#### **GOVT COLLEGE KARIAVATTOM**

#### **ALUMNI FORUM REPORT 2020-21**

During the academic year 2020-21(COVID PANDEMIC), Alumni engaged in college activities mainly as resource persons in Webinars.

### 1. Disaster Management Webinar organised by NSS unit

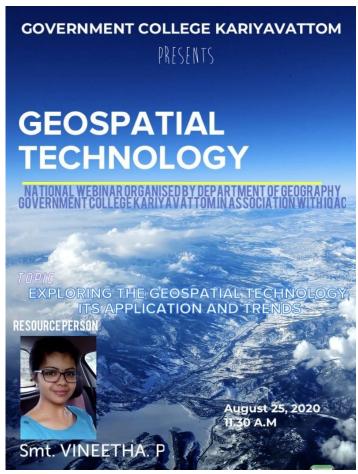
A Webinar was organised by NSS Unit, Govt College Kariavattom in December 2020 on "Disaster Management". Dr. Sarun, Assistant Professor in Geography, Sree Sankara University of Sanskrit, Kalady. And Alumni (2003-2006 Batch, Department of Geography) was the resource person.





# 2. National Webinar On 'Geospatial Technologies' organised by Department of Geography

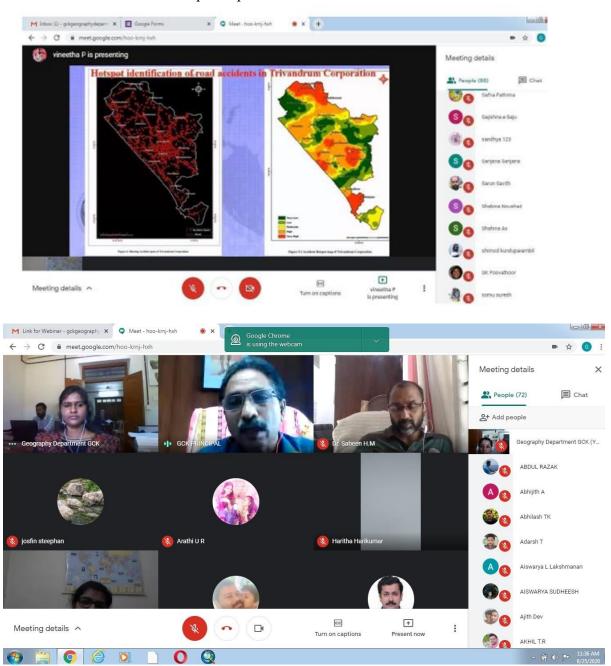
The Department of Geography in association with IQAC conducted a national webinar titled Geospatial Technologies on 25th August, 2020 in Google Meet platform. The webinar intends to provide the students and researchers of geography on the applications of various technologies for their earth science research & studies and its opportunities in career.



A total of 93 participants from Kerala and other Indian states as well as from Israel attended the session. The programme was welcomed by Smt. Mereena C.S, the HOD of the Department of Geography and inaugurated by the Principal, Dr. K. Krishnankutty, Govt. College Kariavattom, with an inaugural address stressing the needs of spatial technologies in today's world. The key Speaker of the Webinar was Smt. Vineetha P,Assistant Professor, Inter University Centre for Geo Spatial Information, Kariavattom Campus, University of Kerala and Alumni(2003-2006 batch, Department of Geography). She highlighted and explained the various technologies, its application and career opportunities in the field of Remote sensing and GIS.

The session was followed by Q & A session were the participants interacted with the resource person. The session concluded at 1 pm with a vote of thanks by Dr. Karthika

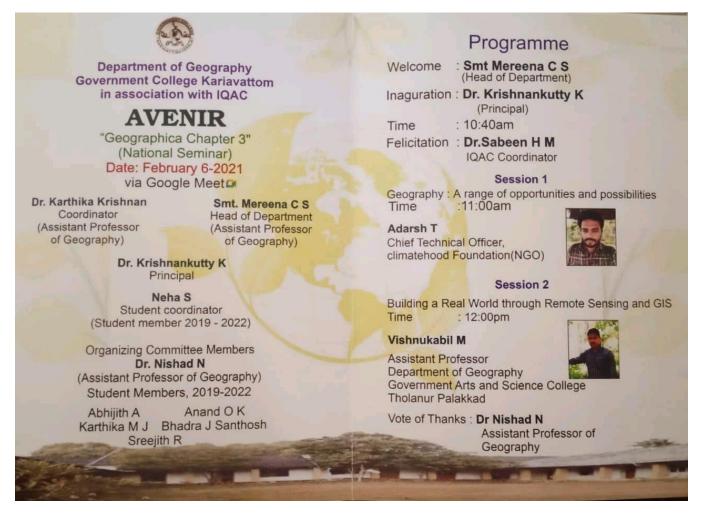
K, Academic coordinator of the webinar, Government College Kariavattom and online certificates were issued to the participants with feedback form.



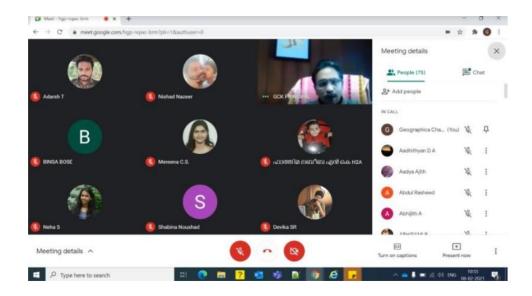
## 3) National Webinar "AVENIR" organised by the Department of Geography

The Department of Geography in association with IQAC conducted the 3rd series of student's webinar Geographica Chapter-3 titled Avenir on 6 th February, 2021 in Google Meet platform. The webinar aims to provide the higher secondary students of various parts of Kerala and Lakshadweep on the opportunities of higher education and careers in earth science studies. This is the 3rd consecutive year the department conducts the orientation programme for the school students so as to draw their attention in taking up the discipline for their higher studies. The students from various parts of Kerala as well as from Lakshadweep attended the session.

A total of 83 participants including 40 higher secondary students attended the session. The Academic coordinator of the programme Dr. Karthika K, Assistant Professor of Geography, Govt. College Kariavattom presented the key initiative behind conducting the orientation programme for the higher secondary students and need to focus on earth science learning in today's environmentally degraded world. The programme was formally welcomed by Smt. Mereena C.S, the HOD of the Department of Geography and inaugurated by the Principal, Dr. K. Krishnankutty, Govt. College Kariavattom, with an inaugural address stressing the needs of awareness among the school students on various disciplines and its prospects before stepping into higher learning in today's world.



There were 2 sessions for the webinar. Ms. Neha S, the student coordinator (II B.Sc. Geography) of the event moderated the sessions. The key Speakers of the Webinar were Mr. Adarsh T, Chief Technical Officer, Climatehood Foundation and Alumni, Department of Geography,2013-2016 batch and Mr. Vishnukabil M, Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Government College Tholannoor, Palakkad.



The session I handled by Mr. Adarsh T took the students to a world of vast opportunities and possibilities in the discipline of geography. The II session handled by Mr. Vishnukabil M highlighted the application and career opportunities in building a real world through Remote sensing & GIS. The session was followed by Q & A session were the participants interacted with the resource persons. The feedback form was collected from the participants. The session concluded at 2.30 pm with a vote of thanks by Dr. Nishad N, Assistant Professor of Geography, Government College Kariavattom and online certificates were issued to the participants.