



**ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS), ALUVA**

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AFFILIATED TO MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KOTTAYAM

## **Research & Development Cell Activities 2023-24**

<b>Name of the Coordinator/s:</b>	Dr. Sujatha N.V and Dr. Saumi Mary M
<b>Organizing Department/Cell:</b>	Research & Development Cell, St. Xavier's College for Women (Autonomous), Aluva
<b>Date &amp; Duration:</b>	01/06/2023- 31/03/2024
<b>Number of Participants:</b>	Students: 400, Faculty: 28
<b>Funding Source:</b>	Management Fund
<b>Expenses:</b>	Resource Persons' Remuneration given by the Management

### **Resource Person/s:**

- Experts from academia and industry for paper and project presentation sessions
- Specialists in OER and CC Licensing

### **Objective of the Program:**

- To foster a robust research culture among faculty and students
- To enhance research capabilities and presentation skills
- To raise awareness and understanding of Open Educational Resources (OER) and Creative Commons (CC) Licensing

### **Detailed Description of the Event:**

**Paper Presentation Sessions:** These sessions provided a platform for students and faculty to present their research findings, receive constructive feedback, and engage in intellectual discussions. Regular intervals were maintained to ensure continuous engagement and improvement.

**Project Presentation Sessions:** Aimed at final year undergraduate (UG) and postgraduate (PG) students, these sessions focused on refining students' presentation skills. Students presented their final projects before a panel of experts, receiving valuable feedback and insights to prepare them for future academic or professional pursuits.

**Session on OER and CC Licensing:** This session educated students on how to access, use, and share educational resources legally and ethically. It covered effective search strategies

and the principles of OER and CC Licensing, empowering students to leverage a wide array of resources available online.

### **Launch of Discourse: Xaverian Research Journal**

A key milestone in the cell's efforts to promote research is the launch of the research journal, Discourse: Xaverian Research Journal. This journal serves as a repository of the scholarly work conducted within the institution, providing a platform for faculty and students to publish their research findings. The journal not only highlights the academic achievements of the institution but also encourages ongoing research and intellectual discourse.

### **Outcome of the Event/Evaluation by Program Coordinator:**

The interventions by the Research & Development Cell have significantly increased the number of publications among staff and students. The structured support and encouragement have led to a notable rise in research activities, culminating in productive research output. The initiatives have nurtured a culture of research, innovation, and continuous learning within the institution.

### **Brochure of the Event:**

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Research and Development Cell organises

**PROJECT PRESENTATION SESSIONS 2023**

**Norms:**  
Department Wise  
10 minutes per person  
PPT shall be used  
Follow the Schedule

**Target Groups**  
UG - II yr students  
PG - I yr Students

**Outcome:**  
Refine students' communication skills and prepare them for future academic and professional challenges through expert feedback and insightful guidance.  
Lower Physics Seminar Hall  
Schedule/Mailed to each department

Coordinators:  
Dr. Sujatha N.V (Physics Dept.)  
Dr. Saumi Mary M (English Dept.)

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RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL

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**RESEARCH PRESENTATION SESSIONS 2023**

"Unveiling Knowledge, Inspiring Innovation"

Target Group	Venue	Date and Time
Final Year UG, PG students, Research Scholars	Mother Theresa Seminar Hall	Jan 01, 2024- Feb 28, 2024 Every Thursday, 3 PM

Coordinators:  
Dr. Sujatha N.V (Dept of Physics)  
Dr. Saumi Mary M (Dept of English)

## Photos:

