MANAGEMENT EDUCATION & RESEARCH INSTITUTE FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM ON TECHNOLOIGICAL AND BEHAVIOURAL DYNAMICS IN TEACHING

20TH -25TH JULY 2015

Monday 27 July 2015

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

1) Day 1 - 20th July 2015

Shri. I.P. Aggarwal, Chairman, M.E.R.I group of Institutions inaugurated the session.He emphasized the importance to attend faculty development program and suggested faculty to upgrade pedagogy skills by enhancing their knowledge and applying latest technology in teaching & learning.Prof Lalit Aggarwal,Vice President,MERI supported the opinion and encouraged participants by his benign presence.Prof. Y.L Grover, Director General, M.E.R.I emphasized on creative engagement and talent management of students.He focused on judicious mix of technology and text to facilitate teaching.

Prof A.K Agrawal, Dean Academics and Prof Aseem Makheeja, Dean Corporate also graced the occasion. Prof A.K Agrawal ensured all the systems and practices in place for success of FDP.Programme was anchored by Dr.Archna Sehgal who also wrote beautiful poem on MERI.Participants were all enthusiast professors of MERI who cooperated to the best of their effort for the successful completion of FDP.

Receptive Responsive Interested participants contributed lot in teaching learning process. True success of trainer lies on the contentment of learner. All sessions were quite interactive which facilitated customized learning for the participants. Intellectual rigour, extravaganza of activities, emotional involvement and technical sharpening of skills transformed FDP classroom as cheerful, energetic behavioral lab and technical workshop.

Intellectual rigor for Cognitive Development by invoking thought process and intellect was the attraction of the first day.Dr Neetu Jain, Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Public Administration initiated first technical session with Ice Breaking Exercises followed by Brain Storming, Management Activities. Participants were engrossed in brain storming sessions, activities and management games. Innovative and creative steps were suggested to dedicate our life for the transformation of students.

Dr. Vidhu Gaur, Assistant Professor, MDI, Gurgaon was knowledgeable & philosophical. Effective communication was taught with the help of eastern scriptures commandments and western philosophy. Will and skill mapping was explained for effective communication apart from many contemporary innovative concepts. She drove participants to think and reflect deeply.

2) Day $2 - 21^{th}$ July 2015

Indeed it was a day dedicated towards the development of Emotional Intelligence. Resource persons stimulated participants towards moral and ethical responsibilities.

Dr. Anjali Nigam, CEO & Founder Director, White Swan Consulting Group discussed on 'Enhancing People & Organizational Effectiveness' through transformational leadership. She transforms people by her initiatives of Neem School-Value Generating training and Gender Sensitization training. With beautifully quoted, heart touching case studies she tried to reinforce that "leadership starts from a single small step". She also developed a framework to transform students wherein all faculties' presented their inputs.

Dr.Umesh Sharma Psychologist,BHEL ,President SAMVEDNA focused on Talent Activation for Learning, Emotional empowerment and Nurturing Self Trust .He provided professional advice to the participants so that they can rightly encounter problems in their personal and professional life .He suggested practical steps to strike balance among conflicting priorities & multiple responsibilities. He tried to activate Natural Assets by helping individuals to flourish and thrive. Relevant actions and possible solutions were provided to the faculty as per their query.

Ms.Neeti Leekha Chhabra, Founder of Yes To life and Shruti her partner Sensitized women about Breast Cancer. They explained in detail all aspects about breast cancer and its associated precautions. True participants were awestruck to see her courage and conviction to overcome as a bold survivor and spreading real awareness. True Angels and Epitome of Positivity spreading lights. Salute to all Such Great Souls!!!

Dr Sanjiv Mittal, Dean USMS, GGSIPUniv held a technical session on RM.It comprised of all essential points to be considered while going for a research. Formulating topic, organizing Literature Review, Sampling Procedure, Research Design were discussed. He meticulously pointed hurdles encountered by researchers on the research journey and suggested guidelines to overcome it.

4) Day 23th July 2015

The Faculty was delighted to attend session of Mr.Vipin Sarin, Corporate Facilitator & Consultant who discussed the topic Delegation & Negotiation Skills for Organizational Development in a conceptual manner with corporate flavor. He focused on role of communication, interpersonal skills and other important components for BATNA.

Shri Kunhikrishnan enriched the audience on 'Health your Choice'. The topic was explained by citing Sholkas from Scriptures and connecting it to contemporary lifestyle. His wisdom enlightened the audience for holistic development.

Kanika Gandhi, Asst.Professor, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Usha & Lakshmi Mittal Institute of Management session was technical yet involving. Right from entering data in SPSS to applying accurate test and interpreting tables for analysis were discussed. Class turned as lively workshop where she helped participants right from installation of SPSS to analysis. Data set prepared by her was really very helpful which facilitate learners to apply the test and interpret results accurately.

Finally during the valedictory session 'Certificate of Participation' was given to all faculty members who were a part of this event by Prof. Y.L.Grover, Director General, M.E.R.I. Programme was organized by me Maitri Asst. Prof Management under the guidance of Prof.A.K Agrawal Dean, MERI.

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