



LOYOLA COLLEGE(AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI
LOYOLA SOCIETY OF DEBATORS AND QUIZZERS(SHIFT II)



ARGU MENTOR '24 REPORT

24th January 2024

INVITATION

**LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)
CHENNAI - 34**

**LOYOLA SOCIETY OF DEBATORS
AND QUIZZERS (SHIFT II)**

Organises

ARGU MENTOR '24

A workshop on Parliamentary Debating

RESOURCE PERSON



24 Jan
1 pm - 6 pm

**VENUE - PLANT BIOLOGY
SMART CLASSROOM**

GOPI KRISHNA V
Co-founder - Judgementalists
Senior Auditor at EY

Prof. Melina J
FACULTY IN CHARGE

Mr Siddhartha S
PRESIDENT

Mr M.S. SIDDHARTH
SECRETARY



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PHOTOS FROM THE EVENT





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ABOUT THE EVENT

DATE: 24.1.24

TIME: 1:30 AM TO 6:30 PM

VENUE: PLANT BIOLOGY SMART CLASSROOM

The interactive workshop began with a quick introduction about the chief guest, Mr. V Gopi Krishna, by the Media Secretary, Aditya. R. The faculty co-ordinator Mrs. Melina J, felicitated the resource person with a shawl.

The resource person, Mr V Gopi Krishna, began with a dissection of the history of debate, and its cultural significance. He mentioned how he started like any other student in the room, unaware of the procedures but he was a very keen, enthusiastic participant. He spoke of his experience with public speaking and debates, as well as his start-up, to establish his credentials.

Soon after, the instructor began describing the different types of debate, starting with research procedures and clear communication. He emphasized the importance of being able to articulate one's ideas clearly and eloquently. Then he delved into the complexities of the British Parliamentary debate system, organizing a fake parliamentary debate for practice. After a round of speaking, he addressed the shortcomings and mistakes made by the students and provided individual and general feedback before calling for a round of applause to acknowledge their enthusiasm.

The resource person concluded the event by thanking the college for this opportunity, he appreciated the LSDQ club's initiative, and encouraged the students to explore and never stop debating. The President, Mr. Siddarth, thanked the resource person for his time, the Faculty Coordinator for her assistance, and his colleagues for organizing this event, bringing it to an end.



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KEY TAKEAWAYS: -

- The students learned the history of debating and its evolution.
- The students learnt a few tips and tricks of public speaking.
- The students were taught, the various debating formats.
- The students learned how to structure an argument.
- The students were taught in detail about the British Parliamentary debating format.

Prof. Melina J
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