

KISHINCHAND CHELLARAM COLLEGE

STAR COLLEGE SCHEME DBT

Principal: Ms. Manjula Nichani
Co-ordinator : Dr. Sagarika Damle

Departments:
Chemistry, Statistics
Life Sciences, Microbiology,
Biotechnology

K.C.COLLEGE

Core values

- Gender Sensitization, Service to the larger Community, Social Justice, Nation Building, Environmental Consciousness

NAAC

- Reaccredited with A grade-3rd cycle

Awards & Grants

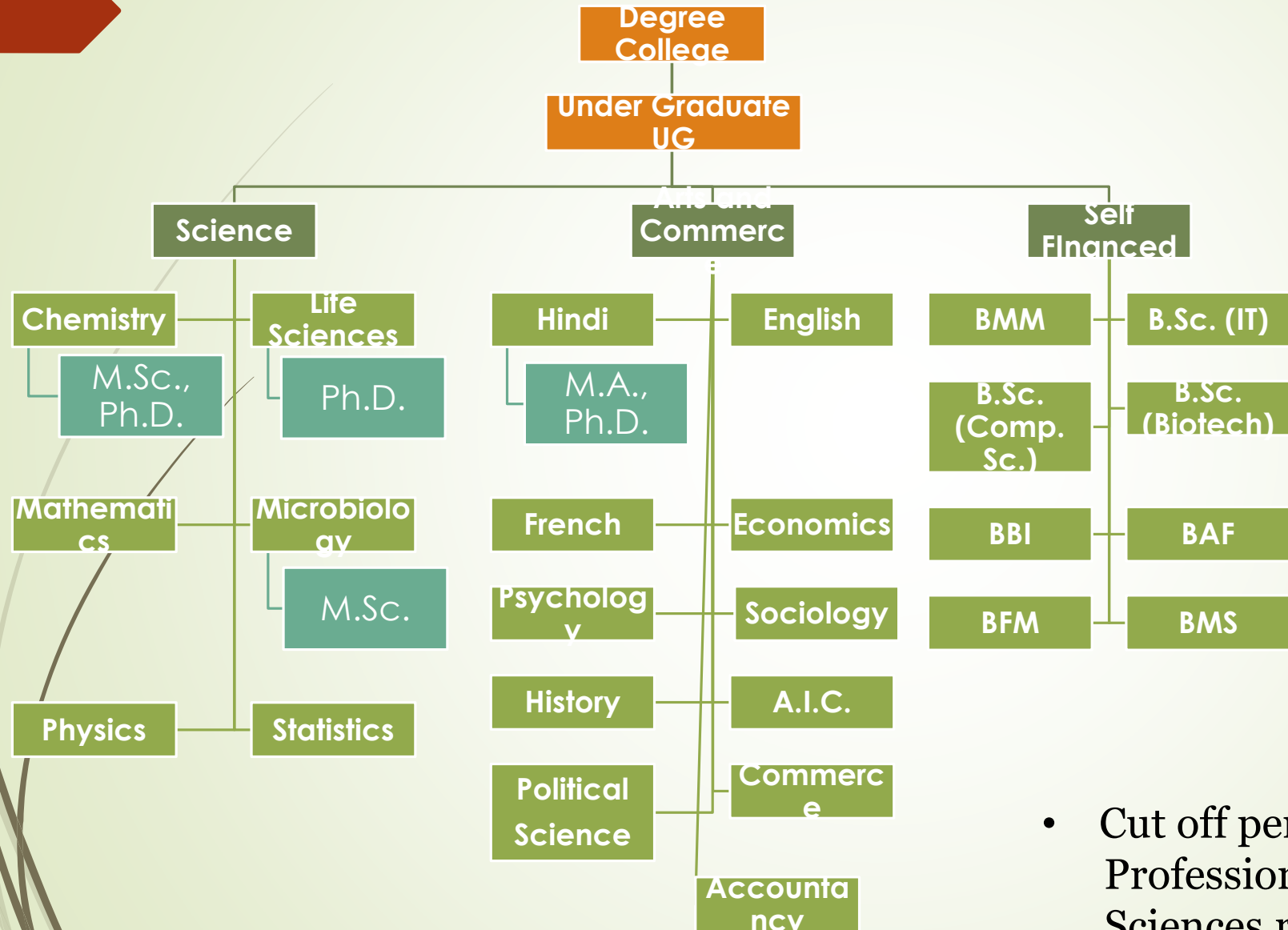
- Best College award by University of Mumbai 2013-14
- Best N.S.S. Unit & Co-ordinator : University & State level(3 years)
- Marathi Vigyan parishad UG research award: State level (3 years)
- 2 UGC Major projects ,1 IUAC Major project,7 UGC Minor research projects

Institute

- Pragmatic leadership, well qualified & proactive academic staff on regular appointment, skilled non teaching staff
- Upgraded infrastructure with ICT enabled facilities.

Courses offered

Rank Holders
University Level: 40



| Year | No. |
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| 09-10 | 09 |
| 10-11 | 08 |
| 11-12 | 09 |
| 12-13 | 07 |
| 13-14 | 07 |

- Cut off percentage
Professional courses: 90 %
Sciences ranges between 50-60%

PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS IN CURRICULUM FOR EXISTING SCIENCE COURSES

| Dept. | Papers & Experiments in current Curriculum | Papers/Experiments in Proposed | Faculty Expertise |
|-------------------|---|--|--|
| Chemistry | Preparation of Inorganic complexes | Introducing Microwave Synthesis | Dr. Yogita Shinde |
| | Measurement of EMF of Daniel Cell | Calculation of Transport Number by Moving Boundary Method | Dr.Sunetra Chaudhri |
| | Ion exchange Method | Separation of metal mixtures. | Dr. Barathe (Ext) Dr. Rajesh Samant |
| | Purification of organic compounds (recrystallisation) | Introducing column Chromatography | Dr.Meera Uchil (Ext) Dr.Sushil Puniyani |
| Statistics | One-Way, Two-way and Factorial ANOVA procedures using different problems. | Demonstration of ANOVA procedures using R and SPSS for different case studies with its interpretation and application | Dr. Shailaja Rane |
| | 1. Practical on Non-parametric test (a problem solving approach) 2. Practical on Clinical trial and Bioequivalence (a problem solving approach) 3. Regression Analysis (a problem solving approach) | Demonstration of all these statistical analysis procedures using R and SPSS for different case studies with its interpretation and application | Prof. RJ Pawar Dr. S. Muley |

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| Life Sciences | Good Laboratory Practices | 1. Study of Safety Symbols-Lab Safety 2. Demonstration of basic sterilization techniques 3. Training on Safe handling of chemicals & glassware (MSDS data) | Dr. Sagarika Damle |
| | Immunological Techniques (Hands on training) | 1. Antigen Antibody reactions 2. Immuno assay 3. E.L.I.S.A. | Dr. Tejashree Shanbhag |
| | Molecular Biology | Hands on training for r DNA technology, PAGE. | Dr. Suvarna Sharma |
| Microbiology | Introduction to Bioinformatics | Use of softwares related to bioinformatics | Ms. Pratibha Shah |
| | ELISA Theory | Practical demonstration of ELISA technique | Ms. Prabha Padmanabha |
| | IPR Theory | Intellectual Property Rights & Career opportunities | Dr. Sanjay Deshmukh Mr. Aliasgar Dholkawala |
| Biotechnology | BIOSAFETY | Bio Safety Laboratory Regulation & Practices | Dr. Soumen Roy |
| | Genetic engineering(Demonstration) | PCR, Restriction mapping | Ms. Sharon K. |
| | Renewable/Alternative energy resources | Concept of energy audit & Entrepreneurial guidance | Dr. Leon Periera |

CURRENT INFRASTRUCTURE & INSTRUMENTS WITH EXPERIMENTS DONE PRESENTLY & PROPOSED

| Department | Existing Practical's in Curriculum | Current Infrastructure/ Instruments | Proposed Modification | Proposed Intrumentation |
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| Chemistry | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preparation of Inorganic complexes Introduction to TLC Titration to determine amount of strong acid using conductometer (Demo) Purification of organic compounds (recrystallisation) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Microwave TLC Plates UV Spectrophotometer (single wavelength) HPLC | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Determination of Vitamin C in Lemon Estimation of food additives in food sample Hands on use of a conductometer to determine acid content Ion exchange Method Introducing column Chromatography Separation of metal mixtures. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digital pH meter Mono pan balance TLC Plates (pre coated) Potentiometer Conductometer Spectrophotometer Rotary vacuum evaporator |
| Statistics | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One-Way, wo-way and Factorial ANOVA procedures using different problems. 1.Non-parametric test. 2.Clinical trial and Bioequivalence. 3. Regression Analysis | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computers and free software, Scientific calculators | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstration of ANOVA procedures using R and SPSS for different case studies with its interpretation and application Demonstration of all these statistical analysis procedures using R and SPSS for different case studies with its interpretation and application | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PC installed with R and SPSS packages,10 unit license of SPSS software |

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| Life sciences | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Iso heme titre • Taxonomical studies of plant and animal species • Study of secondary metabolites of plants | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Microscope •Reference books/ Field trips •Chemical analysis | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Ag-Ab interactions •Digital database for Preserved animals and Urban plant species •Secondary metabolites extraction and profiling | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •ELISA Reader •Camera and Laptop •Chromatography Column |
| Microbiology | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Air Sampling •Identification of Microorganisms •Isolation of DNA and profiling- Demo •Protein estimation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Solid impingement method (Gravity) •Compound Microscopy and Plate count •Colorimeter | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Environmental Sampling of Air •Microbial characterisation •Separation and isolation of chromosomal and plasmid DNA •Determination of Nucleic acid and Protein content of a cell lysate. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Portable Air Sampler •Binocular research microscope •Vertical and horizontal Gel Electrophoresis Unit •UV Trans illuminator |
| Biotechnology | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Protein estimation •Biostatistics •DNA extraction and amplification - DEMO | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Vertical and horizontal Gel Electrophoresis Unit •Textbooks •PCR | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Protein profiling •Bioinformatics/Biostatistics •DNA extraction and amplification from different sources (Hands on) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Western Blot apparatus •End note software •Microfuge •-20 Deep Freezer •Combs, Truough, Spacers, Power Pack •Micropipettes, Barrier Tips, PCR Mix Columns |

PROPOSED MINOR RESEARCH PROJECTS

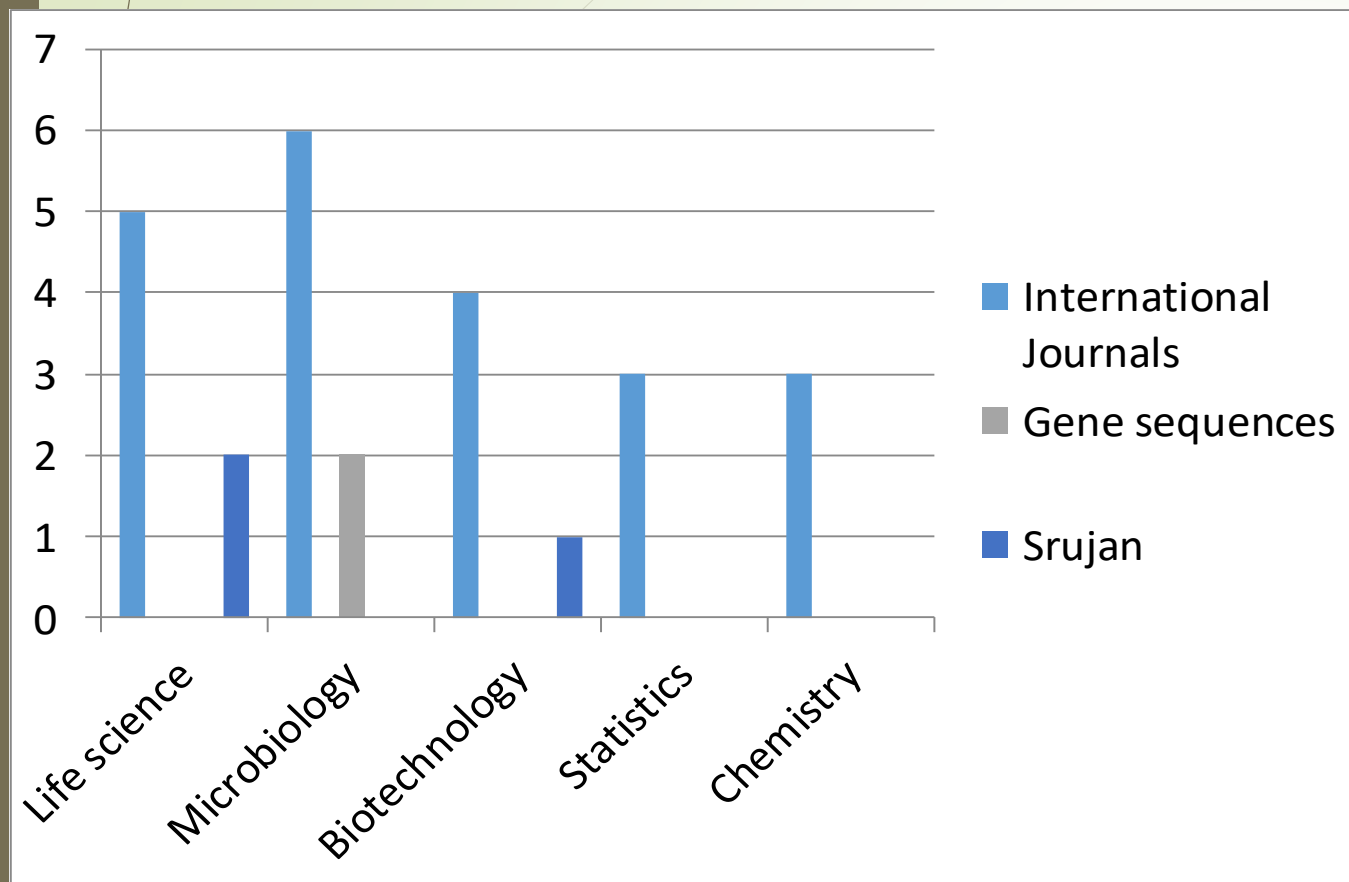
| Dept. | Program |
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| Chemistry | 1. Analysis of Adulteration in milk, Microbial profiling. |
| | 2. Analysis of fluoride content of Toothpastes and mouth washes. |
| | 3. Mosquito repellent properties of coconut shell and its derivatives. |
| | 4. Preparation of pH indicators from natural sources. |
| | 5. Evaluation of lead content of nail enamel products (Matt finish nail polish). |
| Statistics | 1. Data handling clinical trial studies and role of statistics. |
| | 2. Data analysis of Municipality data (Health, Disease etc.). |
| | 3. Workshop on Data analysis using SPSS. |
| Life Sciences | 1. Green synthesis of nano particles |
| | 2. Chemical fingerprinting of fruit extracts |
| | 3. Screening of genetic disorders in neo nats |
| | 4. An assessment of respiratory health of traffic policemen |
| Microbiology | 1. Aerobic degradation of triphenyl methane dyes using Sphingomonas species. |
| | 2. Identification of b-lactamase producing organisms from natural water bodies. |
| | 3. Identification of genetic determinants of drug resistance in microbes, |
| | 4. Study of horizontal transfer of genes causing antibiotic resistance and their expression. |
| Biotechnology | 1. Bioremediation using plant extracts. |
| | 2. Metabolomic profiles of PNAS in tobacco consumers. |
| | 3. PCOS survey among young adults. |

PROPOSED FACULTY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMMES

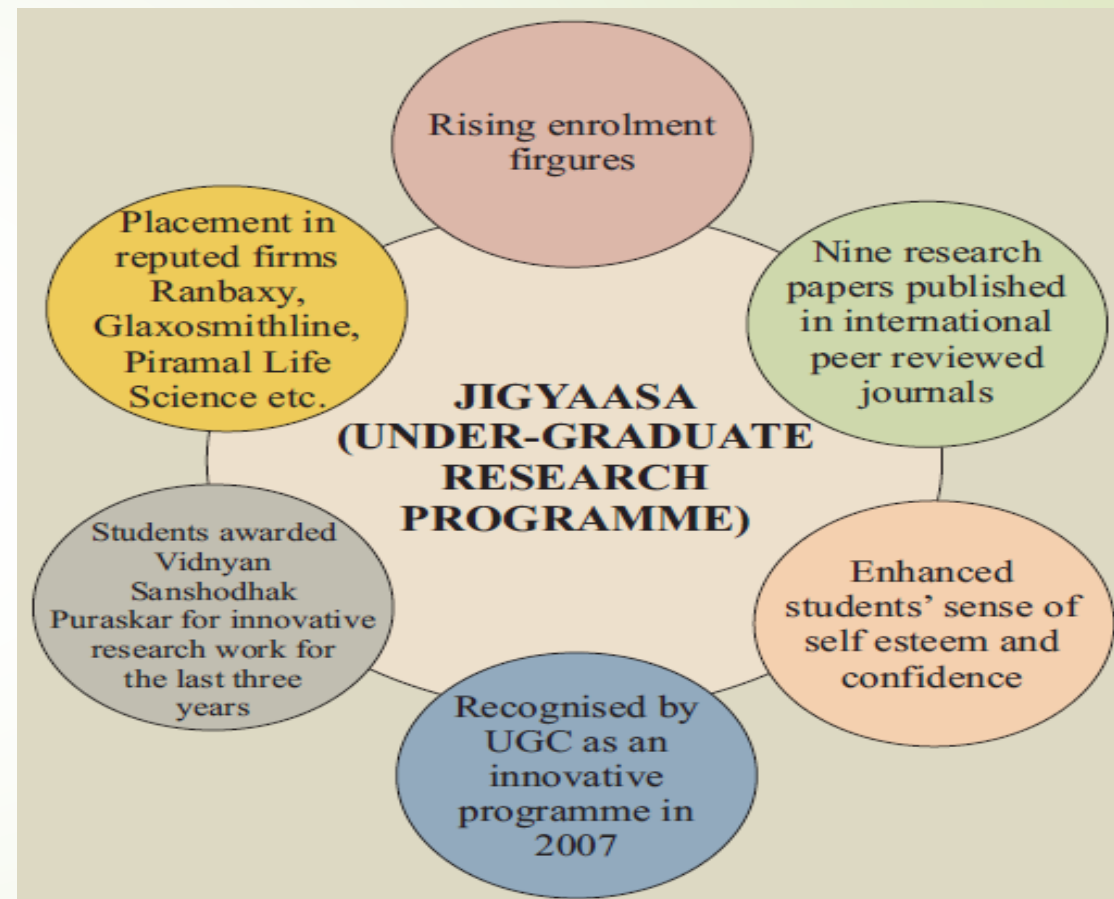
| Dept. | Program | Resource person |
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| Life Sciences | 1. Workshop on Techniques in developing and maintaining cultures of Model organisms | Dr. Jacinta D'Souza |
| | 2. Workshop on HPTLC | Dr. Avinash Patil |
| | 3. Workshop on Zebra fish Culture | Dr. Yasmin Khan |
| | 4. Workshop on Digital Taxonomy | Dr. Sanjay Deshmukh |
| Chemistry | 1. Building leadership qualities. | H.R. Professional |
| | 2. Seminars on tapping various resources of funding research project. | Dr. Hemlata Bagla |
| | 3. Conducting workshop for improvement in soft skills | Ms. Ritika Pathak |
| | 4. Hands on training with modern Instrumentation like ICP-OES, LASER | Resource person-Industry |
| | 5. Stress Management Program(Yoga) | Mr. Vijay Thigle |
| Statistics | 1. Workshop on clinical trial studies and role of statistics. | Mr. Soumen Roy |
| | 2. Workshop on Data analysis using R and SAS. | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande |
| | 3. Workshop on Data analysis using SPSS. | Dr. S. P. Gite |
| Microbiology | 1. Workshop on Handling Biological data using software tools. | Dr Sonal Dasani, Dr Muley |
| | 2. Workshop on Immunological Techniques | Visting faculty from ACTREC, Kharghar. |
| Biotechnology | 1. Workshop on PCR Handling & Molecular Biology Techniques | Ms. Sharon K. |
| | 2. Workshop on Bioinformatics & Molecular modeling | Dr. Suruchi J., Ms. Alpana Bastikar |
| | 3. Handling and applications: HPLC | Dr. Vijay Dabholkar & Dr. Yogita Shinde |

UNDER GRADUATE RESEARCH

The Journey so far...



Evidence of Success



- 21 International UG publications from our JIGYAASA Program

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

- **Chemistry:** Upgrading the knowledge of instrumentation and apparatus handling amongst BMC Schools
- **Statistics:** Statistics for Science teachers- ICT Workshop
- **Life Sciences:** To showcase state of the art Museum Specimens/ Digitised version to Schools and Colleges
- **Microbiology:** Water analysis from all water taps/sources in and around institutions
- **Biotechnology:** Awareness of Food additives in schools



THANK YOU

Adoption of Environmentally Safer Alternatives to animal dissections (Clay modeling of brains)



State of the art Infrastructure



Life Sciences Lab



Radio-Chemistry Lab



Auditorium



Library