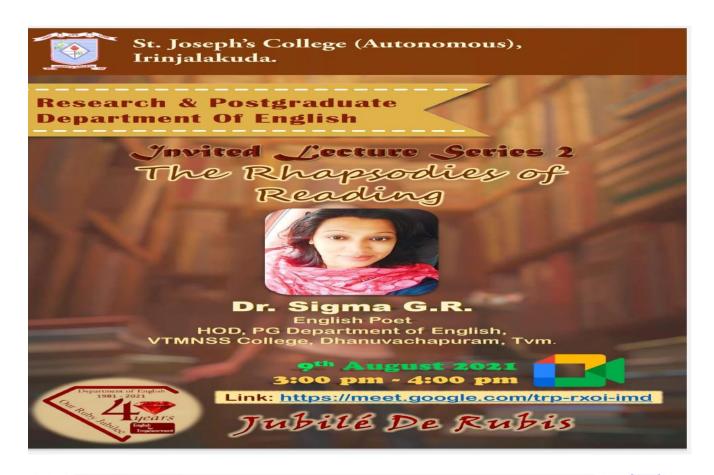


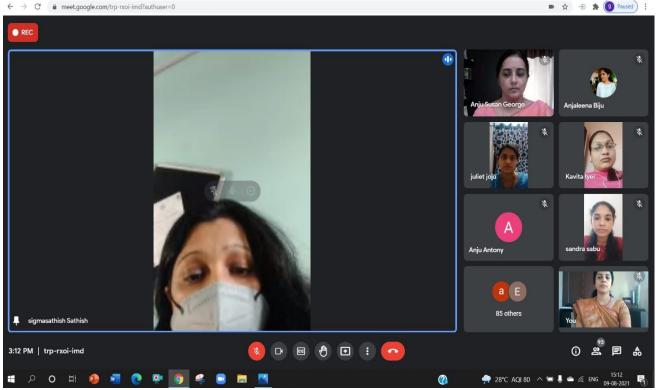


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Registration will close at 6:00 pm on 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 2021.
A preliminary round will be conducted if necessary

### 7. Invited Lecture Series -II-'The Rhapsodies of Reading'

An invited lecture was organized to motivate and guide students to the art of reading as part of national book Lovers Day on 9<sup>th</sup> August 2021. Dr Sigma G R, poet and Head of the Department of English, VTMNSS College, Dhanuvachapuram, was the resource person Thiruvananthapuram was the resource person.





8. Faculty and Students Funded Projects: Three faculty projects and two students projects funded by the management were awarded this year to the department of English. GLOWE-English for Empowerment is an innovative management funded student initiative of the department of English that aims at empowerment of women through English language. The principal investigator of the project is Ms Divya Jobi, second year M A English language and Literature student of the department. GLOWE stands for a Group of Linguistically live and practically Oriented Women of right reasoning. The major project initiatives are Language Guide-to impart language guidance, E4-a specialized training to improve the four basic language skills, Ted Speak to provide training in public speaking skills, Me Magazine- An E- Magazine for publishing students' original works and Webpals- a website to bring out the creative ideas of students. The official launch of the project was held on 12<sup>th</sup> August 2021 on virtual platform.. Dr Radha Muraleedharan, former Head of the department of English, St Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda launched the project. Dr Sr Asha, Principal, St Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda delivered the benedictory address and Mr Ram C Menon, Director, Public Relations Council of India and Young Communicators' Club Kerala Chapter delivered felicitation speech. Third UG Botany and Second UG English students were given language training as part of this project. The second UG students funded project **Supervivients** focusses on empowering women through entrepreneurship. There are maily four activites under this projectcreating brochures and certificates for online events, selling gooseberry juice, production of cakes and cookies and sales of arts and craft products. Legare- A Cultural Heritage Digitization Initiative is an academic extension project of the Research and Post Graduate Department of English. The principal investigators of the project are Ms Linet Sebastian and Ms sameena Thomas, Assistant Professors of the department of English. It aims at the research and digital documentation of the local cultural inheritances of Irinjalakuda to help in the preservation of cultural memory, diversity and social integration of the region. It also intends to create a digital database with online access for the public to the cultural diversity of Irinjalakuda. The official launch of the project was held on 13<sup>th</sup> August 2021. The programme was inaugurated by the Principal of the college, Dr Sr Asha. The chief guest and keynote speaker of the day was Dr Sreevidhya Vattarambath, Assistant Professor, department of History, Government College, Malappuram. She spoke on the historical and

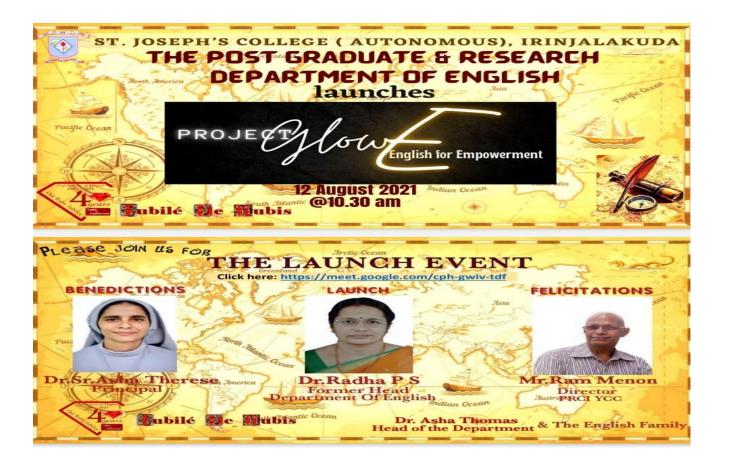
cultural significance of Irinjalakuda. Ms Linet Sebastian and Ms Sameena Thomas are the principal investigators of the project. Harnessing Online English Education to promote Social Skills and Inculcate Core Values of Nationalism and Environmental Conservation among College

Students is a management funded faculty project aimed at value addition through rethinking and reinventing curriculum content at the undergraduate level. Ms Anju Susan George and MS Anju

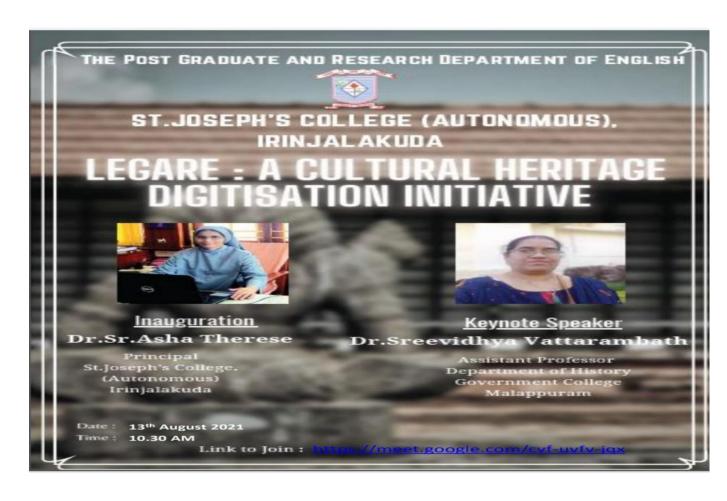
Antony, Assistant Professors of the department of English are the principal investigators. The third faculty project titled Impact of blended Learning in English Language Acquisition: A Study among the undergraduate Students of Selected Colleges in Thrissur District attempts to examine the impact of blended learning in English language acquisition of first generation higher education learners of online education. Ms Deepa Roy Assistant Professor of the department of English is the principal investigator.

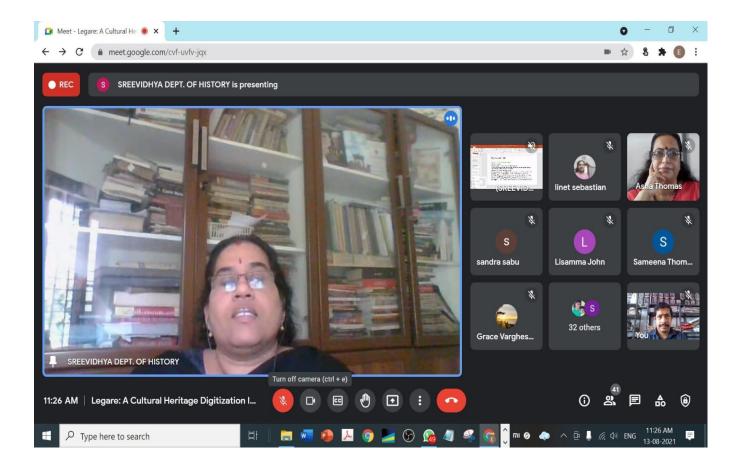
**GLOWE-English for Empowerment-PG Students Project Launch** 





**Legare- A Cultural Heritage Digitization Initiative** 





### 9. **Libertas 2021**

The department organized three intercollegiate online competitions-Epistles of Freedom, Freedom Slogan and Voices of Freedom- in connection with 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day Celebrations. As part of Epistles of Freedom, participants were asked to write a letter to motivate the student community imagining themselves as freedom fighters. Voices of Freedom was an intercollegiate patriotic song competition and in Freedom Slogan, candidates were asked to submit a maximum of 5 slogans that voice the spirit of freedom





# **LIBERTAS 2021**

75th year of Indian Independence

INTERCOLLEGIATE ONLINE COMPETITION

Epistles Of Freedom



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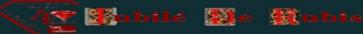
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Aswathy PR II BSc Physics St.Joseph's College IJK

Congratulations





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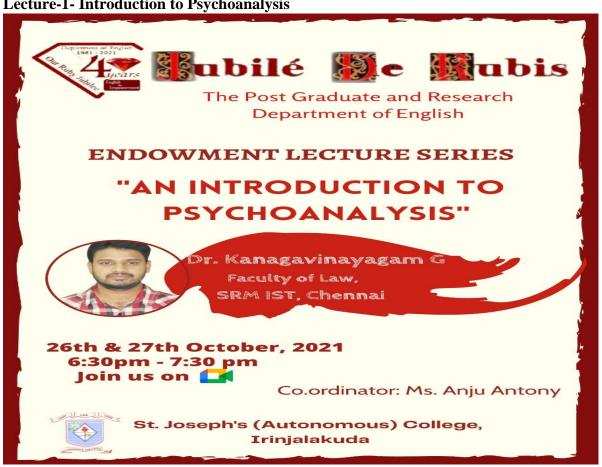
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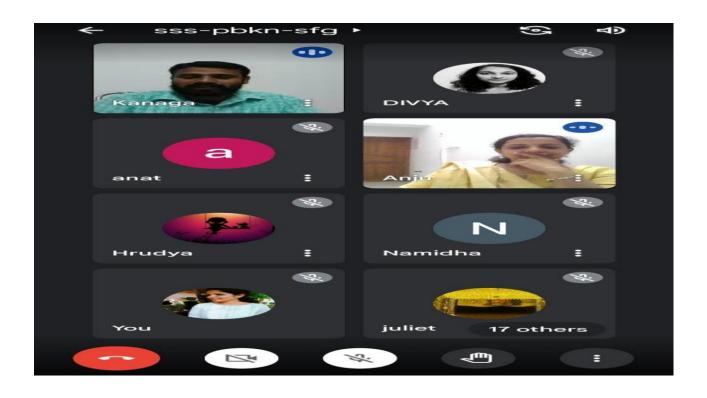
Congratulations

#### **Endowment Lecture Series** 10.

Three endowment lectures were organized this year under Jubile De Rubis. The first lecture of the series, 'An Introduction to Psychoanalysis' was held on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> of October. Dr Kanakavinayakam G, Faculty of Law, SRM IST Chennai was the resource person. Second lecture of the series, 'An Introduction to Structuralism with Special Reference to Roland Barthes: "Structuralist Activity", was held on 26<sup>th</sup> November 2021. Dr C J Davees, Professor (retd), St Thomas College, Thrissur was the resource person. Third lecture was organized on 21-04-2022 on "Creations of Margins: Understanding the Designs of Divisions". Ms Abha Muralidharan, Independent Researcher and Photographer was the resource person.

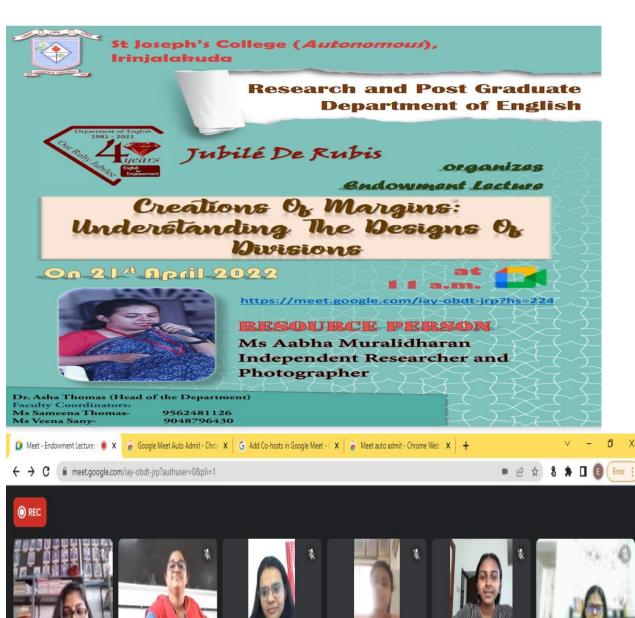
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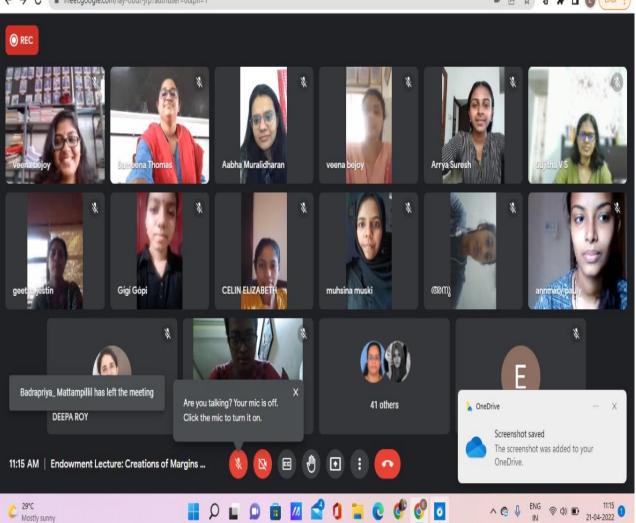




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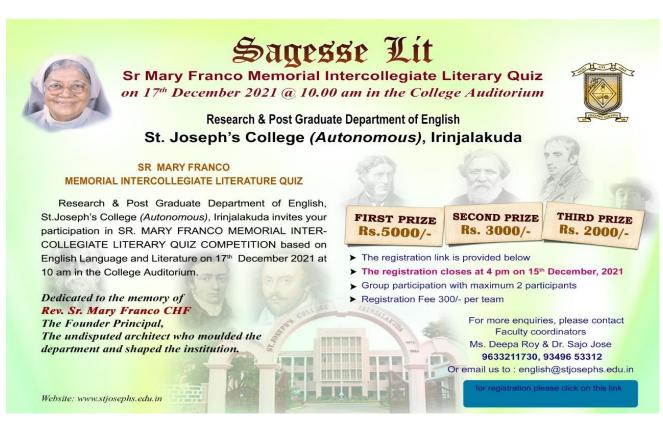






### 11. Sagesse Lit-2021

The annual intercollegiate quiz competition of the department Sr Mary Franco Memorial Intercollegiate Literary Quiz-Sagesse Lit 2021 conducted in honour of the former principal and head of the department of English, Rev Sr Mary Franco was held on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021. The quiz was officially inaugurated by the vice Principal of the college Sr Blessy. Mr Viswas Viswam, Assistant Professor in English, Government College, Madappally was the quiz master. Winners of the competition were given cash prize, trophy and certificate and all the participants were awarded participation certificates.

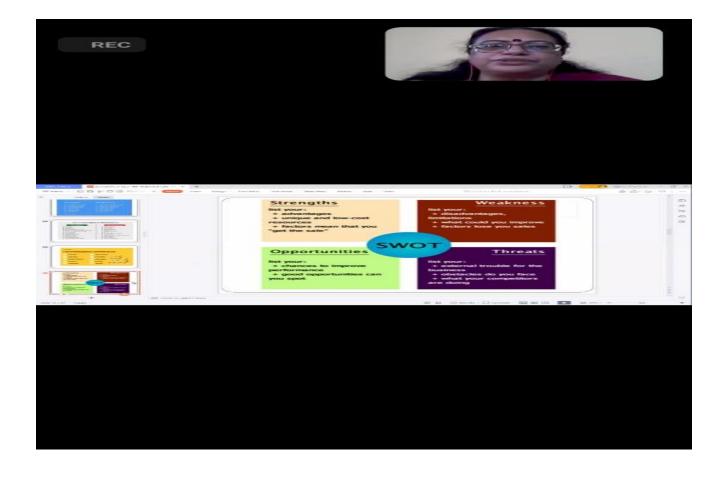




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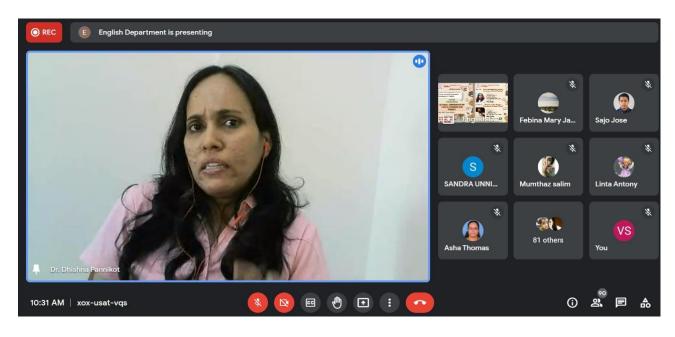
The department offered a 45 hours certificate course on soft Skill along with six other associating colleges in collaboratio with Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre, Pandit Mdan Mohan Malavya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching and the Ministry of Education, Government of India from from 18th October 2021 to 28th February 2022. The course was offered to the UG, PG students, Research Scholars and others interested. The course aimed at enabling students to communicate with clarity and impact by improving their negotiation and presentation skills, problem solving skills as well as to enhance their interview skills, teamwork, technical skills and entr3preneurial skills. The other collaborating institutions were St John's College, Agra, Bishop Moore College, Mavelikara, Catholicate College, Pathanamthita, Sacred Heart College, Chalakudy, St Joseph's College, Alapuzha, and Assumption College, Changanassery. Dr Asha Thomas, HoD, Department of English was the course convenor and Dr Sujitha V S, Assistant Professor of the department was the course co-ordinator. Sessions on Interview skills were handled by Dr Asha Thomas, Ms Rini Joy, guset faculty, Department of English(SF), St Joseph's College, Ms Sandra Mariam Xavier, Research Scholar, Department of English(SF), St Joseph's College and Ms Smitha Balakrishnan, Alumnae of the department of English. A 30 hrs certificate course on **Research** methodology was also conducted by the department for the final year UG and PG students of the department. Dr Asha Thomas, Head of the Department of English was the course Co-ordinator.





### 13. El Viaje-Discourses on Travel Writing and Theory:

National Symposium on travel writing and theory titled El Viaje: Discourses on Travel Writing and Theory was conducted on 28-01-2022. The webinar was inaugurated by Dr Sr Asha Therse, Principal, St Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda. Dr Dhishna Pannikot, Associate Professor, NIT, Karnataka and V S Sanoj, Journalist and Co-ordinating Producer, Asianet News Online were the resource persons.





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# EL VIAJE : DISCOURSES ON TRAVEL WRITING AND THEORY

Om 28th Jan 2022

## INAUGURATION

Dr. Sr. Asha Therese

@10:00 AM



PRINCIPAL



St. Joseph's College (*Autonomous*), Irinjalakuda

Session I – "Conceptualizing the Literary Concerns in Travel Writing"



Resource Person:
Dr. Dhishna Pannikot
Associate Professor
School of Management
National Institute of Technology
Karnataka

@10:30 AM

Session II – "Enroute to the Margins: Experience, Memory, Travel"



Resource Person: Mr V S Sanoj Coordinating Producer Asianet News Online (Journalist, Director, Travel Writer)

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### 14. Poets' Day-Espoir-In honour of retiring principal Dr Sr Asha Therese

An invited lecture as part of Espoir-Poets' Day celeberations was organized on 24-03-2022. Prof. Milon Franz, Department of English, St Xavier's College, Alwaye was the resource person. Retiring Principal of the college Dr Sr Asha Therese was also honoured in the programme. An online versification competition on the theme "Hoe in Adversity" was also organized as part of Poets' Day celebrations On 19-03-2022. World Poerty day was observed by the department by arranging a video presentation on 21-03-2022.





15. **Honore to the Women of Action**:Annual merit day of the department was organized on 14-03-2022. Dr Lisamma John, Retiring HoD, Department of Hindi was honoured in the programme. Student achievers of the department in arts, sports and academics were also honoured and given certificates and trophies.



