BBICS students’ meet

The fourth edition of the BBICS Students’ meet organized by the Association of BBICS Business Schools (ABBB) was flagged off at Xavier Institute of Management and Entrepreneurship (XIME), Bangalore, recently. Students and faculty members from well-known universities of Brazil, Russia, India and China participated in the opening ceremony. The meet, which was jointly hosted by XIME, Bengaluru, SIM-INDIA, Mumbai, and PGD, concluded with comprehensive events and competitions held at each of these three venues.

As many as 27 delegates from foreign universities attended the meet. The meet was inaugurated by R.C. Mohan, Chairman, XIME and former CMD of Mater-IIT, Bangalore, and XIME and former Director of IMT-Bangalore, referred to the increasing significance of BBICS education in the emerging world with its extensive use. ‘Yamini Moosendran, Head of the Department of Information and Systems, IIT-B, said in her keynote address, “In the last 10 years, BBICS has been identified as one of the best business schools in the country. “We have a large number of students from abroad, and this is an opportunity for them to be part of this meet. I am sure that they will learn a lot from the various sessions,” she said.

At the ITM Business School meet

The e-GATE (Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering) exam conducts a test for the benefit of students who are preparing for the Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE) exam. This is the only qualifying exam for admission to M.Tech./M.S. courses in various institutions such as IITs, IITs, NITs, government and private engineering colleges. e-GATE is essentially five days, via Internet, with a two-way interaction between faculty and students. The faculty will conduct the sessions from their institutions, and a GATE aspirant can access them from any place via the Internet or call for a GATE forum entry and view them on a big screen. This way, GATE aspirants in any part of the country get training at their convenience.

Founders’ Day

IFIM Business School hosted its 17th ‘Founders’ Day’ by felicitating all the stakeholders who were instrumental in setting up the new campus at Electronics City. The celebration started with the oath-taking ceremony by the students of 2018 batch to adhere to a code of ethics and be industrious in their decision-making in management graduates. K.P. Pathy, Director-IFIM, said, “Today’s environment sees a surge in growth and development of GDP in the country. Corruption and black money are a part of the Indian economy.”

Award

Sanjita Singh, a student from the class of 2012, received the Merit-Fellowship Award, instituted by Microsoft Services Pvt. Ltd. There were five finalists for the award, which included a cash prize of Rs. 95,000 and a month’s travel to Bangalore.

HR meet

ITB-Bangalore organized an HR meet in collaboration with MTHB (More Than HR). Global and Right Selection Group, a Dubai-based headhunting and development organization. A talk on “Unlocking the Power of LinkedIn for HR and Business” was organized as part of the meet on the ITM-Bangalore premises. The talk was delivered by HR networking guru Hon’ble, an entrepreneur based out of San Diego, U.S. Hon’ble, popularly called “The LinkedIn Guru”, who uses his business expertise, serves as a subject-matter expert in LinkedIn, is a feature for both online and off-line marketing communications. He started the session with a self-assessment form designed to mine one’s social media orientation. He emphasized the power of LinkedIn for an HR professional and why an HR professional’s presence on business networking websites is essential.

The evening session was attended by more than 120 HR professionals, R.S. Pathy, Director-IFIM, Bangalore, and A.H. Bhat, Trustee and Advisor, IMT-Group institutions, were present.