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Program Level: Under Graduate

Program Type: First year students' induction program

Organized by: College of Engineering & Management Kolaghat

Introduction: In compliance with the AICTE directives, the College of Engineering & Management Kolaghat has been organizing a Students' Induction Program (SIP) for first-year students every year since 2018. This year, the SIP was also organized by a core committee of the college, constituting four faculty members under the leadership of Dr. Sharmistha Bose, Associate Professor of the Basic Science Department.

Objective: This is a crucial initiative to ease the transition from high school to university life. This program helps acclimate the fresher to the environment and culture of the college where they will spend their coming 4 years, the most valuable part of life. At the same time, they will get familiar with various infrastructures, and facilities provided by the college. This program also helps to explore their academic interest as well as extracurricular activities and promotes bonding with their peers, teachers, and staff. In this regard, eminent personalities from different spheres of society joined us to address the 1st year students.

Structure: The induction program comprising various activities and sessions. The key components included:

1. Welcome Session
2. Familiarisation of the Department
3. Mentoring Session
4. Informative Session
5. Creative Demonstration Session
6. Alumni Session
7. Human Values Session
8. Counselling Session
9. Cultural Activities Session

Glimpse of Different Sessions:

Welcome Session: Director, Prof. (Dr.) Dilip Kumar Gayen welcomed the parents and students to the institute and congratulated the students for securing admission to the College of Engineering & Management Kolaghat (CEMK). His speech was mainly focused on the mission, and vision of the college and the strengths of CEMK in terms of superior infrastructural facilities like laboratories and library, experienced teaching faculty, and job opportunities. After the director, HODs of concerned departments and foundation

departments (Basic Science, Humanities), Chairperson of SIP, and other officials also addressed the students.



Familiarization of the Department: Respective HODs introduced the students to the departmental faculties and staff. With the help of a PowerPoint presentation, HODs depicted the structure of the academic curriculum and resources available in the department. Finally, they arranged a visit to different laboratories of the departments for the students.

Mentoring Session: It was an important session. All the students met their respective mentors during this period.

Informative Session: Concerned faculties and staff members highlighted various central facilities of the college, like the Training & Placement cell, Credit card facility, NCC, NSS, and different clubs of the college through PowerPoint presentations and interactive sessions. The Director also delivered a lecture on the importance and utility of MOOCs (Massive Open Online Course) and MAR (Mandatory additional requirement).



Creative Demonstration Session: In this session, we invited two eminent personalities, Mrs. Debarati Chatterjee and Mr. Debasish Chakraborty from the field of music and recitation to explore the extracurricular activities of newly joined students.



Alumni Session: In this session, we had our alumni, a 2003 pass-out student, Mr. Indranil Chatterjee. He is presently working as a General Manager, at ITC IT Shared Services, ITC Infotech India Ltd. He shared his college life experience i.e. interaction with newly admitted students during his tenure in CEMK. He also presented a broad outline of the qualities for getting a job in the industrial sector.

Counselling Session: Counselling is very important in the existing competitive world in shaping the young student community who will be the mainstay of society tomorrow. For this purpose, we invited Dr. Apala Chatterjee. She is a professional counsellor and has also been attached to this college for the last three years.



Human Values Session: Dr. Dilip Debnath, Eastern Regional Coordinator and member of NCCIP, AICTE joined us as an eminent speaker in this session.



Cultural Activity Session: This was carried out both in online and offline modes. A good numbers of newly joined students took part and showcased their talent.



Group Photo of SIP committee members along with eminent personalities of creative fields: Mr. Chandan Mula (on Spanish Guitar), Mrs. Debarati Chatterjee (Singer), Mr. Debasish Chakraborty (Reciter)

Acknowledgement: I would like to convey my sincere thanks to the administration for giving me the opportunity to conduct 'Students' Induction Program (SIP)' 2024-25. I am thankful to my team members Dr. Chinmay Maiti, Mr. Shibaji Mondal, Mr. Avishake Kar for their active

role to organize this program. I would like to thank the faculties and staff who extended their cooperation during this period. I also would like to convey my deep wishes to my students for their participation in cultural event of SIP.

Regards,

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