

Goa University

Goa Business School

Report on Winter School on "Data-driven Decision Making"

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	Winter School on Data-driven Decision Making	
2. Date and Time	10am - 4:30pm from Nov 25 to Dec 06, 2024	
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	Physical	
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	Goa Business School	
5. Collaborating Agency/School/Directorate	Goa State Research Foundation (GSRF)	
6. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	1. Prof. Pranab Mukhopadhyay Pranab Mukhopadhyay is a Senior Professor of Economics and Vice Dean (Research) of Goa Business School at Goa University. He graduated from Presidency College, Calcutta, and did his Masters and doctoral work at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. His research interests are in the area of Macroeconomics, Growth and Environment. He currently co-edits the journal of the Indian Society for Ecological Economics – Ecology, Economy and Society – the INSEE journal. Prof. Nilesh Borde Nilesh Borde is a Professor of Management Studies and Vice Dean (academics) of Goa Business School at Goa University. His doctoral work was in Finance at Goa University. His areas of research and interests are: Finance and	



Financial Economics
(Shareholder Value Creation,
Corporate Finance, Capital
Markets, Mergers &
Acquisitions). He has undertaken
many research projects and
consultancies in his career
spanning over 25+ years.

3. Dr. Payaswini P

o Dr. Payaswini is Assistant Professor of Computer Science and Technology and Program Director for the MSc Data Science at Goa Business school, Goa University. She holds a PhD in Computer Science from Mangalore University and has 10 years of teaching experience. Her research interests include agriculture data science, computer networks, and the Internet of Things (IoT). She has published research papers in Scopus-indexed and UGC-CARE listed journals. She has served as a reviewer for various conferences.

4. Dr. Narayan D. Parab

 Dr. Narayan Parab is Assistant Professor of Financial Services and Programme Director of MBA Executive program at Goa Business School, Goa University. He is also a Ph.D. Research Guide and presently 3 research scholars are doing Ph.D. under his supervision at Goa University. He has almost 10 years of teaching experience. He has published research papers in Scopus Indexed and UGC listed journals with publishers such as Wiley, Springer, Sage, and Taylor & Francis, etc. He frequently presents the research work in various international conferences. He has also conducted various workshops on research methodology, basic



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	econometrics, time series analysis, stock market analysis, etc. for post graduate students, research scholars and teachers in Goa. 5. Ms. Heena S. Gaude • Heena Gaude is an Assistant Professor at Goa University and Programme Director of the MA Economics programme at Goa Business School, Goa University. She has a master degree in Economics, and is currently pursuing his PhD at Goa University. Her areas of research interests are — Agriculture in Goa, Macroeconomics 6. Shri. Jarret S. A. Fernandes • Jarret Fernandes is an Assistant Professor at Goa University and Programme Director of the MSc Integrated Data Science programme at Goa Business School, Goa University. He has worked in the IT industry working in projects focussed on Travel, Hospitality, E-Commerce and Natural Language Processing. He is currently pursuing his PhD at IITGoa.		
7. Number of Faculty attended/participated	-N/A-		
8. Number of Student attended / participated	-N/A-		
9. No. of external students/faculty/other participants	30 students from colleges across Goa		
10. The objectives of the Program/activity/event	Objective of the Winter School on "Data-driven Decision Making":		
	 Equip participants with essential knowledge and skills to apply data science in decision-making. Provide hands-on experience with tools like Python, R, and AI technologies. Develop computational thinking, problem-solving, and teamwork. Introduce students to the field of data 		



	science and various career opportunities. 5. Build confidence and readiness for further studies or careers in data-driven industries.
11. Description of the Program/activity/event	The 10-day Winter School on "Data-driven Decision Making" covered a different topic each day, combining theory, tutorials, and hands-on practice. On the first day, participants registered in person with their student ID cards and a nomination letter from their college. Throughout the workshop, students actively took part, learning new concepts and gaining practical experience. Pre-tests and post-exams were conducted to measure students' progress, and participants provided feedback for each session. The program received an overall feedback rating of 4.24/5. The program provided an engaging and interactive learning environment, helping participants understand data-driven methods and work effectively as a team.
12. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Program/activity/event	 Participants developed computational thinking and problem-solving skills essential for data-driven decision-making. Gained a basic understanding of the field of data science and explored different career options. Gained hands-on experience with data science tools, programming languages like Python and R, data visualization, and AI tools. Gained hands-on experience to build quick websites to showcase data and solutions effectively.
13. Enclosures with report	Flyer, Social Media Posts, Geo-tag photos, Attendance of students/faculty/external participants

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Name of coordinator: Jarret Fernandes

Designation: Coordinator, Winter School

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ANNEXURE – 1 (Flyer)





A winter school on

Data-Driven Decision Making



- ◆ Data Science ◆ Business Analytics ◆ Econometrics ◆
 - ♦ Fintech ♦ Interdisciplinary ♦ Hands-on learning ♦

Eligibility: Currently pursuing any undergraduate programme in Goa

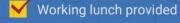




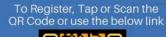
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ANNEXURE – 2 (Social Media Posts)

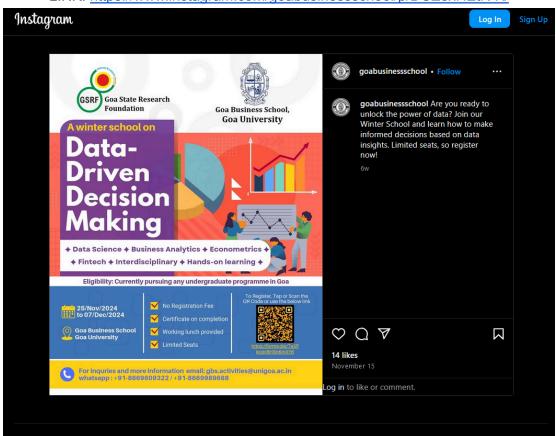
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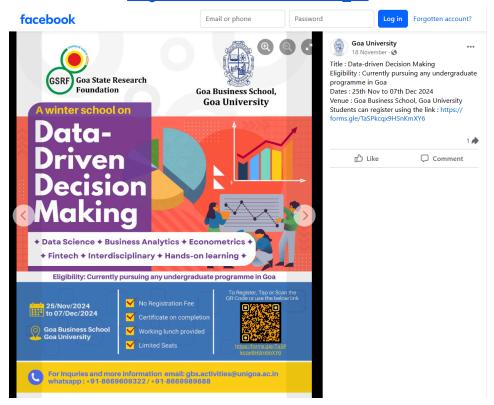
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ANNEXURE – 3 (Photos)

















ANNEXURE – 4 (Attendance)

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