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COLLEGE OF COMMERCE SCIENCE & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

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## **Research Cell**

### **Annual Report for Academic Year (2024-2025)**

#### **Committee Members:**

Dr Tejaswini Parab. (Convener)

Dr. Jigna Sadhu. (Member)

Dr. Archana Dhawade. (Member)

#### **• Abhidnya Student Research Paper Competition (4th April 2025)**

The Abhidnya Student Research Paper Competition was held on 4th April 2025 with registrations starting at 8:00 a.m., followed by breakfast for participants. The Inaugural Session began at 9:00 a.m. with Ganpati Puja, lamp lighting, and Saraswati Vandana. Dr. Sunita Sharma welcomed the judges, Dr. Swati Desai and Dr. Anuya Warty, while Principal Dr. Prashant H. Shelar delivered the welcome address. Mementos and roses were presented to the judges, and Dr. Tejaswini Parab delivered the inaugural vote of thanks. Participants were divided into two sessions based on their academic streams.

Session I, judged by Dr. Swati Desai, included 22 undergraduate commerce entries, resulting in 6 prize winners. Session II, judged by Dr. Anuya Warty, included 14 participants from B.Sc (IT), Mass Media, and the postgraduate section. A total of 14 students received prizes, including 3 First Prizes, 4 Second Prizes, 3 Third Prizes, and 1 Appreciation Award. The Valedictory Session, graced by Chief Guest Mr. Kiran Kamat, featured a student reflection, feedback from the judges, and a motivating speech emphasizing the value of research. The event concluded with the prize distribution and a formal vote of thanks.

#### **• One-Day National Research Conference (22nd March 2025)**

BM Ruia Girls' College, in collaboration with JES College of Commerce, Science & IT and Swami Vivekanand College, organized a One-Day National Research Conference on 22nd March 2025. The event began with a traditional lamp lighting ceremony and Saraswati Vandana, followed by a welcome address by Dr. Sunita Sharma and Dr. Santosh Kaul Kak. Distinguished speakers included CA Amit Pandit (Chief Guest), Dr. Kalim Khan (Keynote Speaker), and several esteemed academicians who chaired the paper presentation sessions.

The speeches emphasized the importance of bridging academic-industry gaps, continuous learning, skill development, and collaborative research.

A total of 82 participants took part, including 68 who presented papers—32 offline and 50 online—across multiple sessions. Best paper awards were given for research on topics such as gender-based price discrimination, AI in banking, and investment strategies among youth. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms. Tejaswini Parab, Head of the Research Cell, JES College. The conference fostered academic exchange and highlighted the need for adaptability and innovation in commerce and management education.

- **Faculty Development Program (FDP) – 2nd to 6th December 2024**

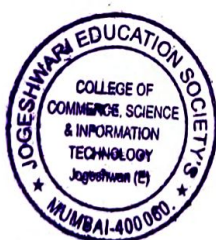
A five-day Faculty Development Program on the theme *"Enhancing Research Skills Through Efficient AI Tools"* was conducted from 2nd to 6th December 2024, aimed at equipping faculty with practical AI-based tools for research enhancement. Organized under the guidance of Dr. D. Kumaresan, the sessions covered key areas such as AI tools for finding articles, conducting literature reviews, interacting with documents, plagiarism checking, and bibliography generation. The program witnessed active participation from faculty members of various institutions and included insightful demonstrations of tools like Semantic Scholar, Elicit, ChatPDF, Quillbot, and MyBib.

The FDP began with a formal inauguration and continued with hands-on sessions, each ending with engaging Q&A rounds and feedback. The concluding valedictory session included a summary of the week, participant feedback, and a vote of thanks by Ms. Tejaswini Parab. The program was well-received for its practical relevance, empowering educators to integrate AI into their research workflows and better prepare for the demands of Industry 5.0.



Dr. Tejaswini Parab

Convener



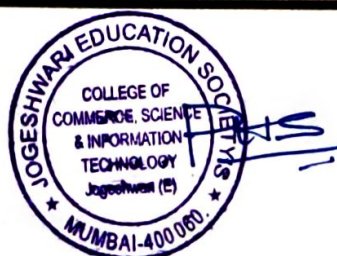
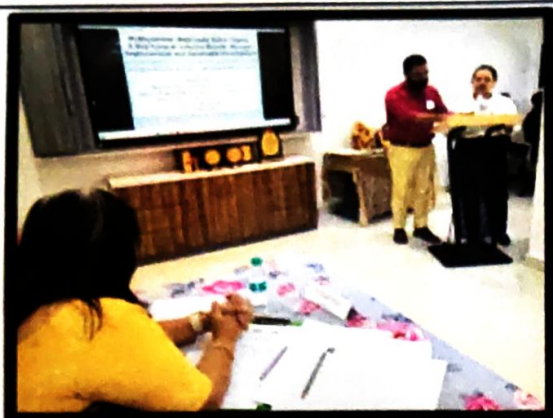
Dr. Prashant H Shelar

Principal



Glimpses:

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## One-Day National Research Conference (22nd March 2025)






**PAPER PRESENTATION SESSION (22<sup>nd</sup> March 2025)**






**JUDGES FOR PAPER PRESENTATION SESSION**

Dr. V.S. Kannan  
Academic and Administrative Advisor  
KES Shroff College of Arts & Commerce

Dr. Nirmala Joshi  
Research Head & MET SEVA Incharge  
MET Institute of Management

Dr. Smriti Bhosle  
Former Dean of Faculty of Social Sciences & Humanities  
SNDT Women's University




**VALEDICTORY SESSION (22<sup>nd</sup> March 2025)**









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