



**M. O. P. VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS)**

**Chennai - 600 034, India.**

*(Affiliated to University of Madras and Re-accredited at "A++" grade by NAAC)*

# Department of Social Sciences



# B.A. SOCIOLOGY

## Information Brochure



## UNIQUENESS

- Multidisciplinary approach in curriculum
- Empirical Research at under graduate level
- Field visits to understand the social reality and link theory with practical knowledge.

## COURSES OFFERED

### SEMESTER 1

- Principles of Sociology- I
- Sociology of Indian Society
- Social Psychology

### SEMESTER 2

- Principles of Sociology-II
- Rural Sociology
- Social Anthropology

### SEMESTER 3

- Sociological Theory
- Social Pathology
- Social Demography

### SEMESTER 4

- Research Methods
- Social Legislations in India

### SEMESTER 5

- Social Movements in India
- Sociology of Development
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Urban Sociology
- Project/Industrial Sociology

### SEMESTER 6

- Political Sociology
- Globalization and Society
- Women's Development- Issues and Concerns
- Environment and Society
- Human Resource Management

Eligibility for Admission:  
80% in Higher Secondary Examination

For PO, PSO& CO refer the College Website-  
<https://mopvc.edu.in/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/DOCTORAL-PG-UG-PROGRAMS.pdf>



## TEACHING METHODOLOGY

- Chalk and Talk
- Story Telling
- Role Play
- Brain Storming
- Multi Media Presentation
- Case Study
- Social Mapping
- Preparing e-content
- Game Based Learning
- Survey Based Projects
- Article and Book Reviews
- Media Reviews

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Guest Lectures

People's Club

"Spotlight" Journal, "Yours Socially" E-Journal

Workshops, Seminars & Certificate Courses

Internships & Student Projects

Community Service & Field Visits





## GUEST LECTURES



### **INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

24-07-2023

**Mr. Bala Siva**  
**Founder,**  
**Able Aura Foundation**

### **FINANCING SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

11.10.2023

**Mr. PanneerSelvan Madanagopal**  
**CEO, SHMC Global)**



### **BHARATIYA CIVILIZATION: FROM DEEP SOUTH TO NORTH**

16.10.2023

**Mr. Raj Vedam**  
**Co-founder-ThinkTank, Indian**  
**History Awareness and Research**



## GUEST LECTURES

### **ROLE OF SOCIAL DETERMINANTS IN HEALTH**

29.11.2023

**Dr. Vasundhara Nair,  
Assistant Professor,  
Jindal Institute of  
Behavioral sciences.**



### **POLITICAL SOCIALISATION THROUGH MASS MEDIA**

20-12-2023

**Ms. Vidhya Padmanabhan  
Assistant Professor, B.A Journalism  
M,O.P Vaishnav College for Women**



## WORKSHOP

### STORY TELLING FOR SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP

24.08.2023

**Ms Reshma Budhia,  
Founder, Toss the Coin.**



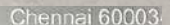
## CERTIFICATE COURSE



**7 days certificate  
course on Social  
Entrepreneurship in  
partnership with  
Centre for Social  
Initiative and  
Management (CSIM)**



The students of B.A Sociology conducted an exhibition to celebrate World Population Day on July 11. The exhibition included student projects on wide range of topics like causes and consequences of Rampant Population growth, Life at Mars, Diaspora etc. Students and faculties of various department visited the exhibition and gained insights about population studies.





## PEOPLE'S CLUB

The club provides a platform for the students to develop leadership, organizing and team building skills. Various intramural and intercollegiate activities are undertaken under the auspices of People's club.

## OFFICE BEARERS 2023-2024



**Distribution of  
badges to office  
bearers of Peoples  
Club 2023-2024**

## INTRA MURALS

### INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

- Counter & Dismissal
- Behind the Scenes of Society (Writing)
- Global Gezzette (Magazine Cover)

### GROUP EVENTS

- Fusion Fiesta (Potpourri)
- Graffitico (Tattoo Art)







## STREET PLAY- THE FORTE OF SOCIOLOGY STUDENTS

The students have Sociology have taken up street play and mime for awareness creation on topics of social interest. It is the legacy of students to train juniors and subsequent batches in streetplay and the culture of awareness creation



**STREET PLAY FOR  
POPULATION DAY-  
FAMILY PLANNING  
AWARENESS**

**1ST PRIZE IN MIME  
COMPETITION  
CONDUCTED BY  
TAMILNADU  
POLICE MUSEUM**



**STREET PLAY FOR  
VIGILANCE  
AWARENESS WEEK**



## DEPARTMENT JOURNALS

### SPOTLIGHT

Spotlight is an in-house publication journal featuring students research articles and other creative works.

#### SPOTLIGHT OVER THE YEARS:

Gen Z-2016

Technology&Society-2017

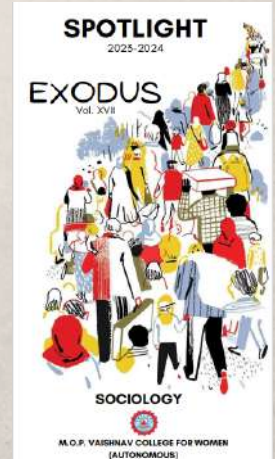
Childhood-2018

Weather the Storm-2019

Melange-2020

Impact of COVID 19

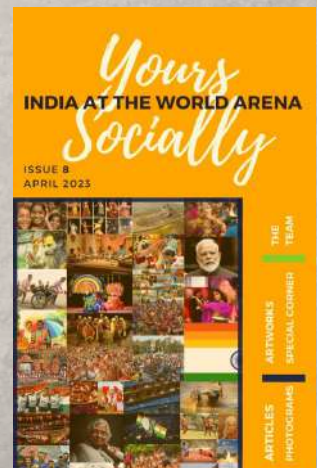
Contemporary Trends of Social Change- 2022



**2023- EXODUS**

### YOURS SOCIALLY

Yours Socially is an in-house e-journal started during the Pandemic times to connect with students on online mode.





## PROMINENT INTERNSHIPS

2023-2024

- **CMDA- 15 students interned as moderators for 3 months under the project of "Visioning Document" for third master plan for Chennai Metropolitan Area**
- **Governance-** Aishwarya Haridas and Akshaya P (**District child protection unit, thirussur,Kerala**) Archana M and Isaimozhi K.U (**TN State Human Rights Commission**), Vignatha M (**Kadappa Municipal Corporation, Andhra Pradesh**), Prabhneeth Kaur (**State Commission for Women**)
- **Legal Internships:** Varshini R.V, Kanishka R.S
- **Corporate Internships-** Afrin N (**Mahindra Motors**), Chandana V and Lakhmi Priya (**Lemuriya Olithirai**)
- **NGOs & Social Sector-** Haritha C Y (**NAWA (Nilgris Adivasis Welfare Association), Kotagiri, The Nilgris**), Nyshy Sriram, Adithi S and Narchonai J T (**Blue Cross of India**), Vigneshwari K (Kalvi 4.0- Paid internship)

### AACHI MANORAMA ENDOWMENT AWARD FOR BEST PAPER PRESENTER:

- An endowment award instituted for the best student research paper presentation
- 2023-2024 Theme: "Complex dynamics of Migration and Refugee Movements"
- Winner: Haritha and Prabhneeth Kaur

## STUDENT PROJECTS

2023-2024

- Beyond the Surface: An in-depth Sociological Study on Adolescence in Perumbakkam Resettlement Colony.
- A Sociological Analysis on Gender Disparities in Mental Health Issues among Young Adults in Chennai
- Sociological Study on Importance of Creche Facility for Working Parents of Private Organizations in Chennai
- A Sociological Study on Cultural Practices of Kongu Vellalars of Erode
- A Comparative Study on The Evolutionary Impact On Religious Perceptions Amongst The Gen Z and Gen X In Chennai.





## COMMUNITY SERVICE & OUTREACH PROGRAMMES



Urban reforestation  
in collaboration  
with Nizhal NGO at  
Kotturpuram Urban  
Forest

## FIELD VISIT



A seven day certification course on Social Entrepreneurship was conducted by Centre for Social Initiative and Management (CSIM). As part of course curriculum, students were taken on a Field Visit to Chembakkam Model Village for the Irulas, Thiruporur



## Higher Education after B.A Sociology:

M.A. Sociology & Other Specialisations

M.A. Anthropology

M.A. Communication

M.S.W

M.A Psychology

M.A Criminology

M.B.A

M.A.(HRM)

L.L.B

M.A Public Policy



## Career options

Civil Services & Other Government Examinations

Social Research

Social Entrepreneurs

Community Development Officers

Academicians

Project Co-ordinators

Executives in C.S.R

Counselors

Policy Planners & Analyst

H.R Executives



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