

## **Student Development Programme (SDP)**

Academic Affairs and Monitoring Committee in collaboration with ICFAI Business School organized one day Student Development Programme (SDP) on 1st Oct, 2018 in which Prof. Sangeeta Shahane from ICFAI interacted with students and conducted activities around “Group Discussion & Personal Interview” that helped them prepare for career choices after college. The programme was attended by 110 students in all. Prof. Shahane began by telling the participant students about Group discussion and how it is a process of exchanging ideas and opinions on a given topic. GD is an important part of selection process in premier institutes for management programmes and job interviews. Group discussion requires knowledge about general knowledge topics, tests oratory and communication skills and problem-solving skills etc. Prof. Shahane then gave tips to students to crack GD. She told them how they must be aware of latest news and events and must read newspapers regularly, collect news magazines. Students must practice their communication skills and must have good vocabulary and good command over English. They must work on their body language and on their listening skills. During GD, it is very important to listen patiently and carefully to others and at the same time, they must be able to grab opportunity to close the discussion and summarize it. These tips are essential for successfully clearing GD. Then Prof. Shahane proceeded to talk about Personal Interview and advised the students to always remain calm and positive during the interview. The interviewee should highlight his positive personality traits and achievements. After these tips, Prof. Shahane conducted some exercises with the students and formed groups for mock GD. She divided students in groups, gave them potential GD topics and observed their discussions among the groups. This exercise lasted 40 minutes and at the end of it she gave suggestions to each and every team for further improvements. She also conducted some mock interviews with 5 to 7 students so as to give the participants a feel about how they are expected to conduct themselves. At the same time, she also indulged all the student participants in another exercise wherein she provided them handouts and asked them to answer already framed questions in the handout. The entire session was very informative and fruitful as the students also asked a lot of questions at the end of it. Prof. Shahane answered the students patiently and helped them guide in improving their communication, listening, writing skills. The session continued for more than four

hours with a 20 minutes break in between. The session ended with a vote of thanks to the speaker and the participants present.

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***Group Discussion and Personal Interview***

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**Eminent Resource Person**

**Prof. Sangeeta Shahane**  
(ICFAI Business School)

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**1<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2018**  
12 noon onwards  
Conference Hall, SLC

<b>Dr. Kusha Tiwari</b> Convenor		<b>Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar</b> Principal
<b>Committee Members</b>		
<b>Dr. Komilla Suri</b>	<b>Dr. Sunaina Zutsi</b>	<b>Mr. Sushil Kumar</b>
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