

TEACHER ACTIVITY REPORT 2016 - 2017

FACULTY: Social Sciences **DEPARTMENT/ COMMITTEE:** The Economic Association

IQAC ACTIVITY No: SVC/2016-17/ECO/SOC/6

NAME OF THE ACTIVITY: The Inaugural Inspire Session			
DATE	FACULTY	DEPARTMENT/COMMITTEE	COORDINATOR NAME
29-09-2016	Social Sciences	THE Economic Association	Mr. D. Brahma Reddy
TIME	VENUE	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	NATURE: Outdoor/Indoor
2.00 PM	Seminar Room	100	Indoor
SUPPORT/ASSISTANCE:	Sri Venkateswara College		

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

TOPIC/SUBJECT OF THE ACTIVITY	Inspire: An Interactive Session with Alumni Dr. Annapurna Mitra a distinguished alumni of our college and department interacted with and mentored our students leading to an engaging and informative session. Dr. Mitra , who graduated from Sri Venkateswara College in 2007 in Economics (Hons), has obtained Master’s degree from DSE and her PhD from Graduate Institute , Geneva, Switzerland. She is Currently with Ministry of Finance, Gol.
OBJECTIVES	To share her experience with students and discuss about various post graduate opportunities in India and Abroad, Ph.D in Abroad, Placements, opportunities and hurdles that usually students faced during their academic pursuits and how to overcome them.
METHODOLOGY	Interactive session with students.
OUTCOMES	Students are better prepared to face the hurdles in academic life, improved decision making in uncertainty, deciding right courses of Study, employment etc.

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

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

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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		



INSPIRE- An Interactive Session with the Alumni of Department of Economics- An Initiative of the **Economics Association** in the Academic Year 2016-17, Sri Venkateswara College, University of Delhi

First Inspire Interactive Session with

Dr. Annapurna Mitra

UNDP Executive, Ministry of Finance
Govt. of India



Come.....Get Inspired by Her

Date 29th Sept. 2016; Venue T1; Time 2 p.m.

About The Speaker

Education

Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (IHEID) 2010 –

2016 PhD, International Economics

Thesis Title: *“Essays on Fiscal and Monetary Policy”*

Thesis Supervisor: Prof. Cedric Tille

Degree requirements completed, award of degree in June 2016

Study Centre Gerzensee, Switzerland 2013

Swiss Program for Doctoral Students

- Macroeconomics (taught by Profs. Robert King, Sergio Rebelo and Jordi Gali)

Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi 2007 - 2009

M.A. Economics (Final Grade: 60%, First Division)

Activity Report

The Economics Association saw the inception of Inspire - An interactive session with the alumni who have made outstanding academic and professional achievements. This motivated the students to set higher levels of academic and professional targets and work towards achieving those targets.

Aptly named inspire, this lecture took us into the deep world of economics through the dexterous perspective of Dr. Annapurna Mitra, an alumni of our college. With immense academic credentials and a plethora of working experience in this field, the lecture was more interactive and aimed at guiding the students rather than academic. This lecture opened the minds of the upcoming economists, giving a taste of what great possibilities this subject has to offer. The lecture certainly did fulfil its objective. The prospective economists were given a snapshot regarding the work culture and atmosphere at UNDP and ministry of finance, India.

This interactive session also took us through the work culture in government run institutions, which has its own share of splendour and a fair share of drawbacks and scope for improvements. Validity of international trade organisations, world trade where some of the points elaborated by the speaker, with an utmost degree of alacrity. This lecture was not just academic in its outlook, it was more bent towards imparting an experience.

The speaker further delved into the life of an Indian student abroad and shared her experiences as a student, which differentiated her from the rest, propelling her into greater academic heights. While the lecture itself was more informal, not being very academic/economic in content, it did lend succour regarding our career paths. Later on the lecture became even more interactive, as the floor was open to questions from the students side, and a vast issues and phenomena pertaining to the captivating art of economics were raised upon, further fuelling the perpetually eager minds of the future economists! This lecture may not have been laced with complicated economic theories, devious analysis or unfathomable laws, but what it did do was act as a source of guidance for the students. Guidance not just in terms of what one can do post college, but insights into making three years of college more fruitful.

Inspire award was presented to the Alumni on this special occasion.





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