

The FDP in Commerce began on May 11<sup>th</sup> with forecasting and predictive analysis by Mr.Swapnil Saurav who is working as manager, problem management at service now. Mr.Saurav gave lecture on basics of forecasting and predictive analysis. He discussed concepts like regression, linear regression and multiple regression models. The session was attended by all the faculty members of Commerce and Computer Science departments.

The second day of the faculty development program was started by speaker Ms. Smrithi kiran, who had 14 years of experience in software development, edutech and training. Ms. Smrithi kiran spoke about data driven decision making which is essential in modern decision making process in organizations. She explained in detailed about the importance of data in business decisions and strategies. She gave inputs on various tools in Ms excel and their usage.

The third day of the FDP was taken by Mr.Durga Prasad, who is a certified Data Scientist with 8 years of experience in Tableau. He gave lecture on essentials of data analytics with live explanation on tableau and Python. Tableau is a leading data visualisation tool and Python is the programming language used for data analysis and business intelligence.

The fourth day of the faculty development program was handled by Mr. Brajesh. He had 12 years of experience in research, analytics and software. He gave lecture along with live examples on data visualization. The seven stages of data visualization were explained very well.

The final day of the five day faculty development program was shared by Mr.Venkata sagar on the topic Robotics Process Automation. Mr. Venkata sagar is at present working as a software development and delivery manager at EPAM Software solutions India Pvt Ltd. In this session Mr.Sagar emphasized the importance of Robotics and automation in day to day life of organizations and he had highlighted the skills required to learn for marching towards robotics process automation. His session was followed by Mr.Nimmagadda Sudheer Kumar, who shared his knowledge on UI path in Robotic process automation. He further emphasized the need for implementation of robotics.

In a nutshell it was a knowledge enriching FDP which was conducted at relevant time for the present semesters.