## TEACHER ACTIVITY REPORT 2016 - 2017

FACULTY: SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT/ COMMITTEE IQAC ACTIVITY No: SVC/2016-17/ECO/SOC/1

NAME OF THE ACTIVITY: Distinguished Lecture/ Expert Talk			
DATE	FACULTY	DEPARTMENT/COMMITTEE	COORDINATOR NAME
07/10/2016	Social Science	The Economics Association	D. BRAMA REDDY
TIME	VENUE	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	NATURE: Outdoor/Indoor
10.00 AM to 12.00 PM	Seminar Hall	100	Indoor
SUPPORT/ASSISTANCE:	SRI VENKATESWARA COLLEGE		

## BRIEF INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACTIVITY (CRITERION NO. - III ):

TOPIC/SUBJECT OF	Meeting The Employment Challenge		
THE ACTIVITY	Dr. S K Sasikumar. Senior Fellow, VV Giri National Labour Institute, Noida, UP		
OBJECTIVES	To Provide In-depth insight into the issues in Employment Generation in a		
	Highly Populated Country like India with serious issues in quality of education at		
	all levels.		
METHODOLOGY	Lecture followed by Q&A		
OUTCOMES	Better understanding of the various issues and Challenges in Employment		
	Generation in India		

## PROOFS & DOCUMENTS ATTACHED (Tick mark the proofs attached):

Notice & Letters	Student list of participation	Activity report	Photos	Feedback
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Feedback analysis	News clip with details	Certificate	Any other	

IQAC Document No:	Criterion No:	Metric No:
Departmental file no	IQAC file No;	

NAME OF	NAME OF HEAD/ COMMITTEE	IQAC COORDINATOR (SEAL & SIGNATURE)
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For Reference

Criterion I	Curricular Aspects (planning & Implementation)	Criterion V	Student Support & Progression
Criterion II	Teaching Learning & Evaluation	Criterion VI	Governance
Criterion III	Research, Innovations & Extension	Criterion VII	Institutional Values & Best Practices
Criterion IV	Learning Resources and Infrastructure		



#### **Activity Report**

An expert talk series was initiated by the Association to invite experts from various specializations of Economics to share their expertise in those fields.

The Economics Association held its first Expert Talk on 7<sup>th</sup> October 2016. We were privileged to have Dr. S.K. Sasikumar, Senior Fellow of the VV Giri National Labour Institute, as our first speaker in this engaging series. The session started with the lighting of the lamp, an auspicious tradition observed at the start of every Association event. This was followed by a brief introduction of our keynote speaker by our faculty advisor, Dr. Brahma Reddy.

Dr. S.K. Sasikumar began this interactive session on "Meeting the Employment Challenge' with a few fundamental concepts about the different types of labour involvement in India. With his opening remarks and charismatic style of speaking, he captivated the audience's attention. He covered many topics like labour migration, labour market analysis, globalization and labour, and skill and development. He showed us relevant data and figures from the paper he had recently presented at the BRICS Summit. This data was a hot topic of discussion in the Q&A segment, as many students were surprised to see the results from recent surveys on issues like "Unemployed Youth in India". There was a healthy debate between the speaker and some of our faculty members with questions being thrown by both sides. This helped the audience gauge the topic at hand effortlessly and brought out the 'Economic Planner' in many students.

Dr. Sasikumar presented his innovative ideas with a great sense of humour, which enabled the audience to connect to him instantly. He answered the questions of his curious listeners with alacrity, enabling them to get a closer look into the system through his tremendous knowledge about the subject. On a question about solving the problem of "brain drain", he enlightened the audience about South Korea's brilliant 'Happy Return Programme', which could prove to be an unconventional solution to this issue.

The session ended with our Principal, Dr. Hemalatha Reddy presenting a token of appreciation to our esteemed speaker. Dr. Sasikumar's immense experience solving real life problems at the global level inspired the students and helped them delve into the field of 'Employment' and its various challenges. His way of combining substance with a witty style of oration certainly left an indelible mark on his audience.

D. Brahma Reddy Faculty Advisor, 07-10-2016



Prof S K Sasikumar delivering the Expert Lecture/Talk on the Employment Challenge





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