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New Beginnings at IIM Lucknow



Once again it's that time of year when we see the beginning of the journey of future leaders of the Corporate world at IIM Lucknow.

Yes, our 35th batch of Post Graduate Programme in Management (PGPM) and 16th batch of Post Graduate Programme in Agri Business in Management has finally arrived.

The induction programme (June 24-25, 2019) welcomed the new students and provided them with not only necessary information about academic and administrative activities, but also with an insight on what they should expect in these 2 years and what the world would expect from them after these 2 years.

The induction programme was inaugurated by traditional Lighting of Lamp. Chairperson, Post Graduate Programme, Prof. Ajay K. Garg welcomed the students and students took the PGP pledge with him.



Dean, Programmes, Prof. Neeraj Dwivedi addressed the students and informed them about IIM Lucknow, the academic programmes and the faculty.



In her address, Director, IIM Lucknow, Prof. Archana Shukla urged the students not to follow the herd mentality. She said that at IIM Lucknow the focus in the next 2 years would be to make the students good humans first, a good human can easily become a good manager.

The chief guest for the Induction programme was Mr. P.G. Raghuraman, Managing Director & COO Financial Services – Asia Pacific, Africa, Middle East and Turkey, Accenture. Mr. Raghuraman is a senior alumnus of IIM Lucknow. In his address to the new batch Mr. Raghuraman stressed on the importance of uniqueness and how it differentiates one from the herd. Using examples from his own journey at IIM Lucknow and then in the Corporate world he said that for him IIML stands for **Inspire, Impact, Mindful Learning** and this is something which would become true for all Gen D (Generation Digital) students.

Many other senior alumni were also a part of the Induction Programme sharing their insights and experiences with the students. Mr. Vinit Chauhan, Head of Risk & Governance Programmes, Standard Chartered highlighted how one can make the best out of one's IIML experience. He discussed how various parameters like past colleges, work experience etc. should be the benchmark of our success. Mr. Nishant Saxena, Global Chief Strategy officer discussed about various lessons he has learnt in his life and career and how it's up to an individual to take this experiences in his life.





Entrepreneurship is the key word globally today. And it was a good experience for the new students when Mr. Arun Tangri, Founder Tag Taste foods shared his Journey from PGP to Entrepreneurship. Mr. Tangri emphasised on the need to be fearless and not to be afraid of experimentation.



Energised with these experiences the batches are all set to embark on the new journey, starting of a new phase in their life.

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