**Industrial Visit Report**

**Date: 8th, 9th and 10th February 2018**

The Commerce department organized an industrial visit to Sula Vineyard and Saputara for student strength of 80 and 4 faculty members. We took a bus departing from college to Sula Vineyard located in Govardhan Village, Nashik.

Over the last sixteen years, Sula has established itself as a pioneer & leader in the Indian wine industry, with milestones across its winemaking, tourism and business ventures. The company tour guide gave the students a thorough tour of the wine making process followed by tasting of three different wines. The history and origin of the company, the dynamics behind wine making, the different varieties of wine and the vibrant success of the company over the years was brought across to the students.

After lunch, we proceeded to Saputara Hill Station in Gujarat. Along with the low degrees of temperature, the students witnessed stunning spectacles of the lake, Echo point, Ropeway, Rose Garden, Nageshwar Mahadev Temple, Governor’s Hill and Saputara Tribal Museum. The museum highlighted the lifestyle, costumes, heritage, ecology and anthropology of the tribal Dangs. The main showcases were the stone funerary column, grass ornaments, utensils, housing huts, clothing, tattoos, musical instruments, weaponry, worship practices, masks used in dance-dramas etc used by the tribal people.

As a student, while the Vineyard was an exciting and unique experience the Museum was more about the environment and lifestyle the Tribes in Dang district lived in. It was informative and gave ample insight on the history as well as on one of the leading industries in India.