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FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME REPORT ON

"NEW HORIZON IN HIGHER EDUCATION: CHALLENGES FOR ACADEMICIANS"

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Report:

Fairfield Institute of Management and Technology - School of Law, New Delhi in collaboration with IQAC (Internal Quality Assurance Cell), organised a Faculty Development Programme on "New Horizon in Higher Education Challenges for Academicians" attended by 24 faculties of all various departments of the institute.

The Faculty Development Programme was conducted on 29th December, 2023 at Multipurpose Hall, Wing A at 10:00AM. It was honoured by Prof. (Dr.) Mr. Afzal Wani (Advisor, FIMT), Prof (Dr.) SP. Singh (Advisor, FIMT), and Prof (Dr.) Shaveta Gagneja, (Director, FIMT- School of Law). The Faculty Development Programme was organised in two sessions.

The 1st session was taken by Prof (Dr.) Mr. Afzal Wani. He counselled about the importance of the overall development of Educator in shaping and giving new direction to the growth and advancement of the Higher Education System.

The Interactive session happened with faculties where the importance of Self-analysis as an Educator and how to connect with students psychologically, as each student is unique and hails from different background, relevance of writing research papers, to structure the lectures properly before delivering them in class was discussed.

The 2nd session was taken by Prof (Dr.) SP. Singh . He guided the Faculties how Educators can deal with challenges in the Higher Education System, that mainly arises due to reasons such as policy inconsistencies, lack of technological integration, brain drain, and lack of research infrastructure. It can be dealt with by enhancing flexible working arrangement, establishing innovative pedagogy techniques, access to E- learning platforms (digital libraries) and developing conjoint collaborating with co-workers and educational establishments.

The Dignitaries shared their experience as a newbie in the teaching field and had discussion with the faculties about how they tackled the challenges in the Higher Education System with changing times.

The Objective of the Event:

The objective of the Faculty Development Programme was to counsel the Faculties about Self Analysis as an Educator to work on their shortcomings as an individual and motivated them to contribute in enhancing the Education Standards of the institute with changing times.

The Outcome of the Event:

The Faculty Development Programme led to awareness among the faculties for shaping and giving new direction for the overall growth and advancement of the Higher Education System.