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FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Dear all,

Trust you're doing well! We are delighted to announce the Yearbook - Querencia for the Economics batch of '18-'21.

Querencia means home, a favorite spot. Querencia derives from the Spanish verb *querer* (to desire) which derives from the Latin *quaerere* (seek, gain, obtain). When combined, these provide the base for the concept of querencia, which is a place where one feels safe, at home and where they can draw their strength from. And what can be a better title for our yearbook, a book that we wanted to create as a celebration of our strengths and passion that we derived from our alma mater!

We didn't imagine that an idea that started off as a tiny spark through a random midnight conversation, could actually turn into reality. As you flip through the pages of Querencia, you are bound to take a nostalgic trip down the good old memory lane. In an attempt to relive our precious college life that ended way before it had even started, this was the least we could do to make sure we have something that we can carry with us in the years to come. The pandemic was hard, but it couldn't dampen our spirits. The year and half we stayed back home, we didn't lose our track. And, it wouldn't have been possible without our beloved professors who are an embodiment of light and determination. They stood by us in the toughest of times and always encouraged us in all our ventures - no matter how big, or small! The idea of this edition of the Yearbook is no exception. We are immensely grateful to our professors Dr. Smita Nath, Dr. Sudeshna Ghosh, Dr. Mausumi Manna and Dr. Smritikana Ghosh for being so enthusiastic and for tolerating our constant nagging to submit write ups, photographs and everything in between!

When it comes to expressing gratitude, can't do it without thanking the people who have been with us since being strangers, to eventually turning into a family. All the students of Economics '18-'21, a heart full of thanks for being so supportive in making this idea successful and for making this journey memorable.

A special mention has to be given to Debsiddha Dutta for working relentlessly towards transforming a simple thought into a beautiful consequence. I feel immensely blessed to have worked on this project's content development alongside Debsiddha. Last but not the least, to Amrita Bhattacharya and Prakarsha Mahanti for being so innovative in providing the best ideas possible that helped make this initiative a success.

So, why wait? Turn the page and let the rush of nostalgia hit you!

- Ananya Chattopadhyay



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The one who showed the way...

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
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“ I USED TO CALL THEM AS AN EXCEPTIONAL, LIVELY AND ALL-ROUNDER BATCH. ”



The 2018-21 batch was special to the Economics Department of Scottish Church College primarily because it was the first batch under CBCS system. Subsequently, we noted that it was an exceptional batch for several reasons. From the very beginning most of the students tried to learn the subject rather than opting only for securing high marks in examinations. Personally, I gained a lot academically because a few of them were so keen to learn that I had to go through the pages of many books of Mathematical Economics line-by-line even those for higher levels. I once again realized that teachers can learn best from their students. Not only academically but they actively participated in NSS activities of the College. I remember one day when due to heavy rainfall in Kolkata traffic system in the city was almost collapsed; but students were present in the College playground for such a programme till the evening. Apart from these they had shown their capabilities in organizing programmes like *Econverge*. Their performance in various events or competitions in many other colleges was also appreciable. So, I used to call them as an exceptional, lively and all-rounder batch. We shall remember them forever. At the end of their study in this college I wish they prosper in every respect and all their aspirations come true.

DR. SUDESHNA GHOSH

*The one who never failed to walk
that extra mile...*

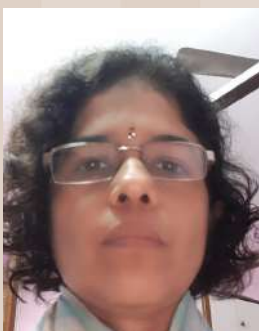
**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**



How to start?

Indeed, a joyful journey
down the memory lane. I
thoroughly enjoyed the
brief but memorable
sojourn with you all.
Learnt, lectured and shared
the ideas on the
opportunity cost of life's
choices! Let us recollect
those lines from Robert
Frost-

“SO, MAKE THE
RIGHT CHOICE-DO
NOT AGONIZE. IT IS
INDEED TOUGH
DECISION MAKING.”



The Road Not Taken

*Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,
And sorry I could not travel both
And be one traveler, long I stood
And looked down one as far as I could
To where it bent in the undergrowth.*

*Then took the other, as just as fair,
And having perhaps the better claim,
Because it was grassy and wanted
wear;*

*Though as for that the passing there
Had worn them really about the same.*

*And both that morning equally lay
In leaves no step had trodden black
Oh, I kept the first for another day
Yet knowing how way leads on to
way,
I doubted if I should ever come back.*

*I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I-
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.*

Frost made the choices simple; it
was a dual. You now have ample
opportunities.

*“Real success requires step after
step after step after step. It requires
choice after choice, it demands
education and passion and
commitment and persistence and
hunger and patience.” –Jesmyn
Ward*

Last, I must congratulate all for
making a terrible journey during
worst of times with patience, as
our country strives hard to fight
the pandemic. Accomplishments
with good economics is notable
but accomplishments with
economics in bad times is
genuinely unique and
exceptional. May the Almighty
Bless you all! Stay safe and walk
towards (with the lessons from
economics) the lanes you
choose.

DR. MAUSUMI MANNA

The one who always inspired to think out of the box...

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR**



An open letter to the soon to be pass out batch of 2021:

**“FACE THE WORLD
OUTSIDE WITH THE
SAME CONFIDENCE.
WORK HARDER, BE
SUCCESSFUL, BUT
JUST REMAIN THE
INNOCENT SOULS
WHOSE MEMORIES
I SHALL FONDLY
CHERISH.”**



It was just yesterday when I met this bunch of talented enthusiast young spirits, and now our 3 years of being together will end. At this parting moment I just want to share a secret: you were the most talented and confident batch in the department in recent time. You had such variety of talents. I saw you on the day of Annual Athletic Meet, in college cricket and football team. Saw you enthusiastically taking part in Activity clubs, in drama show, quiz, debate, in the Mock Parliament, in essay competition, you were almost everywhere. But most importantly, you organized the first ever eco fest- *Econverge* in the department.

The calamity, the Covid pandemic could not drown your spirit. So much confidence and eagerness were in the two students' webinars you organized and participated in 2020 and 2021.

I shall remember each one of you, the silent and the talkative, the naughty and the goody goody, those to whom I had to reach out to make them study hard, and those who reached out to me on their own.

Each one of you was special.

Face the world outside with the same confidence. Work harder, be successful, but just remain the innocent souls whose memories I shall fondly cherish. Good luck and blessings.

Yours ever MM ma'am.

DR. SMRITIKANA GHOSH

The one who made the journey easier...

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR



“ I expect that one day they will come to the college to share their career journey with us and our students. ”



It was a wonderful journey with the batch of Economics (Honours) for the session 2018-21. I got a blend of students there who are intelligent, joyful, enthusiastic, jovial and keen with their subject. Their performance is very good in academic as well as in non-academic field. Specifically I must say here that this batch is very focused with their aims. I expect a bright future in their forthcoming life and a long-lasting bonding with the college. I expect that one day they will come to the college to share their career journey with us and our students. I wish the best of luck to my students.



ECONVERGE '19

16TH SEPTEMBER 2019

FROM LEFT: 1ST ROW: PRAKARSHA MAHANTI, ANIKET HIMMATSINGKA, PRERAK BOTHRA, ARJYA DUTT, RAJDEEP NAG,
 PROFESSORS: DR. SMRITIKANA GHOSH, DR. MAUSUMI MANNA, DR. DARPAJIT SENGUPTA
 ARIJIT MANDAL, KUMARJIT PAUL, SOVINI MONDAL

2ND ROW: DEBAYAN SENGUPTA, ARTHISH BANERJEE, SAPTASHYA GHOSH, ANIKET SHARMA, YASHOWARDHAN, AISHWARYA GHOSH, AMBALIKA GHOSH

3RD ROW: KESHAV AGARWAL, ANIKET ANAND, SOHAMJIT KAR, ADITYA BIKRAM NAYAK, ADWAITA ROY, ROHIT KUMAR SAH, DEBJYOTI DAS, SANKALAN DEY, SUSOVAN BANERJEE, ISHIKA BANERJEE, TAMOHA SINHA, PAYEL DAS, MOULI ROY, ANANYA CHATTOPADHYAY, AMRITA BHATTACHARYA, AVINANDAN DUTTA, DEBSIDDHA DUTTA, V.L. REMRUATI

MISSING IN PICTURE:

PROFESSORS: DR. SMITA NATH AND DR. SUDESHNA GHOSH

STUDENTS: ANINDITA GOMES, DEBARATI GHOSH, GARIMA TRIPATHI, ARJIT HANSE, JOHN GOMES, ANAMITRA BHATTACHARYA, PRITAM MANDAL, HARSHITA CHOUDHARY, SMRITI SAHA, SHATAVISHA ROY, SUKALYAN HALDER, DIPJIT DALAL, SOMDEB KHASKEL, AVISHEK SINGH, AKSHIT PETER XALXO, ARPAN DUTTA, GOURAV DAS, JOYDEEP MONDAL,



'Economics is like gravity. Ignore it and you'll be in for some rude surprises!'

The Department of Economics, Scottish Church College, Kolkata, is a bunch of extremely dedicated and high-spirited souls working hard against all odds to do justice to the subject which is a part and parcel of even a layman's daily life. From staying back after class hours for an extra hour in the library to being a part of extensive workshops, seminars and other activities throughout the year, the students of the Economics department are surely the most hardworking individuals you can ever come across. They don't wait for opportunities; they create them instead! They have always walked that extra mile to be better than yesterday and it is this very urge that makes each individual of the department stand out in the crowd.

Bestowed with the best professors, supportive and extremely generous, the department is more like a family, that, at the end of the day speaks for itself. The subject is more about understanding the society and requires in-depth conceptual understanding of social issues rather than learning to gain an impeccable score sheet. Learning is student-friendly here, that isn't just a mere slide show presentation of lectures but is also an avenue to let young economists in the making, learn, analyse, overcome and to develop holistically.

We learn, we innovate, we empower. Standing strong since almost two centuries, the students of Economics have neither let the department down nor the Scottish Church College in general. If you've been or are one amongst the very few lucky ones who actually make it to this college, you know you're someone the world can count on in the making! Standing united, standing brave, standing strong, this department has everything it takes to make it worth the while and is surely one to watch out for!



SUCCESS. *stories*

'Success is a journey, not a destination.'

AMBALIKA GHOSH

- A) RECITATION, ANNUAL ACTIVITY DAY '19, 2ND PLACE
- B) 800 MTS. RACE; ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET, 2018-19, 2ND PLACE
- C) MUSICAL CHAIR; ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET, 2018-19, 2ND PLACE
- D) 1500 MTS. RACE, ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET, 2018-19, 3RD PLACE
- E) 800 MTS. RACE , ANNUAL SPORTS DAY, 2019-2020, 3RD PLACE
- F) 1500 MTS. RACE, ANNUAL SPORTS MEET, 2019-2020, 3RD PLACE
- G) POSTER PAINTING, NSS DAY CELEBRATION, 2019, 2ND PLACE
- I) CALEIPSUM(MARKETING), POSDCORB'19, 1ST PLACE
- J) CASE STUDY CHALLENGE, INNOVATHON-2020, 1ST PLACE

ANANYA CHATTOPADHYAY

- A) BATTLE OF BANDS, SAMAGAM '18, LORETO COLLEGE, 3RD PLACE.
- B) 'SELL IT OUT', SAMAGAM '18, LORETO COLLEGE, SPECIAL MENTION.
- B) WESTERN MUSIC, ACTIVITY DAY '19, 3RD PLACE.
- C) HOSTED ECONVERGE 1.0 AS ANCHOR.
- D) FASHION DESIGNING, MANAGEDIA '19, I-LEAD COLLEGE, 1ST PLACE.
- E) AD MAKING, ECONVERGE 2.0, 2ND PLACE.
- F) SECRETARY OF THE PAINTING CLUB.
- G) INTER-COLLEGE ONLINE ART CONTEST, SPIC MACAY HOSTED BY NIT DURGAPUR, 1ST PLACE
- H) FEATURED ON CAMPUS ADDA, ZEE 24 GHANTA CHANNEL

ANIKET ANAND

- A) 800M RACE, DISTRICT ATHLETICS MEET, GOLD MEDAL
- B) 1500 M RACE, DISTRICT ATHLETICS MEET. , GOLD MEDAL
- C) RELAY RACE, DISTRICT ATHLETICS MEET, 2 BRONZE MEDALS
- D) WON BEST CADET COMPETITION IN 20 (B) BN ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE
- E) WON 1 SILVER & 2 GOLD MEDALS IN VOLLEYBALL, ANNUAL SPORTS EVENT 2020, SILVER MEDAL
- F) 3000M RACE, ANNUAL SPORTS EVENT 2020, BRONZE
- G)TUG OF WAR, ANNUAL SPORTS EVENT 2020, BRONZE
- H) REPRESENTED 20 (B) BN IN WEST BENGAL AND SIKKIM DIRECTORATE GUARD OF HONOUR TWICE DURING INDEPENDENCE DAY 2020 & 2021.

ACHIEVERS' CORNER



'Success is the sum of small efforts repeated.'

ARTHISH BANERJEE

- A) GOALKEEPER FOR THE SCOTTISH CHURCH COLLEGE FOOTBALL TEAM ('18-'20 CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY AND RELIANCE CUPS)
- B) MEMBER OF THE SCOTTISH CHURCH COLLEGE TABLE TENNIS TEAM ('19 CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY TOURNAMENT AND FESTS)
- C) BATTLE OF THE BANDS (LORETO SAMAGAM '18), 3RD PLACE
- D) DUET VOCALS (XAVRANG '19), 1ST PLACE
- E) TABLE TENNIS MEN'S DOUBLES (LORETO SAMAGAM '19), 2ND PLACE
- F) PR & PHOTOGRAPHY - CALEMUN '19
- G) PR HEAD - ECONVERGE '19
- H) DUET VOCALS (SXU XAVTUNES '20), 1ST
- I) VIDEOGRAPHY (SXC XAVOTSAV '20), 2ND

GARIMA TRIPATHI

- A) JAVELIN THROW, COLLEGE ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019-20, 2ND POSITION

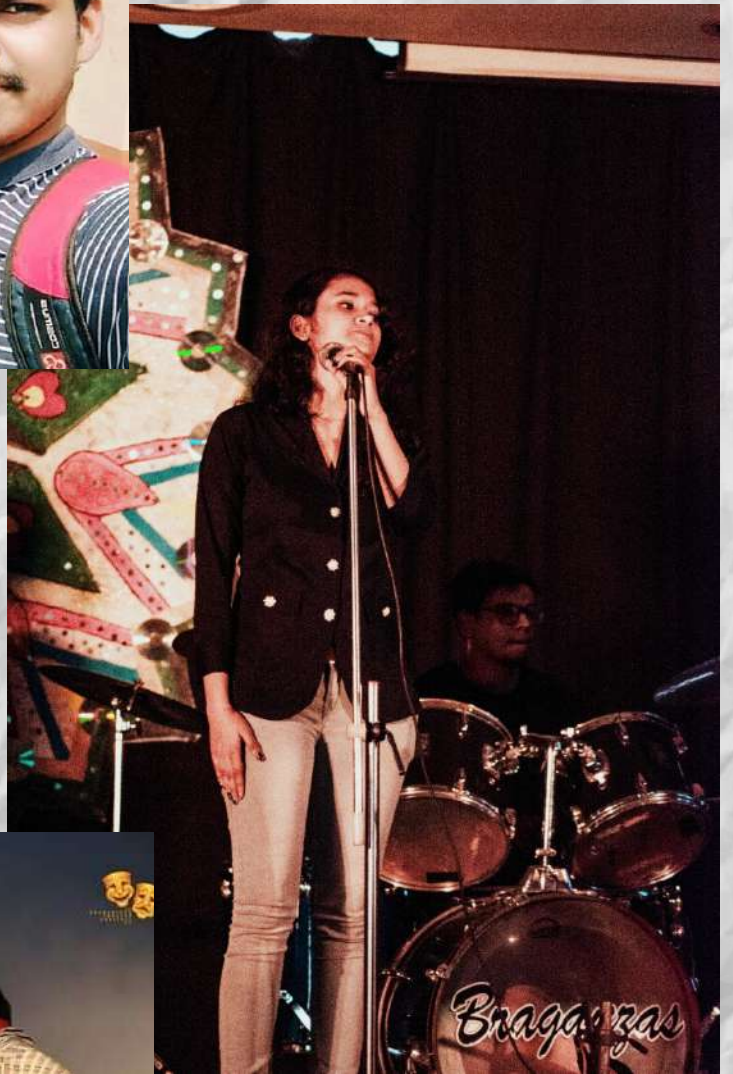
KESHAV AGARWAL

- A) RESOURCE ALLOCATION EVENT, XAVIER'S UNIVERSITY, 1ST PLACE
- B) ALL INDIA ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION, UN INFORMATION CENTRE & SRI RAM CHANDRA MISSION, HONOURABLE MENTION
- C) REACHED THE FINAL ROUND OF ECONOMICS QUIZ, XAVIER'S UNIVERSITY
- D) ORGANIZING COMMITTEE MEMBER, MOCK STOCK EXCHANGE, ECONVERGE

MOULI ROY

- A) AMIPHORIA 2020, 1ST PLACE
- B) 800 MTS, SPORTS DAY 2020, 2ND PLACE
- C) ORGANIZING COMMITTEE MEMBER, MOCK STOCK EXCHANGE, ECONVERGE

ACHIEVERS' CORNER



'Success is not given, it's earned.'

PRAKARSHA MAHANTI

- A) EXTEMPORE, ACTIVITY DAY 2019, 3RD PLACE
- B) CALEMUN 2019.
- C) 800 MTS, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019, 3RD PRIZE
- D) 4*100 M RELAY, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019, 3RD PRIZE
- E) CONVINC ME NOT EVENT HEAD: 2019, 2021.
- F) INTRA MUN 2020: HIGH COMMENDATION AWARD IN UNHRC.
- G) EXTEMPORE, HERAMBA CHANDRA COLLEGE ECO FEST IMPULSE' 2021 - 2ND PRIZE.

PRERAK BOTHRA

- A) WIRTSCHAFT (RESOURCE ALLOCATION EVENT) - XAVIER'S UNIVERSITY, 1ST PLACE
- B) BADMINTON, SAMAGAM '19, 3RD PLACE
- C) EVENT HEAD, MOCK STOCK EXCHANGE, ECONVERGE.
- D) ALL INDIA ESSAY EVENT 2018, SHRI RAMKRISHNA CHANDRA MISSION UNITED NATIONS INFORMATION CENTRE, HONORABLE MENTION.

PRITAM MANDAL

- A) BATTLE OF BANDS, SAMAGAM 18, 3RD PLACE
- B) GUITAR SOLO, CALEDONIA, 1ST PLACE
- C) DUET VOCALS, CALEDONIA, 2ND PLACE
- D) GUITAR SOLO, XAVRANG, (ST XAVIER'S UNIVERSITY) - 3RD PLACE
- E) 100M, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019- 3RD PLACE
- F) LONG JUMP, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019 - 2ND PLACE
- G) RELAY RACE, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019 - 3RD PLACE
- H) LONG LUMP, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2020 - 3RD PLACE
- I) RELAY RACE, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2020 - 3RD PLACE

RAJDEEP NAG

- A) STREET PLAY, IBTIDA'19 - 4TH PLACE
- B) STREET PLAY THEAXAV'19 - 3RD PLACE
- C) STAGEPLAY, CALE-THEATRE FESTIVAL'19 - 3RD PLACE



WITH PROFESSOR DILIP MOOKHERJEE, BOSTON UNIVERSITY, USA.
SEMINAR ON INDIA'S FISCAL POLICY: PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE



ECONVERGE '19

'Success comes only to those who dare to attempt.'

ROHIT KUMAR SAH

- A) POSTER PAINTING, NSS DAY, 2019, 3RD PLACE
- B) CALEIPSUM(MARKETING), POSDCORB'19, 1ST PLACE
- C) CASE STUDY CHALLENGE, INNOVATHON-2020, 1ST PLACE

SANKALAN DEY

- A) EXTEMPORE, ACTIVITY DAY 2019, 3RD PLACE
- B) CALEMUN 2019.
- C) 800 MTS, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019, 3RD PRIZE
- D) 4*100 M RELAY, ANNUAL SPORTS DAY 2019, 3RD PRIZE
- E) CONVINC ME NOT EVENT HEAD: 2019, 2021.
- F) INTRA MUN 2020: HIGH COMMENDATION AWARD IN UNHRC.
- G) EXTEMPORE, HERAMBA CHANDRA COLLEGE ECO FEST IMPULSE' 2021 - 2ND PRIZE.

SOVINI MONDAL

- A) STREET PLAY, ST. XAVIERS, 3RD PLACE
- B) STAGE PLAY, ST. XAVIERS, 2ND PLACE
- C) STAGE PLAY, BHAWANIPUR EDUCATION SOCIETY, 3RD PLACE
- D) MONO ACT, SCOTTISH CHURCH COLLEGE, 2ND PLACE
- E) AUDIO PLAY, ST. XAVIERS COLLEGE, 1ST PLACE
- F) STAGE PLAY, CALE THEATRE FESTIVAL, 3RD PLACE
- G) XAVIERS MOCK STOCK EVENT (QUALIFIED TO LAST ROUND)
- H) EVENT HEAD OF MOCK STOCK MARKET(ECONVERGE'19)

SUSOVAN BANERJEE

- A) EVENT HEAD, MOCK STOCK EXCHANGE, ECONVERGE 2019 AND 2021
- B) DONATED BLOOD

SAPTASHYA GHOSH

- A) STAGE PLAY, ST. XAVIER'S, 3RD PLACE
- B) STAGE PLAY, BHAWANIPUR EDUCATION SOCIETY COLLEGE, 2ND PLACE
- C) EVENT HEAD, DEBATE, ECONVERGE '19, '20
- D) MODERATOR, DEBATE, ECONVERGE '19, '20

ACHIEVERS' CORNER



Evanescence

*Down the highway of memories, as we slowly slip into nothingness,
I sit here, hunting for words that might make sense of what I mean to say.
Don't know if I can do this right,
I will still give it a shot with all my might.*

*Three summers ago, I arrived in the city,
Not knowing, the world is often not as pretty!
I was looking for a Home before I could create my own space,
I didn't imagine I would ever fit in, felt so out of place.*

*Days turned into months, the place became my essence,
I somehow felt I could breathe easily in its presence.
Three years of college, and now I'm standing on the edge,
The place helped me grow wise, wise beyond my age.*

*Professors at college can be the friendliest, don't ever doubt!
Academics or non academics, they have it all figured out!*

*Treating us like a family, they never let us down,
They always came to our rescue with smiles, never once a frown!*

*I remember getting late to classes every day,
Oh how I ran through the streets to make way!
All those last warnings honeyed with affection,
They loved me, and all of us, even in all our imperfections.*



*I never missed a day at college, for the year and half we got to go,
Simply because college was the only place that never let me feel low,
I made friends, I have lost friends, and I have learned to deal with life,
It is this very place that taught me to never give up without a fight.*

*I have reveled in art and music here, explored creativity at its best,
Be it life or the semesters, our mentors taught us how to pass every test!
Ma'am, I will be more than grateful, but how can a 'thank you' suffice,
For all the things you did for us, without even thinking twice?*

*When the world was shook, with disease and death,
When a new order was to be adopted ere it was too late,
Our teachers never wavered, they learned things anew,
They embraced technology, despite having, not many a clue.*

*I will miss you Alma mater, but this time I won't cry,
Because when it comes to family, bonds never die,
I will carry all of you in memories lined with gold,
I hope all of us see the bigger picture, before we grow old.*

*I recklessly mess things up; I have done it often,
I have made mistakes, quite a few of them.
Years from now, I will be looking back at one of the things I did right,
The decision to join Economics at Scottish Church College, one random night!*

Ananya Chattopadhyay

THANK YOU FOR THE *memories*

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to all our professors for helping us to improve ourselves and be better versions of ourselves. A big thank you to all of you for being our guiding light in this journey. What I will miss the most is the affection and guidance that you provided us with. Also, please forgive us for being notorious and for annoying you.



Aditya Bikram Nayak

It's been a long journey for me to be with you all. And when I finally sit to bid these three years and everything that's been in it, goodbye, I cannot help but think that we leave something of ourselves behind when we leave a place, we stay there, even though we have to go away. The memories we made and the bonds we forged, of us laughing until we had to cry, the concern of our teachers who always had their hands full dealing with us and our notoriety, the agony of never being able to sit in a classroom together ever again since a chance Saturday afternoon. All these and much more is what I'll take along with me, and I'm sure we all will. It has been an honour to be a part of an over two hundred year old legacy. The only thing I wish I had a bit more of, is time, with everyone around, but isn't that something everyone always wishes for. Since all that's good must one day come to pass, this chapter comes to a close as well, and with a heavy heart and truckload of memories I presume we have all got to move on, on to the next big adventure, while remembering that for all the things we couldn't have, we sure had a lot. As Tolkien writes, "Well, here at last, dear friends, on the shores of the sea comes the end of our fellowship in Middle-earth. Go in peace! I will not say: do not weep; for not all tears are evil."



Adwaita Roy

People used to say that it's only school where bonds are made, where teachers are so supportive, where you get space to grow. But after these 3 years of journey I don't believe in what others say because Scottish Church has given me abundant opportunities to grow. I feel blessed for having you as my teacher. I could have never expected a better mentor than you, I will miss all of you, ma'am. Thank you for everything.



Ambalika Ghosh

Photo Gallery



Never realised how randomly a huge chapter just ended. It took me a few days to realise that we will never get back together again. We didn't even get to celebrate the last class with our professors. It felt abrupt and a bit weird. How things just end, how time just goes by. I would take this opportunity to thank each and every professor for teaching us/ hearing us out/ taking care of us, throughout. Without you our college life wouldn't have been so smooth. Thank you for all your efforts and the constant push behind us just to bring out the best in us. We were lucky that we could witness a lot of firsts for our college which is also because of your immense support, like Econverge, the Calemun and the Cale-Theatre Festival. I hope the legacy will be carried on. From organising events, putting up programmes, helping out before exams, we got through it all. We survived these three years happily just because of the immense care you, our professors have shown in as well as out of our academics. Also, thank you for everything that all the batchmates have done for me to make these three years precious and memorable. This college gave me friendships that I'll cherish for life. Lastly, sorry dear professors for all the mistakes we have made. We will never be able to thank you enough. I hope we meet again, very soon.



Aishwarya Ghosh

I am immensely grateful to each and every teacher of the department of Economics Scottish Church College. I'm thankful to SKG ma'am, SG ma'am, SN ma'am and MM ma'am for explaining the lectures so well and providing us the resources to study. I never felt the need to take tuition throughout the 3 years, because everything was so well explained. In spite of the pandemic our classes went on smoothly and we were still connected with each other. I was very fortunate to be part of the Scottish family. I feel Scottish brought the best out of me and I met so many wonderful friends. I will always cherish the memories of my college days!



Akshit Peter Xalxo

It is said that students don't need a perfect teacher but a happy teacher who's gonna make them excited to come to the college and grow a love for learning. Luckily we got both perfect and happy teachers at our very own Economics Department. I am grateful to each one of my respected teachers for their constant encouragement and able guidance. COVID pandemic stole away much of our college life and I will always be missing my college life at Scottish.



Arijit Mandal

Photo Gallery





After 1.5 years of physical college classes it is hard to believe that the same amount of time has passed online. Hard to believe that in a story where in the 1st half where we used to attend classes, enjoyed fresher's and Caledonia, went to different college events and even organised one, went to common room in breaks, hanged out with friends after classes and sometimes skipped classes to have fun would have such a dull second half. Nevertheless, I am extremely grateful to have a chance to enjoy such an eventful college life.

I would like to thank our teachers for not only helping and guiding us in academics but also encouraging us to take part in co curricular activities for an all round development. Even in the hard Covid times our teachers helped us immensely, no matter what help we needed you were always there. I am truly grateful to be a part of this institute and all our teachers for your support and kindness. Hard to say goodbye but the memories will always be there.

Aniket Sharma

*Indeed my second home, Scottish, gave me teachers who were so close to us like our mother. Will surely miss every teacher!
Thank you teachers for giving your best efforts and time to us to make us better students!*



Anindita Gomes



My time in Scottish church college was filled with many ups and downs. I met so many people, made new friends, had crazy experiences, and learnt valuable lessons. To all my teachers, mentors, seniors who have helped in this beautiful journey; I promise to pay back every bit of it with my hardwork, integrity and valour.

Aniket Anand

Though I was basically a mute in class, didn't make any friends, basically non existent, guess I didn't want to exist. But it's just now that I've realised, you all were awesome, the college was awesome, our professors were awesome, should've cherished it while it lasted rather than getting high. It's fine though, it's just a little bit sad that I couldn't graduate with all you people. So long suckers. Live a great life! Happy graduating!



Arjit Hanse



A boy who never really liked college. A boy who went home as soon as the classes got over. Not because I am obedient but because I never really liked college life. But this only happened for a few days. As days passed, I made some few worthy friends who I hope to be there for me whenever I'm down. And then comes the professors of our department. Even words aren't enough to describe them. They're so understanding and nice. My school teachers never really liked me as I was an annoying kid, but I realised the true worth of patience in these 1.5 years, and the professors are the epitome of patience. They have handled a bunch of annoying kids for 1.5 years, and also, they worked hard to make sure that all the students do well. Whatever my grades are, that wouldn't have been possible without the professors. I would like to thank each professor individually. SKG ma'am, you've been the coolest professor we had. I still remember how rude I was to you regarding the submission and writing time which you allotted to us in sem 4. Although I expected you to be rude to me, you were nice to me and made me realise how wrong I was when I behaved rudely with you. Microeconomics has been my favourite subject throughout my 3 year journey and you're one of the people who's responsible for making it my favourite. SN ma'am, you're the best professor the Economics department has, and will have. You're a gem of a person and a gem of a teacher. You're not only a role model to me but also to God knows how many students. I really liked your classes and your last minute suggestions were so important. Lastly SG ma'am, your method of teaching the class was so unique and so good. I didn't like to study my DSE papers but it was only because of your notes that I managed to get somewhat decent grades. It has been a wonderful time with all of you. I wish all my batchmates to be successful and get what they want. And the teachers? They're already flawless and impeccable in their job. I wish I could spend the entire three years with y'all but nevermind, I will leave with a smile because I got to know so many wonderful and talented people.

Arjya Dutt

In these 3 years, I met the most awesome friends & some great teachers. I am so proud of what we have built together, and I have enjoyed working with every one of you. A big thanks to Scottish as it teaches me many lessons not just in the academic field but also in some life lessons. We never forgot this 3 years of beautiful journey with Scottish Church College. Thank You everyone for this love and a lot of supports.

Avinandan Dutta



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As a person who spent more time outside the class than inside it (voluntarily, or by virtue of being politely asked to leave!) — college has been fun mostly because of all our teachers! Looking back, I realise more is taught outside the class than within the curriculum. The rush to get into class within the first 10 minutes of SN ma'am's lecture each morning is now filled with three years' worth of stories. The funniest anecdotes are hidden in the sheer rush to finish our game of table-tennis before SKG ma'am comes into class, and gives us an earful for being late. The scolding from MM ma'am every time we couldn't answer a question will always be a fond memory, while SG ma'am's jokes were the life of the lecture, and the giggles will be with us forever! I can only wish we had a little more time to experience all of this in person for a little longer, but we hardly get what we wish for. It's been a wonderful journey, and thank you all for everything!



Arthish Banerjee



I feel a strong bond of belonging to our college and it has given me a sense of purpose and direction for lifetime. Our dearest Professors both departmental and others with whom I had the privilege of interacting have helped me immensely in achieving that purpose. Learnt many lessons which will help me in life and academics both and for that I'm grateful to SKG Ma'am, MM Ma'am, SG Ma'am and SN Ma'am. A heartfelt thank you for bearing with me.

Avishek Singh

A big thank you to all my teachers. I am very sure that the lessons of life we have learnt from you would help us climb the ladders of success while being humble and modest at the same time. When I had joined college in 2018 I was very much tensed on taking up economics as I did not have the subject previously but your unvarying support and never ending trust in me has always pushed me further. The special relation and bonds we shared amongst each other are forever going to remain in our hearts and we will always miss the lovely days spent here. While we know we will not be able to live this life again, we are never going to forget the days spent here. Thank you all.



Debarati Ghosh



I shall always remember the serene ambiance of our college in the morning, all the delightful events, the time I spent with my friends inside and outside the college and the very tender behaviour from a large section of our teaching and non-teaching faculties. I am truly grateful to be a part of this institute.

With best regards,

Debayan Sengupta

From the very first day of going to college to the very last, it has been a wonderful experience. Didn't realise how quickly all these unknown faces would become an irreplaceable part of my life. Friends, teachers, room no 28 and 5 will be dearly missed. So many fights, so many moments of togetherness and learning will stay with me forever.

A very big thank you to SN ma'am for being there whenever I needed. You have been a role model to me since the very first day and will be for the rest of my life. Will definitely miss being the only one sitting in the class after everyone has been kicked out. Thank you so much ma'am. Thank you so much MM ma'am for everything. You have always been just a call away. No matter what help we needed, you were always there. SKG ma'am, thank you so much for being so patient with us. You have been the sweetest teacher who was always quick to forgive. SG ma'am, thank you for all the knowledge you gave us. Without you, we wouldn't have learned so much in our respective subjects. And a very big thank you to my boys, Pritam, Arjya, Sankalan, Aditya, Sohamjit, Arthish, Adwaita, Rajdeep and yes, Aishwarya for making it the best time I could have had. The fights with the girl group, bunking classes to play 'T' and the amount of help provided during exams cannot be forgotten. Very sad that covid happened but all the best to everybody and Thank you Scottish Church College for giving me a family that I never thought I would have.



Debjyoti Das



As you know, we have completed our 3 years' golden journey here. Now I want to take a moment to say farewell and let you know how much I have enjoyed being with all of you. I have enjoyed my time here and I appreciate having had the opportunity to share these years with you. I cannot thank you enough for the lessons you have taught us and the guidance you have given. I will miss everything and every moment. Thanks to all of you for giving me this wonderful gift!

Debsiddha Dutta

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It was in 2018 when I first stepped into my first college campus named SCOTTISH CHURCH COLLEGE. I was highly strung and tensed on the first day of my college life but I was overwhelmed by the generous nature and kind attitude of my friends and our respectful teachers namely SN ma'am, MM ma'am, SG ma'am and SKG ma'am. I thought Economics would be a tough subject which is indeed, but the easy methods of teaching by our college faculty and the infrastructure provided to us was mesmerising.. Yes I am talking about the air conditioned class room of room no. 28. It was a blessing for the class as a whole in the scorching heat of the summer. And one thing I personally felt is my transition from 115Kg to 80Kg has to do with my college campus because school didn't motivate me in doing so and again thanking my college for giving me a healthier life to live. More importantly the location of my college was a wonderland for me I felt the phrase "kolkata - The city with a soul" the streets of hatibagan, the alleys, the narrow streets, the heritage buildings all brings a soul to the place and the long walks with my friends mentioning them Sukalyan, Somdeb, Aksit, Anamitra, Joydeep, Debayan and many more will occupy the best memories of my life in my heart till end of my time and my life. Yes and the delicious cuisines in our college canteen hahahahahahaha!!!!!!, the famous hedua chaat, Goda da r kochuri, nakul and girish ch. Dey r mishti and all the mouth watering dishes of NORTH KOLKATA were boosting my taste buds and last but not the least "FATSO'S" was our stress buster and the sponsors of every event taking place in the college campus.

As we say "itni khushi kaha bardasht hota hai" and here comes the pandemic of 2020 and our college life stops here. No physical presence of students and teachers in college campus, no hustling in metros, and no delicious foods and no adda, here comes the end of our college life. We were waiting for the last 1.5 years to reopen our college, to meet our teachers and buddies. Here we are meeting our buddies and teachers for the last time being a college student. These memories which I have gathered in the last 3 years will be cherished forever and will be remembered as a happy memory.

Dipjit Dalal



Will miss those carrom sessions in BCR and reading books from library and unnecessarily getting scolded from the librarian.

Gourav Das





Dear Professors,

I am grateful to all of you for helping us and encouraging us to achieve the small-small milestones of our life. Your teachings will forever be treasured, your contribution in our life can never be measured. Thank you for all your hard work and dedication. Thank you for doing your best for us and for being flexible in the unprecedented situation. Thank you for your patience with technology, your willingness to try new things and your ability to reach us even from a distance in the Covid situation. You are not only our professors, you are our friend authority and guide all rolled into one person. We will always be grateful to you for your support and kindness. We appreciate every small thing which you have done for us and made us who we are today. It is very hard for me to say goodbye but you all will be present forever in our hearts.

With regards,

Garima Tripathi

We had a beautiful journey in Scottish Church College and it was possible because of the support and guidance we received from our teachers. Thank You ma'am for making our experience in college a good and memorable one. We will always remember you.

Harshita Choudhary



Bidding farewell is the most difficult thing to say to the most amazing teachers like you. I wish that we had many, many more days to spend with you. I will surely miss you, but your teachings will forever reside in my heart. You taught us what we wanted to learn besides what we needed to learn. What I know about Economics today is just because of your supreme guidance. You all made our journey in Scottish Church College so memorable. I wish you peace, love, and happiness. Thank you for everything!

Ishika Banerjee

"Scottish Church College" never thought of getting a chance in this institution .It was a huge deal for me to get admission in this college ,but luckily it's been 3 years since my admission and within a blink of an eye, we completed our graduation and it really makes me sad that we are leaving this castle of memories .I made some great friends and great teachers who supported us and taught the way of economics. Thank you , all the teachers , faculty members, all my friends and THANKYOU SCOTTISH CHURCH COLLEGE for all those memories to cherish.

"It's been a long day without you, my friend and I'll tell you all about it when I see you again."



Joydeep Mondal



I still can't believe how the physical classes in college ended on a random day and I ended up finishing the course without ever meeting my peers and professors again in college. I never realised how much fun college life was, until it got over. Waking up late and then rushing to reach the college not 15-20 minutes later than the stipulated time, to get the attendance ; chilling with friends in college is one of the best memories of college life. I am really thankful to my professors for being so supportive, helpful and easily approachable. You all made sure that I don't miss out on my learning because of the language barrier (as I am not a native of Bengal). College life couldn't have been so smooth & fun without the amazing professors who taught me. I couldn't have asked for better professors, and I say this in earnest.

Keshav Agarwal

*Dear Teachers,
You may be away from me, but your teachings will never be.
Thank you for instilling that confidence in me, and making a woman out of this timid little girl. Lotsa love.*

Mouli Roy



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As heartfelt as our emotions of gratitude or thankfulness may be, putting them into words can be challenging. Sure, anyone can jot down a perfunctory piece, but that's a waste of a stamp. Truly expressing just how grateful you are takes a bit of time and thought. Nevertheless I'll try penning down some words as it fills my heart with sorrow to say a goodbye to the ever-so-hardworking, dedicated and caring professors who held our hands and helped us to become a better version of ourselves.



I hold myself fortunate enough to have you professors as my mentor and tutor. I always look up to your morals, code of conduct and the unique pedagogy used by each one of you to bring the best out of us and make us what we are today. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for always being there and helping us master the subject matter. The journey from the classroom benches to the corporate world seemed to be a cake walk for me as the support and guidance received from your end made it immensely easy for me.

Lastly a big THANK YOU to all my professors, batchmates, friends and last but not the least the college administration for making this episode of my life a memorable one. I thank The Almighty for considering me eligible enough to be a part of this SCC family.

Kumarjit Paul

From the admission day till the last exam date you all have been helping us in every possible way. A very big thank you to all four of you for always guiding us and encouraging us and for being so supportive. Thank you for making us more responsible. Scottish Church College has taught me many things in these 3 years. I wish to meet you all soon. Stay happy and healthy.



Payel Das



Always felt in my school days that the relationship we will hold with our professor will be very much mechanical. But throughout these 3 years those feelings got converted into an emotional attachment. We will really miss you all ma'am. Thank you for making our college life so precious. How nice it would have been, if only I could get you all as our PG professors also!

Rohit Kumar Sah

It has been a pleasure and honour for me to share such a strong bond with each and every one of my Professors individually! MM ma'am is the person who has always pushed us to go out of our comfort zone and Dream Big. SN Ma'am is an absolute gem of a teacher. I am sure if the Dronacharya award was given out in Academics, she would have won it hands down, that good a professor she is! SKG Ma'am with her presence and teaching has always brought about calm and composed vibes and been a very rejuvenating personality in my college days. Finally SG Ma'am, the professor who has guided us in so many things of course, that is so very relevant to our professional careers ahead. So to conclude, I couldn't have hoped for more! Stay well and keep giving us reasons to fall in love with our college over and over again!



Prakarsha Mahanti



No one would have ever imagined that it will come to an end like this, online. Didn't imagine that a 15-day break would turn 1.5 years and we would never get to sit in those classrooms again. Nevertheless, I feel immensely grateful to have had the chance of enjoying college life, going to classes offline, trying to not be late and still end up being late and getting an earful from our teachers. All the fun we have had in the games room and canteen. All these being added to our bag of college memories. Also, thank you so much ma'am for bearing with us, for giving us wise advice and for guiding us through the hard COVID times. From teaching us in offline classes to adapting so fast with the online ones, you all have been inspiring. Thank you once again, for everything. I wish we could spend more time in college. Hopefully, we all stay connected and meet again with a puddle of achievements in our pockets. Thank you!

Prerak Bothra

In these 3 years Scottish became very special in our lives. Starting from our teachers to our classmates, everyone became important. Now as this journey ends, everyone will be missed. Especially our teachers who helped us in every situation and encouraged us. Thank you teachers for helping us.

Smriti Saha





Having passed the three years in the blink of an eye, I can surely say, these were some of the most beautiful days of my life. I know I was a real pain for the entire class, right from switching off projectors to getting caught playing games during classes, from always reaching late to class to sleeping without a worry in the world during the lectures, I admit having done all of this and more annoying stuff, I might have caused a lot of trouble for everyone, so I humbly ask this of you all one last time, please pardon me for all the nuisance I created. Saying that, it is also true that I would really miss the bonding which I had the fortune of developing with my teachers, I will really miss your scoldings. Despite all these nuisances in class, I want to say that I truly, truly love you, my teachers, and you will always have a special place in my heart.

Pritam Mandal

I considered three years to be a really long time but it all went by in a blink of an eye. These three years were undoubtedly one of the best years of my life, especially thanks to the professors who tried to make our life easier by providing every support they could even at times of such difficulties. I am forever grateful to receive such mentors in my life who paved the way for us to achieve great heights. Nevertheless thank you to one and all, my teachers and friends for making this three years journey the most memorable part of my life.



Sankalan Dey



First of all to start with, I firstly feel tremendously lucky to have got admitted into the Glamorous Scottish for studying economics. I still remember the 1st day of Class first SKG ma'am and then SN ma'am entering. What a session it was! Till the last day, when SG ma'am took the last class. It was a memorable experience in Scottish. Indeed these experiences wouldn't have been possible without the help of the 4 gems of our Department; SN ma'am, SKG ma'am, MM ma'am and SG ma'am. They guided us selflessly throughout from studies to extracurricular activities to conducting the Econverge. The credit is all yours teachers. Finally I truly feel and have been blessed to have got a genius lot of a batch where every individual excels in different fields. Thank you everyone guys for spending a memorable 3 yrs together, although we've seen each other only for 1.5 yrs but it was phenomenal. Thank you everyone.

Saptashya Ghosh

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Well, to jot down the experience of three years (three semesters to be exact) into words is quite a superhuman task, but even the Bsc Economics UG degree seemed ungettable at the first go, and now we are graduates, thanks to online sems and most importantly, our professors.

I mostly kept to myself and a few online games during class lectures, so it was a customary thing to get pulled up for being inattentive right from high school; however least did I expect any professor to put an end to this habit of repute until MM ma'am's sem 2 macro class. After that, I was forced to bring down my bond with Ludo king and Chess to once a week because I would be asked questions about the paper every other day. Thank You ma'am for being the most friendly strict teacher, I'll carry this memory forever.

Not just MM ma'am, even SKG ma'am had this innate ability to selectively sample students who had the least idea about that particular day's topic and ask questions accordingly. So I was compelled to keep my studies updated with the class lectures for an entire semester. Thank You ma'am for making me realise the quintessential element of consistency in studies.

Looking back at my college offline classes, there was one professor whose lectures were full of wit and interaction, SG ma'am mingled with us as if we've known each other for years. Her practical grooming of us to understand and review academic literature with a critical eye was quite not what I had expected to learn too well within such a short span of time in the undergraduate. It is for her that we have certainly upskilled ourselves in making exquisite and highly detailed PPTs, not to forget the meeting-the-deadline criterion. We are eagerly looking forward to the next burger treat ma'am!

Last but not the least, our HOD, SN ma'am. Perhaps the most caring and benevolent teacher one can have at any point in life. I remember the viva we used to have where we had to pick up chits and answer questions pertaining to that topic; a blend of knowledge and luck. It was sem 2 and I was nervous like a cat because I had picked up a chit with a topic I had no clue about and still went forward to answer them. All thanks to ma'am who gave me all the time in the world to recall what was taught and gave significant encouragement after every answer. Thank you ma'am, for being so kind to all of us, without your notes and lessons, we would have ended up memorising pages of Chiang without learning a thing.

I would also like to thank Sir Ashok Hazra who isn't with us anymore. We were lucky enough to be taught by him. The controlled swagger with which he conducted his classes even in his twilight years is simply stupendous. Statistics classes were by far the most enjoyable ones we had in our journey. We miss you sir but I'm sure you will be etched forever in the hearts of your students.

Rajdeep Nag



As for someone who isn't from the city, I came here with certain hopes, dreams and expectations. Sadly, the three years have been cut short due to the pandemic but these one and a half years of learning experience will surely serve me a lifetime. Found a home in this city welcomed by the loving people I found here; peers, acquaintances and you teachers. SKG ma'am, SN ma'am, SG ma'am and MM ma'am- you taught us so much more beyond the textbook, you taught us to think beyond; to think big. Thank you for helping us, believing in us and always making us feel welcomed. Thank you for being such a huge part of our college life.



Shatavisha Roy



All those morning lectures which we used to hate, now bring tears remembering that we won't get to see you teach us. We never thought we had to bid you all goodbyes virtually. Thanks for guiding and leaving a huge impact on us and ultimately to love the subject. From the core of our hearts we thank you all for everything.

Sohamjit Kar

Right from the day of admission in Room No. 28, to the one abrupt afternoon in March 2020, I cannot assemble my journey at Scottish Church College in just a few words. The college has gifted me with some of the best and friendliest teachers and I would like to thank all of SKG Ma'am, SN Ma'am, MM Ma'am, SG Ma'am and even DSG Sir (who taught us for a few semesters) for bearing with me both in the offline and online modes of classroom. I am truly grateful and privileged to be a part of such a distinguished and historical college.

College life is officially over for us, but the memories (or the lack of it, due to the Covid-19 pandemic) will always hold a special place in my heart.

-----Thanking all of you for being a part of the journey,

Somdeb Khaskel



At the end of the day we may not remember everything you said in the lecture classes, but we will remember how special you made us feel every moment. I wish we would have spent a few more hours together, together with those wonderful teachers who always stood by our side whenever we felt low, happy, who encouraged our views in all possible ways. It's really hard for us to bid goodbye to our second parents like you all. Thank you for sharing yourself with us.

Sovini Mondal

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There is something special about our time in SCOTTISH CHURCH COLLEGE apart from the colonial past and upcoming glorious future, we a handful of fortunate students have seen both offline and online phases in education. We have seen tireless efforts by our teachers in class as well as on screen which make them the best in town. I feel so glad to witness the volume of mastery and dedication they have for the subject . "THANKS" is only a mere word to express gratitude to our faculty members, there is always more to add . Your teachings are the foundation of the boulevard on which we will walk for the rest of our lives. The memories and songs will live forever.....



Sukalyan Halder



The first time I walked into the glamorous entrance of Scottish Church College, I was immediately filled with pride and heritage but at the same time I was a bit nervous. I belong to a small town and I was doubtful that this grandeur would accept me or not. To my surprise I found friends like my brothers and sisters and my town homies and I got easily amalgamated to the city culture. My teachers were so supportive, friendly and caring in nature, I just felt so homely. The concepts that my teachers taught me, I shall always revise and revisit basics even if I go for higher studies. The love that I received from each of the teachers and friends I shall cherish and try to revisit the college as many times as possible. Thank you, my beloved teachers for making Scottish Church College such a beautiful environment to study and to groom.

Susovan Banerjee

We had a beautiful journey of 3 years in Scottish Church College. A very big thank you to all our professors for helping us to improve ourselves and guiding us to have a bright future. I am very grateful to be a part of the Economics department of this college. Will surely miss everything.

Tamoha Sinha





My gratitude to you for all you have done, which I will never forget. I truly appreciate you and your time you spent helping me on many occasions. Thank you very much for the course. Thank you for your time, your patience, your realness. Thank you for encouraging me, for supporting me, for caring about me.

V.L.Remruati

I am most probably the last one to write this. This is not because i don't want to write but there are some emotions which can't be expressed in words. I am not getting words to express what i am feeling now but it's really painful and disheartening. From our first class in room 28 to a last unwanted Saturday every bit of my college life is revolving in front of my eyes. I still remember the words of SN mam, the 'all-rounder batch', we may be all-rounders but it is you teachers who gave us the bat and the ball, it is you who taught us the strategies of the game, it is you who motivated us to go hard at times and soft at other. I can just say 'THANK YOU'

Yashowardhan



Honestly, the first time I went into Room 5 with the notion of pursuing an alien subject as my Honours in undergrad, little did I know that I'll find my biggest role model and icon and mentor step inside the classroom within a minute or two. If amidst a sea of strange faces and stranger terminologies someone could make me feel that "it's gonna be okay" ahead, surely it is my professor Smita Nath. I don't know how exactly to put into verbal language how she influenced me (I bet the class knows better and my friends know the best) or perhaps, what and what not I have learnt from her as part of my all round development until now, I can just might say that she was the reason why I technically went to college and now, that I am pursuing a Master's. I am so grateful to have met her and to have been under her care and guidance to explore and enjoy what economics and mathematics and statistics together can be. Call it a bias or fangirl moment, she is what I want to be and yet, I know that she is the one and only. But even if I get to emulate in me and practise a mere fraction of her ideals and vast knowledge, I would have fulfillment in my very personal little way. Thank you so much Ma'am for instilling in me and all of us as we can scream out our lungs unanimously, you have had the greatest impact on this batch!

The next person who I have tried following and successfully, have learnt a lot from is Sudeshna Ghosh. Be it her supreme flair in keeping up with the recent trends or her impeccable oratory or her body language and composition, the most important lesson she has imparted to me is the significance of detail and brevity. I thank you Ma'am for being a pillar of support all throughout, helping us grow professionalism in us and taking up humility as our best defence.

With SN and SG being the teachers that we ever will be fortunate to be under supervision of, a true motherly figure who made college feel like just another home has to be this wonderful person who literally keeps alive the spirits of the department. A thespian by heart and an academician by profession, no one can beat her when it comes to nurturing young minds to become self aware adults of ethics and principles. You got it right. Being in a Mausumi Manna class was so much more than attending a lecture. I still remember vividly the first class that MM Ma'am took us on board in the macroeconomics journey so far and how wittily she captured our basic attention with the mere statement, "Microeconomics is the drop in the ocean and the ocean is what we call macroeconomics". Her class was a full on show of expressions and allegories and anecdotes and I might as well say, I learnt more of the way of things and their practical knowledge from her than what macroeconomics could offer in textbooks. Her teaching is never restricted to the textbooks, it goes beyond primarily and is filled with facts and stories. I'm going to miss this rockstar and storyteller who made a macroeconomics class fun and exciting! Thank you Ma'am! Well, the person who is the closest, the coolest and also, the most relatable in the department is professor Smritikana Ghosh. She is the first teacher I met in college even before I earned the last roll number in class and she is also the first person I learnt what economics is from as an introduction. Her demand and supply lecture in the library when the clueless I would kidnap Debsiddha along to try and understand what is this subject I took up impulsively back then and also, in the regular classes, it did make sense and she has been motivating me and all of us ever since at large that the journey matters more than the destiny. That it's all in our efforts to solve a problem and our approach more than the result we arrive at. Truly, this person is the coolest. Always up and active to help us in any way whatsoever be demanded, we know that we had her back, we have her back and we will be having her back. Her efforts to provide to us the best pedagogy during the first wave of the pandemic were indeed laudable and will remain unforgettable. Thank you Ma'am for this amazing time and I should thank you more for letting me find a place in this college and finding real gems therein.

I believe that I've bared my heart out for a final time yet again. Debsiddha, I apologize that I have taken up a good portion of this space. I appreciate that you made it possible for me to speak what I call a mere drop in my ocean of abysmal gratitude and retrospection into this awesome 3 years here in Scottish Church College but I couldn't let out any less. From a fresh-out-of-convent socially awkward girl to a person who can come forward and communicate when need be with head and chin both up, it's all because of my teachers and their constant mentoring that has made it all possible, seamlessly. Thank you for helping me grow and improve and make believe that learning never stops as does the efforts of humanity to attain the best, I will forever cherish this place. Adieu Alma Mater, adieu my lovely professors!

Amrita Bhattacharya



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*The lights go dim as we suddenly see
It's time to find who we're meant to be
We couldn't wait for this to end
Now we wish we could start again
If I hold onto the memories
And use them to guide me
Will you be right here beside me?
Everything I know is behind me
I'm starting a new life
I just don't want to say goodbye...*

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- COREY TYNAN (HOLD ONTO THE MEMORIES)