

# ANNUAL REPORT-2019-20



**P.G. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**  
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**Rama Devi Women's University, Vidya Vihar,**  
**Bhubaneswar**

**1. Name of the department**  
**P.G. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**2. Mission and vision**

**MISSION**

- ❖ To groom students as a role models and torch bearers for the societal changes.
- ❖ To impart value-based education.
- ❖ To equip students with Entrepreneurial, Accounting, Finance, Management, Analytical and other Social Skills.
- ❖ To develop the competencies of students in Quantitative and Qualitative techniques to solve the problems in functional areas of Commerce and Management.

**VISION**

- ❖ To be a Centre of Excellence that brings in intellect and dynamism among the young girls studying Commerce, Management and related fields, through value-based education.
  - ❖ To promote holistic development of students and groom them to be responsible women leaders.
  - ❖ To make the students market-fit and face ever dynamic business environment.
- To develop the Department as a research centre in Accounting, Finance and Entrepreneurship for women candidates

**3. Academic Programmes**

- B. Com (Honours)
- M. Com
- M. Phil
- Ph. D

**4. Publications/patents**

**JOURNAL PAPERS**

Sl no.	Paper Title	Author(s)	Name of the Journal; Volume; Page no.	Year of Publication	Link to the article (doi/website)
1	Impact of Borrowings on Stock Prices: Evidence from Listed Manufacturing Firms in India	<b>Dr. Sabat Kumar Digal</b>		2019	<a href="https://www.researchgate.net/publication/333079809_Impact_of_Borrowings_on_Stock_Prices_Eviden">https://www.researchgate.net/publication/333079809_Impact_of_Borrowings_on_Stock_Prices_Eviden</a>

					<a href="#">ce from Listed Manufacturing Firms in India</a>
2	Corporate Governance under the New Companies Act, 2013: A Comparative Study of Six Top Ranking Companies in India	<b>Dr. Sabat Kumar Dugal</b>		2019	
3	Women Entrepreneurship and its Sustainability: A Study into its Viability in Odisha-	<b>Dr. Sabat Kumar Dugal</b>		2019	<a href="https://scholar.google.co.in/scholar?q=Women+Entrepreneurship+and+its+Sustainability:+A+Study+into+its+Viability+in+Odisha-&amp;hl=en&amp;as_sdt=0&amp;as_vis=1&amp;oi=scholar">https://scholar.google.co.in/scholar?q=Women+Entrepreneurship+and+its+Sustainability:+A+Study+into+its+Viability+in+Odisha-&amp;hl=en&amp;as_sdt=0&amp;as_vis=1&amp;oi=scholar</a>
4	A study on effect of demonetization on the performance of gold futures in India-	<b>Dr. Gouri Prava Samal</b>	International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews	2019	
5	Impact of food subsidy on socio-economic status of Odisha ,SSRC	<b>Dr. Gouri Prava Samal</b>	International Journal of Economic Studies	2019	<a href="https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?view_op=view_citation&amp;hl=en&amp;user=V2hN3VQAAA&amp;citation_for_view=V2hN3VQAAA:Tyk-4Ss8FVUC">https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?view_op=view_citation&amp;hl=en&amp;user=V2hN3VQAAA&amp;citation_for_view=V2hN3VQAAA:Tyk-4Ss8FVUC</a>
6	A study on impact of merger and acquisition on the performance of Facebook-	<b>Dr. Gouri Prava Samal</b>	International Journal of Research in Engineering, Science and Management	2019	<a href="https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?view_op=view_citation&amp;hl=en&amp;user=V2hN3VQAAA&amp;citation_for_view=V2hN3VQAAA:zYLM7Y9cAGgC">https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?view_op=view_citation&amp;hl=en&amp;user=V2hN3VQAAA&amp;citation_for_view=V2hN3VQAAA:zYLM7Y9cAGgC</a>

## 5. Research Projects

S.No	Title of the project	Name of the PI/Co-PI	Funding Agency	Amount mobilized
1	Training for All (T4A): Employability Skills for Industry 4.0	<b>Dr. Sabat Kumar Digal</b>	Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), Government of India and UK-India Education and Research Initiative (UKIERI), British Council, U.K.	119,96000

## 6. Students' achievement

SL. NO	ADMISSION BATCH	NAME OF STUDENTS	UGC-NET/JRF
	<b>M.COM BATCH 2015-17</b>	<b>KAUSALYA MAHARANA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>SIKHA MADHULAGNA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>PRIYANKA SAHU</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>SUSHRITA SAMATARAY</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>LILI BEHERA</b>	<b>NET</b>
	<b>M.COM BATCH 2016-18</b>	<b>SANDEEPA SAHOO</b>	<b>JRF</b>
		<b>SUDHANSHUBALA BEHERA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>PRANJALI DAS</b>	<b>NET</b>
	<b>M.COM BATCH 2017-19</b>	<b>B. MADHUSMITA</b>	<b>JRF</b>
		<b>ANITA SWAIN</b>	<b>JRF</b>
		<b>SUNITA SWAIN</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>ARUNDHATI MAHAPATRA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>TEJASWINI SAHOO</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>PRIYADARSHINI NAYAK</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>ARPITA TRIPATHY</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>ANKITA KUMARI</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>SAROJINI MIHSRA</b>	<b>NET</b>
	<b>M.COM BATCH 2018-20</b>	<b>MADHUSMITA MAHARANA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>SAMYUKTA JENA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>ANANYA MISHRA</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>ANJANA DASH</b>	<b>NET</b>
		<b>SONALISA PRIYADARSINI PRADHAN</b>	<b>NET</b>

## 7. Seminars/FDPs/Workshops organized

Name of the event	Date [dd/mm/yyyy]: From - To	National/ International	Number of invited speakers
Career as a Company Secretary	28-11-2019	National	1
Banking Sector Reforms: Issues & Challenges	18-12-2019	National	1
Entrepreneurship Opportunities in Homecare Industries	10-01-2020	National	4
E Commerce: The changing face of retail in India	13-01-2020	National	1
Entrepreneurship as a tool for Sustainable Employment	17-01-2020	National	3
Basics of Life Insurance	31-01-2020	National	
Analysis of Union Budget-2020 A Thalnomics Approach	07-02-2020	National	1
GST: Issues and Challenges	14-02-2020	National	3
Wealth Management and Investment Portfolio	17-02-2020	National	
Career after B Com	02-03-2020	National	1
Practical Application of Material Management in Industries	03-03-2020	National	
Career Advancement and Opportunities for Commerce Students	06-03-2020	National	
Sustainability of Banking with Special Reference to Yes Bank	07-03-2020	National	

## 8. Social outreach programmes conducted

### WATER DISTRIBUTION ON HOT SUMMER DAYS BY THE STUDENTS COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

The students of the Department of Commerce, Rama Devi Women's University have distributed water in this hot summer days on **19.07.2019**. The UG and PG students took this initiative. The aim of the campaign was to avoid dehydration, aid digestion etc. among the local people.



### 9. DISTRIBUTION OF NOTEBOOKS AND STATIONERIES TO PROMOTE EDUCATION

The students of Department of Commerce, Rama Devi Women's University have distributed notebooks and stationeries to needy students on **11.09.2019** which helps to promote education and improve access to learning resources. This initiative was taken UG and PG students of commerce to help the children who want to study but cannot afford it. Its main objective is to help underprivileged children to move towards the path of education. Really it helps in inculcating empathy and kindness in the people.





## **DISTRIBUTION OF MASKS AND SPREADING AWARENESS FOR COVID PRECAUTIONS**

The Department of Commerce, Rama Devi Women's University has actively distributed masks and spreading awareness for covid precautions on **11.03.2020**. They recognized the importance of wearing masks in preventing the spread of diseases and took it upon themselves to ensure that masks reached as many people as possible.



## **FRESHERS PARTY**

Every year P.G. Department of Commerce welcomes new entrants for both UG and P.G programmes. This is done to motivate the students towards their forthcoming endeavours in the department as well as giving them a chance to introduce themselves to their own batch mates, seniors and faculty. This helps them to create a professional relationship with one another and know more about everyone. This interactive programme is arranged every year by the senior students to extend a hearty welcome to their juniors. On this day 2<sup>nd</sup> Year students and the department together welcomed the PG batch of 2019-20. There was a list of formal and informal events in the same and everyone thoroughly enjoyed it.



"University life will give you much more than just a degree"



### **COMMERCE DAY**

Commerce Day is every first Monday of August. This day was originated in Iceland as public holiday for blue-collar workers and also the national stock exchange shuts down its operations. Nowadays all countries are celebrating commerce day, to commemorate the spirit and achievements of Commerce scholars throughout the world. Not only scholars but also employee's contribution to the field of commerce is celebrated on this day. P.G. Department of Commerce too celebrates this day with utmost eagerness and zeal. All students and faculty members have celebrated commerce day on 1<sup>st</sup> August 2019.

### **INDEPENDENCE DAY**

This year marks as the 73<sup>rd</sup> Independence Day of India. It was termed as "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav". The entire country was coloured in the tri colours of the national flag and the essence of nationalism and patriotism was in the air. Every citizen proudly hoisted the national flag in their homes, offices and every other institution. It was a celebration of liberalization, globalization and freedom in every aspect. It showcased the growth of India over the years. Rama Devi Women's University too celebrated this occasion along with the entire country. Students, faculty and staff have shown lively participation in the same.





## **FOUNDATION DAY**

The first Women's University of Odisha, Rama Devi Women's University was born on 30.05.2015 as an affiliating University and 46 Women's Colleges under Utkal University came under the jurisdiction of the new University. The Chief Minister of Odisha officially inaugurated the University in a ceremony held on 3rd December 2015 coinciding with the birth day of Maa Rama Devi after whom the University is named and the university celebrates this day of 3rd December as its Foundation Day. This year marked as the 8<sup>th</sup> foundation year of the University and students from commerce department have shown participation in large numbers in events like volunteering, cultural, etc.



## **ALUMNI MEET**

Alumni meet is a new initiative by the P.G. Department of Commerce to appreciate the achievements of the Alumni or ex-students of the department. These students too are assets for the department and university as a whole. They could contribute to the

department in a lot of ways and this alumni meet is to encourage those contributions as well as their help for the development of the current students of the department. This year it was decided that every year on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of December, Alumni meet would be conducted by the department.

Lamp Lighting by honourable Vice Chancellor madam, Prof. Aparajita Chowdhury and Prof. Sasmita Mohanty, CPGC, RDWU



### **PARENT TEACHER MEET**



### **FORM FILL UP**

Examination is a vital part of every educational institution. And the examinations have a pivotal role in shaping the career of a student. Hence, form-fill up for the same is also equally important. On 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 2019, the students of UG 2<sup>nd</sup> year filled their form for their 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester Examination.



## REPUBLIC DAY

India celebrated its 73<sup>rd</sup> Republic Day on 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020. All NCC cadets throughout India have participated in the parades in their respective states and institutions. Rama Devi Women's University too have its NCC wing and girls from +2, UG and PG have shown active participation in all the Republic Day events held in the University. Students of commerce department have also shown participation in these events in huge numbers.



## SARASWATI PUJA

Vasanta Panchami or Saraswati Puja is celebrated in honour of the Hindu goddess, is a festival that marks the preparation for the arrival of spring. The festival is celebrated in Indian religions in different ways depending on the region. Every educational organisation celebrates Saraswati Puja to seek the blessings of Goddess Saraswati and honour her for the provision of knowledge, creativity and wisdom.





## **P. HD INDUCTION PROGRAMME FOR THE ADMISSION BATCH 2019**

All the P. HD scholars for the admission 2019 were welcomed by the University. They were given foresight about their time in the university as research scholars and also enlightened about all the possible future endeavours awaiting them ahead in their lives. The research scholars of P.G. Department of Commerce attended the event and enjoyed the learning experience.

