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IIM-Tiruchy marks Foundation Day

Tiruchy: IIM-Tiruchy on Tuesday celebrated its 11th Foundation Day in a brief ceremony on their campus. With the participation of institute Director Dr Pawan Kumar Singh, and Sadish Babu, Executive Director - Human Resources, NLC India Limited as the chief guest, the event saw IIM management showcasing the various achievements of the college since its inception in 2011 and felicitated the various employees who had been employed for more than 10 years. To mark the occasion, a memoir, "A Decade of IIM Tiruchy" was released. Jalaj Dani, Chairman, Board of Governors, IIM-Tiruchy, thanked the non-teaching staff for their dedication.

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Foundation day of IIM-T celebrated

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GREEN FOUNDATION: IIM staff and students plant trees as part of foundation day

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Trichy: The 11th foundation day of the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Trichy was celebrated here on Tuesday.

The event was attended physically by the students, faculty and staff of IIM and virtually by the institute's board of governors and alumni.

Director of IIM Trichy Pawan Kumar Singh welcomed the gathering and expressed heartfelt gratitude towards the preceding directors and chairpersons for laying the institute's foundation and their role in shaping the institute in its present form.

Jalaj Dani, chairman, board of governors thanked non-teaching staff for supporting the faculty and students despite the considerable health risks in light of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Executive director, human resources NLC India Limited Sadish Babu, who was the chief guest, shared his learnings and experiences over three decades of his professional career.

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Faculty and staff who have completed 10 years of service were felicitated at the event.

IIM-T completes a decade

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Having completed a decade of eventful existence, Indian Institute of Management - Tiruchi celebrated its Eleventh Foundation Day on Tuesday reflecting on the milestones achieved so far.

A video presentation highlighted the journey of the institution and its achievements since its inception in 2011. A memoir titled 'A Decade of IIM Trichy' was released on the occasion. While students, faculty, and staff took part in the celebrations in person, the event was witnessed virtually by the institute's Board of Governors and alumni.

The chief guest, Sadish Babu, Executive Director - Human Resources, NLC India, dwelt at length on attributes of effective leaders. While managers generally rely on data for decision-making, along with their intuitions and common sense, an effective leader is one who promotes a work cul-



Sadish Babu, Executive Director - HR, NLC India, plants a sapling on IIM-T premises on Tuesday. •

ture filled with integrity, ethics, hard work, and empathy. A leader must also provide an umbrella of safety for their employees to develop trust and good relations, Mr. Sadish Babu said.

Elucidating further on how an organisation's success or failure is based on leadership excellence, he advocated three ways: expecting more from oneself every passing day; never letting success feed ego or let failures cause dishearten-

ment; and doing something meaningful and impactful to create a legacy.

Later, Mr. Sadish Babu planted saplings on the campus in the presence of Institute Director Pawan Kumar Singh, faculty, staff and students.

In his address, Jalaj Dani, Chairman, Board of Governors, IIM-Tiruchi, expressed his gratitude to the parents and corporates for supporting the students during the pandemic, and called upon the alumni to give back to the institute.

Best project

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IIM Trichy to use Class X, XII score for MBA entry

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Chennai: For the first time, Indian Institute of Management-Trichy (IIM-Trichy) has decided to give weightage to Class X and XII marks for admission to its Post Graduate Programme in Management (PGPM) programme from the 2022-23 academic year.

The institute is also planning to increase its intake by 140 seats this year, and will admit 410 students from this academic year.

"Earlier, we used to give 10% weightage in admission for UG scores. This year, the admission committee decided to break down the 10% to give 2% weightage to Class X marks, 3% for Class XII marks and 5% for graduation marks. Students with consistent academic performance will get preference in the new weightage system," said professor Prashant Gupta, chairperson, admissions, IIM-Trichy.

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IIM-Trichy planning to call around 20,000 for common admission process

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As per the admission policy for PGPM 2022-24 batch, 50% weightage will be given for CAT scores, 25% weightage for personal interview, 3% weightage for verbal comprehension, 5% weightage for work experience, 10% weightage for academic performance, 2% weightage for professional qualification and 5% weightage for female candidates.

Last year, IIM-Trichy had an intake of 240 seats in its PGPM course and 30 seats in PGPM-HR programme. "We are planning to increase the intake in PGPM to 360 and to 50 in PGPM-HRS," Prashant Gupta said.

IIM-Trichy will conduct the common admission process 2022 (CAP 2022) on behalf of nine IIMs in Bodh Gaya, Jammu, Kashipur, Raipur, Udaipur, Ranchi, Sambalpur, Sirmour and Trichy. Overall, the number of seats available for common admission process 2022 is likely to increase by around 200 this year. "We expect approximately 2,600 seats will be available for the admission process," he added.

In a release, the institute said the nine IIMs have decided to exclude the written ability test (WAT) like last year and conduct personal interview online due to the Covid-19 outbreak.

"IIM-Trichy used to give 10% weightage to WAT. Now that weightage

for personal interview has increased from 18% to 25% and remaining three percent weightage will be given to verbal comprehension, which will be taken from the candidates' CAT score," officials said.

Last year, around 17,500 students had been invited for common admission process and 13,000 students appeared for the interview. This year, IIM-Trichy is planning to call around 20,000 candidates and is expecting around 15,000 candidates to take part in the process due to increase in seats. The last date for CAP 2022 registration is January 28.

(With inputs from Vincent Arockia-raj in Trichy)

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IIM-Tiruchy to conduct admission interviews virtually

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IIM Tiruchy is all set to begin personal interviews for admissions to those shortlisted through Common Aptitude Test (CAT) from February 14. It will carry out the admission process on behalf of 9 IIMs alone, a release from the institution said.

IIM Tiruchy was entrusted with the responsibility of conducting the Common Admissions Process 2022 (CAP 2022) on behalf of nine IIMs in India such as IIM Bodh Gaya, IIM Jammu, IIM Kashipur, IIM Raipur, IIM Ranchi, IIM Sam-

balpur, IIM Sirmaur, IIM Trichy & IIM Udaipur. This will for admission to postgraduate programme 2022-24 batch.

Owing to the pandemic, the Written Ability Test (conducted after CAT) will be done away with and the personal interviews will be held in virtual mode. This will be based on a decision arrived through a meeting of the directors of the nine IIMs.

IIM Tiruchy, the CAP 2022 Coordinating IIM, had already declared the CAT result to the shortlisted candidates on January 18 for CAP 2022 registration. The last date for CAP 2022

registration is January 28. Following the registration, an intimation regarding the personal interview will be sent to the successfully registered candidates.

The personal interview had been scheduled in 3 weeks in 3 slots -- week 1: February 14 to 19; week 2: February 21 to 26; week 3: March 7 to 12. More than 16,000 to 17,000 students are expected to register for the interview using the link provided in the intimation.

The admission process to the remaining second generation and the first generation IIMs will be held separately and earlier.



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