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Management College Of The Year – 2017

No matter whatever a person is up to in his life, at the professional front, nearly everything involves some sort of 'Business' in it. An effective management skill helps the individuals in the management roles to take the right decision for an organization in times of crisis and react proactively before suffering damage. In India, many B-Schools are training technically equipped young graduates with the elementary business knowledge to face the complex economic situation. The top corporate firms are confirming the high demand for business graduates from varied specializations by recruiting a good number of management students even before the completion of their courses from their respective institutions.

Today, the successful completion of a business course guarantees the students with a wide range of career options, right from grabbing a managerial or executive level job to starting their own ventures upholding the leadership skills and analytical thinking learned from the course. Indian B-schools are adopting replicas of US business education, particularly in the area of pedagogy and curricula, giving equal inputs

to create competent employees and enthusiast entrepreneurs.

Owing to the high future prospects of the management courses, students having a knack for leading or managing an organization are inclining immensely towards the subject and spending a fortune on admission fees to get into prestigious B-schools that are promising to hand over the superlative education and placements. With increasing number of institutions, however, the reliability factor is also at the stake. Several B-Schools in the country generate graduates without any skills, instilling only theoretical learning followed by students facing the turmoil of unemployment.

Understanding the pain of business aspirants in the country, we have come up with a set of B-Schools that have performed well in parameters such as Infrastructure, Faculty, Industry interaction, Innovative programs, Research and Placements. We have categorized each entry by understanding the institute's key strength. In the next few pages, we bring you some of the top management schools across the country selected by our expert panel as the 'Management College of the Year, 2017.'



Name:

Shri Sant Gajanan
Maharaj College of
Engineering, DBA & R

Key Person:

Dr. Sunil Bhikamch and
Somani, Principal

Description:

A recognized business education hub, the institute provides incredible facilities for the pursuit of excellence and academically suitable climate to its students in terms of curriculum and curricular performance.

Website:

ssgmce.org

Department of Business Administration & Research, SSGCE: GIFTING VERSATILE LEADERS TO THE BUSINESS WORLD

In a corporate spectrum, where most of the professionals are lacking moral values, injecting a sense of spirituality works wonder on the behavior and the overall performance of the workforce. Hence, carrying along the ideal “Sarve Bhavantu Sukhinah” of the parent organization, Shri Gajanan Maharaj Sansthan, The Department of Business Administration and Research (DBA & R) was established in 1994 as the first Post-Graduate of department of Shri Sant Gajanan Maharaj College of Engineering (SSGCE).

“The world which is torn by turbulence and strife, the thoughts, words and deeds must be in harmony for showing care to the earth that is

sustaining us. We attempt to put values in our students which will help them to turn into decisive leaders,” says Dr. S. B. Somani, Principal, DBA & R. Welcoming 60 students annually, the department offers a two- years MBA course with the approval of AICTE, New Delhi. The department significantly, received three times accreditations from NBA, two times from NAAC and an ISO certification.

Blended Learning Approach

Initiated with the establishment of SSGCE in a rented building, the institution has built its own environmental friendly campus in about 82 acres incorporating cutting-edge facilities and infrastructure. The

institute also has a skill development center in its premises, to conduct soft skills training programme, induction programme and counseling sessions for breaking the humdrum of the classroom learning and letting students gaining a holistic development.

The teaching-learning process adopted by the faculty members who are experts in their fields, involves case studies, research involvement, focus on e-learning, arranging mock aptitude tests and so on. “We support our students throughout their session and motivate them to resume national and international industrial projects along with vocational industrial training which incredibly enhances their practical skills in accordance with

the theoretical knowledge,” opines Dr. Somani. The institution follows a transparent project, experiential and need based skill learning which is mostly demanded by the top recruiters around the country.

Supporting the needy students, the management of the institution also included Merit and GATE Scholarships, Financial assistance for project and research work, Sponsored funds, free Hostel and Mess facilities to needy students, Awards to GATE Scorers and Best Projects.

Stimulating a Research and Business Culture

Innovation demands research and research provide in-depth understanding and entrepreneurship ideas. Being known as the most prestigious B-school in Shegaon, a town and a municipal council in Buldana, Maharashtra, the institution has accorded the right symmetry of research, innovation and entrepreneurship activities which is

Centre” to foster innovation and research-minded bends in the students.

With close collaboration with the Maharashtra Centre for Entrepreneurship Development (M.C.E.D.), State Bank of India and Department of Science and Technology, New Delhi, DBA&R is executing a number of entrepreneurship development and research exercises within the campus. “Our parent organization, Shri Gajanan Maharaj Sansthan grants us an annual budget of Rs. 50 Lakhs for carrying out the research activities, patent filing and business incubation,” shares Dr. Somani. The students, who are enthusiast to start their venture, are provided financial support by the institution to set up and run their idea on pilot basis followed by taking it out the campus later for its commercialization.

Engendering Capable MBA Aspirants

The rapid evolution of the business environment and the vast transformations throughout

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contribute proven methodology and exercise. Accordingly, DBA & R has conserved this trend and associated with organizations like Associations of Indian Management Schools (AIMS), Confederation of Indian Industries (CII), Incubator Association (ISBA), Govt. of India ,just to name a few.

The college has also signed MoUs with MITSOM, Pune, MSME (Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises), Govt. of India, Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce Industry and Agriculture (MACCIA), Mumbai and became member of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) and The Indian STEP (Science and Technology Entrepreneurship Parks) and Business Incubator Association (ISBA), Govt. of India. The positive impacts of these collaborations are well witnessed by the placement rates of the students yearly, where they are placed in top companies like Axis Bank, Cognizant Technology Solutions, Unilever (HUL), Wipro InfoTech and the list hardly gets an end.

“We are blessed to retain a reputation in the industry which acts constructively both for the students and the institution. The long-term goal of the DBA & R is to maintain its heritage and produce more competent and committed managerial human resource with a spiritual foundation to serve the society,” concludes Dr. Somani. **HER**



embedded in its course curriculum without forgetting the industrial training of the students. The campus moreover owns the “Shri Gajanan Invention and Advanced Research

the academic realm prompted the requirement of strong relation between the academia and industry. It’s a mutual approach where the company offers business insights and the students

Dr. Sunil Bhikamchand Somani, Principal

Dr. Somani, Principal of Shri Sant Gajanan Maharaj College of Engineering, Shegaon. He is dedicated professional with 28 years of academic and 1 year of the industrial experience. He was awarded Best Service award in 1993 and Excellence in teaching award in 2012. He is trying hard to keep abreast rapid changes in the industry, academy and society at large and providing students with the best of facilities and resources for their overall development. Recently SSGMCE is honoured with Dewang Mehta Education Leadership Award- presented by 24th Business School Affaire & Dewang Mehta Education Awards. This award is in the recognition of Leadership, development, innovation & industry interface of the institute.

