

INDUSTRIAL INTERFACE FORUM- ANNUAL REPORT 2016-17

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The Industrial Interface Forum (IIF) aims at providing the students with hands-on experience of the technicalities involved in the industrial and professional fronts. Its main motto is bridging the gap between boardroom and classroom. As a part of the initiative, the IIF organizes Industrial visits as well as guest lectures for the benefit of the students.

The IIF conducted the following events in the year 2016-17:

- **Movie Screening:** The students were shown the Movie Enron: The Smartest Guys in the Room. The film examines the 2001 collapse of the Enron Corporation, which resulted in criminal trials for several of the company's top executives during the ensuing Enron scandal. It also shows the involvement of the Enron traders in the California electricity crisis. The students were explained about the importance of Corporate Ethics. The students discussed how the scam could have been prevented and what should be done to curb the wrong doings in the corporate front.
- **Industrial Visit:** An Industrial visit to the Godrej and Boyce Manufacturing Co. Ltd. was initiated. The students were taken to the Security Solutions Plant 17. They were explained about the marketing strategy undertaken, the human resource practices and the safety measures. Various processes to manufacture the safes and lockers were then explained.
- **Symposium:** A symposium on 'Demonetisation Demystified' was organized in collaboration with the Forum of Free Enterprise and the All India Bank Depositories' Association. Mr. H. P. Ranina, Mr. Sunil Bhandare and Dr. Mrs. Brinda Jagirdar were invited as guest speakers. Mr. Sunil Bhandare discussed the micro and macro effects of demonetisation in the long and short run. Dr. Mrs. Brinda Jagirdar apprised the audience with the term 'De-legalisation' of currency and enlightened them the need to bring all the processes of the Indian economy

into the mainstream to move towards a cashless economy. Mr. Ranina, acquainted the audience with the long veiled truth – ‘Cash is the Root of all Problems’. He shared his vision of a seamless and digitized economy. This was followed by a question and answer session. The symposium ended with a vote of thanks followed by the national anthem.

