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#### **REPORT ON PG GRADUATION DAY-2023**

Title	PG Graduation Day-2023
Date of Event(s)	October 17, 2022(Saturday)
Department/Association/	PG Cultural Committee
Cell/Committee	*
Venue	New Auditorium
(Mention the platform if it	
is online)	
Number of Participants	350
Target Audience	PG Students

qualification (if applicable):	
Place of visit/ details of Industrial Visit place (if applicable):	
<b>Event Coordinator</b>	Ms. Trishala. M

The objective of the Program: Graduation ceremony is a momentous event in the life of a student and for the college as well Graduation represents the culmination of a journey and the attainment of a goal. It is an exciting period in a person's life and an array of feelings will surface for the graduate. Graduation day at St. Francis De Sales college is celebrated with utmost importance and happiness as it is the lasting memory in a student's life. 162 PG students graduated from St. Francis De Sales college in the year 2023. Shri Sheik Latheef, Registrar, Bangalore University graced the ceremony as the Chief Guest and Rev. Dr. Philip Thomas, MSFS, Rector, Suvidya college graced as the Guest of honour for the event.

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#### Report

The event began with a lot of planning and structuring. Initially, a program schedule was formed to give a basic idea on how the event will happen. After this, committees were formed and each faculty were given responsibilities. The major part of this event was deciding on the proficiency awards for the semester I and II, PG best outgoing student, PG Cultural Champion, and PG Sports Champion. The points allotment tabulation was done to decide on the best outgoing of the PG department. This point allotment was shared with each department's HOD to nominate two students from their department. After receiving the nominees, a final tabulation was done to decide on one student as the best outgoing-overall, PG Cultural Champion, and PG Sports Champion. Along with this, Akriti Rao of M.Sc Psychology, batch 2020-22, secured II rank in Bangalore university exam and Joshua Abraham George of MBA, batch 2020-22 secured V rank in Bangalore university exam for which they were given the University rank holder award. The calculation for best outgoing-overall, best outgoing-Cultural and Best outgoing-Sports is further shared in this report.

The chief guest for the day was Shri Sheik Latheef, Registrar, Bangalore University graced the ceremony as the Chief Guest. Shri. Sheikh Latif, KAS, is serving as the Chancellor of Bangalore University with effect from July, 2023. Mr. Sheikh Latif passed the examination conducted by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, Delhi and is currently a Fellow Member (FCS). Probably only a handful of officials in the state have got this position, and Sheikh Latif is one of them. Mr. Shaikh Latif is a 1998 batch Gazetted Probationary Officer, Tahsildar from State Audit and Accounts Department to Revenue Department due to transfer of post. He then became the Assistant Commissioner (KAS, Junior Grade), then Senior Grade and presently KAS, Selection Grade Officer.

Rev. Dr. Philip Thomas, graced the event as Guest of Honor. He belongs to the Guwahati Province of the MSFS Congregation. Fr. Philip is an academician, and a Professor of both Philosophy and Psychology. He has triple Masters, in Psychology, Sociology, and Philosophy. He secured his Doctorate in Counselling Psychology from the University of Fordham, New York, USA. Fr. Philip is a well-known Professional Counsellor and Professor. He animates different programs for those in leadership positions and teaches in different

Institutions in India and abroad. Currently, he is the Rector and President of Suvidya College, on our Campus.

The event began in New Auditorium on October 17, 2023 at 9:30 am. The students and the honourable Chief Guest, The Guest of Honor, Principal, Vice Principal and Administrator were vested. The event began with a devotional song followed by lighting the lamp as light is the universal symbol of truth, knowledge, and understanding. It acts as a guide, keeping one from stumbling in the dark. The event continued with the Annual report reading by Fr. Principal. The annual report had all the activities curricular and extracurricular, achievements of faculty and students, events conducted by the department or by the college were included. To ensure that graduate students maintain a certain level of ideals irrespective of background, degree, to foster professionalism and to enhance compliance graduation oath is taken. As the students are graduating and lighting the world, the students were made to light the candle and the song, "Carry your candle, Go light the world" was sung.

The most important part of this event was distribution of certificates to the graduands. For this, all the students were made to sit according to their program's and register numbers in two different zones. First University rank awards were given. Then, each student was called on to the stage based on the zones and were given the certificate along with the principal's message. Coming to the most exciting part was the distribution of Best outgoing-overall, Best cultural champion and Best Sports champion for the batch 2021-2023. Roopesh M of MCOM won the Best outgoing-overall, Shalini M of M.Sc Psychology won the Best cultural champion and Durgaprasad of M.com won the Best Sports champion for the batch 2021-2023.

The chief guest addressed the gathering and spoke about the importance of graduation day and the responsibilities the graduated students will now have. After felicitating the Chief guest, Dr. Mamatha K, Asst Dean, School of Humanities and Social Sciences spoke a few words about the outgoing batch. Delma K of M.Sc Mathematics expressed her views and opinion on behalf of the students. A cultural dance was performed by the juniors. Later, Vote of thanks was delivered by a student who thanked the Chief Guest & Guest of Honor for their presence, and the management for giving this opportunity to host the supreme event of

college. She also thanked the teaching staff, non-teaching and ministerial staff for their support and coordination in making this event a success.

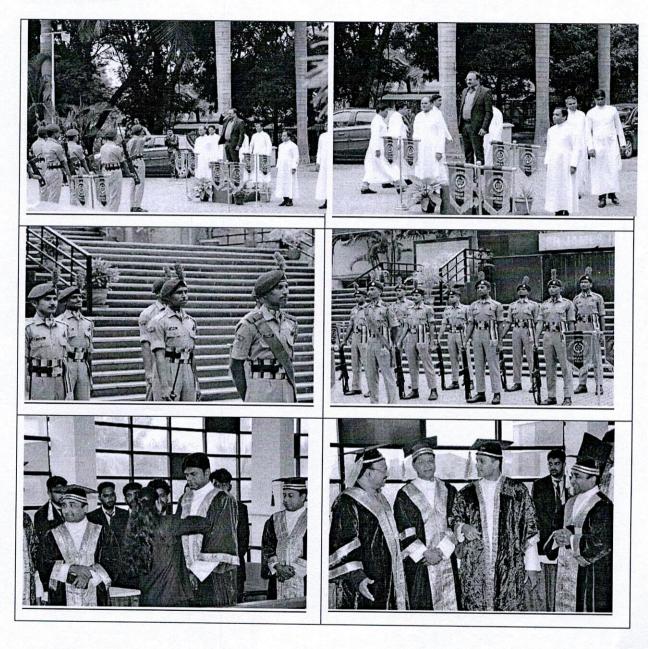
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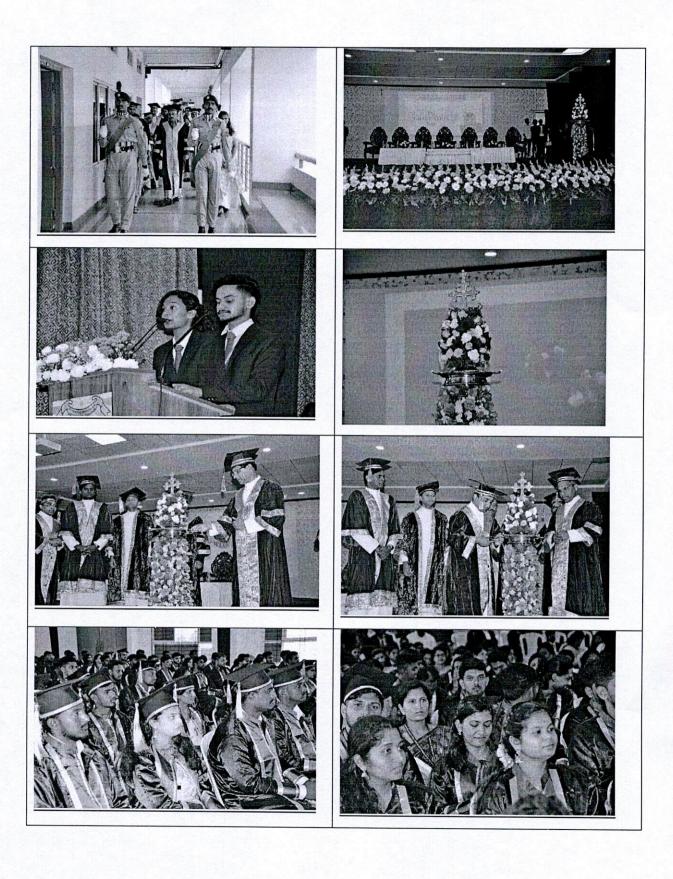
Graduation ceremony is a memorable event in the life of a students. All the final year students received the certificate with utmost pride in their hearts. The parents who were present for this event enjoyed and felt overwhelmed witnessing their children receiving the certificate. This event made a good impression in the hearts of juniors who will be graduating in the coming year and it created a sense of competition to strive for best outgoing student.

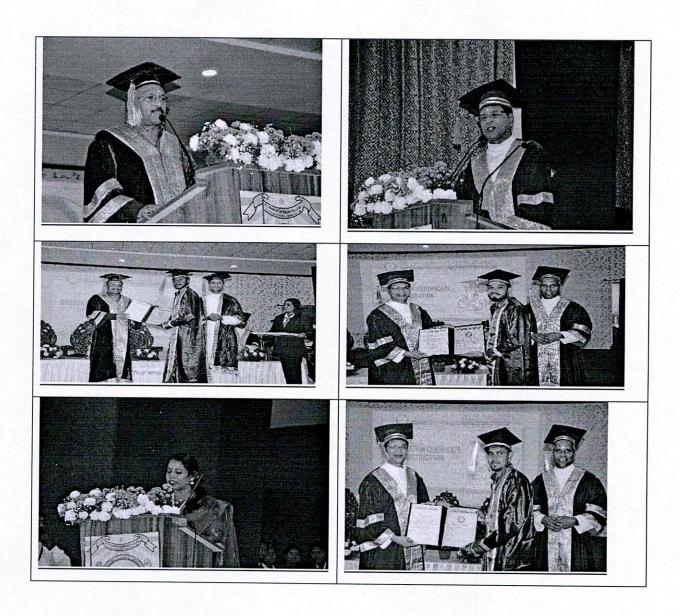
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