#### World Photography Day Celebration- Photography

Date: 19.08.2017

**Event:** Seminar and Exhibition

Title: World Photography Day

Organiser: Mrs.M.Blessy Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

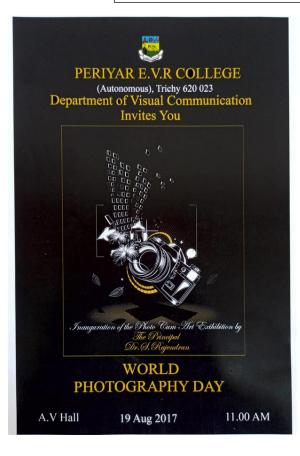
Resource Person: N.G. Manikandan, Photographer, Vikaten Group, Trichy

Prof. Shanmughavelayudham, Assistant Professor, Department of Visual Communication, Jamal Mohamed College, Trichy

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication celebrated the World Photography Day on 19.08.2017 at the Audio-Visual Hall, Perivar EVR College. The event included a Photography cum Art Exhibition, where more than 100 photographs and 50 art works of the students were displayed. The exhibition was inaugurated by the Principal, Dr.Rajendran. After the inauguration of the exhibition the World Photography Day celebration started. The Head of the Department, Mrs.M.Blessy welcomed the gathering. The guests were facilitated. The Principal delivered the presidential address. The keynote address was shared by Mr.S.Manikandan, Photographer, Vikatan groups, Trichy. He shared a lot of news photographs that he had taken and spoke on the challenges of photojournalism. He also empasised on the fact that research is needed before one takes a picture of any subject. Safiulla, 3rd B.Sc Visual Communication student, delivered the vote of thanks. After the tea- break, an interactive session was held by Prof. Shanmughavelayudham, Assistant Professor, Department of Visual Communication, Jamal Mohamed College, Trichy. In his session he spoke on technology being a great tool in the hands of media professionals and how this technology if used correctly can bring about a lot of change in the society. The students interacted well and asked many questions on photojournalism and digitalisation of photography.

#### Invitation Of The Photography Exhibition





## Photographs Of the Photography Exhibition











## Participatory Media Workshop

Date: 4.10.2017- 9.10.2017

**Event:** Participatory Media Workshop

Title: Workshop on - Movie Making, Photography, Puppet, Drawing and Street Play

**Organiser:** 3<sup>rd</sup> B.Sc Visual Communication Students Department of Visual Communication In association with K.K.Nagar Government High School, Trichy

**Report of the Event:** The 3<sup>rd</sup> B.Sc Visual Communication students as part of their Participatory Communication subject organised a 5 day media workshop for the 9<sup>th</sup> grade students of Government school K.K., Nagar, Trichy. Around 50 students participated. The aim of the programme was to orient the students towards media literacy and make them understand and use media effectively. The students were divided into 5 groups. Each group was oriented on the first day about various media. The groups were divided on the following topics Movie Making, Photography, Puppet, Drawing and Street Play. Day 2 and 3 the school students were taught by the 3<sup>rd</sup> year students on the techniques and tools used in the media. Day 4 the student were asked to create their own creative works using the medium taught. Day 5 along with the valedictory program, the works done by the students were exhibited. The school students shared their feedback on the use of media to communicate their thoughts and effectively it could be used to develop a society.

#### Invitation Of The Participatory Media



Periyar E.V.R College (Autonomous), Department of Visual Communication, Trichy.

> In Association with Govt.High.School, K.K Nagar, Trichy



K.K.Nagar, Trichy

#### Photographs Of the Participatory Media Workshop









Date: 29.01.2018

Event: 5th Film Festival - First Step

Title: Understanding Films And The Makers Behind Them

**Resource Person:** Director Ratnakumar, Cinematographer Vijay Karthik Kanna and Director Arun Bose.

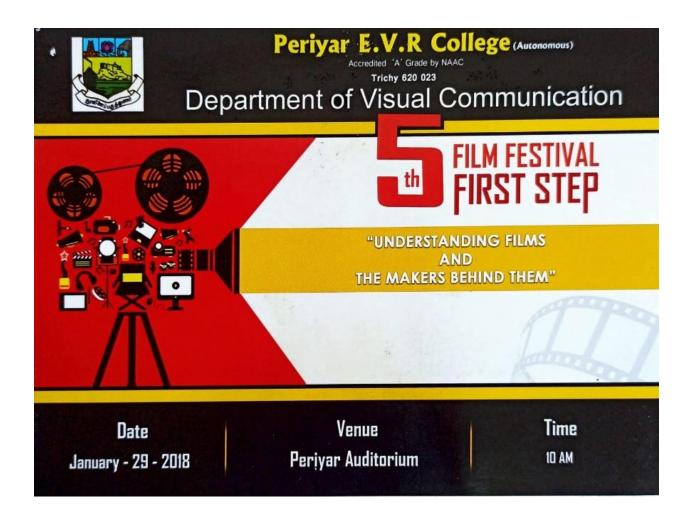
**Organiser:** Mrs. M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised its 5<sup>th</sup> Film Festival- First Step on 01.2018. The festival was mainly organised to help students interact with eminent personalities in the film industry and to be able to watch and discuss good films. The event had three main speakers, Director Ratnakumar, Cinematographer Vijay Karthik Kanna and Director Arun Bose. All the three speakers spoke on diverse topics in Indian cinema. The technicality involved, the paradigm shift in the minds of today's audience in accepting good films rather than films made with big names.

The students had a very interesting and thought-provoking interactive sessions. Director Ratnakumar spoke more on the commercialisation of films yet not compromising on the quality or content of the film. Cinematographer Vijay Karthik spoke on the impact of digitalisation and technological innovation in the field of cinematography, the need to be updated and challenge oneself to go a step further. Director Arun Bose, a climate change award winner spoke on the effectiveness of documentaries and short films in bringing about social change.

Invitation Of The 5<sup>th</sup> Film Festival – First Step



Photographs Of the 5<sup>th</sup> Film Festival – First Step

2017-2018

# 5<sup>TH</sup> FIRST STEP

# 29.01.2018

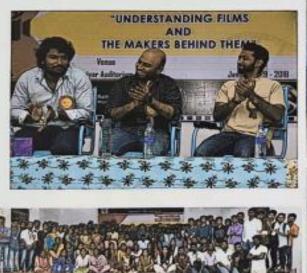
> WITH Mr.RATHNA KUMAR Director @ MEYAADHA MAAN

Mr.VIJAY KARTIK KANNAN Cinematographer @ DARLING 2 , IRRAVAAKAALAM

Mr.ARUN BOSE Film maker & Creative Director © COCKROACH IN COCKTAIL PRODUCTION











## Mediascape Association Inauguration and Lecture Series

Date: 27.02.2018

Event: Mediascape Association Inauguration and Lecture Series

Title: Regional Journalism - Opportunities And Challenges

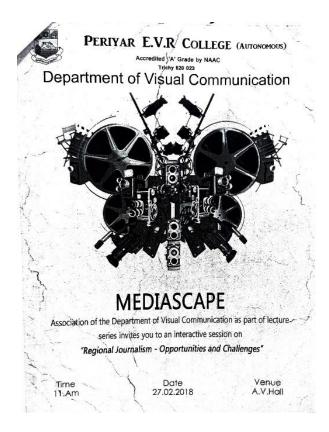
Resource Person: Mr.Mahalingam, Reporter, News7, Trichy

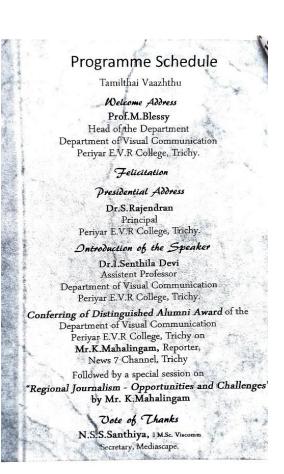
Organiser: Mrs. M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised a lecture series on Regional Journalism – Opportunities and Challenges, along with the inauguration of Mediascape association. The session was held by Mr.Mahalingam, Reporter, News7, Trichy, who is also an alumnus of the Department . Mr.Mahalingam spoke mainly on regional journalism and the opportunities that it provides to local reporters. With technological developments any news could be sent from any place at any time, making news reporting much easier and faster. He encouraged the students to take up journalism and be ethical in their approach.

## Invitation Of The Mediascape Association Inauguration and Lecture Series





Photographs Of the Mediascape Association Inauguration and Lecture Series



#### Indesign Workshop

Date: 16.02.2018

Event: Workshop

Title: Indesign Workshop

Resource Persons: Mr.Kamal Kumar, Content Writer, Nakeeran.

**Organiser**: Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised a one-day workshop on 16.02.2018, to understand and learn the techniques involved in using Indesign Software. The students were enlightened on the concept of newspaper layout designing and the usage of indesign software in aligning and designing news content. The session was handled by Mr.Kamal Kumar, Content Writer, Nakeeran.

## Invitation of Indesign Workshop



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# INDESIGN WORKSHOP



# Photographs of Indesign Workshop





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# Seminars / Conferences / Workshops organised by the Department 2018-2019

## 6<sup>TH</sup> World Photography Day and Exhibition

Date: 31.08.2018

**Event:** Seminar and Exhibition

Title: World Photography Day

Resource Person: Mr.R.Samuel , Senior Photographer, Deccan Chronicle, Bangalore

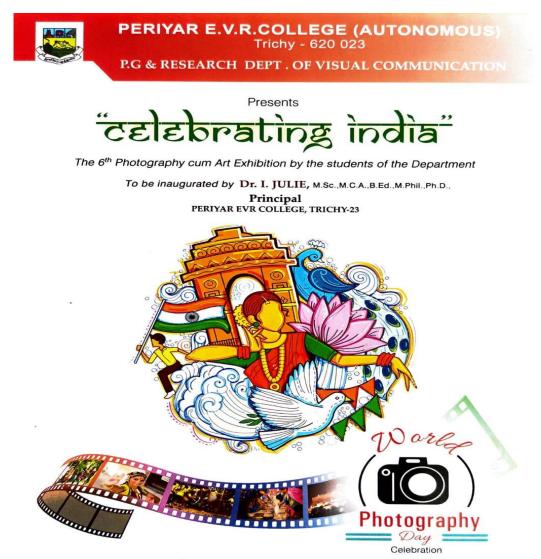
**Organiser:** Mrs. M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

Resource Person: Mr.R.Samuel, Senior Photographer, Deccan Chronicle, Bangalore

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised the 6<sup>th</sup> World Photography Day Celebration and Exhibition on 31.08.2018. Mr.R.Samuel , Senior Photographer, Deccan Chronicle, Bangalore, was the resource person for the seminar. He spoke on the latest trends in photography. He also emphasised the need to have patience in photography to get the correct picture. Though it might be tiring, but certain photographs can be taken only after waiting for the right opportunity. He shared his experience with, aero photography, sports photography in particular. The students were very interactive and gained hands on experience on photo-journalism.

## Invitation of the 6<sup>th</sup> world Photography Day – 'Celebrating India'



Guest of Honor Mr. R. SAMUEL, Senior Photographer, DECCAN CHRONICLE, Bangalore

## Photographs of the 6<sup>th</sup> world Photography Day – 'Celebrating India'





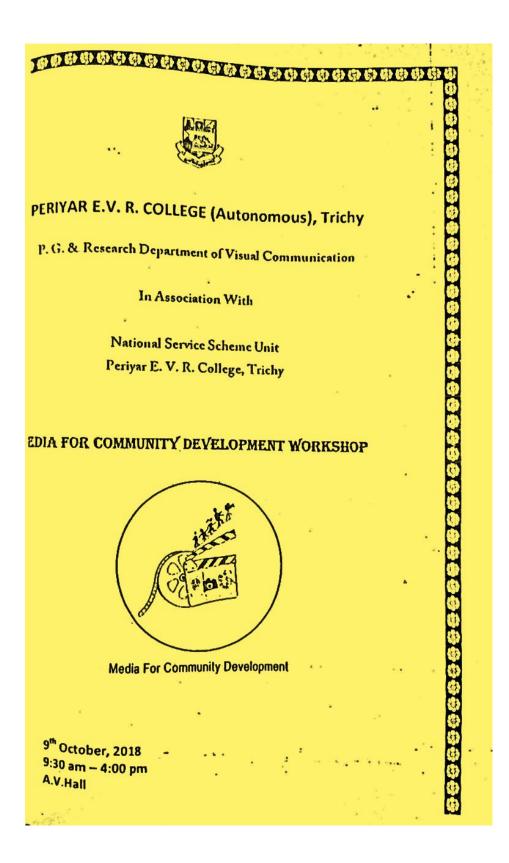
## Media For Community- Participatory Media Workshop

Date: 09.10.2019
Event: Workshop
Title: Media for Community
Organiser: 3<sup>rd</sup> B.Sc Visual Communication Students Department of Visual Communication in Association with NSS Unit

#### **Report of the Event:**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> year students of the Department organised a participatory media workshop for the NSS students of our college on the topic Media for Community. The workshop saw the NSS students enthusiastically learning the use of media in community development. They were divided into various teams- movie making, photography, storytelling, puppetry and street theatre. They were taught to use these specific mediums to communicate to the society and the impact of using these techniques for community development.

## Invitation of the Media For Community- Participatory Media Workshop



## Photographs of the Media For Community- Participatory Media Workshop





## Photography 360 (Two Day Workshop)

Date: 5th and 6th February 2019

Event: Workshop

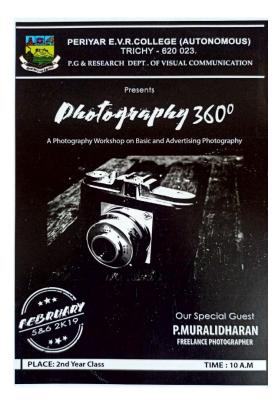
Title: Basic Photography and Advertising Photography

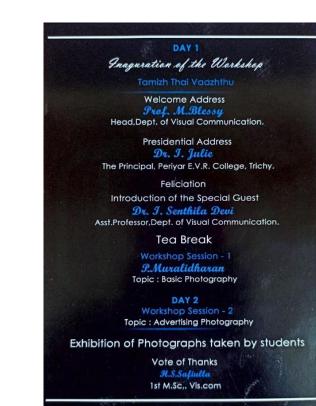
**Organiser:** Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication **Resource Person:** P.Muralitharan, Freelance Photographer, Bangalore

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised a two-day photography workshop for the department students. The workshop was conducted by P.Muralitharan, Freelance Photographer, Bangalore also an alumnus of the Department. The students were exposed to the concepts involved in basic photography on day one. Day two, the students got a hands-on experience on advanced techniques used in advertising photography. The students were given live demo and were made to take indoor photographs using various techniques to enhance their photograph. The students later interacted with the resource person and clarified their doubts.

## Invitation of Photography 360 (Two Day Workshop)





# Photographs of Photography 360 (Two Day Workshop)







### Two Day State Level Seminar (Media for Development)

**Date:** 11.03.2019 - 12.03.2019

Event: Two Day State Level Seminar

Title: Media for Development

Organiser: Mrs.M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

#### **Resource Person:**

Dr.S.Nagarathinam, Professor and Head, Department of Communication, MKU

Mr.Selvprakash Lakshmanan, Independent Photographer, Bangalore

Mr.K.Natarajan, Station Director. AIR, Trichy

Mr.Naveenkumar Selvaraj, Director 'NIRAM'

Prof. D.Balaji, Head, SRM School of Film Technology, SRMIST, Chennai

#### **Report of the Event:**

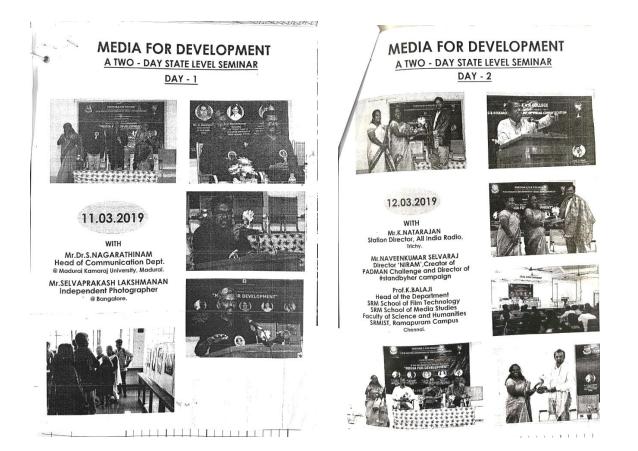
The Department of Visual Communication organised a two-day state level seminar on 'Media for Development'. The two-day seminar was a thought-provoking seminar where the students were made to think about the need to use media for development and also the responsibility of media in contributing to the development of the community. Dr.Nagarathinam spoke on the need for inclusive journalsim, and the necessity to report on sustainable development goals. Mr.Selvaprakash spoke on the topic of photography for social documentary: approaches and practice. In his session, Selvaprakash shared his experience and photograph in documenting the topic of troubled waters. He spoke on the use of photography as an effective tool to document the problems in the society. Mr.K.Natarajan, effectively explained the impact of radio in rural development. Radio still holds a share among media audience in India and has the capacity to influence the thoughts of the rural people. Mr.Naveenkumar in his session spoke on the need to break social stigmas through media. He made the students realise the power of media and how the media as a weapon can be used to remove social cruelties. Prof.Balaji in his session gave a clear understanding of how cinema over the years has been contributing to social development.

## Invitation of the Two-Day State Level Seminar (Media for Development)

	Tamil Thai Vazhthu	Session 2	(2 pm - 3.15 pm)
Welcome Address	: Prof. M. Blessy		
	Assistant Professor & Head P.G & Research Department of Visual Communication Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy	Торіс	: "Photography for Social Documentary :- Approaches and Practices"
Presidential Address	: Dr. I. Julie		
	Principal Periyar E.V.R College Trichy	Speaker	: Mr.Selvaprakash Lakshmanan Independent Photographer Bangalore
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unier Guest	Assistant Professor RG & Research Department of Visual Communication Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy	Session 1	(10.30 am - 11.45 am)
Keynote Address	: "Is Media's role vital for a nation's development ?" Dr. S. Nagarathinam	Торіс	: "Empowering the grassroots: Decoding Radio in times of Digitalization"
	Professor & Head Department of Communication Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Speaker	: Mr. K. Natarajan
Vote of Thanks	: H.S. Safiulla (Student Vice President   Hedascape Association) M.Sc 1# Year		Station Director All India Radio Trichy
	P.G & Research Department of Visual Communication Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy		Tea Break (11.45 am - 12.00 pm)
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Торіс	: "Towards an inclusive journalism: Reporting on Sustainable	Торіс	: "Breaking Social Stigmas through Films & Documentaries"
	Development Goals"	Speaker	: Mr.Naveenkumar Selvaraj
Speaker	: Dr. S. Nagarathinam Professor & Head Department of Communication		Director "NIRAM", Creator of PADMAN Challenge and Director of #standbyber campaign
	Madural Kamaraj University, Madural		Lunch Break (01.15 pm - 02.15 pm)



## Photographs of the Two-Day State Level Seminar (Media for Development)





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Seminars / Conferences/ Workshops organised by the Department for the academic year 2019-2020

## World Photography Day Celebration and Seminar

Date: 27.08.2019

Event: Photography Day Celebration and Seminar

Title: Photo-journalism in New Media Age- Opportunities and Challenges

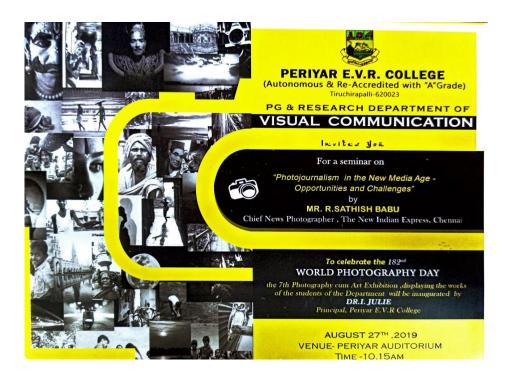
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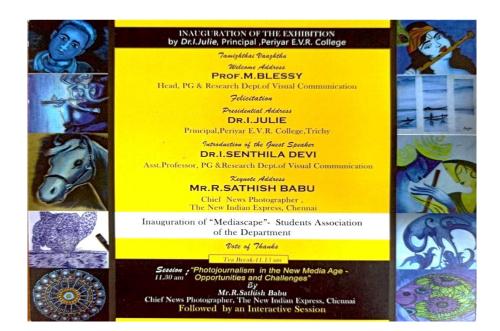
Resource Person: Mr.R.Sathish Babu

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised a seminar on the occasion of World Photography Day. The students exhibited their art and photography works. The speaker during his session spoke on his experience with photography, the challenges that he faced and the change that has happened in the new media age. Mr.Sathish interacted with the students and showed his significant works that he had published during his career. The students were inspired and were motivated to take photographs with content.

## Invitation of the Photography Day Workshop





# Photographs of the Photography Day Workshop









## Seminar on Ham Radio & Sustainable Community Development

Date: 15.02.2020

Event: Seminar

Title: Ham Radio & Sustainable Community Development

Organiser: Mrs.M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

**Resource Person:** Dr.Jaishakthivel, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Mass Communication and Journalism, Madras University

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised a seminar on HAM radio and sustainable community development, to give students an insight on the working f alternative media for community development. Dr, Jaishakthivel, gave a very informative and detailed session on the use of HAM radio in community development. He spoke on the easy accessibility to set up a HAM radio and communicating community relevant content to the listeners. He gave a demo of setting up a HAM radio and the working of the whole system. Students interacted and asked many questions pertaining to the working of the radio.

## Invitation of Seminar on Ham Radio & Sustainable Community Development



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Welcome Address	: Prof.M.Blessy Assistant Professor & Head P. & & Research Department of Visual Communication Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy
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Introduction of the Chief Guest	: Dr.I.Senthila Devi Assistant Professor P.G & Research Department of Visual Communication Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy
Guest Speaker	: Dr.T.Jaisakthivel Assistant Professor Department of Journalism and Communication University of Madras
Session Topic	: "Ham Radio & Sustainable Community Development"
Vote of Thanks	: E.Hariharan 2nd M.Sc Visual Communication Periyar E.V.R College, Trichy

## Photographs of Seminar on Ham Radio & Sustainable Community Development











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Seminars / Conferences/ Workshops organised by the Department for the academic year 2020-2021

## Webinar on The Art of Story Telling & The Latin American Experience

Date: 11.07.2020

Event: Webinar

Title: The Art of Story Telling & The Latin American Experience

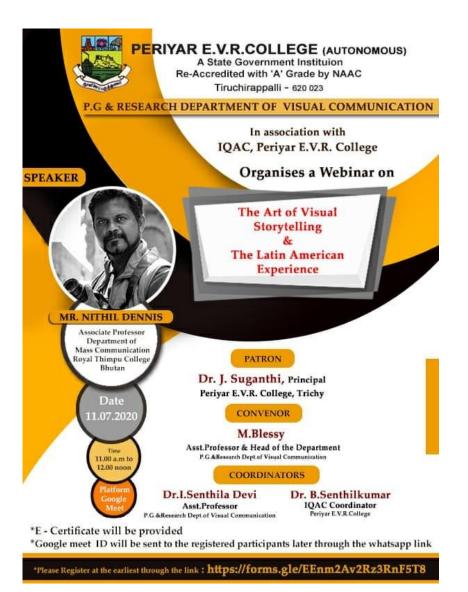
Organiser: Mrs.M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

**Resource Person:** Mr.Nithil Dennis, Associate Professor, Department of Mass Communication, Royal Thimpu College, Bhutan

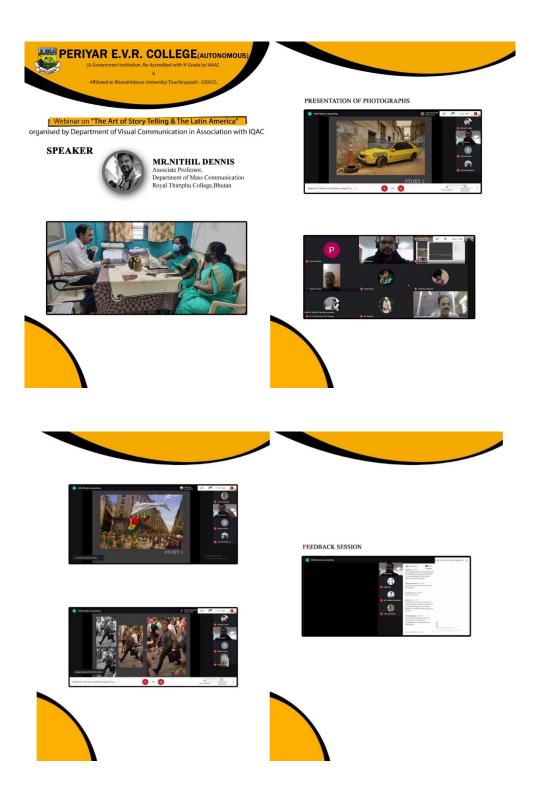
#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised an international Webinar during the corona period lockdown. The session was attended through online mode by the students. The resource person Mr. Nithil Dennis shared his experience on Visual Storytelling. He shared the photographs that he had taken in Latin America specially in Argentina. He explained to the students how photographs can effectively be used for storytelling. The students were mesmerised by the shots and angles in which the photographs were taken. Though an online mode the students interacted well with the resource person and cleared their doubts.

## Invitation of the Webinar on The Art of Story Telling & The Latin American Experience



## Photographs of the webinar on The Art of Story Telling & The Latin American Experience



## Webinar on Photography-Journey through the years

#### Event: Webinar

Title: Photography- Journey through the years

Organiser: Mrs.M.Blessy, Head and Assistant Professor Dr.I.Senthiladevi, Assistant Professor Department of Visual Communication

Resource Person: A.T.Bagath, Cinematographer

#### **Report of the Event:**

The Department of Visual Communication organised a Webinar during the corona period lockdown on the occasion of World Photography Day. The students displayed their photographs through online mode. The Resource person Mr.Bagath, Cinematographer, shared the development of photography over the years. He added a historic perspective to the content and made students understand the technological development that had taken place. He emphasised on the fact that photographs should always be seen from a cultural perspective. The students actively participated and interacted with the resource person.

# Invitation of the Webinar on Photography-Journey through the years

