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Initially having joined the course due to the integration of CPA into the syllabus, I ended up writing my CFA Level 1 instead, before graduating. The best part about the course was the constant guidance and support we received from the faculty and management, which was especially important given the fact that we did not have direct seniors to reach out to.

We learned topics like accounting as per US GAAP, Fixed Income, Federal taxation, etc. that I can confidently say was unique to our course. This global approach to learning helped all of us prepare for our CFA and CPA exams in a much more efficient way; I can personally attest to the fact that it helped me clear my Level 1 exam with more than 90 Percentile marks.

We also had adequate exposure to internships, and full-time placement opportunities, with companies holding the course in high regard.

The management also always encouraged us to participate in extra-curricular activities along with managing our studies, which only helped us excel more. To conclude, I had a great 3 years being a part of BCOM IF, and it is something that I will cherish for several years to come.”



Rohit Dadavai

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“I belong to the first batch of the B.COM International Finance. I can say it is a programme which is one of its kind and definitely, first of its kind in our country as nowhere else is there an under graduation Programme which is integrated with US CPA and CFA Level I. It is a programme which provides adequate knowledge in both the major streams of Commerce i.e., Accounting and Finance. Some may feel that it might be too hectic for a graduation level programme but, the Syllabus is mapped in such a way that it makes learning enjoyable and effective. Apart from this, there are subjects like Organizational Behavior, Marketing, IT in Business, and International Business Environment that provides one with the essential knowledge required in all these areas, which is why I think it is safe to say that the Programme makes one a ‘True All-rounder’. It is not enough if you just have a great curriculum; you need to have the right guidance as well and that is where the faculty comes in. The professors not only share their subject expertise, but they also share their valuable industry experience with the students during the lectures. More importantly the professors are very friendly with the students and they create a healthy atmosphere for learning and exchange of ideas. Lastly, the Department deserves a lot of credit for taking the initiative to launch this program because it is a programme which can definitely give a head start to the students in their careers, which I think has happened in my career as well.”



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“CHRIST (Deemed to be university) provides a very diverse, friendly and vibrant environment for its students to enrich and develop their knowledge and skills.

BCOM (International Finance) represents versatility and a promise of a great future. The exclusivity of this programme lies in its integrated professional courses (CFA L1 and CPA, US), which gave us an upper hand and a wider option while entering into our career options or higher studies.

This programme in specific helped me in developing not only the understanding of the accounting practices in the global economy but has also enabled me to develop a sense of analysis towards the different accounting and financial decision that the enterprises in countries would adhere to/adopt, this was possible mainly due to my professors who were highly intellectual and expert professionals in the particular field / subjects were handling and ensured that they delivered the knowledge in the most simple and comprehensive form. From my personal experience, I can say that the assortment of the courses in the programme is now helping me to perform at par with my peers who are from different backgrounds and professions at the London School of Economics, which otherwise would have not been possible. In terms of personal development, self-confidence of the student is boosted to an optimal level by ways of providing us with the opportunities by means of engaging us in various business fests and insightful seminars that are relevant to the current global economy and business operations.

In a nutshell this programme has cultivated in me a combination of disciplinary knowledge along with critical thinking.”