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#### **EVENTS**

THE TASSEL'S WORTH THE HASSLE: CONVOCATION CEREMONY OF CLASS OF PGDM 2015



Convocation for PGDM Batch 2015-17 was convened on January 06, 2018. The occasion was graced by the Chief Guest Mr. Sanjay Gupta, Managing Director for Nice Systems. Toppers from each stream were felicitated with a trophy and degrees were awarded to the graduating class of 2015.

# TISMR FEST: YOUTHSAV EXEMPLIFYING AND CELEBRATING THE SPIRIT OF YOUTH

TIMSR conducted its 4-day mega fest from January 17-20, 2018 that comprised a bouquet of activities:

**Evoke:** Management event with 10 creative segments to tickle the thought process, challenge the manager and evoke the leader and the strategist within.



**Astitva:** An entrepreneurial event allowing participants to sound-board ideas off seasoned entrepreneurs.



**Lakshya:** A social responsibility event making people 'Think Sustainable and Act Responsible'.



**Pulse:** Sporting event ranging from waging a battle of wits through chess to battle of grit through cricket and tug-of-war.



**Ekatvam:** Cultural event featuring a mélange of nimble acrobatic displays, fashion shows, singing contests and shaking a leg to tune of the DJ.





# PANEL DISCUSSION: NUANCES OF ENTREPRENEURIAL CAREER



Apanel discussion was organized on 30th January 2018 at the institute, for motivating the students of MMS-II Semester to pursue entrepreneurial career. The expert panelists consisted of first generation entrepreneurs like Mr. Mehul Padiya, Vaishnavi Hydraulics Pvt. Ltd.; Mr. Milind Rane, Eversafe Fire Protection and Mr. Vivek Nornonha, Southern Metals Pvt. Ltd.

#### **UNION BUDGET 2018**



A live streaming of the Union Budget was organized on 1st February 2018, followed by a discussion on the likely impact of the budget on the nation's development. The resource person for the session was Ms. Krutika Mehta, Financial Analyst, Lotus Knowlwealth.

#### E-WEEK: LIVE YOUR ENTREPRENEURIAL DREAM



TIMSR, in association with National Entrepreneurship Network (NEN) celebrated E-Week 2018 from 10th to 16th February 2018 on the theme 'Live your Entrepreneurial Dream.' The Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) and TIMSR Centre for Creativity and Innovation (TCCI) have been celebrating E-Week for the past ten years to foster intrapreneurial and entrepreneurial mind-set among the aspiring leaders. This year, the activity bouquet included E-Talk, Product Symposium, E-Health Talk, visit to Samta Nagar Hindi Shala School and the launch of E-NSPIRE, the monthly Emagazine.

### A RENDEZVOUS WITH MR DAVID AGNEW: ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION - A CANADIAN PERSPECTIVE



Mr. David Agnew, President, Seneca College, Canada delivered a talk to the TEG students on Entrepreneurship and Innovation - A Canadian Perspective on 20th February 2018. He endorsed the need for the educational institutes to realize and work on creating skilled work-force for the future; one that shall be able to devise means to solve the issues that beset the modern world. Mr. Agnew was visiting India as a part of Prime Minister Justin Trudeau's delegation and was accompanied by Ms. Renata D'Innocenzo, Associate Vice President, Seneca College; Mr. Prashant

Srivastava, Associate Director, Seneca College, and Mr. Babu, Consultant, Seneca College. The visit was in-line with Seneca-TIMSR partnership for international collaboration.

#### NATIONAL CONFERENCE



Two-day National Conference on 'Charting National Growth: Socio-Economic Challenges in Manufacturing & Services Sector' was organized in Association with 'Tarapur Management Association' (TMA) on 22-23 March 2018 at TIMSR. About 104 research scholars participated in the conference and shared their research findings to propel erudition.

#### A DAY OF LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM: INUSTRIAL VISIT



An Industrial visit to Mahindra & Mahindra Limited, Kandivali, Mumbai, was organized by the institute on 6th April 2018 to provide students an outside-classroom experience to understand first-hand how production system works. Students understood the Bolero-Pick Up production system and visited the Sustainable Lab.



#### BACK TO THE ROOTS: INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY



TIMSR celebrated International Yoga Day on 21st June 2018 to cherish the traditional practice that furthers peace, harmony, happiness and success. Simple yoga asanas were performed by faculty members under collegial tutelage to reinforce the benefits of yoga for physical and mental well-being.

# WELCOME ABOARD! INDUCTION PROGRAMME FOR PGDM 2018 BATCH



A four-day induction programme was organized from 27th to 30th June 2018 to induct the newly admitted PGDM students into the management course. The Chief Guests for the inaugural function were Ms Ronita Mukerjee, Client Director, Landor Associates and

Mr. Jitendra Lakhotia, COO, Aakar Foundry Pvt Limited. They both stressed upon the need to understand the unique proposition we can bring to work by building our own brand and working on improving our performance relentlessly. The next three days saw a gamut of activities from Alumni interaction to learning Zumba and understanding the various policies and practices in the institute.



#### TRAINING/ CERTIFICATION

Programme	Date/ Duration	Resource	Scope
Workshop on Advanced Excel	March 5-8, 2018	Mr. Tarun	Concepts and fundamentals in personal selling complete understanding of the sales functions and understanding the sales process in the context of BFSI, FMCG, IT, Manufacturing, Retail and Supply Chain Management industries.
Certification Course on Financial Modelling	March 26, 27, 28 & 31, April 2, 2018	In association with EduPristine	Students learnt to Build a robust financial model from start to finish and gained insight into how to tailor the outputs of the model to end users, interpret the results as well as perform some degree of testing to reduce the incidence of modelling errors.
Sales Management Certification Program in association with Dale Carnegie	March 23, 24, 2018	Ms. Venitta Tauro, Training Consultant, Dale Carnegie	The program covered Master Concepts and Fundamentals in Personal Selling, complete understanding of the Sales functions and understanding the sales process in the context of BFSI, FMCG, IT, Manufacturing, Retail and Supply Chain Management industries.

#### MANAGEMENT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Date	Торіс	Resource
02 February 2018	Cybersecurity in Financial Services	Mr. Shirish Ketkar, Certified Information Systems Auditor and ISO-27001 Lead Auditor; Dr. Leena Gadkari, Associate Professor, TIMSR & Ms. Mishu Tripathi, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
10 February 2018	Work life Integration	Dr. Nitin Sharma, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
11 February 2018	Financial Planning for Wealth Maximization	Dr. Shuchi Gautam, Associate Professor, TIMSR & Prof. Navin Bhatt, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
24 February 2018	Next Generation Business Intelligence	Mr. Mohan Rai, Co-founder & Director, Imurgence, Member, Board of Studies; Mr. Sameer Jadhav, Executive Director, Imurgence & Mr. Rahul Mehta, Assistant Professor, TIMSR



25 February 2018	Ethical Values in Personal and Professional Environments	Mr. G Chandrashekhar, Senior Journalist & Policy Commentator Economic Advisor, IMC Chamber of Commerce and Industry; Dr. Medha Bakhshi, Assistant Professor, TIMSR Ms. Megha Sarkar, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
03 March 2018	Effective Performance Management System - To develop the capacity to perform	Dr. Chandrakant Varma, Associate Professor, TIMSR
08 March 2018	Creative Thinking Skills	Dr. O. M. Ashtankar, Professor, TIMSR & Dr Vishal Bhole, Associate Professor, TIMSR
07 April 2018	Perspective on Risk Management	Mr. Navin Bhatt, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
17 March 2018	Seven Habits of Highly Effective People	Dr. Dipaali Pulekar, Assistant professor, TIMSR
22 March 2018	Designing and Conducting Assessment Center for competency mapping of Human Resources.	Dr. Pooja Thorat, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
24 March 2018	Inventory Management a need of hour	Dr. Shailendra Kale, Professor, TIMSR
01 April 2018	Data Analysis using MS Excel	Dr. Vinay Kumar, Associate Professor, TIMSR
29 March 2018	Customer Experience Management	Dr. Pankaj Nandurkar / Ms Reema Shah, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
06 April 2018	Key Considerations in Valuation models for Acquisition	Ms. Payal Mogre, Assistant Professor, TIMSR
21 April 2018	Employee Communication and Organization Development	Dr. Abhilasha Ambatipudi, Associate Professor, TIMSR

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Resource Person	Designation / Company	Торіс
Mr. Praveen Gavali	DGM Employee Relations, Mahindra & Mahindra	Significance of Labour Legislations in Industrial Relations
Mr. Bharat Oswal	Founder & Chief Happiness Officer, Botree	Traditional and Digital marketing
Mr. Chirag Joshi	Head, Marketing, Samco Securities	Content Marketing: Contemporary Practices
Mr. Irfaan Syed	HR Consultant, Carlton Advanced Management Institute	Talent Engagement & Retention
Mr. Amar Kadam	Deputy Brand Manager, Parle Pvt. Ltd.	Brand Management: Contemporary Practices
Mr. Sherry Mathew	Founder & Principal Consultant, Rightsketch Business HR Solutions	Current HR Practices - Importance of People Analytics
Ms. Sneha Khandelwal	CEO & Founder, What's In	Next Generation Business for Career Development Opportunities
Ms. Nisha Gupta	Assistant Manager, Investment Mid & Back Office, Cigna TTK Health Insurance Company Limited	Next Generation Business for Career Development Opportunities
Mr. Dipak Joshi	Senior Manager, Business Excellence, Mahindra & Mahindra Limited, Mumbai	Applied TQM & Service Quality Management
Mr. Tejas Joshi	Senior Executive, SCM, Unichem Laboratories Limited, Mumbai	Practical Application of Ergonomics
Ms. Sonal Thube	Senior Research Analyst, Markets & Markets Pvt. Ltd	How to Design a Questionnaire
Mr. Sanjay Jain	Senior Associate, Morgan Stanley Solutions Private Limited	Analysis of Financial Statements
Mr. Uday Kansara	General Manager, CEAT Tyres	Activity Based costing, Target Costing and Lifecycle Costing
Mr. Gaurav Shah	CEO, Indiareads.com	Ethics in Sales - Indian & Global Perspective
Mr. Prashant Nilayam	Training Manager, Indian Region, EcoLabs	Sales in B2B Markets
Mr. Manoj Jain	Co-founder & Director, Riskpro India	Risk Management



#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Diksha Krishisagar and Muzamil Baig of PGDM HR bagged the first prize in 'Vichar Manthan', inter-collegiate case study competition.





#### **TESTIMONIALS**



I was a part of Timsr MMS Finance batch 2015-17. My 2 years at TIMSR have been one of the best phases of my life. The memories will be cherished forever. I

met many influential people, got mentoring from prominent faculty members, made lasting friendships. Also, the degree has added a golden feather in the cap! Will be forever indebted to TIMSR. Vidhi Kohli, Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.

No doubt I made the best choice!



Thakur Institute of Management Studies & Research left me awestruck after looking at infrastructure and maintenance of

college. It not only helped enhance my soft skills but also enhanced my analytical skills. The campus is full of limitless opportunities which help you discover yourself. Professors always go out of their way for students to help them. I am always thankful and proud to have been a TIMSR student! - Pooja Tibe, Assistant Manager, HDFC Ltd.



Being a part of the PGDM-Operations 2016-18 batch has been a life changer for me. The amount of knowledge, skills and opportunities this

institute has given me, has enabled me to face the rough challenges of the corporate world. Life at TIMSR is all about experience. The people you meetfaculty, guests and also your friends play a major role in your learning process. This institute will not only let you understand the subjects, but the world too! - Naresh Menon, Logistics Coordinator, Expeditors International, Canada.



The current affairs test which used to happen daily guided me in getting latest updates of the corporate world which in turn helped me to perform much better in my Summer internship - Raksha Shetty, MMS.



The pre placement coaching that is simulated process carried in the college made sure that I have knowledge about my field of operations and whatever is going

on in the day-to-day life of operations field. So this actually prepared me for my internship which helped me prove a point at videocon d2h - Shaurya Potdar, MMS.



CAP Sessions have helped me a lot in drafting my career goals through proper mentoring and guidance by our experienced professors. This has

helped me to get acquainted with the corporate world and perform better in my internship -Divyam Gandhi, PGDM.



Advance Excel training set me apart from my peers at Sunteck Realty when I was assigned the job of a nalysing customer data. Dale Carnegie Sales

Certificate equipped me to manage the different channel partners effectively - Raj Thakur, PGDM Marketing.

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