



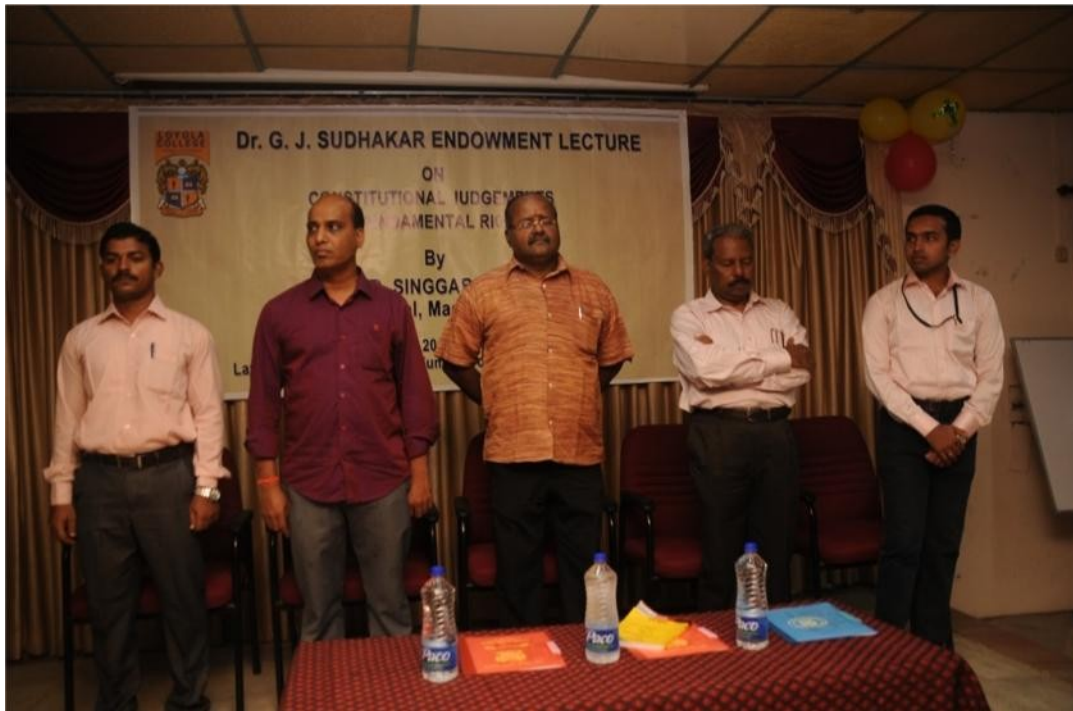
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### **Report on Dr. G. J. Sudhakar Endowment Lecture**

The G. J. Sudhakar Endowment Lecture was conducted by Department of History on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in Lawrence Sundaram Auditorium. Advocate Sri. R. Singgaravelan, Senior Counsel, Madras High Court was the speaker for the event. The women students of PG sang the prayer song and Miss. Vidula Miriam Mathew compered the event. Dr. L. Selvanathan, Head, Dept. of History welcomed the gathering and congratulated the students who brought overall championship in **Istoria'16** conducted by Madras Christian College. Dr. L. Selvanathan pointed out that the theme of this year's lecture 'Constitutional Judgements on Fundamental Rights' is timely and a mind opener in the present social scenario in India.



Dignitaries on the dais

The chief guest Adv.R.Singgaravelan was honoured with a shawl by Prof.Ranganathan, Coordinator Shift -II, Dept. of History and a memento was given by Mr. S. Mahendranath, Secretary, History Association. The chief guest was introduced by Prof. Jayapradaban, Vice-President, History Association.



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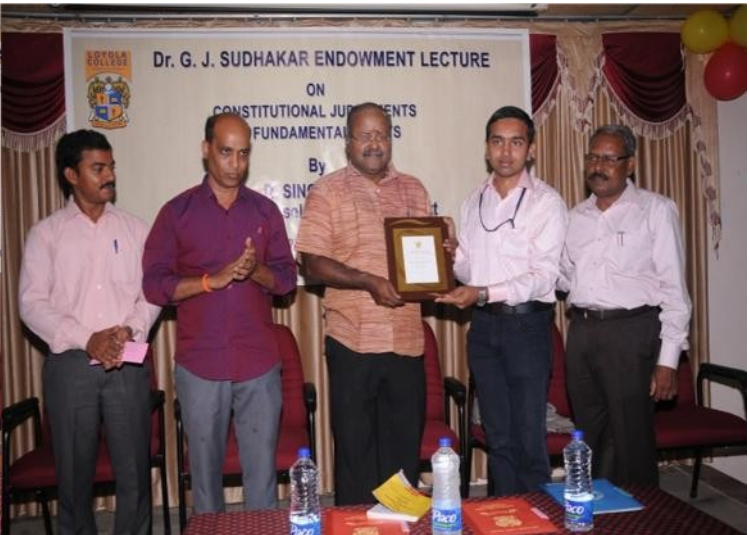


The winners of Istoría'16 (Madras Christian College) with the chief guest

The chief guest started his lecture by quoting Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Father of Indian Constitution that 'Equality may be a fiction but nonetheless one must accept it as a governing principle.' He narrated his experience with his Alma mater which is another Jesuit institution, St. Joseph's College, Trichy. Adv.Singgaravelan spoke about the Constituent Assembly and the idea which led the members to frame the largest constitution of the world. He said in Britain they have an unwritten constitution but they follow it, and sarcastically added "In India though we possess the largest we never follows" and called the students to follow the laws of the land.



Mr. Ranganathan, Coordinator, Shift II  
honouring the guest with shawl



Mr. Mahendranath, Secretary,  
History Association honouring the  
guest with memento





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The speaker explained that the fundamental rights are the base of the Indian Constitution while the Constitution is the base for the law. As we have a state which is ruled by law the importance of Fundamental Rights can be understood. Part III of the Indian Constitution speaks about the fundamental rights. Articles 14 to 35 speak about it and it protects the right to equality, freedom, against exploitation, religion, constitutional remedies and education. Thus the constitution contains an elaborate scheme of fundamental rights. But the fundamental rights in India are not absolute. They are hedged by many limitations. Indeed, fundamental rights cannot be absolute anywhere in the world. Countries differ only in their degree of limitations on fundamental rights.



Adv. R. Singgaravelan delivering Dr. G. J. Sudhakar Endowment Lecture

The speaker quoted from many real life examples on violations of Fundamental Rights and spoke in detail about the parental care given by the Judiciary to every citizen of India when their Fundamental Rights are violated. He started with *Golak Nath Vs State of Punjab* where the Supreme Court made fundamental rights immune from amendments until Parliament reasserted its authority in 1971 by amending Articles 13 and 368 of the Constitution. In *Kesavananda Bharati Vs State of Kerala, 1973* the Supreme Court made a monumental judgement that fundamental rights should be immune from amendment and the basic structure of the Constitution should not be altered. Then the speaker cautiously moved on to the dark days of Emergency and he spoke that was the period when India recognized the power of court. He condemned any move to restrict the power of court and hailed the judgements of Justices V. R. KrishnaIyer and Hans Raj Khanna. But in *ADM Jabalpur Vs S. Shukla Case, 1976* the Supreme Court asserted that the right to move court under Articles 14, 21 and 22 would remain suspended during the Emergency.



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The Chief guest then moved to another monumental judgement on Maneka Gandhi Vs Union of India, 1978 which held that Section 10(3)(c) of the Passport Act confers vague and undefined power on the passport authorities, it is violative of Article 14 of the Constitution since it doesn't provide for an opportunity for the aggrieved party to be heard. It was also violative of Article 21 since it encroached upon personal liberty and security to privacy. The speaker also condemned the move of any government in curbing Fundamental Rights.



The audience hearing the lecture

The speaker advised to the budding leaders that knowing law must only be for 'law abiding' and not for 'law evading' and proudly claimed, the constitution safeguards all our rights and some of its provisions is enjoyed by the foreigners who lives on this land and later added this magnanimous act is only shown by the Indian Constitution. Further he gave a bird's view on other sections on Indian Constitution and congratulated the department which undertakes such positive lectures for the students.



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Mr. P.Saikumar, II BA History delivering Reflection Address



Mr. Maria Micheal Nithyn, III BA History delivering vote of thanks

Mr. Pedada Saikumar, II BA History reflected on the lecture and exclaimed when the very concept of Fundamental Rights are questioned the democracy falls into chaos and said the Fundamental Rights is the climax of rights that our forefathers begged from colonial masters. The event came to an end with the vote of thanks by Mr. Mariamicheal Nithyn, III BA History.



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## **LOYOLA NCC ARMY**

### **ANNUAL REPORT 2015-16**

**Associate NCC Officer : Capt. Simon Aju Sudhakar**

**Office Bearers :**

- **CUO. Infant Carmel Reju. P**
- **SUO. Sidharth sriram**
- **CDT. Ashwin. M**
- **CDT. Siva Chidambaram. B**
- **CDT. Soundara pandian. S**

This year 2015-2016 was a very successful one for Loyola NCC Army, as the cadets rose up to the occasion like every year and performed well under all aegis, bringing glory to the college and the unit.

#### **INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS:**

The Loyola NCC Army celebrated the Independence Day 2015 with the management, professors and distinguished alumni of Loyola NCC. This occasion proved to be a motivation for the newly incumbent first year cadets who were inspired by the senior's advice and support extended towards them. The seniors from various batches also took part in the snake race conducted by the third year Loyola NCC Army and expressed their gratitude towards their Alma Matar.

#### **REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATIONS:**

The Loyola NCC Army led from the front for the Republic Day Celebrations 2016 and the management, faculty members and the members of the Loyola Student Union joined us on the occasion.



## **ACHEIVEMENTS:**

### **YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAM, MOSCOW 2015:**

25 cadets were selected from all over India after difficult selection procedures. **Senior under officer SIDDARTH SRIRAM** was the ONLY ONE selected from Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry and Andaman Nicobar Directorate. After training in New Delhi, he went to Moscow for 8 days from 21 Sep to 29 Sep. He fired using Russian Weapons, learnt knife throwing, participated in cadet sports competitions and captained the Indian cadet's football team. He also received the State Govt Award for BEST CADET in TN Dte.

His hard work and perseverance paid off and this is the reason for his success.

### **BASIC MOUNTAINEERING CAMP 2015:**

**SGT. MICHAEL CHRISTO** selected to attend the Basic Mountaineering Camp held at Darjeeling which was conducted by HIGH ALTITUDE WARFARE SCHOOL, Gulmarg.

### **NATIONAL SPORTS CAMP 2015**

**CDT.JEYACHANDRAN.J** selected to attend the all India national sports camp representing Tamilnadu.

### **REPUBLIC DAY CAMP 2015 – IGC:**

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<b>S.NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>
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1)	CDT. SIVA CHIDAMBARAM
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This cadet got selected for LAUNCH I camp in the competition held between all the six groups under Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry and Andaman Nicobar Directorate. He also participated in the cultural events and captured the attention of the audience with his parai.

### **THALSAINIK CAMP 2015 - IGC**

#### **2) CDT. TAMILARASAN**

He got selected for the Launch I camp held at Tirunelveli between August 5 and August 14 after he competed with all the six groups in the Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Andaman Nicobar Directorate. All this training helped him gain a perfect physique and mind and is sure will help him on in his life.

### **REPUBLIC DAY CAMP 2015 – IGC:**

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<b>S.NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>ACHEIVEMENTS</b>
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1)	CDT. SIVA CHIDAMBARAM B	* CONTINGENT * PM RALLY * GROUP DANCE
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2)	CDT. MANIKANDAN D	* CONTINGENT * PM RALLY * FLAG AREA
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3)	CDT. SOUNDARA PANDIAN S	* PM RALLY
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4) CDT. ARUN E \* CONTINGENT  
\* PM RALLY

5) CDT. MARIA SELVA AMALAN \* PM RALLY  
\* BEST CADET

6) CDT. LOKESH PRAVEEN M \* CONTINGENT  
\* PM RALLY

These cadets underwent vigorous training in various types of drills in the Inter-Group Competition (IGC) where all the groups under TN directorate competed against each other.

**THAL SAINIK CAMP 2015 – IGC:**

<b>S.NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>ACHEIVEMENTS</b>
1)	CDT. TAMILARASAN D	* FIRING * TENT PITCHING * OBSTACLES * MAP READING
2)	CDT. SATHISH KUMAR	* OBSTACLES * TENT PITCHING



- 3) CDT. VIJIN KUMAR \* OBSTACLES  
\* FIRING

These cadets undertook severe training in the Inter-Group Thalsainik Camp held at Madurai between July 3 and July 12. They had map reading, tent pitching, firing, to mention a few. All these made them gain the right mind and body to survive amongst any difficulties.

### **TREKKING CAMP:**

The following cadets attended TREKKING CAMP from Jan.1st to Jan.8th.

- CDT. ASHWIN M
- CDT. AVINASH Y
- CDT. MARTEIN B
- CDT. NOVAN LOURDU SAMY
- CDT. NAVEEN BASKAR

These cadets had the camp in Andhra Pradesh where they had been trekking daily in the forest for around 15 to 20 kms through 6 routes. They underwent several training in life management inside the dense forest. They faced many hardships but they were did not wander from their path and completed each course daily. They also won the volleyball tournament held in the camp.

They returned with renewed spirit and can now live through any hardship they face.

### **ARMY ATTACHMENT CAMP :**

Ten Cadets from our college underwent rigorous training for two weeks in the ARMY ATTACHMENT CAMP held in secundrabad.

These cadets were at the camp, learning the ways of the army soldiers, the protector of the country. This helped them get renewed interest to join the defence forces.



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The camp trained the cadets on how the soldiers lead their life. They learnt about various weapons, drills, how to maintain health, to protect yourself, to name a few. The hard work done by the cadets gained them name and fame in the camp and all the staffs appreciated them. They also participated in the cultural events and were congratulated for their group dance by the officials.

The cadets came back with a strong mindset to do something for the nation and the training received will surely help them in their live.

### **INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA:**

Loyola NCC avidly took part in the first International Yoga Day Celebration organized all over India on 21 June 2015. The Loyola College Cricket Ground saw many cadets from different parts of Chennai gathered together to do 20 Asanas as a part of the centrally organized training.

### **RALLY AGAINST HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATON:**

The cadets of Loyola NCC Army took part in a rally against human rights violation across the world showing their concern for their fellow human beings. The rally took place at Marina Beach on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2015. The occasion was also used to remember **Justice V. R. Krishna Iyer**. Many prominent human rights activists urged the youngsters to fight against human rights violation.

### **SWACHCH BHARAT CAMPAIGN:**

Thirty Cadets from Loyola NCC took part in Swachch Bharat Campaign organized in Koyambedu Bus Depot on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2016. They took part in cleaning the nearby area and depositing waste in the assigned areas. They also guided the locals to organize and keep the place clean.



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## **ANNUAL REPORT OF LOYOLA STUDENTS' UNION 2015-16**

The Students' Union of Loyola College, Chennai, for the academic year 2015-16 was constituted through a democratic process of election, conducted by the Election Commission of our college with **Dr.K.S. Antonysamy**, as Chief Election Officer, **Dr. Joe G. M. Jesudurai** as Chief Advisor and **Prof. M. Nester Jayakumar** as Chief Systems Officer.

In addition to these top officials, the Election Commission consisted of 14 members of the teaching staff, 14 members from the Systems Team and 13 members of the non-teaching staff. The election was held for both Shifts I and II simultaneously on June 20<sup>th</sup> 2015, and there was enthusiastic participation by students and excellent cooperation by staff in conducting the election.

The following students were elected as office bearers of Loyola Students' Union for 2015-16:

President	: <b>Mr. K. Selva Kumar</b> (of B.COM Shift II)
Vice-President	: <b>Mr. K.Bala Murugan</b> (of B.Com. Shift I)
Secretary	: <b>Mr.Francis Rhys Kevin</b> (of Plant Biology. Shift I)
Joint Secretary	: <b>Mr. J.Arun</b> (of B.C.A Shift II)
Associate Secretary	: <b>Ms. Pooja.R</b> (of French Shift II)

For the first time a differently abled person was nominated as the Special Secretary in the Union.



**The Elected Team of LSU 2015-16**

These five members nominated an additional 60 students as members of the union.





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The activities of the Loyola Students' Union began with the leadership training programme which was organized by the Dean of students for the newly elected office bearers, nominated office bearers and the elected class representatives. About 134 members participated in the training held at the L.S Auditorium. Fr. Eugene S.J facilitated the programme. The training was more participative with lots of simulation games and thought provoking exercises. Prof .Alex Parimalam, the Dean of Students spoke to the gathering about the roles of the class representatives serving as union council members. A separate training was conducted for the Master of Ceremonies of Loyola College by Gopida, an eminent RJ.

The activities of the union for the year were formally inaugurated by **Sri. Rajesh Das I.P.S, ADGP, Social Justice and Human Rights** on July 10, 2015. He administered the oath of office to the elected office bearers of the Students Union. The nominated members of the Loyola Students' Union were introduced to the audience and the theme of the year, 'Green Loyola' was proposed symbolically by dispersing green balloons.



**Inauguration of LSU & Green Loyola**



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The **Independence Day** was celebrated on August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015, with **Rev. Fr. Lazar**, Secretary & Correspondent giving a special address. Prof. **Eugene**, Dept. of Economics, **presided** as Guest of Honour and hoisted the flag. Staff, L.S.U. members and N.C.C. cadets took part enthusiastically.



**Independence Day 2015**

The celebration of **Teachers' Day** was combined together with the inauguration of the 24<sup>th</sup> edition of India's largest Intra-college festival **Ovations 2015**, on September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015.



**Teachers' Day and Inauguration of Ovations 2015**





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**Mr. Joe Malluri, Actor cum Poet & Prof. Subha. Veera Pandiyan** honoured the program as the chief guests for Shift – I and Shift – II respectively. On the occasion of Teachers' Day, the LSU honoured the teachers with flower garlands and accompanied them with umbrellas. Lunch was arranged and served by the members of LSU to all the staff. Cultural Programmes were also organised.

The competitions for **Ovations** were spread across four weeks and the grand finale was conducted on September 30<sup>th</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> of October, 2015, in the Jubilee Quadrangle. Around 21 lakh rupees were raised by the L.S.U for the grand event. Mr. Anthony, Producer of “Neeya Nana” a debate show in Vijay TV was the chief guest for the inaugural function of the grand finale. A theme song for Loyola was performed by the students of Loyola hailing from various parts of the world, marked the beginning of the grand event. The presence of famous actors, director, music composers, and choreographer were well-received by students.



**Ovations 201**



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The valedictory function was preceded by Mr. Sarath Kumar, former president of the South Indian Film Artistes' Association gave an interesting end to the grand finale. The Department of Commerce - Shift II won the overall Championship, the Department of Visual Communication was the first runner up and Department of English was given the fair play award.

Birthday of Sir. A.P.J Abdul Kalam, Former President of India, was celebrated as 'Youth awakening day' on 10<sup>th</sup> of October 2016. An album named "Salam to Kalam"; composed by a team called "Sadhagaparavaigal" was released by the Principal. An inspiring speech was delivered by Barathi from the Department of Commerce shift II as a tribute to Kalam. Selected department secretaries and presidents were acknowledged with a memento for their excellent performance during Oventions.



**Flood relief 2015**

Acts of compassion were expressed by the LSU during the disastrous Chennai Floods. The President, Selva Kumar K donated a truck full of provisions and clothes for the flood victims. The office bearers and members involved themselves in various service activities. Club co-ordinators and staff were requested to visit the houses of the students affected by the flood. Applications were received by both in LSS and Dean of students, from the affected students. Relief materials were given to the flood affected families. LSU organised the event and provided lunch.





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Pongal celebration was held on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2016 in collaboration with LSSS. Students were encouraged to wear Tamil traditional attire. Traditional music and dance were performed to add colours to the event. Various indigenous competitions were held to encourage the tradition of Tamil Nadu. Sports of valour such as ‘paanai udaithal’, ‘elavattakal’, ‘sarukumaram’ etc., were conducted. Common Pongal was prepared and distributed to all.



**Pongal 2016**

The 67<sup>th</sup> Republic Day was celebrated on January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2014, with flag hoisting by Mr. Joseph Anton Ramesh, Lab assistant, Loyola College. A special message for the day was delivered by Prof. Ramamurthy, Deputy Principal. Students from various states appeared in their cultural attire to propose national integrity.



**Republic Day 2016**



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The cultural teams of our college have won in many of the inter-collegiate cultural festivals hosted by colleges in and around Chennai. We were adjudged the overall winners in the festivals held over the year at St. Joseph's' College, Bangalore and MCC. First runner up at MOP, SRM, Christ University (Bangalore) and Don Bosco College of Arts and Science.



### **LDT**

Our dance team, 'Loyola Dream Team', has won the 1<sup>st</sup> place in almost 15 top colleges in and around Chennai which includes LIBA, M.C.C, S.R.M, W.C.C, J.B.D.C, etc. They were a part of the Guinness World Record event conducted by Twiss group at Bangalore. They also won the Radio Mirchi Chennai Champs title and prize money of 1 lakh. A total sum of 3 lakhs has been won by LDT this year. They are officially contesting in "Kings of Dance", a reality dance show, hosted by Star Vijay TV.

The Dean of Students wishes to place on record his sincere thanks to the Management of Loyola College and the Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff for their unstinted support to the activities of the Students' Union and appreciations to the Students' Union members for their enthusiastic and effective involvement in all the activities throughout the year 2015-16.

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