

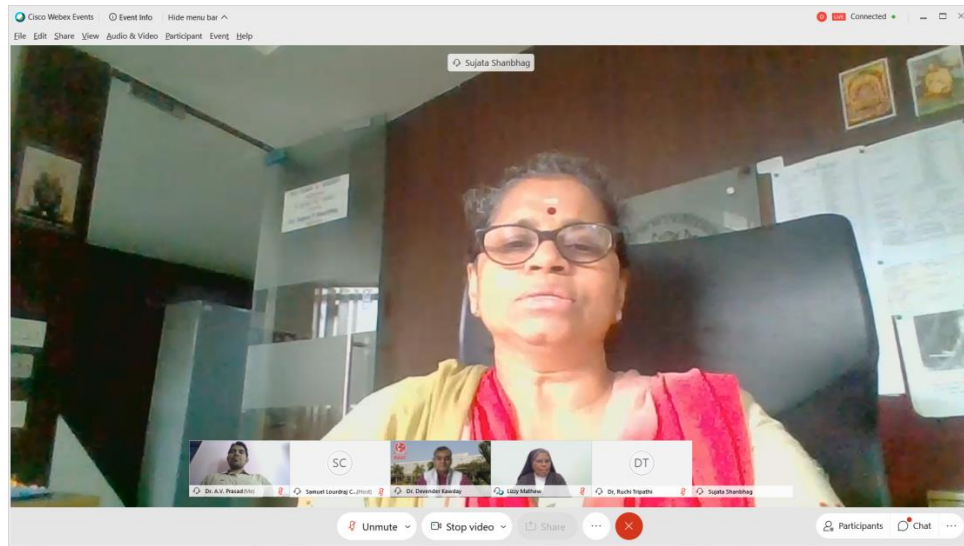
27th August 2020

**BRIEF REPORT ON
BEST PRACTICES WEBINAR
TRANSFORMATIVE PATHWAYS
FOR SOCIAL INCLUSION**

A webinar on Best Practices titled “Transformative Pathways for Social Inclusion”, jointly organized by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and St. Teresa’s College (Autonomous), Ernakulam, Kerala was held on 27th August 2020, through video conferencing using Cisco Meet platform. The webinar was organized with the aim of taking innovative initiatives to Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) for quality improvements and quality sustenance and to propagate knowledge on latest procedures involved in implementing Best Practices. More than 150 participants, comprising academicians, professors, principals and IQAC Coordinators from various institutions across the country attended the webinar. The webinar started at 11.00 am with the Welcome Address delivered by Dr. Devender Kawday, Deputy Adviser, NAAC.

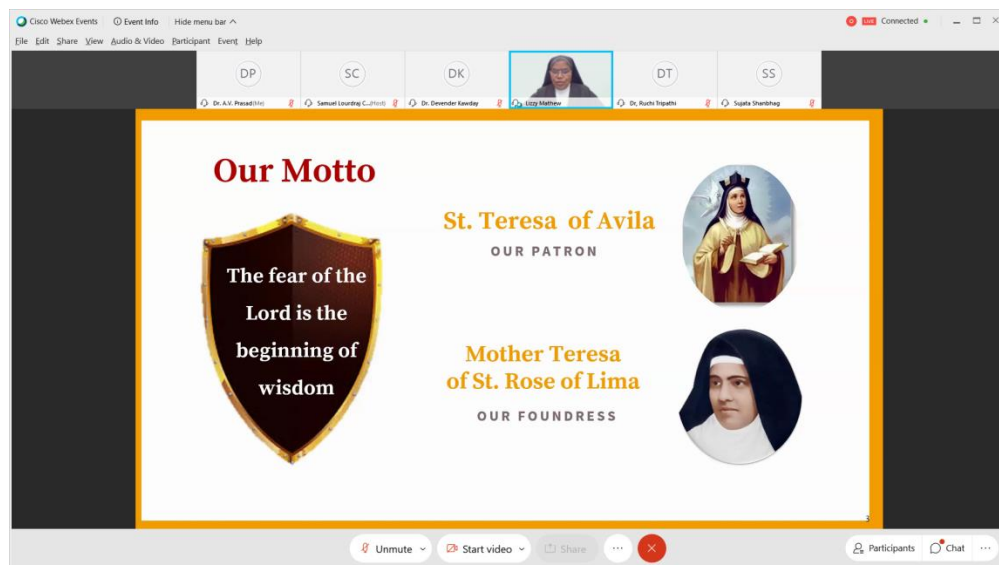


Dr. Sujata P. Shanbhag, Adviser, NAAC delivered the thematic address.

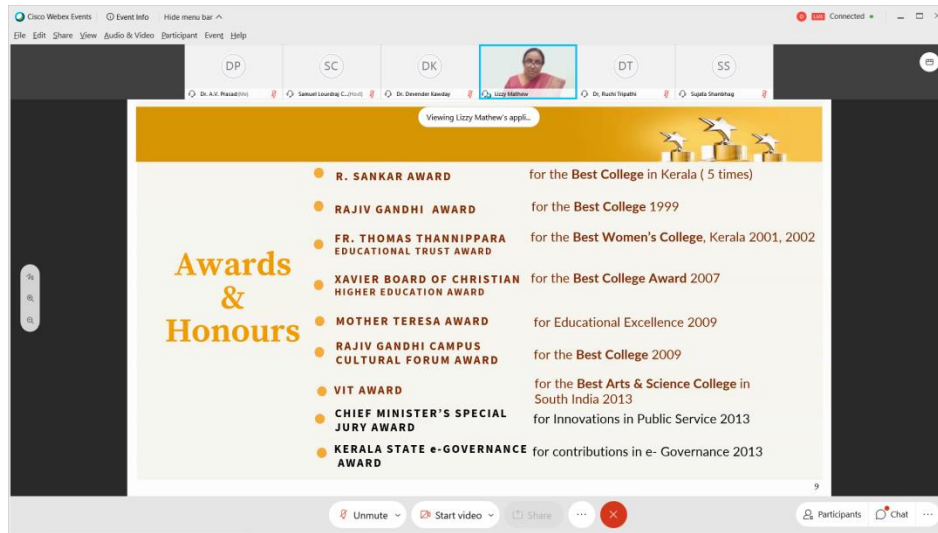


Dr. A.V. Prasad, Assistant Adviser, NAAC introduced the speakers of the webinar Dr. Sr. Vinitha, Director, Dr. Lizzy Mathew, Principal, Dr. Sajimol Augustine M., Senior Administrator and Former Principal, Dr. Nirmala Padmanabhan, Dean of Extension and Outreach Activities, Dr. Tania Vivera, Nodal Officer, Incubation and Innovation Centre from St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam, Kerala.

Initially, Dr. Sr. Vinitha, Director, St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam presented the highlights of the college, vision, and mission, and presented the milestones achieved by the College.



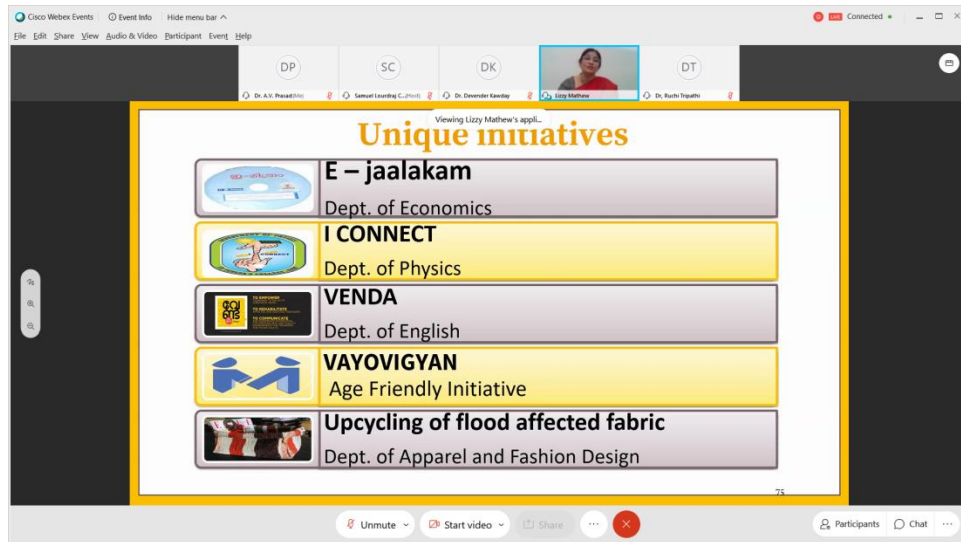
Dr. Lizzy Mathew, Principal, St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam presented a brief profile of the institution and enunciated the highlights of the institution.



Dr. Sajimol Augustine M., Senior Administrator and Former Principal, St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam delineated criteria-wise best practices of the institution.



Dr. Nirmala Padmanabhan, Dean of Extension and Outreach Activities, St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam illustrated the first Best Practice, namely, Teresian Rural Outreach Program (TROP) elaborately.



Finally, Dr. Tania Vivera, Nodal Officer, Incubation and Innovation Centre, St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam explained the second Best Practice - Teresian Entrepreneurship (TIBIC).



The Question and Answer Session was moderated by Mr. Samuel Lourdraj, System Analyst, NAAC and queries raised by participants were addressed by the Resource Persons and NAAC officials.

The program convener, Dr. Devender Kawday, Deputy Adviser and Shri H. V. Chandrashekhar, Admin Consultant supported, guided and helped in organizing the webinar, making it successful. From ICT Side, Prof Amiya Kumar Rath, Adviser, NAAC and Mr. Samuel System Analyst, NAAC took necessary initiatives to

successfully conduct the webinar. Dr. Ruchi Tripathi, Assistant Adviser, NAAC and Dr. A.V. Prasad, Assistant Adviser, NAAC coordinated with St. Teresa's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam, Kerala for conducting the webinar.

The Best Practices Webinar concluded with the Vote of Thanks, which was delivered by Dr. Ruchi Tripathi, Assistant Adviser, NAAC.

Thanking you,

With Regards,

Coordinating Team