

Symbiosis Institute of Business Management Hyderabad



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Report of National Unity Day Celebration October 31st, 2020

On the occasion of the **145th Birthday** of our **Iron Man of India Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel** the students of Symbiosis Institute of Business Management, Hyderabad came together to celebrate this momentous occasion, the **National Unity Day** on 31st October 2020, in a virtual mode adhering to the new normal. The event witnessed the entirety of the Symbiosis Hyderabad fraternity come together to celebrate the contribution of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Ji in uniting the country. The audience consisted of MBA 1st and 2nd year students. **237** People attended the event including students and faculty members.

The event began with one of our hosts quoting Sardar Patel Ji and emphasising the significance to be united and to stand by each other in good times and in bad. This was followed by the Unity Pledge taken by entire attendees.

Subsequently, **Dr. Ravi Kumar Jain**, Director, Symbiosis Institute of Business Management, Hyderabad, briefed the audience on how Unity Day is an important chapter in the history of India. Earlier, when India was ruled by the princely states, the resolve, clarity, and vision of one man united the entire country. Therefore, also known as the Chief Architect of New India. Our Director sir also highlighted how Sardar Patel Ji wanted the citizens of the country to promote and cultivate the idea of unity in our spirit, culture, and day-to-day lives. The speech concluded with an urge to the present and future generation to take responsibility and make our country "Shresth Bharat".



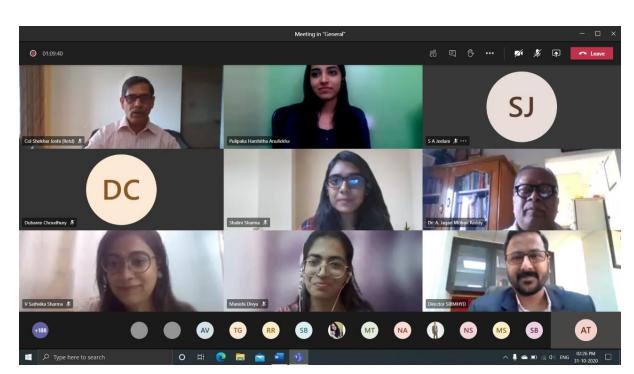
The event continued with a stunning **Monologue** brought to the audience by **Antardhwani Abhinay Team** exhibiting the journey of the Iron Man. The act gave a glimpse at the history of Sardar Patel's contribution to the freedom movement- his struggles and the myriad obstacles that he overcame to usher the nation into United India that it is known for.



Monologue by Team Antardhwani

After this brilliant performance, team **Hashtag and Shakti** of Symbiosis Institute of Business Management, Hyderabad presented videos on the journey of The National Unity Day celebrations on campus over the last few years, and members sharing their views on unity and its importance in present times respectively.

Following this important message, Campus Coordinator **Col. S.S.Joshi** addressed the gathering and shared the anecdotes of his journey in the army. After this **Team Shakti** prepared a short speech on how Unity Day is relevant in the current context.



Message by Col. S.S.Joshi

The event ended with the leaders of the **Student Council**, the President, and the Vice-President sharing their closing comments on the National Unity Day with the message of "Stay United and Stay Strong". The event reminded us of Sardar Patel and his contributions to upholding the essence of unity.

Event flow:

Time	Particulars
1:40 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Introduction and Pledge
2:00 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.	Director's Address
2:15 p.m. to 2:35 p.m.	Antardhwani's monologue
2:35 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.	Hashtag and Shakti's Video
2:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Address by Col. S. S. Joshi
3:00 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.	Closing address by President and Vice president

Poster for the event:



Lets take the Pledge of Unity

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Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel

> Date - 31st Oct' 20 Time- 1:40 pm Onwards