

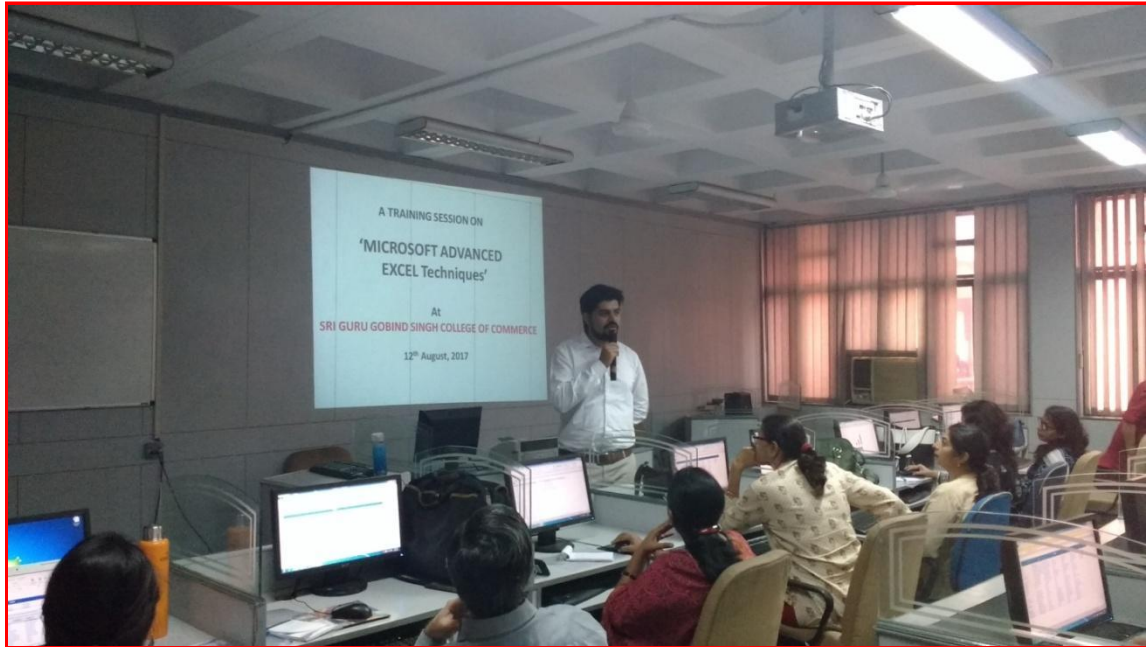
Research Committee Report for the Academic Session: 2017-18

In our pursuit to make Research a continuous process, the Research Committee of the college organized its first half-day Workshop titled “**Train-the-Trainers at SGGSCC: World Bank Open Data for Research**” in the college on 4th August, 2017. Ms Sunita Malhotra and Mr. Anand Muthusawamy, both from the World Bank in India, jointly conducted the session. This workshop was planned to raise awareness among the teachers and ensure that they learn to access and use data available with the World Bank Group for their own research. A complementary objective was to educate and enable teachers to further guide their students.



Among the computer programs that exist, Microsoft Excel is one of the most important **softwares** for summarizing, analyzing, exploring data, managing record data, identifying trends, building charts and budgeting etc. Recognizing that basic proficiency in MExcel is essential for research as well, a one-day Faculty Development Programme on, “**Microsoft Advanced Excel Techniques**” was

organized on 12th August, 2017. Mr. Lokesh Lalwani, a Microsoft Certified Trainer and Specialist for Excel and Microsoft Office 2007/2010/2013, from Nurture Tech Academy was invited as resource person to conduct the session.



In total 35 participants including the college Principal attended this training session. Five participants from other colleges of Delhi University had also attended

the workshop. All participants found the training session very beneficial in exploring any area of research.

With purpose to motivate and familiarize the teaching staff with the research work being done by different departments, the research committee also organized a ‘Lecture Series by Faculty Members’ on 9th March, 2018. Two papers were presented, one by Ms. Harpreet Kaur, titled, “Impact of Climate Change on Agricultural Production and Food Security in South Asia” and the other by Ms. Kajleen Kaur, titled, “Monetary Policy in India during Crisis: Impact on Inflation”. The presenters focused on the objectives, research methodology and policy implication of their papers. The presentations were followed by question answer session from the participants.



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The main objective of our college Journal 'Journal of Business Thought' is to provide a platform that encourages research scholars and academicians to share contemporary thoughts in related fields of business and economics. It focuses on quality research work and publishes original research papers, review articles, abstracts of doctoral thesis, technical notes, book reviews and recent updates on policy changes at national and global levels. The college published eighth volume (April 2017-March 2018) of its journal that included eight research articles authored by research scholars of various universities. It is heartening to inform all that our college journal is included in the UGC list of journal (Journal no 64092) from July 2017. Further, to improve the visibility of the journal, serious efforts are being made to get it indexed in various platforms such as, Scopus, Ischolar and Jgate.

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