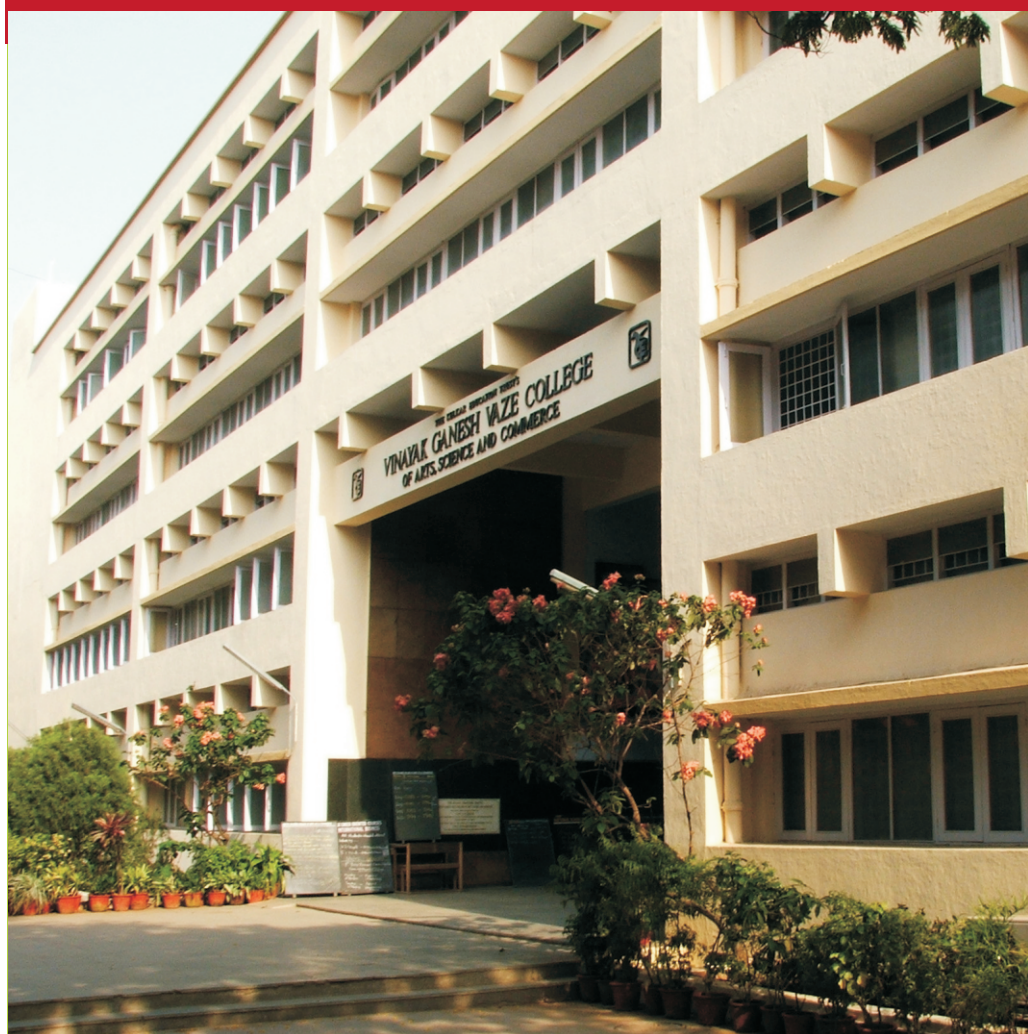




The Kelkar Education Trust's



**VINAYAK GANESH VAZE
(AUTONOMOUS) COLLEGE
OF ARTS, SCIENCE AND COMMERCE**

**IN PURSUIT OF
QUALITY
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The Kelkar Education Trust's Vinayak Ganesh Vaze College of Arts, Science and Commerce is an Institution of Higher Education in pursuit of quality and excellence in overall education and research. The management led by the then Chairman G D Kelkar has been guided by the philanthropic vision based on the principle of 'No Business in Charity and No Charity in Business'.



The college was set up, as social responsibility by the Visionary Late Shri Govind D. Kelkar alias Bhausaheb Kelkar through the Kelkar Education Trust in 1984 in order to provide suburban Mumbai with a quality institution of higher education.



Vision and Mission

The college has a thoughtfully drafted vision and mission that is derived from the vision of its founding fathers. The college sets, reviews and modifies goals and objectives in tune with the dynamic nature of the society and its needs. **The vision and mission were revisited on the occasion of Pearl Jubilee in 2014.**

Mission

To improve society by educating the youth and enabling them to become highly qualified and matured men and women, able to meet the need of all human activities.





Soaring Heights

Vaze College was the First College to receive Permanent Affiliation from the University of Mumbai within 6 years of inception in 1990 and received the UGC recognition in 1993 and also the youngest to get recognition to start vocational courses at the Degree level. The college was first in Maharashtra to have been accredited by NAAC in 1998 with 'A' grade and has retained its status through 4 subsequent cycles, the latest in 2017. Vaze College has CPE status from the UGC and DST-FIST and DBT-Star Scheme. Graded among the top 20 Colleges by India Today and ORG- MARG, Vaze College was the first College to receive Best College Award from University of Mumbai and the First College in the University of Mumbai to get CPE status from the UGC. The Biotechnology Department is among the top 5 Biotech Centers as per the Spectrum Magazine and has been granted 6 Patents, including one International. The college has had the privilege of hosting several luminaries including Honorable Shri. P. C. Alexander who inaugurated the new wing of the college building, Honorable Shri S.C. Jamir who inaugurated the Silver Jubilee celebrations, Honorable Shri. Shankar Narayan who inaugurated the lecture series during the Pearl Jubilee Year as well as scientists of repute, Padma Vibhushan Dr. K. Kasturirangan, Padma Vibhushan Dr. Anil Kakodkar and Padma Vibhushan Prof. M.M. Sharma.

Vision

To grow and consolidate as one of the foremost autonomous centres of excellence in learning that contributes to sustainable and inclusive development of a knowledge driven society and economy.





Academic Programs

The college is known for its quality education through its Academic Programs. Our academic programs include 17 aided undergraduate, 6 self-financing undergraduate, 7 post-graduate degree programs. The college also has a unique Post Graduate Diploma in Perfumery and Cosmetology with a clinical trial centre for testing & formulation. Recently started is a UGC sponsored Vocational Skill Development program in Travel and Tourism. These programs are supplemented by short-term skill development certificate courses that are employment oriented, conducted under the aegis of the G.D.Kelkar Skill Development Centre and Finishing School. Vaze College boasts of 9 PhD centres, 33 faculty with PhD and 20 research guides who initiate students towards research and guide them towards their M.Phil. and PhD degrees.



Extra & Co-Curricular Activities

Realising that a conducive environment for co-curricular and extracurricular activities transform the students and empower them to realize their full potential, Vaze College offers a plethora of activities including Literary and Science Associations, Performing and Fine Arts, Drama and Theatre clubs, Nature and Hikers Clubs and an inter-collegiate fest, Dimensions.



Facilities

The college has comprehensive infrastructure and state of the art laboratories. In addition to regular classrooms, staff and students' common rooms, laboratories, libraries, reading rooms, gymkhana and gymnasium, conference and seminar rooms, auditoriums, the college has a well-equipped multimedia room, training centre for the visually challenged, a commerce laboratory, a language laboratory and an e-learning laboratory. The college has adopted ERP solutions for administration including digital initiatives for on-line admissions, attendance system through RFID Cards, regular academic, administrative, infrastructure and activity audits.



Welfare & Support Programs

Student Welfare and support programs include the WDC, SMAF Special Cell, Remedial Coaching, a Mentorship Program, UPSC/MPSC/ NET/SET Coaching, Life- Long Learning, a Student Grievance Cell and the Internal Complaints Committee.

The Management reimburses fees of wards of college employees, supports teachers participating in conferences seminars workshops and provides scholarships to meritorious & needy students. The college program of ISR takes pride in involving students and faculty in service to society.

The NSS unit of the college lives up to the motto "Not Me But You" and the Vaze Centre For Talent Search (VCTS) engages with school students every weekend and degree college students tutor them for scholarship exams.

Student Insurance :

Vaze College has played a pioneering role in student insurance. Each student is insured for ₹1 lakh for a small premium of ₹45/-



Industry-Academia Interface

The Industry-Academia Interface of Vaze College had its roots in the Vocational Biotech batch of 1994 and the Scientific Research Centre that was set up as an off shoot or support system in 1995. The Scientific Research Centre, a forward linkage is engaged in applied research for Industry and Agriculture by providing tissue cultured aromatic plants to farmers. The Cosmetology department is a testing centre for the cosmetic and perfumery industry.



Research

Vaze College whole heartedly promotes research activities of students and faculty. Our students are encouraged to participate in intra and inter college research meets and competitions. We conduct Research Methodology courses in Social Sciences and Natural Sciences which focus on projects. Every year our students participate in the Inter University Research festival, Avishkar and have also been winners of prizes in various categories. Vaze College has a Staff Colloquium that is oriented towards promoting research among faculty members. We have a Centre for Advanced Research in Chemistry and our Scientific Research Centre has been rated by CRISIL. Vaze College boasts of PhD centres in 9 subjects. Grants for our research have come in from the Kelkar Education Trust, Star Scheme, CPE Award by the UGC, DST-FIST grant, the KRCama Oriental Institute and Heras Society to name a few.

Our teachers are actively involved in conference and seminar presentations as Keynote speakers, Plenary speakers, Chairpersons and Resource persons. The college has organized many a conferences-international, national, state and university level. Faculty members have also published papers in conference proceedings, research journals, contributed to books and also authored books.



Faculty, Non-Teaching & Students

Faculty

Our teachers have a representation in the Academic Councils, Board of Studies, Syllabus Committee, BUTR, RRC, LIC, Squads and Interview Panels for the selection and promotion of teachers of affiliated as well as autonomous colleges. We have organized the Avishkar finals on behalf of the University and are also part of the University Senate.

Students

Vaze College has had HSC and University toppers and rankers at the UG and PG levels as well as winners of Avishkar, Anveshan and the National level Young Scientist Award among many others. Vaze also boasts of a Miss World crown winner and several others in top positions in entertainment and academia. In the field of sports, we have 10 Shiv Chhatrapati Sports Excellence award winners and 5 medalists at the various international games.

Non-Teaching staff

Vaze College non-teaching staff have been continuously upgrading their qualifications and are awarded promotions. The non-teaching staff is particularly contributing to sport activities and have won accolades for the same at various inter-collegiate events. The Vaze alumni is a strong body that works for the progress of the institution.

The college has always endeavoured to achieve excellence with synergy of its teaching and non-teaching staff who perform their duties with dedication, passion and commitment.



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Awards & Achievements

Vaze College teachers have been the recipients of a number of awards including 'Best Teacher' Awards from Govt. of Maharashtra, University of Mumbai, INSA and TATA Chemicals. One of our teachers has been the First Indian from India to appear in the list of 175 faces of Chemistry Teachers, released by Royal Society of Chemistry, UK.

Three of our teachers have been awarded the post of Professor by the University of Mumbai.