Enhancing Project Preparation Skills for EconomicsStudents

On November 8th, 2023, the Department of Economics conducted a comprehensive programme aimed at increasing awareness and equipping students with essential skills for successful project preparation. The event focused on providing practical guidance on research methodologies, data analysis, and effective presentation techniques. The programme was attended by undergraduate and graduate students, faculty members, and invited experts in the field of economics. Dr. Muneer Babu . M (Assistant Professor, Dr. John Mathai Centre) delivered the keynote address, sharing insights from her extensive experience in economic research and project management. The event provided a platform for students to interact with faculty members, experts, and peers, fostering a collaborative learning environment.

The programme equipped students with practical skills in using data analysis software and conducting thorough literature reviews, which are essential for their upcoming projects. Students reported a significant increase in their understanding of the research process, including topic selection, data collection, and analysis techniques.

Programme Agenda

09:30AM - 10:00AM: Opening Remarks and Programme Introduction

10:00AM - 11:00AM: Session 1: Identifying and Formulating Research Topics

11:00AM - 12:00PM : Session 2: Conducting a Thorough Literature Review

12:00PM - 01:00PM: Session 3: Data Collection Methods and Tools

02:00PM - 03:00PM: Session 4: Data Analysis Techniques and Software

03:00PM - 04:00PM: Panel Discussion: Overcoming Challenges in

Research Projects

04:00PM - 04:30PM: Closing Remarks