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| Name of Department | Chemistry |
| Faculty Incharge | Mr. Mahesh Nair faculty member under the mentorship of Ms. Kathleen Pinto, Head of Department |
| Stratum of Event (College, State, Regional, National) | College |
| Title of Event | Field trip for students of FYBSc Chemistry Major |
| Date of Event | 30 th September 2024. |
| Venue | National Center for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR), Vasco-da-Gama, Goa |
| Resource Person details | Dr. Ravidas Naik, Project Scientist III, NCPOR. |
| Objective/ Scope of Event | Exposing students to India's premier R&D institution responsible for the country's research activities in the polar and Southern Ocean realms |
| Particulars of Event | The department of Chemistry organized a field trip for students of FYBSc Chemistry Major to the National Center for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR), Vasco-da-Gama, Goa on 30 th September 2024. With the objective of exposing students to India's premier R&D institution responsible for the country's research activities in the polar and Southern Ocean realms, a group of 27 students accompanied by staff members were briefed on various mandates of NCPOR such as geoscientific surveys of the ocean realm around India, polar science & cryosphere studies of the polar regions and exploration of gas hydrates and multi-metal hydrothermal mineralisation in the Indian ridge area "work smart and be a part of the solution", advised Dr. Ravidas Naik, Project Scientist III, NCPOR. Fascinated with the wealth of knowledge students interacted with the Resource Person expressing a desire to undertake summer/winter research projects in the prestigious institution. The visit was coordinated by Mr. Mahesh Nair faculty member under the mentorship of Ms. Kathleen Pinto, Head of Department |
| Outcome of Event | Students expressed a desire to undertake summer/winter research projects in the prestigious institution. |

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| Feedback | Students were very fascinated and motivated to consider a career choice in the same |
| Total No. of Participants | 27 students |

Photographs

