

# NEWSLETTER

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



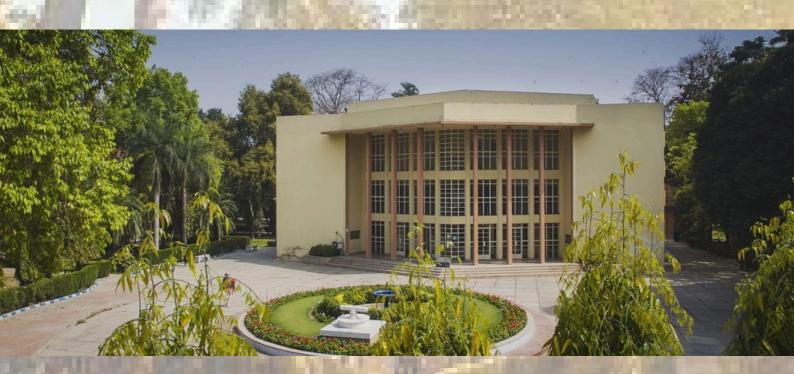
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### OUR VISION

To be a place of opportunity where students receive quality education that produce the future entrepreneurs who are fully equipped to face challenges of today's dynamic business environment.

We want to be identified as a leader in business education through our policy of encouraging, fostering diversity, creativity, and leadership. Our aim is to strong characteristics in students to enable them to learn responsible innovation and social responsibility while starting new business ventures and prepare them to produce excellent result in their BISE exams.



#### **OUR HISTORY**

Founded in 2011 with one faculty member and only two sections, the Department of Commerce now holds a significant position along with the other departments in Forman Christian College (A Chartered University).

The department now caters to nine sections in total with 300+ students facilitated by our five faculty members who proudly demonstrates excellent results every year. The department also provides a platform in the form of "Forman Tycoons" which is a business club run by the student body selected as the council members under a society advisor and a co-advisor.



#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOD



Building upon the success of last year's newsletter, I am thrilled to present the fourth edition, brimming with exciting updates and achievements from the Department of Commerce. Once again, I want to express my sincere gratitude to our outstanding faculty. unwavering dedication to academic excellence and fostering continues be potentia to of cornerstone department's our Our students. success. enthusiastic about both academic and co-curricular activities, truly inspire us by producing excellent results. We strive to create a learning environment that goes beyond mere knowledge acquisition, emphasizing personal growth and development for everyone.

This year's newsletter wouldn't have been possible without the tireless efforts of the dedicated newsletter team. Their meticulous work in compiling this edition deserves our deepest appreciation. I would also like to extend my deepest gratitude to the Vice Rector's Office, Coordinator's Office, Information Office, and Chief Proctor's Office. They are instrumental in fostering an exceptional learning environment that benefits both our faculty and students. This collaborative spirit allows our department to truly flourish and reach its full potential.



## **OUR FACULTY**



KHURRAM SHAHZAD
HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT - PROFESSOR



ATIF SAROIA
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR



ASSISTANT PROFESSOR



MOMINA HAMID
LECTURER - ADVISOR FORMAN TYCOONS



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### FACULTY ACHIEVEMENT

#### MR. KHURRAM SHAHZAD PROMOTED AS PROFESSOR



Mr. Khurram Shahzad receiving promotion letter from the worthy Rector, Dr. Jonathon Addleton and Vice Rector, Dr. Ivan Suneel





## OUR CLUB - FORMAN TYCOONS



Left to Right: Hamdan Majeed (Media Manager), Farhan Ali (Logistics Manager), Fahmeed Foaad (Vice President), Sarid Dilshad (President), M.Shahbaz Khan (Secretary), Fazal Malik (Activities Coordinator) and Abdullah Khan Niazi (Treasurer)

Forman Tycoons, formerly recognized Formanites Business Club. is overseen by the Department Commerce. It offers ICOM students a chance to join and enhance various skills, such as management. The club operates under the guidance of its student members and the advisor, Momina Hamid, a lecturer in the Department of Commerce. Numerous events and activities have orchestrated by the club thus far, aiming to furnish our students with a platform for skill refinement and development.

We aim to foster dynamic community where future business leaders can thrive. Our motive is to cultivate an environment promotes innovation, collaboration, and continuous learning among our members. Ultimately, our goal is to shape well-rounded individuals who equipped with the knowledge. skills and mindset to succeed in the ever-evolving fields of Commerce.



### WELCOMING FIRST YEAR STUDENTS













## ONLINE QUIZ COMPETITION













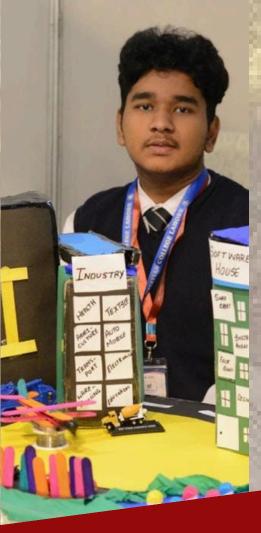


#### SCINOVATION'24











### NATIONAL IDEA BANK III













### CERTIFICATES DISTRIBUTION













#### FUTURE PURSUITS

#### INDUSTRIAL VISIT FOR SECOND YEAR

The Forman Tycoons intend to arrange an industrial visit for ICOM students, subject to approval from the Vice Rector and College Coordinator Office. This initiative aims to offer our students valuable exposure pertinent to their professional development. The objective is to familiarize them with industrial operations, departmental alignments, and provide a platform to address any queries they may have regarding industry functioning.



#### **VISIT TO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY**



In 2022, our students were privileged to visit the Chamber of Commerce and Industry, gaining valuable insights into its operations and the support available to entrepreneurs. This visit facilitated the clarification of their queries. We intend to continue this tradition by organizing a similar visit for first-year students this year, ensuring they receive equal exposure and experience.



#### **FUTURE PURSUITS**

#### **SHARK TANK FCC**



Shark Tank is a renowned show and platform where aspiring startups and entrepreneurs present their ideas for potential investment. Drawing inspiration from this concept, we plan to organize a similar event. Students will develop innovative business ideas to pitch before a panel, earning marks that determine their positions. While this will be a first-time occurrence at our institution, we anticipate it to be an invaluable experience, providing students with exposure and skills vital for their university and professional journeys. We believe this initiative will instill confidence, foster brainstorming abilities, and enhance presentation skills among participants.