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**FIRANDE 2K18 – Overall Report**

**Conducted By-**

**CONSTELLATION (The Student Council of SIBM – Hyderabad)**

**8<sup>TH</sup>& 9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2018**



## **Day 1 (8<sup>th</sup> January 2018)**

### **THE BEST ATTRACT THE BEST!**

Entire SIBM-H campus was abuzz with preparation and activities, for the Annual Management and Cultural Extravaganza – Firande 2k18 held from Jan 8<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Around 200 students from over 25+ top colleges from across the country and the state had come down to SIBM-H to part in the second edition of Firande.

The opening ceremony was held at the auditorium wherein the Chief Guest, Dr. K. R. Gangadharan, Dr. Ravi Kumar Jain, Director SIBM-H, and Mr. Megh Risaldar, Head – HR, India, South East Asia, Hong Kong and Middle East at Monster.com, graced the occasion.



### Lighting the lamp to kick off Firande 2k18

Dr. Rajkumar Pillay, Faculty In-charge for Student Activity at SIBM-H, welcomed the gathering. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. K. R. Gangadharan and Mr. Megh Risaldar captured the attention of the audience with anecdotes from their professional and personal lives. Addressing the gathering, Dr. RK Jain, extolled the virtues of independent thinking and how SIBM-H does things differently while empowering student and making the leaders of tomorrow. Dr. Dr. K P Venugopala Rao, Deputy Director, SIBM-H delivered the oath of thank.



Dr. Ravi Kumar Jain addressing the gathering



Mr. Megh Risaldar addressing the gathering



Dr. K.R. Gangadharan being welcomed onto the dias

The academic and non-academic club events started off with lots of enthusiasm and gusto. The academic block at SIBM-H was filled with students from various colleges vying for top honours in all the events.



### Students participating in Firande Activities

The judges faced a challenging task in short listing the final candidates for the events; to have the grand finale on Day 2. The variety of events was astounding with 17 events from academic and non-academic clubs. Events included cHakRavyuha (HR event), Vittarth (Finance event), Opsera (Operations event),

Agamy (club Samarthya), Mark-O-Poly (Marketing event), PicFlick and Just-a-minute (club Inkquisitive); among many others!

The Day 1 ended on a rousing note with dramatics and singing performances by the visiting teams including the in-house Antardhwani (cultural club). Post this students and participants enjoyed the performances of singers brought on for adding a lyrical and melodious touch to the action packed Day 1 of Firande 2k18!

## **Day 2 (8<sup>th</sup> January 2018)**

The final day of Firande 2k18 started off with a bang as all participants and events were on a final lap and fantastic cash prizes were up for grabs. The excitement in the air was unmistakable! One could clearly see the passion and



dedication of the participants as they used all their knowledge and wits to come out on top. The day had final rounds for all the club events which culminated in a grand final at 5.30 PM.

A specially constructed stage, decorated beautifully by the Graffiti and OC clubs, was the place for the valedictory function to take place. After a hard fought day of exciting and engaging events, the stage was set for the winners to be recognized and celebrated.

Dr. Geoffrey Clements (Chairman – Commonwealth Infrastructure Partners, UK) graced the occasion as the chief guest for the evening and the gathering was addressed by the Dr. Ravi Kumar Jain. The President of the Student Council, Mr. Vivek Aditya Tangirala expressed his vote of thanks. The night concluded with sublime performances from fashion teams and stirring dance performances from participants which kept the audiences in a continuous state of applause!



We hope that Firande 2k19 next year takes things to an even higher altitude and leverages the dynamic brand and culture of Symbiosis Institute of Business Management – Hyderabad!

Dr. Rajkumar Pillay  
Incharge- Student activity

Dr. Ravi Kumar Jain  
Director