

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

1) **Message from the HODs desk:**

- I. Department offers this paper as a compulsory paper at F.Y.B.com level in the commerce faculty. The department came into existence in the year 1980. Earlier this paper was known as Commercial Geography. Post 1991 with the supreme courts intervention to highlight the gravity and intensity of the subject this paper is brought into various levels of learning.
About the HOD-Dr. Udhav Zarekar is an Associate Professor & HOD of the department of Environmental Studies. Currently he is also holding the Vice Principal (Commerce) post. Being a administrator he is actively involved in various committees of the college. Dr. Udhav is actively engage in research activities. He has presented several research papers in national and international conferences and also published his work in reputed journals and proceedings. He has also carry out 3 minor research project sanctioned by University of Mumbai.
- II. HODs passport size photograph.



- 2) **Message about the department:** Welcome to the Jai Hind Autonomous college. It's indeed a great thing to be the HOD of Department of Environmental studies of this institution. It's a single man department which offers this paper to first year B.com students. The department addresses the local to global level environmental issues concerning to the society and entire humanity.

Currently world is facing several environmental issues. Department is sensitizing the students about these issues. The said course is ability enhancement course. Under this course student learns to collect and analyze the noise pollution data. Modern methods of teaching and learning are used to deliver the content. Course also inculcates the skill of map reading and map filling. Skill development among students is a challenge before current education system. Since the college has got autonomous status, we are nurturing skill based syllabus across the faculties.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES 2018-23

A) PUBLICATIONS.

1. Socio-Economic Distress of Scheduled Tribes: Examples from Maharashtra, **Dr. Udhav B. Zarekar,**

Published in UGC Listed Journal (No 40776), *An International Multidisciplinary Quarterly Research Journal*, ISSN 2277-5730, Vol VIII, Issue-I Jan- March 2019 English Part III.

2. An Analysis of Noise Levels during Diwali Festival in South Mumbai, **Dr. Udhav B. Zarekar,** UGC Approved list of journal/s No (63571), *International journal of Advance and innovative Research, Online Open Access*, ISSN: 2394-7780, Vol 6, Issue 2(XV), Pg. Nos.190-195 April-June 2019.

3. Role of Rural Tourism in Transition of Tribal economy: A Case Study of Semadoh, Melghat Tiger Reserve, Amravati, Maharashtra, **Dr. Udhav B. Zarekar,** UGC Approved Journal No: 49023 (18), *International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts, An International Open Access, Peer Reviewed, Refereed Journal*, ISSN: 2320-2882, VOL 8, Issue 4, Pg. Nos. 1037-1041, **April 2020,**

4. Scheduled Tribes of Maharashtra - Proposition For Social And Economic Amelioration, **Dr. Udhav B. Zarekar** UGC Approved Journal No: 49023 (18), *International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts, An International Open Access, Peer Reviewed, Refereed Journal*, ISSN: 2320-2882, VOL 8, Issue 4, Pg. Nos. 1536-1541, **April 2020,**

B) ORAL/POSTER PRESENTATIONS

1. Rural Tourism and Transition of tribal Economy: Case of Semadoh, Melghat Tiger Reserve, Amravati, Maharashtra, **Dr. Udhav Zarekar,** XIII DGSI International Geography Conference on Sustainable Rural Development – Geospatial Solutions, Dept of Geography & Geoinformatics, Bangalore University, Bengaluru, 20-22 Sept. 2018

2. Landlessness, Migration and Livelihood of ST's in Maharashtra, **Dr. Udhav Zarekar,** National Seminar on Geographies of Tribal Communities and Emerging Cultural Issues, Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi, Delhi, 4-5th Jan 2019

3. Drought and its Impact on Livelihood: Examples from Maharashtra, **Dr. Udhav Zarekar**, 46th National Conference, The Rajasthan Geography Association (RGA) on, Sustainable Future: Global Challenges for Environment, Protection and Social Development, Organized by Dept. Of Geography, Maharana Pratap Government college, Chittorgarh, Rajasthan
10-12th Jan 2019