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TIRUVALLA (MACFAST)

MACFAST INDUSTRY INTERFACE (MII)

Compiled Report

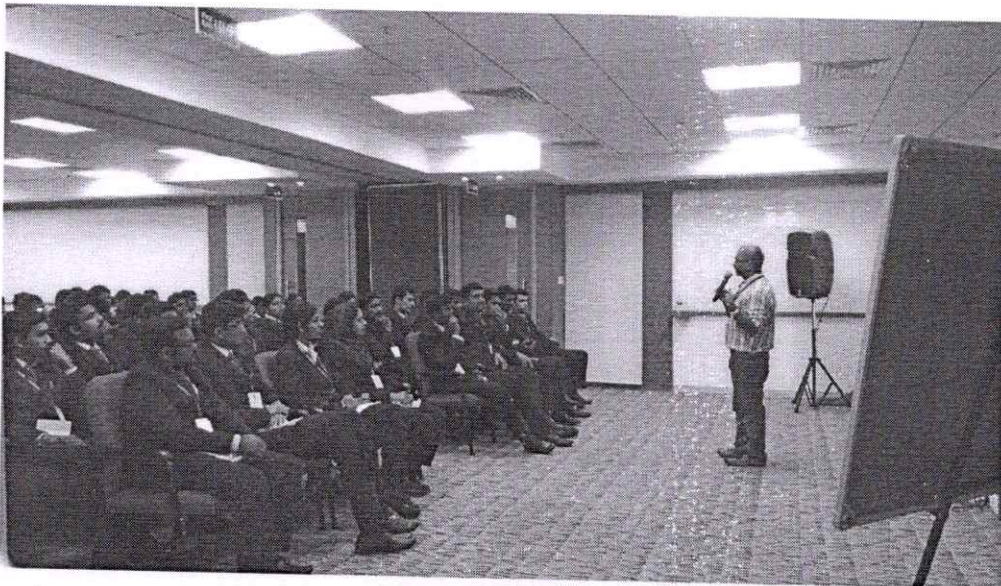
2016 to 2019

MACFAST Industry Interface (MII) programme is a flagship programme initiated by MACFAST for students to understand the nuances of industry expectations and equip them into industry ready candidates. Through MII programme, students will get a platform to interact with the industry experts/practitioners. This is a platform to connect their theoretical learning to practical aspects. As part of MII, students of the college have visited and interacted with officials of various organizations across different industry verticals. Residential programmes include both students and faculty team and interaction with officials of major companies or institutes.

The MII program for two batches of MCA students was conducted at CDAC, Technopark, Trivandrum. It was a two week program for each batch. The respective dates for each batch were:

- MCA 2015-2018 Batch:02/04/2018 to 13/04/2018
- MCA 2016-2018(L.E) Batch : 28/05/2018 to 08/06/2018

MBA 2017-19 batch students had one-week MII programme at Bengaluru and two days at Cochin. Students and faculty team stayed there and visited and interacted with officials of major companies like Cognizant Technology Solutions (CTS), Infopark, Unibic Biscuits India Pvt. Ltd., Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Limited (KSDL) (Mysore Sandal Soap factory), Stovekraft Pvt. Ltd., Dairy Day Ice-Cream, Geojit Financial Services and Anna Aluminium Company Pvt. Ltd. At Unibic, KSDL, Stovekraft, Dairy Day and Anna Aluminium, students have also got the opportunity to visit production plants and the production processes.



Students at an interactive session with Cognizant Technology Solutions



MBA 2018-20 batch students had visited and interacted with officials of Kerala Feeds Limited. They have got the chance to visit the manufacturing plant and the production process. The first semester students are also taken through a life-skills training programme - Youth Empowerment and Skills Plus (YES!+) – by the World Alliance for Youth Empowerment, Bangalore. This 30-hour training programme teaches the students the necessary skills to improve their communication, team interaction, decision making, presentation, public speaking, etc. apart from imparting techniques like yoga, pranayama, sudarshankriya and meditation.



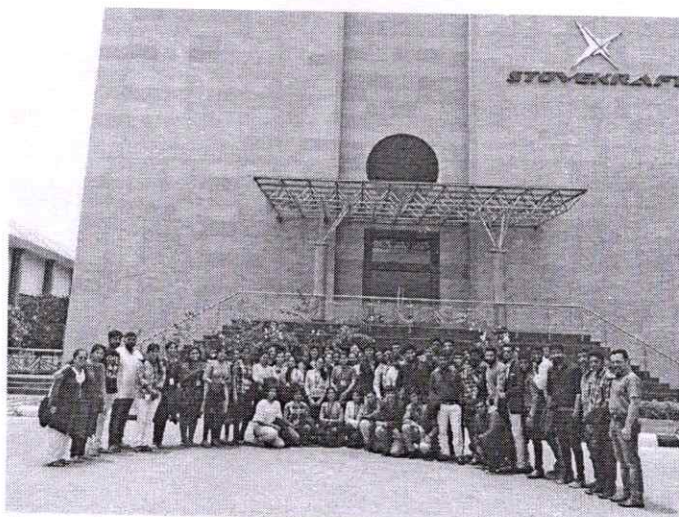
Students at Dairy Day where they interacted with officials



Students interacting with officials at Dairy Day and Unibic companies



Students posing for a group photograph at Unibic campus



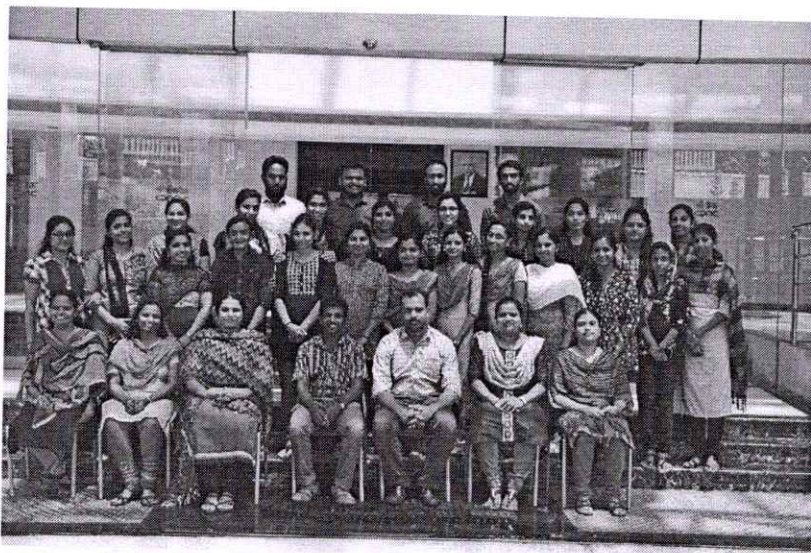
Students along with officials in front of the Stovecraft company



Students in front of the Diary Day company in Bangalore

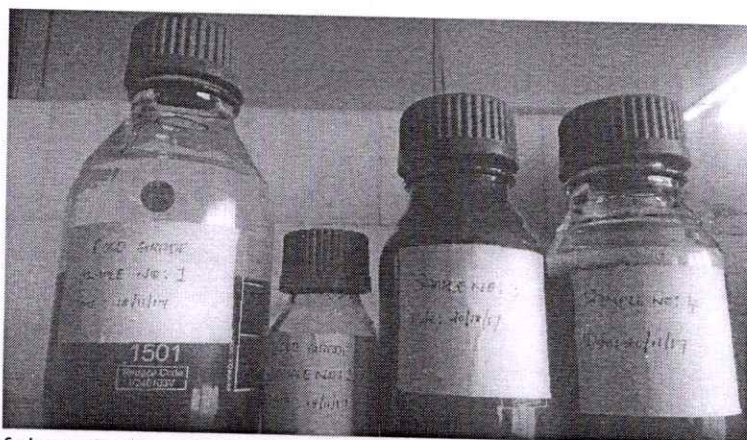


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Students at CDAC campus, Technopark, Trivandrum

Bioscience students of the 2018-19 batch were part of the initiating discussions with CFTRI, Mysore and NESTLE for industrial collaboration. M.Sc. Phytomedical Sciences and Technology students were able to formulate the herbal mouth wash was accepted by SAMI Labs Bangalore for further research and optimization.



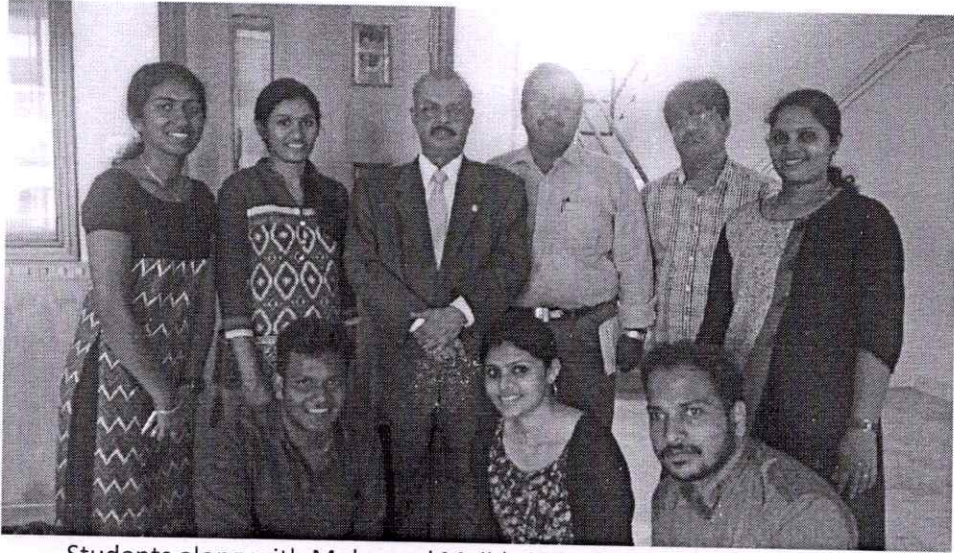
Samples of the mouthwash developed by Msc. Phytomedical students at MACFAST



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