

## HENRY BAKER COLLEGE, MELUKAVU

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Criterion 2: Teaching Learning and Evaluation

2.3.1 Student centric methods, such as experiential learning, participative learning andproblem-solving methodologies are used for enhancing learning experiences

## Submitted to



THE NATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCREDITATION COUNCIL

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	Student Centric Methods		
Sl No	Experiential Learning		
1	Invited talks and seminars		
2	Visit to centres of academic excellence		
3	Intercollegiate Fests		
4	Industrial visits/study tours, field visits and destination visits		
5	Performance of traditional arts		
6	Oral History archives		
	Participative learning		
1	Participation in Quizzes, Debates and Discussions		
2	Manuscript magazines		
3	Knowledge sharing programmes		
4	Soft skills enhancement programmes		
	Problem Solving Methodology		
1	Nurturing critical thinking-		
2	HBC Radio		
3	HBC Cloud		
4	Young Innovators Programme		

## **Experiential Learning**

(i) Invited talks and seminars on topics of core subjects, recent technologies and research areas as well as career orientation are arranged to elevate the learning experience of the students.

Sl No.	Programme	Topic/ Title	Resource Person	Organized	Date& Year
1	Invited talks	Identity and Culture of Tribal People	Kovilmala Raman Raja Mannan	Post Graduate Department of History	08.06.2015
2	Invited Lectures	Hiroshima day: Facts and Impacts	Prof T. N. Thankachen Department of Electrical and Electronics, R I T, Kottayam	Department of Physics	06.08.2015
3	Invited Lectures	Portuguese Maritime Activities in Malabar	Rev. Dr. James John, HOD P.G Dept. of History, St. Thomas College, Pala.	Post Graduate Department of History	10.09.2015
4	Two Days National Workshop	Application of Statistical Techniques in Commerce and Management Research	Dr. R ravana, Associate Professor of Statics, Presidency College, Chennai	Post Graduate Department of Commerce	16.10.2015- 17.10.2015
5	Invited Talk	The Question of Adivasi Land in Kerala: Tracing roots from History	Dr.AniTresa Ephraim, Associate Professor, SreeSankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady	Post Graduate Department of History	19.03.2016
6	Invited Talks	Enjoy Physics	Dr. S. Sankararaman, Department of Optoelectronics, Kerala University	Department of Physics	22.08.2016
7	Invited Talks	Re-reading Marxism	Prof.P.G.Haridas, Rtd. HOD cum Principal, S.S.V college, Perumbavoor	Post Graduate Department of History	03.11.2016
8	Invited Talks	The Myth of Reading: Film, Literature, Text	Sri Cherry Jacob K., Assistant Professor, Department of English, U. C. College Aluva	Department of English	04.11.2016
9	Invited Talks	Knowledge systems of Kerala	Prof. T. Harilal, Rtd. HOD, S.S.V College, Perumbavoor.	Post Graduate Department of History	16.01.2017
10	Seminar	Goods and Service Tax (GST)	Dr. Joseph Thomas Toonkuzhi, Register, Gulathi Institute of Taxation studies TVM	Post Graduate Department of Commerce	18.01.2017

11	Invited	Permanence and	Dr.Vinod Kumar	Post Graduate	20.2.17
	Talks	Change in Tribal	Kallolikal, Associate	Department of	
		Health Care	Professor, Maharajas	History	
		Systems: A Historical	College , Ernakulam		
		Perspective			
12	Invited	Relevance of	Dr. P. J. Cherian,	Post Graduate	28.2.17
12	Talks	Pattanam finds	Archeologist and	Department of	20.2.17
		to Kerala history	Former Director of	History	
		and society	KCHR,	5	
		-	Thiruvananthapuram.		
13	Invited	Eclectic Reading	Sri Subin Varghese.,	Department of	03.03.2017
	Talks		Assistant Professor,	English	
			Department of English,		
			Devamatha College		
14	Seminar	Last sixty Years	Kuravilangad Dr. K.K.N Kurup,	Post Graduate	20.07.2017
14	Seminar	of Kerala	Former V.C,	Department of	20.07.2017
			University of Calicut,	History	
			Prof. T. M. Yesudasan,		
			Asso. Prof. (Rtd.)		
			CMS College		
			Kottayam,		
			Dr. K. S.		
			Pradeepkumar, Deputy		
			Director (Training)		
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15	Invited Talk	Kerala Coinage	Dr. Joseph Augustine	Post Graduate	24.07.2017
		and Medieval	Newman College,	Department of	
16	Invited talk	Economy Hierarchical	Thodupuzha) Dr. Joe Jacob,Associate	History Department of	08.11.2017
10	Invited talk	structures in the	Professor in Physics,	Physics	06.11.2017
		Universe	Newman College,		
			Thodupuzha	G	
17	Workshop	Oral History	Dr. Sebastian Joseph,	Post Graduate	3.2.18
	1	Archiving	HOD History,	Department of	
		01	U.C.College, Aluva,	History	
		3 3 19	Smt. Manjusha K.A,	N	
		70	Asst. Prof. School of	S	
		TAN	Gandhian Thought &		
		21	Development Studies,		
18	Invited talk	Evangelical	M. G. University Dr.BibinKuriakose,	Post Graduate	14.05.2018
10		Ethnography and	Asst. Professor,	Department of	14.03.2018
		the question of	Marthoma College for	History	
		Religion in	Women, Perumbavoor		
		Kerala	,,	,	
19	Invited talk	Science in	Prof T. N.	Department of	28.02.2018
		Ancient India.	Thankachen,	Physics	
		Myth & Reality.	Breakthrough Science		
			Society, Kottayam		
20	Invited talk	Ozone Depletion	Dr. V. P. Sylas,	Department of	19.09.2018
		and Climate	Assistant professor,	Physics	
		Change	School of		
			Environmental		
			Sciences, Mahatma		
			Gandhi University,		
		1	Kottayam		1

21	Invited talk	Iron Age: Burial Monument and time frame	Dr.Jenne Peter, Assistant Professor. U.C. College , Aluva	Post Graduate Department of History	01.10.2018
22	Invited Talk	Finding the Local: Methodology and Perspectives'	Dr. P.S Manoj Kumar, Associate Professor, Sree C .Achuthanmenon Govt. College Kuttanellur	Post Graduate Department of History	15.03.2019
23	Invited Talk	Physics around Us	Ajith Thomas, Department of Physics, St. Thomas College, Pala	Department of Physics	06.08.2019
24	Invited Talk	Is nuclear energy indispensible for India?	Sri. Sasikumar P, Breakthrough Science Society, Kottayam	Department of Physics	06.08.2019
25	Invited Talk	32 years and Healing	Dr.Ajith James Jose, Asst Professor in Chemistry, St. Berchmans College, Changanacherry.	Department of Physics	25.09.2019
26	Invited Talk	Studying Contemporary History: A Critical Perspective	Dr. Justine Mathew, Assistant Professor, University of Delhi	Post Graduate Department of History	28.06.2019
27	Invited Talk	Studying Contemporary History: a critical Perspective	Dr. P. Sanal Mohan Director, KCHR,TVM	Post Graduate Department of History	26.07.2019
28	Invited Talk	Relevance of Gandhian Principles in Contemporary India.	Sri. Nidhin Jose, Assistant Prof. on Contract, St. Thomas College, Pala	Post Graduate Department of History	03.10.2019
29	Invited Talk	Indian Constitution: Making And Spirit	Prof.Bino .P.Jose, HOD History, S.D.College, Kanjirapally	Post Graduate Department of History	26.11.2019
30	Invited Talk	Colonialism and Christianity: A History of Evangelical Mission Work among the Travancore Hill Tribes.	Sri.Vinil Paul, Research Scholar, JNU	Post Graduate Department of History	04.02.2020
31	Workshop	Local History Methodology	Mr. Vinil Paul, Research Scholar, JNU, New Delhi	Post Graduate Post Graduate Department of History	04.02.2020
32	Invited Talk	Women who changed Science and the World	Dr.Sumesh George Dept. of Physics St Georges College Aruvithura	Department of Physics	02.03.2020

33	Webinar	Online	Ms.Jyothi Maria Johny,	IQAC &	21.05.2020
		Plagiarism	Research Scholar,	Department of	
		Checking: An easy Approach	Kerala University	Commerce	
34	Webinar	Challenges and Opportunities in Tourism After Covid 19.	Dr. Joseph P D, Faculty of Commerce, Mangalore University	Department of Tourism and Hospitality	22.05.2020
35	Webinar	FDP on Academic Excellence in Digital Era	Dr. Sameer Babu M, Assistant professor, University of Kerala	IQAC	25.05.2020
36	Webinar	AatmaNirbhar Bharat Abhiyan	Dr. S.Muraleedharan, Associate professor, Maharajas College, Ernakulam	Post Graduate Department of Commerce& IQAC	28.05.2020

## (ii)Visit to centers of academic excellence: Students of Department of History visited the



Kerala Council for Historical Research and attended the Public Interface Programme.They got the opportunity to visit KCHR Library, State Archives, and Signature Museum. Interactions with renowned historians enlightened and widened their experience. The Students were given training on the use of Archives and preservation of archival documents.



Interaction with Dr. P.K. Michael Tharakan, Chairman KCHR, and Dr. P. Sanal Mohan, Director KCHR, renowned historians of Kerala.

## (iii) Fests

The Intercollegiate Tourism Fests **PIONERO 2K20 & PIONERO 2K19** organized by B.Voc Tourism and Hospitality Management has been a platform to identify the entrepreneurial and managerial skills of future professionals. The Fest comprises of various programmes like Best Manager. Tourism Quiz, 3's Football, Best Marketing Team, Treasure Hunt, IPL Auction and 7's County Cricket which provide ample opportunity for the students to explore their managerial skills.



Science fest '**SPEED 2K18**' was conducted by the Physics department in association with ISRO on 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> January 2017 enables the public to explore new innovations in the field of science.The main attractions were science exhibition by our students, exhibition of satellites and rocket models by ISRO (Indian Space Research Organization), Health awareness programme "Health issues in Modern life", documentary presentation "The evolution of science" designed by our students. It has been a platform for the students to express their creativity and scientific temper.





#### Curios 2017



### (iv) Field visits:

Tribal visits,Heritage Walk and visits to Archeological and Megalithic Sitesprovide the History students abundant opportunities to explore the culture, custom, beliefs and practices of tribal people.



Visit to Kovilmala tribal settlement and Cave at Mankombu by History students



Field visit to Pallipuram Fort

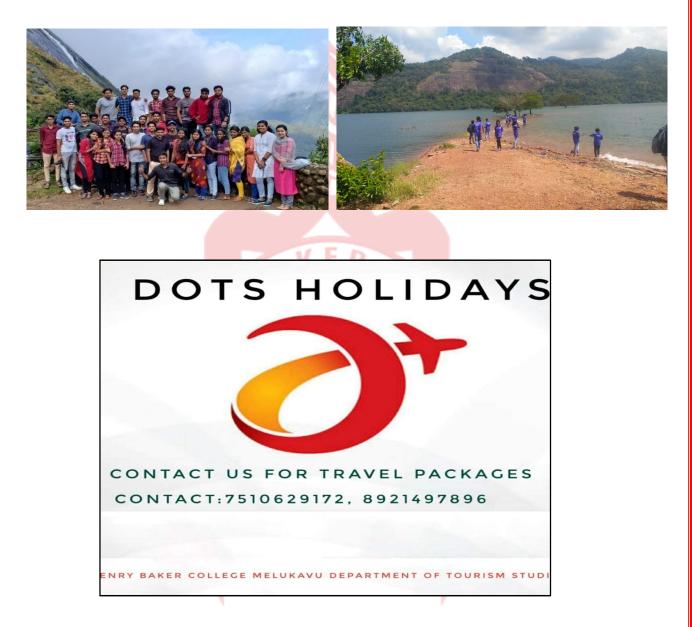


Sahodaran Aiyyappan's House

B. Voc. Tourism and Hospitality Management students visited unexplored tourists spots of Kottayam District like IllickalKallu and Kattikayam Waterfalls, and Rosmala and recorded a

Documentary about the problems or challenges faced and prospects for future development of this less explored destinations.

In order to provide judicious mix of skill relating to a profession and appropriate content of general education, B Voc students initiated a new marketing experience in tourism by launching *DOTS Holidays and Tour Packages* 'on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018.



## (V) Traditional Art Performance

Beyond classroom experience students are enlightened by traditional art performances like Thamper (traditional art form of Malai Araya community), Kalaripayattu and KaviArangu

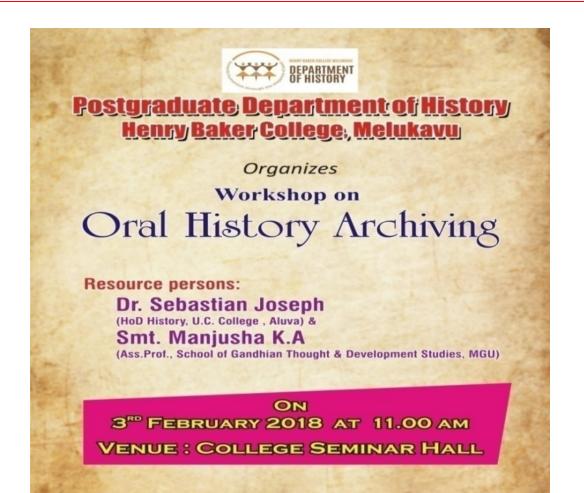


Demonstration of **Thamper**, traditional art performance of Malai Arayan community and **Kalaripayattu** 



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(VI)Oral History Archivesis an initiative of the Postgraduate department of History to collect, record, and preserve the history of the nameless, marginalized and down trodden, who has never been part of the recorded or written history.So far more than fifteen interviews were conducted by the students of the History.Department tries to collect and preserve, both oral tradition and oral history, otherwise lost forever.



## Oral History Club Postgraduate Department of History Henry Baker College, Melukavu

## Organizes

# **EXPLORATION 19**

Introducing Explorers & Exhibiting Explorations of Oral Memories

Venu: Seminar Hall Time: 1.20pm, 14/03/2019

#### Name of the Sl.No Place Age Importance Date Interviewee 1 Rev. CS Thomas Veteran Priest, CSI church 13-07-2018 Erumapra 87 2 Manoj P ST Promotor, Urali tribes 21-04-2018 Valppara 28 Uncle of tribal King of 14-07-2018 Kovilmala 3 Elayaraja Mannan tribes Malayaraya Christian Mr. Joseph Poochapra, 4 16-09-2018 Mundaserri 98 missionary Poomala 5 Mr.Achuthan Farmer 12-03-2019 Valavoor 97 17-04-2019 Pattayakudi 6 Mr.Jayarajan UraliUrumooppan 61 Nechipuzhoor, 7 Agrestic labourer 17-11-2019 Mr.Kuttappan 82 Pala Nechipuzhoor, 8 Mrs.Bhavaniamma. 23-12-2019 Agrestic Labourer 72 Pala Nechipuzhoor, 9 Mr.MadhavaKaimal. Landlord 28-12-2019 72 Pala Nechipuzhoor, 29-12-2019 Mr.Gopalan Agrestic labourer 10 82 Pala Mr. MC Kambukali performer-Urali 21-02-2020 Methotty 11 Thankachan Tribes 65 Mr. Ashok Kumar UraliUrumooppan 21-02-2020 Methotty 12 60 Mr.Manikandan Manthravadi-- Urali tribes 21-02-2020 13 Methotty 74 Mr. PI 14 Malayaraya Agriculturalist 21-02-2020 Methotty Chandrashekharan 77 Wife of Mr. Raman Mrs.Bhavani Mettoor-Malyaraya 15 21-02-2020 Methotty 90 reformer Karshakasree Award 16 Mr. Manuel PO, 22-03-2020 Melukavu 55 winner, 17 Mr.Lakshmanan Masory 17-07-2020 Chittanapara 83 18 Subhadradivakaran Librarian 17-07-2020 Chittanapara 58 Smt.SreedeviBabu Asha worker Chittanapara 19 18-07-2020 48 20 Joy James Auto driver 18-07-2020 Chittanapara 49 Lakshmi Babu 21 Student 18-07-2020 Chittanapara 26 22 KannanBabbu Student 19-07-2020 Chittanapara 20

### INTERVIEWS CONDUCTED BY THE PG DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

## **Participative learning**

(i) Quiz club, Debate Club and women cell of the college organizes various programmes to mould the reasoning and verbal skills of the students through participation in Quizzes, Debates and discussions



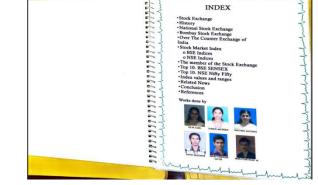
Quiz club members, Mr.Abin Jolly and Jinto Thomas of II M. Com participated in various quiz competitions across the length and breadth of the state and won prestigious titles.

## (ii) Manuscript Magazines



Release of 'Historica' annual manuscript magazine of History Department





Knowledge Album by B Com students



Lightning Circuit' a handbook that records the scenic beauty of the nearby tourist spots in Melukavu by B.Voc department

(iii) Knowledge sharing programmes B.Sc. students demonstrated physics experiments which are not familiar to higher secondary school students on national science day.



Intercollegiate as well as Interschool quiz and PowerPoint presentation competitions by the



Physics department offered ample opportunity for the students in participative learning



Intercollegiate quiz on World Ozone Day (KSCSTE sponsored) and national science day



(iv) Cultural Exchange programmes



Interaction with foreign delegates enables the students to fine tune their communication skills.

## **Problem Solving Methodology**

**Book Review Meetings by Reading club: R**egular book review meetings were conducted under the auspices of reading club to enhance the reading, analytical and critical skills of the students.



The Day of Reading - Readathon - was observed by reading club spending a full day for reading on 19/06/2019

## Details of book reviews:-

Sl	Date	Book reviewed	Reviewer
No			
1	12/08/2015	Pattabackiby K. Damodaran.	SumiSudhakaran
			II MA History
2	08/09/2015	Kayarby ThakazhiSivasankarapilla	AmruthaGopalan
			II BA History
3	06/11/2015	<i>Kocharethi</i> by Narayanan	Vijayan. P.
			III BA History
4	16/12/2015	Randamoozham	Nithya Raj
		by M.T. Vasudevan Nair	III BA History
5	08/12/2017	Aammarathey <mark>umMarannuMar</mark> annuNjanby	Ancy K.B.
		K.R. Meera.	I MA History
6	18/12/2017	NalukettubyM.T.Vasudevan Nair	Asha Venu,
			IMAHistory
7	05/01/2018	Thendivarghamby	AsyaNizar
		ThakazhiSivasankarapilla	III B A History
8	01/02/2018	Aham- Vihangaby Dr. Thomas Abraham	Mary Angel,
		(translation of Jonathan Livingstone Seagull	IMA History
		by Richard Bagh)	
9	23/03/2018	Alchemist by Paulo Coelho	Chinju George,
		3 *	IMA History
10	25/07/2018.	Mathangaleelaby	JyothilakshmiP.Venu.,
		ThirumangalathNeelakandaMoosath	III BA History
11	06/08/2018	Balykalasakhi by	Kannan M.S.
		VaikamMuhammedBasheer	III BA History
12	14/09/2018	Orothaby Kakkanadan	Beema P.R.
			II B A History
13	24/10/2018	Aracharby K.R. Meera.	Archana P.
			I MA History



- HBC Radio fosters creativity of young minds of our institution
- HBC Cloud, yet another initiative aims to develop environmental awareness and sensitivity



**YIP:**The project submitted by students who joined YIP 2019-20 has received government approval. Akhil Santhosh(I M.Com) and Jithin Johnson (III B.Com) were registered their ideas and selected in the preliminary round to present the idea.