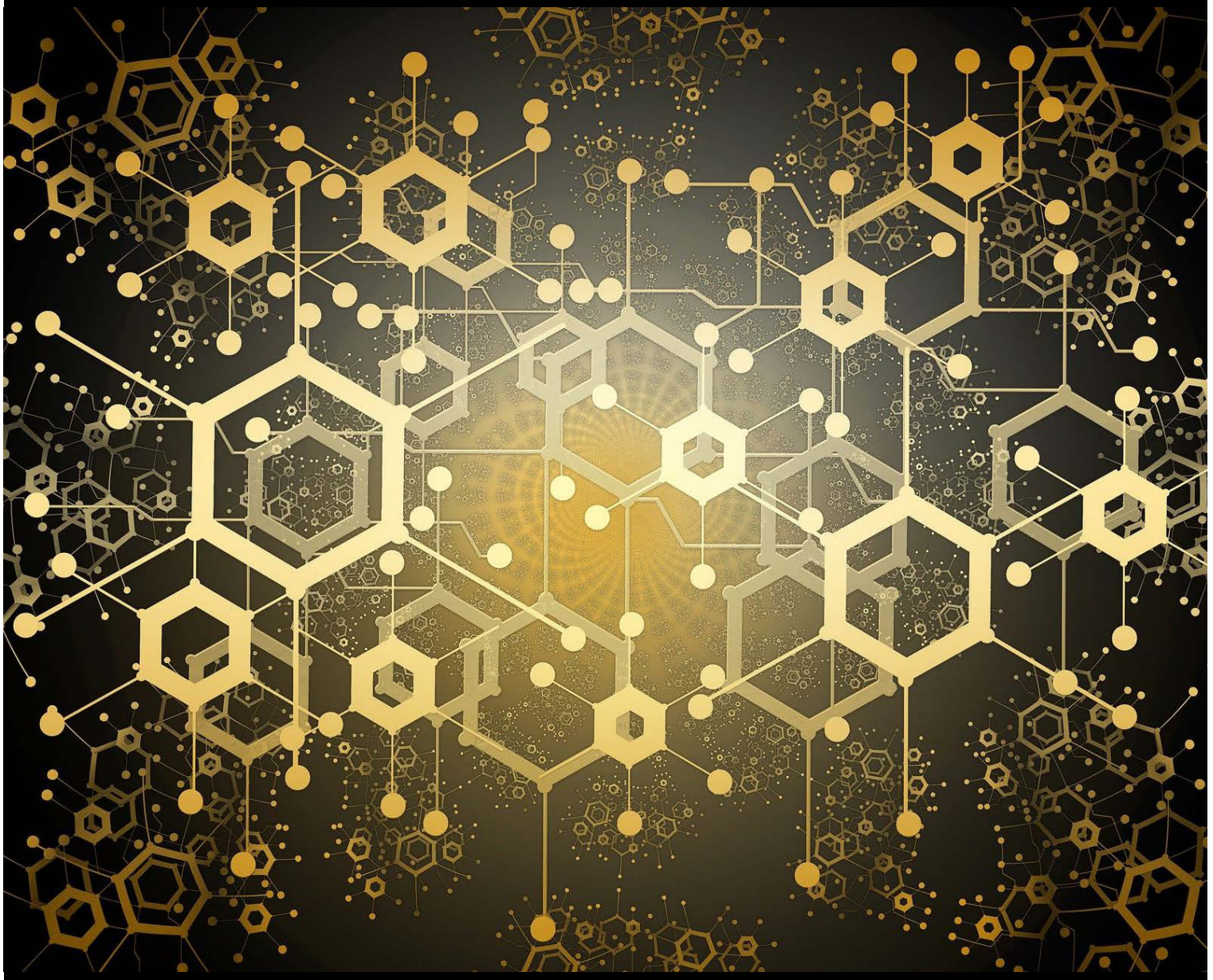
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SICASA CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Dear friends,

Let me begin by saying how privileged I feel to have had this opportunity to serve our institute and profession as the Chairman of SICASA Kozhikode branch and I thank the CA fraternities for entrusting me with this stature position.

I truly feel that the last year have been fulfilling and have given me immense opportunities to gain valuable experience by working with the young aspiring and budding Chartered Accountants.

Throughout the year we were able to conduct varied student activities including seminars, workshops, quizzes, exam oriented programs, cultural activities and sports events along with a few more social support services including old age home visits, vaccination and blood donation camps. I also feel extremely delighted and proud for being able to bag the 2nd place in all India Best Branch for Students Association Awards under large category on behalf of our institution during my tenure as the Chairman of Kozhikode branch of SICASA for which I owe much to that team that I was fortunate to work with and for such tremendous efforts they had put in with atmost sincerity and commitment even under such strenuous condition of the pandemic.I also take this moment to wholeheartedly thank all CA students and the counterparts of all SICASA Branches for their enormous cooperation and support to elevate our efforts towards success.

As for me one part of a very challenging and illuminating experience is coming to an end. Before concluding let me acknowledge many debts of gratitude to one and all who have guided, accompanied, followed and supported me throughout this indelible journey as the Chairman of Kozhikode branch of SICASA, one of the greatest professional honour and the one that I will treasure for the rest of my life.

Thankyou & au revoir



Secretary's Message

It is with immense prestige and joy that I put out that our team, SICASA 2021-22 have grabbed the second best 'Students association' title at the National level, for the very first in the Calicut history. I would undoubtedly say that, this is a mark that we would like to leave behind for the coming committees and hope that they would be able to lift the title to more heights.

At this moment, I am extremely proud of the entire SICASA committee and as we look back at this entire year, we are not the same people that stepped into this committee back in the month of February 2021. I would like to remember, all the beautiful souls that I've crossed paths with and been a part of this team. Starting with Shalini and Digu, the two go to persons, who always had and has my back, working effortlessly ,whatever the situation demands. Kiran and Rino being my personal favorites, from constantly trying to put in new ideas to having all the technical sides covered and above all being there no matter what and when it is. It is rare that you find people who could stand with you and understands you and I would tell that it's nothing more than a blessing. Organizing Euphoria, Indoor and sports would have been still a dream without you, Saji. You and digu are the ones who've seen and been it all, having to do marathons for making these events happen. Our editors, Thulasi and Abhinava have been the masterminds behind our monthly newsletters. Its commendable how they constantly tries to bring something 'out of the box' every time in each of the editions. Namrata, and our own Vishnus (Vishnu Vinayan & Vishnu M) have been nothing more than enthusiastically working on whatever we plan making Evolve, 'All Kerala Student Teachers Contest',and Donation camp a huge success. We find ourself lucky to get such a free spirited Chairman, Sachinetten, who always stood with us and kept us moving. Last but not the least I thank our own nideeshetten , divya ma'am and 'the' team for being there one call away .Thank you Nithin for all those beautiful posters, that always held us with an awe and a special mention to Suryetten for being our pillar and standing for us in times of vain.

Every single member poured their hearts out for each event we conducted which resulted in its grand success along with the beautiful student fraternity that's been with us. I would doubtlessly tell that, 'this is the best team I would ever get'.

Not so sure for the fact that, the coming committees would get to experience the same vibe that we have shared , but we had one hell of a good time. The people we met, the connections we made, the vibes we've got cannot be matched, and remains with us even though we sign off from here, cause I know that at the end of the day 'this is a family'.

Myself being a strong believer of the saying 'everything happens for a reason', I believe that this has been a destiny, to meet these pure souls, which would not have been possible, if I've not joined this committee. Thankyou SICASA for being a home away from home! You will be cherished for a lifetime!

I wish the next committee all the very best for their tenure as I sign off as the Secretary.

For one last time.

Suchitra T.V

(Secretary)



PR Head's Message



"Age is the total of our doing".

– Charles bukowski

Celebrate endings—for they precede new beginnings. Here, I hope that you all have a wondrous new year packed up when we are squashing on to the March month.

It's been a tough phase since we are again being endured with restrictions for containing the covid urge. Hence offline classes and other programs have been put on hold demanding the circumstances. We along with you are expecting in hosting gripping sessions and programs so that you could give your best and have a memorable experience.

It is also overwhelming, in knowing that we have been accepted by you with both hands and we feel immensely happy when such response and love are being showered upon us in the form of your valuable participation, that keep us moving and inspire us to do more.

I therefore feels that the coming months would be more challenging for us as it's the last few months of our term being SICASA members, along with planning in hosting the well tuned SUPERBIA event.

Furthermore, being exams nearing the corners, I would like to wish everyone a very best of luck and hope that your preparations and hard-work are in line in achieving your dreams. A dream does not become reality through magic; it takes sweat, luck, and hard work. So I hope everyone of you could prioritize and manage your time well.

I'd like to conclude by quoting one of my favorites from the "Che" Guevara, collection and it goes like this , "Let the world change you and you can change the world." It depends on its people, whether to be bounteous or second - rate in treating their fellowmates, that could change you for good or bad, so allow yourself to be swallowed up by the challenges of life; try to stay positive in the midst of Random chaos.

With regards,
Vishnu Kiran
(PR head)

Priest's Half



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Long ago at a village near the lush green. There lived a man who was a healer. His name is not important as no one really used his name, instead, the villagers called him the Shaman. The shaman was an old-fashioned name, even then, for a man who is a healer. But the name was a name he earned because shamans are ancients who deal with "the old ways of medicine". The shamans made his medicine from herbs, barks, berries & leaves. Most of the shaman's morning, he would roam through the lush green in search of these ingredients he needed to make his medicine. While years passed by, his walks through the green grew longer and longer. Earlier it would only have taken him the morning to find his necessary ingredient, now when factories, roads & railways began to emerge it started to take him almost an entire day to find his necessary ingredients for the medicine. The world was changing and the shaman grew bitter, or rather more bitter, as he always was a very unpleasant man. He was greedy and charged too much for his service, sometimes he would even charge so much that the patients count not afford to pay. But he was still surprised at how he was unloved by his villagers whom he cured and healed, he was of the opinion that he should be treated with more respect. And as his attitude towards the villagers was poor and the villager's attitude towards him was also poor. As time went by, modern medicine extended across the globe, the villagers began seeking modern medicine and started visiting Doctors rather than the shaman. This resulted in the shaman growing more bitter.

In the shaman's village, there also lived a young Priest, an enlightened man, and a kind one, he just wanted the very best for his churchgoers and his villagers. He wanted to lead everyone from the dark age of superstition to the truth & light of the modern era. He preached against the shaman's old ways of medicine & healing and praised modern medicine & doctors. This made the villagers who were resentful towards the shaman more sorer. The shaman's business went down even further.

On the church grounds, there also grew a large Socotra tree. The Socotra tree was a very

important tree of all the healing trees. The tree is said to live for thousands of years watching over those around it. Its barks, berries & leaves are full of life-saving chemicals, it can heal almost any sickness anyone suffers from if mixed & treated by the right herbalist. The shaman wanted the Socotra tree very badly, but in order to harvest the ingredients from the tree, it needed to be cut down and this the Priest would not allow. The Socotra tree had stood on the church grounds long before the church was built and a new church building is in its planning stage depending on the Socotra tree which could protect the church from heavy rains and harsh weather, the Priest no matter how often the shaman asked would not let the tree be cut down and did not allow the shaman anywhere near the Socotra tree.

The Priest had 2 daughters who were the light of his life and a loving wife, he was a caring loving father who would've done anything for their sake. But then. One day, his both little girls were struck by a terrible sickness, a new sickness for which medicine has not yet been made or found by the more modern doctors. The neighbors could hear the loud praying of the Priest and could see the spots left behind by the tears of his wife who cried all night. Nothing the Priest did help, the prayers nor the modern medicines available at that time helped his two innocent daughters. The daughters body grew weaker day by day and approached death. Finally, there was no other choice for the Priest than to approach the shaman.

The Priest swallowed his pride and went to knock on the doors of the shaman, determined to beg for forgiveness.

"Please help my daughters" the priest asked with his knees down on the floor in front of the shamans front door "if you can't do it for me, then please do it for my two innocent girls"

"Why should I?" asked the shaman "you have driven away my business with your preaching and refused me the Socotra tree, my best source of medicine. You have turned the village against me"

"you may have the Socotra tree" the priest said "I will preach in favor of you, I will send my churchgoers to you of their every sickness and preach against the modern medicine, you can have anything you like, so please save my innocent daughters"

The Shaman was surprised "you would give up everything you believed in?"

"if it would save my little girls," said the priest "I would give up everything"

"then," the shaman said on shutting his door "there is nothing I can do to help you" The very next day, both of the Priest's daughters died, and at that night shortly after midnight, the Socotra tree came walking and started to tear down the Priest's house from its foundations

The Priest? and not the Shaman? The tree destroyed the roof and started to knock down every wall of the house, the Priest and his wife fled through the front door. The tree hurled wall debris after them but barely missed them as they ran away in terror.

The shaman was the bad guy. He refused to help heal those innocent daughters and they both died, but the Priest refused to believe the shaman. Which was the point of the Socotra tree. When the times were easy the Priest nearly destroyed the shaman, but when the times got tough, he was willing to throw aside everything he believed in if it would save his daughters.

So would anyone! so would everyone! what did the tree expect him to do?

The tree expected him to give the shaman the Socotra tree when the shaman first asked. The tree would've let itself be chopped. It was just another tree, and it would've saved the Priest's daughters and many others besides them.

Killing the tree would've made the shaman rich. The shaman was evil, he was greedy but he was still a healer.

The Priest? what was he? he was nothing, he was a man of faith without faith,

And belief is half of all the healing, belief in the cure, belief in the future that awaits. And here, a man who lived on belief sacrificed it all at the first challenge, when he needed it the most.

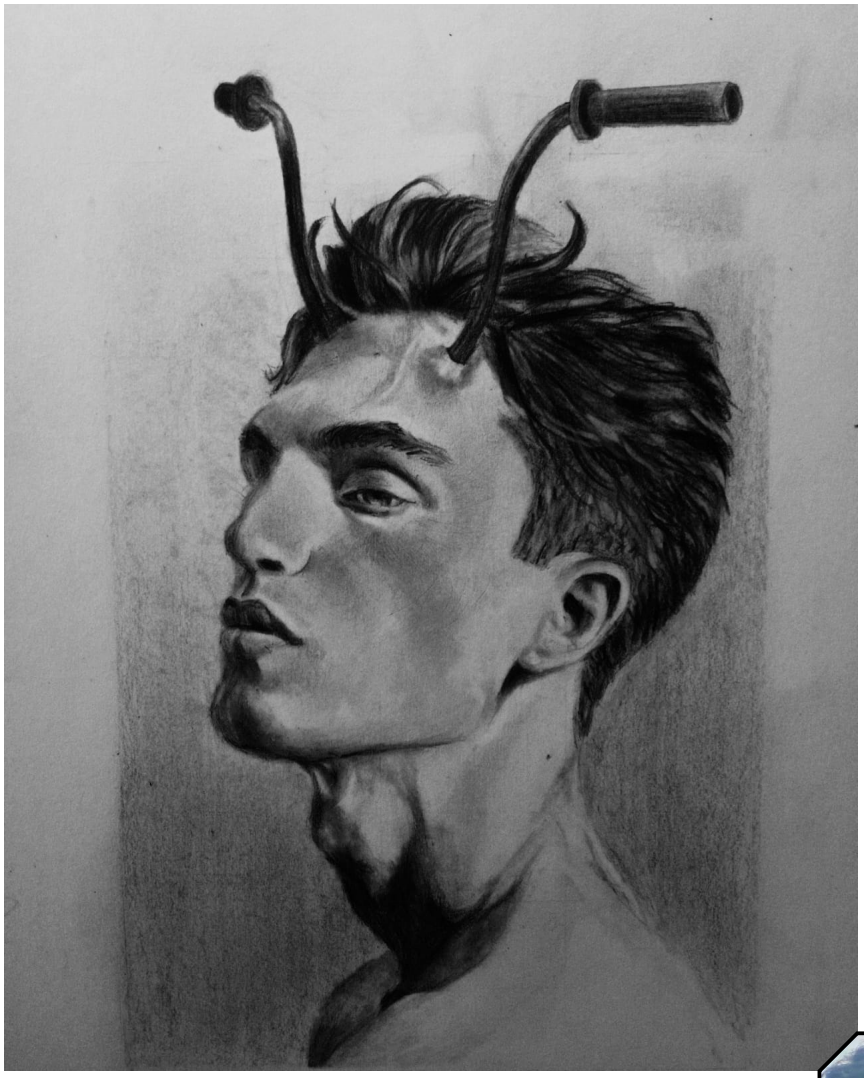
He believed selfishly and fearfully and it took the lives of his daughters & many others who could've been cured if he had given up the Socotra tree.

"Selfishness is not living as one wishes to live, it is asking others to live as one wishes to live"

– Oscar Wilde

And this was the story of a man punished for his selfishness.

Art Corner





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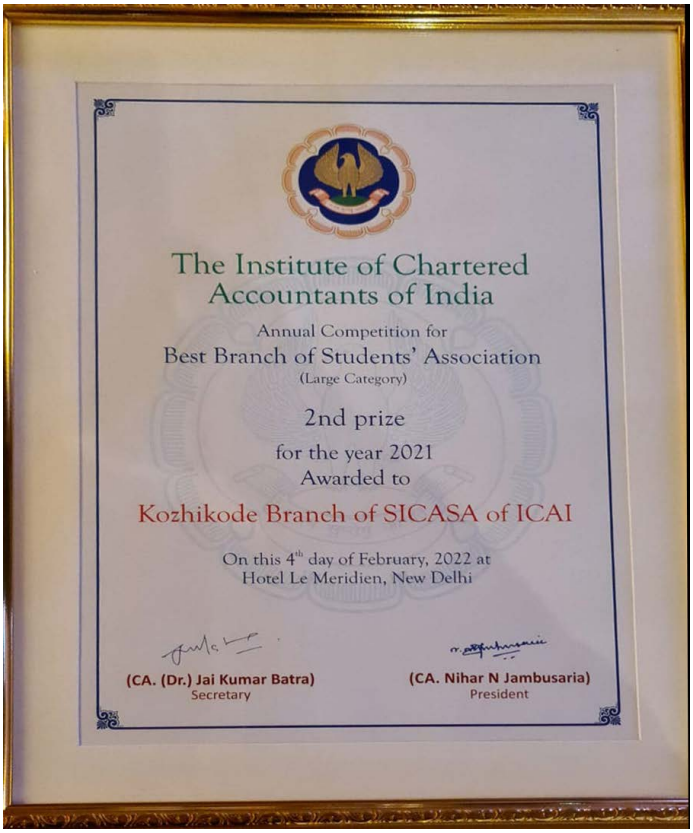
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