

About Post Graduate Department of Economics

The Department of Economics is one of the oldest Departments of this college. The Department of Economics came into existence in the year 1934. Initially, Economics at graduate level was started with the department but later on Master of Arts in Economics and B.A Economics (Hons.) courses were also introduced. The teaching programs in the Department are focused on proper blending of ‘quality’ and ‘relevance’. The Department is also actively engaged in research and social activities. The department has five well-qualified faculty members who teach in the areas of Applied Theory, Behavioral and Experimental Economic Theory. As a result, many of its alumnae have distinguished themselves in both academic and administrative spheres across the country. Further, the Department will always be striving to put of its utmost efforts in making the department as the ‘Star Department of the College’.

Courses offered

- Master of Arts in Economics.
- Bachelor of Arts with Economics as a subject.
- Economics as a subject in B. Com, B. Sc and B.Voc.

Highlights of the Department

- The Department is based on the unique philosophy of Bhagwan Dev Atma, the founder, Dev Samaj and Spiritual Guru which combines the material with the spiritualism and offers students to develop themselves as fully integrated individuals.
- Well-equipped library with the quantum of text, reference books and journals.
- Supporting weaker students through remedial and tutorial classes.
- Qualified, motivated and competent faculty with a blend of high experience.
- All the members of the faculty are fully involved in research and social activities.
- The infrastructural support offered by the college to students can be compared with the best in this part of the country.
- The teacher-student ratio makes it possible for teachers to successfully address the individual needs of the students.
- Highly qualified, experienced, committed and dedicated faculty
- Arrangement of industrial visits to provide the students with the practical knowledge.
- Smart classrooms for the purpose of making teaching and learning more effective
- Top positions in university exams.
- International/National Conferences, Seminars and Workshops

- Guest/special Lectures by the eminent scholars to add to the awareness of the students and faculty of the department.
- Periodic Tests, Assignments, MST's to evaluate the performance of the students.
- Enrichment program for the students of humanities.
- Community outreach activities to develop a feeling of social responsibility among students.
- Guest/special Lectures by the eminent scholars that help both the students and faculties to keep pace with the advanced developments in their respective subjects.

Faculty Profile

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Qualification
1	Dr.Sangeeta Arora	Head & Associate Professor	M.A, NET, M.Com, NET, B.Ed., Ph.D.
2	Dr.Navarsh Kumar	Assistant Professor	M.A, M.Phil., NET, SLET, Ph.D.
3	Mrs. Ritu Sharma	Assistant Professor	M.A, B.Ed.,

Publication Work

Publications:	
Research Papers (Peer Reviewed journals)	20
Papers presented in National/International Conferences	30
Books published with ISBN	02
In-House Journals	05

National Seminar/Workshop organized

ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar	01
Workshop	01

Research Projects

- Dr. Navarsh Kumar, Assistant Professor in Economics, granted a minor project sponsored by ICSSR on dated 29-12-2017. Title-‘Impact of Demonetization on Rural Mass in District Ferozepur’ of Worth Rs.3,00,000.
- Dr. Sangeeta Arora, Associate Professor in Economics, granted a minor Project sponsored by ICSSR on dated 11-03-2019. Title “Socio-Economic Impact of Stubble Burning in Punjab -A Study of District Ferozepur” worth Rs.3 lakhs.
- Department has also conducted a National Seminar with grant of Rs. 250000, under the ‘IMPRESS’ scheme launched by ICSSR, New Delhi.

Curriculum

- **Bachelor of Arts (with Economics)**
- **Course Duration:** Three Years (Six semesters) Eligibility 10+2 with Metric
 - <https://puchd.ac.in/includes/syllabus/2020/20200806151944-bachelorofcomputerapplicationsbca.pdf?202111103103>
- **B.A Economics (Hons.)**

Course Duration: Two Years (Four semesters)

- <https://puchd.ac.in/includes/syllabus/2021/20210908163922-b.ahon.economicssemestersystem2021-22.pdf?202212293404>
- **Master of Arts in Economics (M.A Economics)**
- **Course Duration:** Two Years (Four semesters) Eligibility B.A/ B.Com/ BBA with Economics with 45% Marks.
<https://puchd.ac.in/includes/syllabus/2020/20200805153230-m.aeconomics2020-21.pdf?202212293404>

Outstanding Alumnae

S.No	Name	Profession
1.	Aman Siag	TGT Teacher in Rajasthan
2.	Neetu Kakkar	Teacher in Jalandhar International School at Lohian
3.	Meenakshi	Saint Soldier Public Sen. Sec. School, Mamdot (Teacher).
4.	Rusam	G.M Public School, Mamdot (Teacher)
5.	Pritika	Saint Soldier Public Sen. Sec. School, Mamdot (Teacher).
6.	Meenu Bajaj	SBS School, Kulghari, (Teacher)
7.	Purneet Kaur	Head at Axis Bank Ltd. in Gurgaon.
8.	Nandini	DM Public High School, (Teacher), Ferozepur

9.	Geetika	MNC Genpact at Gurgaon.
10.	Meena Bala	Math Teacher in Hong Kong.
11.	Varinder Kaur	B.K.S College, Mohar, (Teacher)
12.	Priyanka	Adesh Engineering College, Faridkot
13.	Sukhdeep	F.M. Radio, Jalandhar
14.	Rajni Babbar	Dev Samaj College of Education, Fzr. (Asst. Professor)
15.	Tammana Sharma	Dev Samaj College of Education, Fzr., (Asst. Professor)
16.	Pavneet Kaur	S.D College, Jalandhar,. (Asst. Professor)
17.	Meenakshi Arora	Manager in Abreviuor Limited, Ludhiana

18.	Pushwinder Kaur	D.C Office, Ferozepur
19.	Sheenam	Judicial Department of Punjab, .Zira
20.	Sumiti	Dev Samaj Model High School, (Teacher)
21.	Ana Goyal	Sande Hassam Sr. Sec. School (Govt. Teacher)
22.	Sonia	Govt. School, Bajitpur, (Teacher)
23.	Priya Kakkar	Dass and Brown School,FZR
24.	Deepika	Govt. School Talwandi, Teacher
25.	Simrat	Mata Sahib Kaur Public School, Teacher
26.	Bharti	Usman Wala Govt. Model School, Teacher

27.	Mamta Gupta	Asst. Prof. Dev Samaj College for Women
28.	Nidhi Sharma	Govt. Primary School, Ferozepur, Teacher
29.	Shivani	City Heart School, Mamdot., Teacher
30.	Ankita	Doon Valley Cambridge School,Zira. (Teacher)
31.	Aastha	CID inspector in Gwalior
32.	Mandeep Kour	Higher Studies in United Kingdom
33.	Pawanjot Kaur	Working in Resolution Department Hudson's Bay co. Toronto
34.	Reshma Gurung	Higher Studies in Sydney Australia

Future Prospects of Economics/Economics (Hons)

Undoubtedly, today, a student with a degree, whether Master's or Bachelor's in the field of Economics, can get a job easily. There are bright career prospects for economics graduate and professionals in recent scenario. With the increasing trends of globalization across the world, the job opportunities for trained economics professionals have increased considerably. Students can find job opportunities in a variety of environments in academia, research, industry, government, private, business organizations and so on. Higher studies in Economics, especially students from institutions of repute, can find job in various departments of government, corporate and in educational institutions. After B.A. in Economics one can opt for a Post-Graduation degree in the subject or enrol in specialized courses which are job market oriented or settle for jobs in banks or other financial institutions. The best career option for Post Graduates in Economics are Applied Economics, Business Economics, or Econometrics where students can appear for Indian Economic service examination held every year by Union Public Service Commission. Teaching in schools or writing the National Aptitude Test (N.E.T) conducted every year by University Grant commission (U.G.C) for the post of Lecturers in colleges or Universities – are other suitable options for Economics students. Attractive salary and scopes for career advancement in the field of education is now attracting talents. With multidimensional social aspects, Economics is a subject of national interest which has the potential of creating social balance and eradicating poverty through accurate planning of resource management in financial budgets.