

ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA

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Nature of Event (Workshop, Guest Lecture, Add-on Course, Seminar, etc.)	Career guidance session
Name of Department	Biotechnology
Faculty In-Charge	Ms. Swaroopa Naik
Stratum of Event (College, State, Regional, National)	College
Title of Event	Career Guidance Sessions
Date of Event	7 th May 2022
Venue	Conference hall, Post Graduate building, St. Xavier's, college
Resource Person details	1) Ms. Glorita Fernandes Teaching and Research Assistant National Forensic Science University, Goa
	2) Mr. Lino Cardoz Assistant Manager Cactus Communication Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai
Objective/ Scope of Event	To familiarize students with scope and career options after biotechnology in the state/national/international fronts.
Particulars of Event	The Department of Biotechnology under the DBT star college scheme organized a 'Career Guidance Session' for the students of the Department on 7th May 2022. The Resource persons were Ms. Glorita Fernandes, Teaching and Research Assistant, NFSU, Goa and Mr. Lino Cardoz, Assistant Manager, Cactus Communication Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai. The compere Ms. Anjelica Matias, welcomed the resource persons and the audience. Ms. Crisella Fernandes, third year biotechnology student introduced the resource person Ms. Glorita Fernandes for the first session. The talk was titled "Career in Forensic Sciences" and highlighted its eligibility criteria, scope and applications. The session was interactive, as the audiences could relate to reel CID television series and reality of the science. She spoke about crime scene investigation, forensic photography, forensic biology and DNA fingerprinting etc. Students were encouraged to opt for specialized fields as a

	career like cyber forensics and information security, forensic psychology, wildlife forensics etc. Finally the talk ended with a question answer session. Ms. Ajelica thanked the resource person and Mr. Golan Fernandes introduced the 2nd resource person for the day Mr. Lino Cardoz. The talk was titled 'Careers in scientific writing'. He spoke about the importance of writing and publishing research articles at undergraduate level. One needs to have total commitment, zeal and work hard to achieve the goal of publishing research articles. Scientific writing as a career also allows students to opt for full time work or as a freelancer. The talk ended with a question answer session. Ms. Anjelica thanked the resource person for his detailed and informative talk. The Winners of the Research Paper Presentation competition were also felicitated at this event by both the resource persons. As a token of appreciation, the resource persons were presented with <i>Euphorbia</i> potted plants. Finally the vote of thanks was given by Ms. Anabel Alphonso, co-ordinator, Department of Biotechnology.
Outcome of Event	Students were keen in choosing forensic sciences, research writing as career option.
Feedback	The sessions were knowledgeful, interactive and informative.

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Ms. Anabel Alphonso Co-ordinator, Department of Biotechnology

