



Shri Vile Parle Kelvani Mandal's  
Mithibai College of Arts, Chauhan Institute of Science and  
Amrutben Jivanlal College of Commerce and Economics



Empowered Autonomous - Affiliated to University of Mumbai

NAAC Accredited A<sup>++</sup> Grade, CGPA: 3.55 (November 2024)  
Best College (2016-17), University of Mumbai

## 12.4 : ACADEMIC COUNCIL

(Reconstituted as per The Gazette of India, UGC notification dated 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2023)

COMPOSITION (as of 10/10/2025):

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3.	Four teachers of the Autonomous College representing different categories of teaching staff by rotation on the basis of seniority of service in the College.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Prof. Meenakshi Vaidya</li> <li>ii. Ms. Nilima Raval (uptil 28/02/2025)</li> <li>iii. Mr. Manish Gogari</li> <li>iv. Dr. Nupur Mehrotra</li> </ul>																																														
4.	Not less than four experts/academician from outside the Autonomous College representing such areas as Industry, Commerce, Law, Education, Medicine, Engineering, Sciences etc., to be nominated by the Governing Body.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Dr. Chandan Dasgupta (Commerce)</li> <li>ii. Dr. Mala Lalwani (Arts)</li> <li>iii. Dr. Smita Mahale (Science)</li> <li>iv. Dr. Bala Krishnamurthy (Management)</li> <li>v. Mr. Ashish Apte</li> </ul>																																														
5.	Three nominees of the University; not less than Professors.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Dr. Liyaqat Ayub Khan</li> <li>ii. Dr. Kinnary Thakkar</li> <li>iii. Dr. Rajesh Kamble</li> </ul>																																														
6.	The Controller of Examination of the Autonomous College	Ms. Alka Shukla																																														
7.	A faculty member nominated by the Principal (Member Secretary).	Dr. Nupur Mehrotra																																														
	Special Invitee:	<p>Dr. Hitesh Shingadia Dr. Papiya Deb Dr. Khevana Desai CA Dr. Vijay Satra All Program Coordinators/Incharges</p>																																														

(Term : Three years - June 2024 to June 2027)

Date : 10<sup>th</sup> October 2025

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Prof. Krutika B. Desai  
Principal