



IMS-ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER



IMS-AA

B. P. H. E. Society's

Institute of Management Studies, Career Development & Research, Ahmednagar

NAAC Accredited Grade 'A' Institute • 'Best Institute Award' by Savitribai Phule Pune University

Volume - XI

Issue : March 2018

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

The Management Department successfully organized an International Conference on the theme : 'Challenges in Multitudinal Management Orbits' on 19-20 Jan 2018. Day 1 began with the inaugural function, the Chief Guest for which was, Ms. Sangeeta Chandran who is the Global Head- Internal Communication, Tata Consultancy Services Mumbai. Chairing the Inaugural function was Dr. Sarjerao Nimse, Director General, Pravara Rural Education Trust, Loni and the erstwhile Vice Chancellor of Lucknow University and Nanded University. The 1st Plenary session speaker was, Dr. Merwan Mehta from East Carolina University, Greenville, the second speaker was Dr. Lourenzo Booth from Portugal. The session was summed up by Dr. W Sarwade, Dean management sciences, Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad. The 1st day's afternoon session was the Technical session. Around 25 papers were received from various functional areas of management; some were presented. Dr. Sudhir Huddedar Chaired the technical session. Day 2's Plenary session had Mr. Deepak Chandorkar, Managing Director of Alvin Caramel Colors Ahmednagar and the 2nd speaker was Mr. B. R. Venkatesh - Founder Director of MBTLA Mumbai. The final day technical session was chaired by Dr. D. B. More of Ahmednagar College. For the valedictory function Ms. Smita Mishra -Founder-Fandoro-QA Zone Info Systems, New Delhi was present as the Chief Guest and Dr. P. B. Vidyasagar, Vice-Chancellor, Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded was present as the Chairperson. Dr. Rajendrasing Pardeshi - IBMRD Ahmednagar received the award for Best Paper.



Ms. Sangeeta Chandran, Dr. Sarjerao Nimse, Dr. N. M. Aston and Dr. M. B. Mehta lighting the lamp to inaugurate the 'International Conference'



Dr. Merwan Mehta, East Carolina University, Greenville addressing the audience at 'International Conference'



Dr. Lourenzo Booth, Portugal addressing the audience at 'International Conference'



Mrs. Smita Mishra - Founder, Fandoro - QA Zone Info Systems, New Delhi, addressing the audience at 'International Conference'



Dr. P. B. Vidyasagar - Vice-Chancellor, Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University addressing the audience at 'International Conference'



Dignitaries and participants of 'International Conference'

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The students, faculty members and staff celebrated Christmas on 23rd Dec 2017. Rev. Rajan Philip Abraham, Plymouth Chapel, Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar was invited as a 'Guest of Honour' and he delivered the message on the theme 'Joy of Giving'. The differently abled inmates of Anamprem, an NGO were invited and given items like ready-to-eat snacks, raw food material like grains and cereals along with scrap of newspaper and magazines. The students and faculty put up an informative & musical presentation of carols during the programme.



Carol singing by the students during Christmas Celebrations



Donation to 'ANAMPREM'

ALUMNI MEET 'NOSTALGIA - 2017'

Alumni Meet 'Nostalgia - 2017' was organized on 11th March 2017. Alumni Mr. Vivek Khakal and Mr. Satish Shetty were the Guests for the program. More than 160 alumni participated in the meet with enthusiasm and nostalgic memories. Some alumni also participated in the cultural activities. The Alumni interacted with the present batch students and shared their experiences. 10 the volume of 'Alumni newsletter' and Students magazine 'Reflections' were released during the meet. 14 Alumni were awarded for their achievements in their professional career as 'Star Alumni'. The Alumni also gave valuable feedback.



Release of 'IMS - Alumni Newsletter'



Alumni Meet - 2017

STAR ALUMNI - 2017

- Prof. Dr. Vikram Barnabas was awarded with Ph.D. under the Faculty of Management Science of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University for his thesis titled 'A Critical Study of CSR Activities of Large Scale Enterprise in Western Maharashtra .It was completed under the guidance of Dr. W. K. Sarwade, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University.
- Prof. Dr. Mahesh Potdar was awarded Ph.D. in Organization Management under the Faculty of Management Science of Savitribai Phule Pune University for his thesis titled 'A Study of Administration and Working of 'India Post' with special reference to Ahmednagar District' under the guidance of Dr. M. B. Mehta.
- Dr. Mangesh Waghmare was awarded Ph.D. in Organization Management under the Faculty of Management Science of Savitribai Phule Pune University for his thesis titled 'A Study of Organization and Management practices in selected private sector industrial units in Ahmednagar' under the guidance of Dr. M. B. Mehta.

- Prof. Purna Tripathi Published a Book Titled 'Flaunt Your Positivity' consisting of positive and motivational quotes and poems. This book is first published by Notion Press-ISBN:978-1-946280-62-6.
- Dr. Rahul Khandelwal published a book titled 'Emerging Markets of Automotive Lubricants in India : A Critical Study'. The book is published by Lambert Academic Publishing, Deutschland /Germany on 28/4/2016 with ISBN : 978365987076-7
- Prof. Kiran Arun Supekar and Mr.Vishal Joshi (MCA - 2013 Batch) Jointly started an entreprize. Developed a project 'Krushikranti' which is well known now a days in Agricultural market. Krushikranti is a brand where farmers can buy or sell their agricultural goods by advertising They started this project just one year back ,
- Mr. Shivaji Tanpure (MCA - 2014 Batch) Working as Senior Software Engineer in Cuelogic Technologies Private Limited. Winner of daily work cash competition.
- Prasad Sharad Deshmukh (MCA - 2015 Batch) Started the job as a Project coordinator in Vodafone on basis of performance within 10 month promoted as a Sr. Executive which is possible if and only if candidate work with any MNC at list 2 to 3 years consistently,
- Priya Lahoti (MCA 2015 Batch) Started as TGT at Podar International School and within 4 months became member of leadership team, and got 'Best Teacher' award and became member of school development team and received certificate of appreciation from Science Olympiad foundation.
- Vaibhav Thomre (MCA - 2015 Batch) Earlier he was working in Wipro. Now he left that job and started 'TVD SOFTWARE SOLUTION' IT Firm based in Ahmednagar. and doing good business.

ALUMNI STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

- Prof. Rucha Tandulwadkar was awarded Ph. D. from S. P. Pune University on 1st April 2017 for her research titled 'A critical study of marketing aspect of micro and small enterprises in Ahmednagar district with special reference to women entrepreneurs.'

STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

- Dr. Meera Kulkarni, Co-authored paper titled, 'The Indian enigma of Digital businesses' on 11-12 Nov 2017 at 21st International Conference on Advancements & Challenges in social sciences & Business management- interdisciplinary research & practice, RDA/ Rajasthan Chamber of Commerce & Jaipur Management Association, venue Goa. Awarded Best Paper.
- CA Prof. D. A. Kulkarni is elected as 'Chairman' of Institute of Chartered Accountants of India, Ahmednagar for the year 2018-19.
- CA Prof. D. A. Kulkarni published a book titled 'Direct Taxation' co-authored by Dr. Devidas Bharati and Prof. Babasaheb Jadhav. This book was published by Nirali Prakashan.
- Dr. Hatim F. Kayumi published a book titled 'Critical Investigation of Mutual Fund Investments in India – An Empirical Study w.r.t. Individual Investors' in February 2017. This book was published by LAP Lambert Academic Publishing, Deutschland / Germany. Book had ISBN Number 978-3-330-04684-9.
- Ms. Vasudha Deshpande, Library Assistant Qualified SET Examination conducted by Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune in April 2017.

INSTITUTIONAL ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENT

'Best Magazine Prize' by S. P. Pune University



Every Year Savitribai Phule Pune University conducts Magazine Competition for Colleges and Institutes. The Institute's students magazine 'Reflections' got the 'Best Magazine', First Prize of Rs. 7000/- and a Trophy in 2017. Magazine Editor Dr. Anjali Vaidya, Dr. Rahul Khandelwal and Student Magazine Committee member Ms. Minal Patil accepted this prize from Registrar Dr. Arvind Shaligram on 12th Aug 2017 at S. P. Pune University.

Vice-Chancellor of S. P. Pune University Visit

The Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Nitin Karmalkar of S. P. Pune University visited IMS Campus on 25th July 2017. He interacted with the faculty - members and Staff on this occasion. He also visited IMS - Learning Resource centre and appreciated the work culture and achievements.



Dr. M. B. Mehta felicitating Prof. Dr. Nitin Karmalkar
Vice-Chancellor, S. P. Pune University

'Fest-Der-Tech 2017'

On the occasion of IT day (20th August), IT department organized Fest-Der-Tech, a Festival of Technology, on 23rd Aug 2017. It was a Information Technology Event which included various competitions for Under graduate students of B.C.A, B.Sc (Comp), B.Sc., B.B.A, B.A, B.Com. 265 students from 16 different institutes / colleges participated in the event. Prof. Sangita Nimbalkar, Head of B.B.A (C.A) Dept., New Arts, Science & Commerce College, Ahmednagar was the Chief Guest for the Inauguration function. Dr. U. H. Nagarkar - Head IT Dept., IMS, welcomed all the guest and also explored the objective behind conducting the festival. Dr. M. B. Mehta - Director, IMS, was the Chief Guest for the Prize Distribution programme. 'Award of Excellence' was won by Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar. 'Enthusiastic Participation (47 participants) Within City' was won by New Arts, Commerce & Science College, Ahmednagar. 'Enthusiastic Participation (28 participants) Outside City' was won by Sangamner College, Sangamner.



Inauguration Ceremony



'Web Designing' Competition



'Quiz' Competition



'Award of Excellence'

'Aagnyum - 2018'

The Management Dept. organized an Inter-College Competition named as Aagnyum - Ignite the Excellence in you on 30th Jan 2018. Eight competitions namely Quiz, Mock Press, Face Painting, Collage, Extempore, Ad-Mad Show, Antakshari and Group Dance were conducted in the event. The Students studying at undergraduate level in Arts, Science, Commerce, Engineering, Pharmacy and Architecture in reputed colleges in Ahmednagar and neighboring districts participated in the event. More than 350 Students from 15 colleges participated in the event,



'Ad-Mad-Show'



'Face Painting'



'Collage Competition'



'Antakshari'



'Group Dance'



'Overall Championship Trophy'

National Level Workshop

IT Dept. organized National Level Two Days Workshop on 'Web Development' using PHP & MYSQL sponsored by S. P. Pune University under QIP on 23rd - 24th Feb 2018. Workshop was inaugurated by Chief Guest, Mr. Rajendra Shinde, Head, PRM Soft Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Ahmednagar,

Dr. M. B. Mehta - Director, Dr. U. H. Nagarakar, HOD, IT Dept, Dr. Mahesh Potdar, Workshop Coordinator and Technical team of Retailware Softech Pvt. Ltd. Expert Speakers for this workshop were Ms. Shweta Borude, Mr. Anil Mhaske and Ms. Nayna Mandhre of Retailware Softech Pvt. Ltd. Guest for Valedictory function was Prof. Arun Gangarde, HOD, BCA Dept, New Arts, Commerce and Science College, Ahmednagar.



Mr. Rajendra Shinde addressing the audience



Mr. Anil Mhaske conducting a workshop



Ms. Shweta Borude conducting a workshop



Participants of National Level Workshop

Blood Donation Drive

On the occasion of Founder's Day, Institute organized a 'Blood Donation Drive'. on 22nd Jan 2018 in collaboration with Jan Kalyan Blood Bank. Students and Staff members from all the courses donated blood.



'Blood Donation Drive' on the occasion of 'Founder's Day'

'Nagar Tech Fest 2018'

IMS in collaboration with Retailware Softech Pvt. Ltd. organized a district level Software Development Competition for UG and PG students of Ahmednagar

district. Students had to develop and present various Android applications as well as Desktop and Web based application. More than 150 students from 17 colleges of Ahmednagar district took part in this competition. First round of the competition was conducted on 12th Feb 2018. From this 6 finalist were selected, and they presented their final presentation on 15th Feb 2018. Mr. Sagar Ajage and Mr. Atul Mandlik of IMS won the 1st prize which was a Cash prize of Rs. 10000/- + Certificate + Trophy. Retailware selected 11 candidates who took part in the competition for final placement.



Participants presenting Software Project



Mr. Ajit Thadani addressing the participants



Winners of 'Nagar-Tech-Fest 2018'



Group photo with Participants

MANAGEMENT DEPT. ACTIVITIES

Orientation Programme

Orientation programme for MBA-I students was conducted on 1st and 2nd Aug 2017. Dr. M. B. Mehta - Director, IMS addressed the students about the courses available, anti-ragging policy and facilities available. Mr. Shantanu Chatterjee - Cluster Head-Axis Bank guided the students regarding career opportunities. Dr. Meera Kulkarni - Head Management Dept. introduced MBA course to the students along with the code of conduct in campus. Dr. Swati Barnabas-Librarian along with the Library staff gave information about the facilities available at Learning Resource Center. Mr. Suresh Khanna, Placement Officer gave information about the training and placement cell activities.



Mr. Shantanu Chatterjee conducting programme

Parents Meet

Parents Meet for the parents of MBA-I students was organized on 22nd Aug 2017. Dr. Meera Kulkarni - Head Management Programme gave welcome address and introduced M.B.A. course along with the code of conduct, timings, examination pattern, value addition, attendance etc. All faculty members were briefly introduced to parents.



Parent - Faculty - members interaction

Full Day Seminar

● A Full Day Seminar was organized for MBA-I and II students on 07th Sept 2017. The topic of first session was 'Media Management and opportunities for MBA students in Media'. The speaker for the first session was Prof. Vishram Dhole, Faculty in Mass Communication, S. P. Pune University. The topic of the second session was 'Personal Wealth Management'. The Speaker for the session was CA Dr. M. Ganeshan from Pune.



Prof. Vishram Dhole conducting seminar



CA Dr. Ganeshan conducting seminar

● A full day seminar was organized on 'Entrepreneurship Development' for MBA students on 28th Feb 2018. Two sessions were conducted by two different speakers. First session was conducted by Mrs. Turya Deshpande - M.D., LIATO Events & Entrepreneurs. The Second session was conducted by Mr. Saurabh Gadgil - Chairman, PNG Jewellers, Pune.



Mrs. Turya Deshpande conducting seminar



Mr. Saurabh Gadgil conducting seminar

Management Games - 2017

Management Games were organized on 15th & 16th Sept 2017. The event was named 'Clash of Clans'- Bring out the Warriors in you. Students participated in various competitions like Sponsorship, Brand Wagon, Ad-Mad show, Mock Stock, Team building & Best Manager. Team 'Bowler' won overall Championship & Team 'Archer' was the Runner up of the event. Mr. Anay Bhand (MBA-II) won the 'Best Manager Contest'.



'Ad-Mad-Show'



One of the Promotion Stall



'Overall Championship Trophy'



'Best Manager Award'

Guest Lectures

● A guest lecture for MBA-I and II students was organized on 26th Sept 2017 on the topic 'Intellectual Property Rights'. Guest speaker was Mr. Abhijeet Vaidya. The topic of discussion was Immovable Assets (Copyright, trademark, patents, and design) of IPR.

- Ms. Radhika Mulay and Mr. S. S. Gawali, Deputy Director Industries, DIC, Ahmednagar delivered a lecture on 'Government support system for Entrepreneurship Development' on 27th Sept 2017 for MBA-II students

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan was organized on the occasion of 'Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti' on 2nd Oct 2017 at Salabat Khan Tomb (Chand Bibi Mahal). 70 students of MBA visited Chandbibi Mahal and cleaned entire premises at the historical monument 'Chandbibi Mahal'. Faculty Members and MBA students actively participated in the drive.



Cleanliness Drive at 'CHAND BIBI MAHAL'

IT DEPT. ACTIVITIES

Orientation for Freshers

An Orientation programme for MCA Freshers was organized on 7th Aug 2017. Dr M. B. Mehta, Director addressed the students about the Courses available, Anti-Ragging Policy and facilities available. Dr. U. H. Nagarkar, Head, IT Dept, provided information regarding revised syllabus, introduction of tracks, Credit System, Continuous Evaluation, Attendance, Counseling, Project and Placement. Dr. Swati Barnabas Librarian along with Library Staff oriented students about the facilities available at Learning Resource Centre and Library Process. Prof. Utkarsha Detha gave information about the Counseling Activity.

Student Mentorship Programme 2017-18

Every year Student Mentorship programme is planned for MCA students. The focus on the Positive Attitude development of the student is our primary objective in the Counseling sessions. The Student Mentorship Programme for the Academic year 2017-2018 started in the month of August. As per the group convenience, faculty members decided a schedule for the counseling. The counseling forms- Form A, Form B & Form C were distributed to MCA-I, MCA-II & MCA-III class respectively.

Parent Teacher Meet

Parent Teacher Meet of IT Department was organized on 9th Sept 2017 with the objective to build rapport between Institute and Parents. Meet started with Head of IT Department Dr. U. H. Nagarkar's introductory speech. Dr. M. B. Mehta - Director addressed the audience. All parents actively participated in the activity. Many issues related to Placement, Entrepreneur Development, Aptitude Test were freely discussed with parent members.



Dr. U. H. Nagarkar - Head, IT Dept. addressing the Parents.

Soft Skill Workshop

Soft Skill Workshop was organized for MCA-II and MCA-III students on 11th Aug 2017. Corporate Trainer Mr. Ajit Pande, Pune was the Resource Person of the workshop. Many group activities were conducted during the workshop.

Guest Lecture On Asp.Net

- A guest lecture on 'Using MVC Architecture and Crystal Report in ASP.NET' for students of MCA-III was organized on 24th Oct 2017. Mr. Sandeep Nagode from Ideal Art Software, Ahmednagar was the Resource Person for the guest lecture.
- A guest lecture on 'PHP' for students of MCA-II was organized on 28th Oct 2017. Ms. Sonal Gundecha, Engineering Manager of Chrysalis Software Systems Pvt. Ltd, Ahmednagar was the Resource Person for the guest lecture.

Pledge Of Quit India Movement

IT Dept celebrated 70 years of Independence and 75 years of Quit India Movement on 9th Aug 2017. The English and Hindi version of the pledge was provided on the website of AICTE and Ministry of HRD. The students took the oath in Hindi.



Faculty members and students taking 'Pledge' on the occasion of 75th year of Quit India Movement

Teacher's Day Celebration

Students of MCA-III celebrated Teacher's day on 5th Sept 2017 by felicitating teachers and Staff of IMS by distributing plants. On 11th Sept 2017 newly admitted students of MCA I and MCA II (Direct) celebrated Teacher's day by arranging a programme. Dr. M. B. Mehta - Director, IMS was the guest for the programme. Students felicitated all the teachers and organized games for the teachers.



Teachers Day Celebration

LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRE ACTIVITIES

Celebration of International Yoga Day

The International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June 2017. The faculty and students celebrated International Yoga Day and got the chance to know how yoga embodies unity of mind and body. The session was informative and demonstrative. Everybody present performed Yoga which included warming up movements, Surya Namaskar, Pranayama and meditation. Eminent Yoga teacher Mrs. Sunita Singhvi. Mrs. Singhvi gave a lecture on the importance and health benefits of Yoga, Kapalbhathi

Pranayam. Colourful boards and pictures were mounted on the notice boards about Yoga, Surya Namaskar, Meditation, Kapalbhathi, Healthy diet etc.



Faculty members & staff performing 'Yoga & Meditation'

N-LIST Consortia Registration

'National Library and Information Services infrastructure for Scholarly Content (N-LIST)' programme for accessing full text e-resources of the UGC-INFONET Digital Library Consortium which provides access to more than 6000+ e-journals (with back files for 10 years) and 97,000+ e-books are accessible.

Library Orientation for Freshers

Orientation Programme for the freshers under the Information Literacy Programme. The aim was to acquaint the new comers about Library's activities, services and functions along with the rules and regulations & thus helps to better utilization of the Library services. The students were updated with Library profile, demo cum information about Circulation System, Stacking Area, OPAC, Research and References Section, Reading Rooms, Journal and Periodical Section, Newspapers and Project Area. A power point presentation was arranged to acquaint the students about the different e-resources subscribed by Library and its usage cum importance.



Library Orientation for Freshers

71st Independence Day & 75th Quit India Movement : New India Manthan

IMS Library celebrated 'Independence 71 : New India Manthan and commemorate 75 Years of Quit India Movement' from 9th to 30th Aug 2017. The IMS entrance was decorated to celebrate the historic milestones. The momentous occasion was celebrated with an objective to create a festive and patriotic mood across the IMS Campus and a movement was created to involve the students in the mission of realizing the vision of a New India and foster a 'Patriotic Mood'.

J-Gate Training Session

The programme 'E-resource Training Programme' was conducted to raise awareness and usage of the e-resources subscribed by the Institute. The IMS, Learning Resource Centre and Student Library Committee organized training session for IMS staff and students. The trainer was Mr. Chandrakant Ganvir, Training Manager, Informatics Publishing Ltd. (Bangalore). The programme was conducted under the auspices of Information Literacy Programme (User education). The guest trainer gave a brief overview and introduction to J-Gate platform, elaborated the features & functionalities, including new developments, live product demonstration.



Dr. U. H. Nagarkar felicitating Mr. Chandrakant Ganvir

Author Speaks : Book Talk Show

The IMS, Learning Resource Centre and Student Library Committee along with Student Council conducted 'Author Speaks', a Book Talk Show for IMS students under the auspices of the Information Literacy Programme. The speakers were Prof. Dr. Santosh Dastane, Director-Research, & Dean, (IBMR), Pune and Dr. Kamalakar Bhat,

Associate Professor in English, Ahmednagar College. Dr. Dastane, a prolific writer of Economics, Competitive Exams books and translator shared his experience as a writer cum translator and the methods of presentation of information in different media like books, newspapers and articles for the readers ranging from a subject expert, a voracious reader to laymen. Dr. Bhat being an educationist and a researcher and guide enlightened the students to the world of poetry and its existence in our life from childhood to adulthood. He described how intelligently but in a subtle way a poet turns and twists the meaning and opens a vast Pandora's Box of imaginary world to the reader without losing its practical analogy. An exhibit of speaker's photo, book jackets of their literary contribution, awards were displayed and decorated by Student Library Committee Members.



Dignitaries lighting the lamp to inaugurate 'Author Speaks'

Student's Personality Development

Under the auspices of the Information Literacy Programme, the Student Library Committee along with Student Council in association with S. P. Pune University organized 'Personality Development Programme' on 16th Sept 2017. The MCA & MBA students from IMS and PG Students from Ahmednagar College attended the programme. The resource persons were Dr. Pritam Bedarkar, Dept. of Psychology, Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar, Dr. Jaimon Varghese, Dept. of Social Work, Centre for Studies in Rural Development Institute of Social Work and Research, Ahmednagar and Prof. Nimisha Bandellu Dept. of English, Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar. The guest speakers discussed problems and ways to overcome negativity, social and community responsibilities and usage and communication skills of English Language.



Dr. Pritam Bedarkar conducting Workshop



Dr. Jaimon Varghese conducting Workshop

Puneri Patya

'Puneri Patya' of Pune is popular for its humourous and sarcastic signboards. The concept of funny and hilarious signboards i.e. khatta-meetha humour & spicy sarcasm along the lines of Puneri Patya came alive. The theme was 'Activities carried out in the IMS Campus'. English & Marathi Language signboards were displayed on the Institute and Library notice board simultaneously.



Evaluation of 'Puneri Patya'

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

Cleanliness is next to Godliness. 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' campaign was observed at IMS for making India a clean and green country. The posters displayed by the Library included

information and awareness related to Swachh Bharat such as proper sanitation use, changing people's attitude and mindsets and behaviours, importance of solid and liquid waste management etc. Thus grooming our students as a citizen, about our duty of not throwing garbage around, keep surroundings clean and educating fellow beings.

Vachan Prerna Din , Vigilance Awareness Week, Constitution Day

The IMS Library celebrated a Reading Day on the auspices of the second birth anniversary of Bharat Ratna Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam on 15th Oct 2017. The IMS Student Library Committee invited abstract for a Book Review activity for IMS faculty, staff & students alike. It promoted learning & encouraged reading habits amongst users by providing a platform to showcase comprehending skills of literary works. The contributed book reviews were displayed on the notice board.

The Library put up a display and registered its participation in the 'Public participation in Promoting Integrity and Eradicating Corruption Initiative'. The Vigilance Awareness Week (31st Oct - 5th Nov) was observed by mounting the posters of Citizen Integrity Pledge, Integrity Pledge for Organization, Pledge.

The Library celebrated Constitution Day also known as Samvidhan Divas to pay tribute to Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, who played a seminal role in the framing of the Indian Constitution as the Chairman of the Drafting Committee of Constituent Assembly. The 'Preamble' of the Constitution and related informative poster were displayed. The displayboard of National Anthem of Republic of India in Hindi (Devnagiri Script) was mounted on the wall near the Administrative wing within the main IMS building, IMS campus.

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day)

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) was celebrated on 31st Oct 2017 for India's unity, safety and security, to mark the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The pledge of dedication to preserve the unity, integrity and security of the Nation and willingness to strive hard for unification and internal security lead by late Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel was taken by the students, faculty, administrative and library staff.



Faculty & students taking the Pledge on 'National Unity Day'

Current Trends in IT : Cyber Crime

Under the auspices of the Information Literacy Programme, the Student Library Committee organized a Lecture Series - II along with Student Council in association with S. P. Pune University on 23rd Jan 2018. The resource persons were Dr. Deepak Shikarpur, Technopreneur from Pune and Dr. Razzak Sayyed, HOD Computer Science, Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar. The speakers drew to the attention of the students the futuristic approach and how everyone needs to embrace the change with adapted skill, high morals and competitiveness. They shared the tips and tricks as to how one should not fall prey to the virtual world which is useful but deceptive in nature. Both the speakers gave a note on cautious approach of being prudent and ethically productive. The books written by Dr. Shikarpur were displayed.



Dr. Razzak Sayyed delivering lecture

VIDYARTHINI MANCH ACTIVITIES

Guest Lectures

- IMS - Vidyarthini Manch arranged a Guest Lecture for all the ladies of IMS on 18th Aug 2017. The Guest Speaker was Ms. Sonal Ahuja - Pamnani who spoke on

'Women's Health'. The topic discussed included scientific use of menstrual care accessories their side effects, impact on environments and society, and possible user friendly solutions.



Mrs. Sonal Ahuja - Pamnani delivering lecture

- IMS - Vidyarthini Manch arranged a Guest Lecture for all the ladies of IMS on 'Hasyayoga'. The Guest Speaker was Ms. Vidhu Surana and her team along with Mr. Bora who is driven by the mission of Laughing Yoga i.e. Hasyayoga. Ms. Surana cleared the concept of Hasyayoga as a practice which involves prolonged voluntary laughter.



Students participating in 'Laughter Yoga Session'

- IMS - Vidyarthini Manch arranged a Guest Lecture for all the ladies of IMS on 6th Sept 2017. The Guest Speaker was Dr. Vaishali Kiran who spoke on 'Women's Health - To Know My Inside Out'. She gave a presentation on how young women should take care of their healths, introduced them to good eating habits, importance of exercise in their daily live, handling stress and included scientific use of menstrual care accessories their side effects.



Dr. Vaishali Kiran delivering lecture



International Women's Day Celebration

International Women's Day

International Women's Day is celebrated on March 8 worldwide, commemorating the achievements of women all over the world. IMS in an innovative way evolved and embraced culture and ethnicity to emerge as a celebration of appreciation, respect and love towards women to celebrate Women's Day by IMS's Vidyarthini Manch. It forms an integral part of the curriculum to spread the awareness of girl student's empowerment, their roles and achievements in curricular, co-curricular and non-curricular activities.

IMS - Vidyarthini Manch started celebration a week ahead by conducting competitions like Rangoli (Theme - Peacock), Mehdi (Indo-Arabic), Hair-style (Western/bridal) and Collage competition (Women Empowerment) and felicitated some working women of Union bank of India, Post Office, Booth Hospital, BSNL office, CSRD-ISWR and IMS.

Some well known women of Ahmednagar, doing good work and who have made a difference to the society, and are an example for the youth of today to look up to, were felicitated. The Women's Day celebration, was inaugurated by lighting of the lamp by Mrs. Anita Mane (Founder of Anam Prem residence and educational center for blind students), Inspector Kalpana Shirdawada (Chief of Nirbhaya Pathak Ahmednagar District), Dr. Shalini Uzagare (Chief Medical Officer at Evangeline Booth Hospital Ahmednagar), Ms. Jaya Auti (Entrepreneur and social activist) and Dr. Sarala Barnabas (Former Professor, Ahmednagar College).

All the dignitaries guided the IMS Students, girls and boys alike to unite to fight and make this world a better place to live. The students put up a street play on social awareness and a video clip of saluting the Women who have made a foot print in their respective fields.



Police Inspector Kalpana Shirdawada addressing the audience

RESEARCH CENTRE ACTIVITIES

IMS Institute organised Research Seminar for faculty and staff members on 22nd April 2017. Dr. Vidyadhar Vedak (Prof. Emeritus, D. Y. Patil Institute, Pune) was Chief Guest and Dr. Dinesh More (Ahmednagar College) was the Guest of Honour for the occasion. IMS Research Centre published four publications on this occasion, i.e.

- IMS Research Journal Indian Journal of Current Trends of Management Sciences (Volume X, April 2017) consisting of 18 research papers/articles Prayas (Student Research Publication) (Volume IX, April 2017) consisting of 05 research papers from IMS Students.
- Working Paper Series consisting of Abstracts of all research papers & articles published in IMS Research Journal from 2007-08 till 2016-17
- Glimpses of Doctoral Research under the Faculty of Management, S. P. Pune University undertaken and completed at IMS Ph. D Research Centre.

MBA & MCA PLACEMENT REPORT

- The major recruiters for the final year batch of 2015 - 2017 were Asian Paints, Axis Bank , Syntel, Axis Bank, HDFC Bank, Larsen & Toubro, EEtamax Ltd., Airtel, Bank of New York Mellon, Anuron , Soham Group, Powercell, Pfizer, Zydus etc..
- The placement cell organized an industrial visit for MBA students to Klassic Wheels, Larsen and Toubro, Japfa Comfeed and Suzlon. Total fifty five companies are visited by the placement department. This year and five companies visited the campus. The final year students of MCA (2015-18) have been placed for industrial projects and final placement.

SKILL ENHANCEMENT & ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT CENTRE (SEEDC) ACTIVITIES

Women Entrepreneurs Expo - 2018

IMS - SEEDC in association with Rotary Club of Ahmednagar Central organized 3 day 'Women Entrepreneurs Expo - 2018' in the IMS Campus on large scale to provide women entrepreneurs a larger marketing platform. The exhibition was scheduled from 5th to 7th Jan 2018. Total 50 women entrepreneurs participated in this expo and displayed their products. The product category ranged from food to jewellery, cloth, investment firms, handmade items etc. Mr. Abhinandan Bhansali of Bhansali Bajaj showroom sponsored the event. Expo was also supported by PNG Jewellers, Ahmednagar and Bangdiwala agriculture products. The expo was inaugurated by Mr. Chakor Gandhi, a well-known entrepreneur from Pune.



Inauguration of 'Women Entrepreneurs Expo 2018'



Stalls at 'Women Entrepreneurs Expo 2018'

Workshop on 'Hospital Administration'

A one day workshop on 'Hospital Administration' was organized for the doctors and the medical professionals on 25th Feb 2018. Resource person for the workshop was Dr. Vilas Lachake from Nasik. He has covered hospital management, quality management in hospital, Staff Patient Relationship, Communication and Counseling, NABH guideline etc. Total 25 doctors and their staff members have attended the workshop.



Dr. Vilas Lachake conducting Workshop

LIFE TIME MEMBERS OF IMS-ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

S. No.	Name	Course	Year of Passing
1.	Prof. P. A. Laxmanayya	M.P.M.	1994
2.	Dr. Abhijit Mancharkar	M.B.A.	1997
3.	Prof. Rucha Tandulwadkar	M.B.A.	2006
4.	Dr. Anjali Vaidya	M.C.A.	2004
5.	Prof. Mahesh Potdar	M.M.S.	2009
6.	Mr. Nitin Gawali	M.B.A.	1996
7.	Mr. Umesh Bhalerao	M.B.A.	1996
8.	Mr. Saurabh Dolare	M.C.A.	2010
9.	Mr. Milind Dahale	M.P.M.	2011

S. No.	Name	Course	Year of Passing
10.	Prof. Atul Zende	M.M.S.	2006
11.	Prof. Babasaheb Jadhav	M.B.A.	2010
12.	Prof. Ashwini Thorat	M.M.S.	2004
13.	Prof. Isha Punjabi	M.B.A.	2010
14.	Prof. D. W. Kamalapurkar	M.M.S.	1980
15.	Miss. Prerana Tripathi	M.P.M.	2011
16.	Prof. Vikram Barnabas	M.P.M.	1998
17.	Prof. Suwarna Badawe	M.C.M.	2010
18.	Mr. Krunal Kulkarni	M.B.A.	2011
19.	Mr. Amit Baldawa	M.B.A.	2007
20.	Prof. Prakash Sonar	M.C.M.	2010
21.	Mr. Sumit Lodha	M.B.A.	2005
22.	Mr. Shriram Daware	M.B.A.	2006
23.	Mr. Shailesh Atre	M.B.A.	2008
24.	Mr. Rahul Jamgaonkar	M.B.A.	2005
25.	Mr. Apurva Gujrathi	M.B.A.	2006
26.	Mr. Mahesh Dixit	M.B.S.	2011
27.	Mr. Avinash Gyale	M.B.A.	1998
28.	Prof. Manoj Kapre	M.C.M.	2009
29.	Prof. Pritam Munot	M.C.M.	2008
30.	Mr. Balaji Narayan	M.B.A.	2004
31.	Prof. Hari Shankar Rai	M.C.M.	2005
32.	Mr. Devwrat Wakade	M.B.A.	2006
33.	Mr. Mahesh Wilayate	M.B.A.	2006
34.	Mr. Rohan Barshikar	M.B.A.	2007
35.	Mr. Moses Mahankale	M.B.A.	2007
36.	Mr. Lijo Joy	M.B.A.	2006
37.	Mr. Vishal Gandhi	M.B.A.	2005
38.	Ms. Andleeb Khokar	MBA	2013
39.	Ms. Ashita John Pawar	MBA	2007
40.	Mr. Sumit Mahajan	MBA	2006
41.	Mr. Mukund Deshmukh	MBA	1997
42.	Mr. Shrikesh Malpani	MBA	2010
43.	Mr. Stephen Nadar	MBA	--
44.	Prof. Sayyed Mudassar	MBS	2010
45.	Prof. Chaitali Lodha	MBA	2014
46.	Mr. Suresh Khanna	MBA	2012
47.	Prof. Sujata Manolkar	MPM	2011
48.	Mr. Pritam Changede	MBA	2005
49.	Prof. Radhika Mulay	MBS	2014
50.	Ms. Sayali Bahalkar	MBS	2014

Memories of Alumni



It gets us immense satisfaction & pride to write about our Alma-matter IMSCD&R.

From the first day we entered we knew that it would be something fresh and believe us it changed our lives. Faculty Dr. Meera, Dr. Vaidehi and Col. Lamba to name a few influenced and shaped our lives. They were extremely strict yet friendly when they needed too. Life in Ahmednagar was challenging but we enjoyed it and had a wonderful 2 years. Long rides with friends for a game of cricket in Nagar college, midnight elaichi milk on MG road to trips up Chandbibi Mahel fort will always be in our minds. We both met in IMSCD&R, married in 2007 and have daughter and a Son. Alzira Da-Costa specialized in Finance and is currently Asst. Professor in Engineering College, plans to pursue PHD, Vernon Xavier specialized in marketing and joined family run businesses in Goa in the Real-Estate, Hospitality and minor-minerals sector. But nothing would have been possible without IMS, we take this opportunity to thank the Teachers, Staff, Dixit sir in the office, Shelter canteen Manoj, Samaj seva canteen and last but not the least Ahmednagar for being so good to us, moulding our lives and making us better human beings. Thank you.

Alzira & Vernon Xavier
(MBA - 2002 Batch)



In true words the work of alumni is very easy; we appreciate the college that made us very little, and just enjoy the many opportunities that befalls further. But what effort it takes to be an alumni is a difficult task, one needs to be very true in reviewing the institute and also critical on aspects relating to the improvements or development of the college. The world is often unkind to new talent, and forgets the fact that sometimes an average product of college can be more meaningful than person that we showcase the most. In the batch of 2009 I experienced the same appreciation and importance for the students not just opting for MBA but

PGDBM, MBS, MCA, MCM. If I was to say that both the college and the faculties have rocked me to my core, is just merely putting my feelings into words. They have trail blazed and made students ready to set new path and face challenges that might fall their way. I am of a strong belief that a college is made of the efforts put in by the staff and today as I am into teaching profession as well I now understand it is made of both teachers and students. It is only after the college years that you realize that situation good or bad the only similarity between them is you learn something out of it. IMS has also groomed me to be a student for life.

Prof. Tusita Iyer
(PGDBM, MBS - 2009 Batch)



IMS is the first Management Institute which I got enrolled to build up my career for that actually follows their stated values. The way I have been treated shows that IMS believes that "Students Are Our Greatest Strength." It has been great learning with a team with people from different cultures and valued generations because I learn a lot from my fellow students & Mentors (Special Appreciation for Ms Prerna Tripathi who personally indulged her knowledge to educate us). IMS has been very supportive of my MBA program and allowed me to continuously develop in my position as a Business Consultant . I also appreciate the amazing track record IMS has had making sure "Profits and Growth Provide For Everything We Do." This is a rock solid Institution that has a very bright future and I am excited to be a part of it."

Kshitija Wagh
(MPM - 2013 Batch)

Employers Feedback

I would say what IMS is doing is a wonderful cause where they understand the requirement of each students and are ready to go to any extent to make the student feel comfortable, confident and expert in their field of study. IMS has been playing a great role in educating and supporting in building career of the students & We will be happier to hire

from IMS Alumni for our company needs. To talk about my staff, I am very happy to have them all as an amazing team working dedicatedly towards achieving the company goals. I would love to hire young minds from IMS who are confident, holding good knowledge about the current market or technology trends. Also I would suggest the students to just not learn but put your knowledge to practice. Having a live work proof can really help you get hired more easily and immediately. Best Luck!

Saily Hiray
M. D. - Hiray Softech Pvt. Ltd.
www.hsoftech.com

Aparna Madan has been working with Lowe Lintas for over 6 months now. She is very enthusiastic and energetic individual, with a zeal to learn and do more. She currently works on Axe deodorants and Rexona anti perspirants. In a short time, she has partnered well with the internal and external stakeholders on the brand. She is truly an asset to the organization.

Aalok Vashi
Sr. Vice President
Lowe Lintas, Mumbai

Akanksha Dhokriya is working with us from last 2 years in span of last years. We observe her Handling a Team of 20+ employee very confidently & same time any critical situation in front of her she solve very easily way. Must to say she done MBA in Finance but her Quality of Hr related work is also good to see in her. I see to do her Multi work at same time without any mistake. In corporate life she Present her Self in Mahindra Idols Zonal Level in 2016 at 1st time our Office Participate in SSI Category because of her. Definitely I can say this is a confidence skill which is learn in collage study. She is very good in Time managing as well as submits report before the time line.

Thanks & Regards,

Anand Parate
HR Manager,
Sablok Cars

It's an immense pleasure to share our views with you, regarding the hiring of few students from IMS College.

- **Sana Sayyed** : She was hired as on 1st JUNE, 2016, indeed it was a probation period of 6 months, she has proved every segment of work allotted and still she has the eagerness to learn and proved it ahead. As hard work pays off, her employment has been confirmed within above said months, also to add excellent communication in executing and achieving the given task within said deadline with accuracy maintained.
- **Gyanendra Singh** : He was hired as 'WEB DEVELOPER UI / UX DESIGNER' on 27th June 2016, indeed it was a probation period of 6 months, he has performed well during the year and his employment has been confirmed further. Till date, he has performed his duties very well.

What we expect from candidates :

In every organization some or other candidate joins with a vision to prove their ability towards the organization's requirement and ensure the efficiency to be increased, we expect the same from every candidate and also to have the ability/ eagerness to learn new things and to be all rounder in the respective roles assigned by the organization and to accept face the challenges/ additional responsibilities allotted and to be an out of box thinker for the betterment of organization.

**HR Soham Buildcon
One Transmedia Pvt. Ltd.**



REQUEST

- Alumni are requested to enroll themselves as 'Life-time Members' of the Alumni Association.
- Alumni are requested to register on Institute's website.
- Alumni are requested to forward their articles, memories, achievements to Alumni Newsletter committee.

IMS-AA Newsletter Committee

Prof. Ashwini Thorat

Dr. Rucha Tandulwadkar

Dr. Mahesh Potadar

Dr. Anjali Vaidya

Prof. Prerna Tripathi

Mr. Suresh Khanna

Address for Communication

The Secretary,

IMS - Alumni Association

C/o. B. P. H. E. Society's

Institute of Management Studies,

Career Development and Research

IMS Campus, Station Road, Ahmednagar - 414 001. (M.S.) India.

Tel. : (0241) 2346532, 2324830 • Fax : (0241) 2346529

E-mail : imsaa2004@yahoo.com / ims.placement@yahoo.com,

Facebook : imscdraa@gmail.com - username - IMSAA

Website : www.imscdr.ac.in