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How to do well in Group Discussion and Personal Interview Sep 19, 2019

REPORT

The workshop was organised on 19th September 2019 on the topic "How to do well in Group Discussion and Personal Interview". The program commenced with valuable words by our respected Principal Sir Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, highlighting the importance and responsibilities of Placement Cell. The guest of honour Mr. Neel Anil Panicker, T.I.M.E. Group, conducted an interactive session and enlightened the audience with the key points of discussion that the interviewee needs to follow. A question-answer round and live mock group discussion session was also held.

How to prepare for GD:

Over the years, majority of management b-schools have inculcated this tool in their selection process to assess overall personality traits of the aspirants. GD is test that not only judges the knowledge but more importantly the character of an individual. Since character traits cannot be shaped in a few days, it is never too early or too late to begin preparing for GD. The following steps were suggested to start the preparation:

A. Self -Assessment

The first step in preparing for GD is a true self-assessment to know your inner strengths and weaknesses.

B. Building your own repertoire of knowledge

One can be confident in speaking if he/she has knowledge of relevant facts and opinions on diverse topics and has prepared well accordingly. The GD topic given on the specific day could be from any field – economics, management, environment, socio-cultural issues, etc. Therefore, it is advisable to prepare the key content beforehand.

C. Go through previous year GD Topics

- (i) Factual Topics based on static or dynamic knowledge of specific concepts
- (ii) Abstract Topics that assess your creative thinking by judging the way you perceive something.
- (iii) Case-based Topics that seek a solution to a given problem in a realistic situation. The event was attended by 81 students.





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