



ST.XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2024-25

Name of Activity	"Career in Banking
Date/Duration	16th December 2024 from 10.45 to 1.30pm
Venue	Room No. 106
Name of organizing Department/Cell	Department of Commerce
In collaboration with	
Name/s of Faculty Coordinator	Ms Yasmin Shaikh
Stratum of Event	College level
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	Mr. Sanoop Luis, Probationary Officer , Central Bank of India
Report	<p>On 16th December 2024, Department of commerce at St. Xavier's College, Goa, hosted an insightful talk on "<i>Career in Banking</i>". The event commenced with compere Yog Ghotge from first year Bcom setting the tone for the session. The Head of Department, Dr Yasmin Shaik, introduced and warmly welcomed Mr. Sanoop Luis, a young and resourceful speaker, to address the students. Following the introduction, Vidhisha from first year Bcom presented a potted plant to Mr. Sanoop Luis as a gesture of appreciation and welcome.</p> <p>Mr. Luis shared his background, highlighting his bachelor's degree in English literature and Publishing and his success in the IBPS exam, which led him to become an Associate Manager and Probationary Officer at the Central Bank of India. During the session, Mr. Luis emphasized the significance of banking as a stable and rewarding career, outlining various roles such as Probationary Officers, Clerks, and Managers, while explaining the structured progression within the industry. He elaborated on the essential skills required, including numerical and analytical abilities, financial knowledge, communication skills, and proficiency in banking technology. Mr. Luis also stressed the importance of continuous learning in response to digital transformation in the sector. He addressed challenges in banking, such as work-life balance, meeting targets, and adapting to regulatory changes, while encouraging students to see these as opportunities for personal and professional growth.</p>

	<p>The talk was interactive, with Mr. Luis engaging students through questions on fundamental banking concepts like Fixed Deposits, KYC (Know Your Customer), and the role of empathy in banking. He highlighted that, despite technological advancements, empathy and human connection remain central to building trust with customers. Drawing from his personal experience, Mr. Luis shared tips for clearing competitive exams, such as time management, practicing mock tests, and staying updated with financial news, motivating students to persevere in their preparation.</p> <p>The session concluded with an enthusiastic Q&A segment, where Mr. Luis encouraged active participation and addressed student queries with clarity and enthusiasm. Aryan from first year Bcom presented Mr. Sanoop Luis with a token of appreciation on behalf of the department. The event ended with a vote of thanks delivered by Shan from first year Bcom, who expressed gratitude to the speaker for his engaging and informative session. Students walked away with a clear understanding of the skills, challenges, and opportunities in the banking sector, as well as the importance of balancing technical expertise with interpersonal skills. A total of 63 students attended the seminar.</p>
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