REPORT OF STORY OF ACHIEVERS

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A motivational talk by a successful alumni in the textile and fashion industry was organized for students of Textile and Fashion Technology to provide them with insights, inspiration, and guidance on pursuing their career endeavours in the dynamic world of textile and fashion technology. The guest speakers, shared their journey, experiences and valuable lessons learned along the path to success. The invited alumni of the Department of Textile and Fashion Technology included Ms. Khyati Shah Merchandiser, Sai Baba Garments; Ms. Laveen Jain, Textile Merchandiser, Shraddha Creation Pvt. Ltd. and Ms. Tejashree Gaikwad, Lifestyle Journalist, Hindustan Times (Digital) & Owner of Stylet Boutique.

Objectives:

1. To inspire students to pursue career in the textile and fashion industry. 2. To provide insights into the challenges and opportunities inherent in building a career in textile and fashion industry.

3. To share practical advice and strategies for success based on the speaker's personal experiences.

4. To encourage students to leverage their skills and knowledge to create impactful and sustainable ventures in fashion.

Key Highlights of the Talk:

1. Personal Journey: All the guest speaker Ms. Khyati Shah, Ms. Laveen Jain and Ms. Tejashree Gaikwad shared their personal journey, highlighting the challenges, setbacks, and pivotal moments that shaped their career path. They emphasized the importance of resilience, perseverance, and a growth mind-set in overcoming obstacles and seizing opportunities.

2. Vision and Passion: Ms. Laveen Jain underscored the significance of having a clear vision and passion for the fashion industry. They encouraged students to identify their unique strengths, interests, and values, guiding them in aligning their entrepreneurial pursuits with their personal and professional aspirations.

3. Innovation and Creativity: Innovation and creativity are fundamental drivers of success in the fashion industry. Ms. Tejashree Gaikwad emphasized the need to think outside the box, embrace experimentation, and continuously push the boundaries of traditional fashion norms to stay ahead in a competitive market.

4. Building a Brand: Building a strong brand is essential for establishing credibility, connecting with consumers, and fostering loyalty. Both Ms. Laveen Jain and Ms. Tejashree Gaikwad shared insights into brand building strategies, including storytelling, brand identity development, and customer engagement, drawing from their own experiences in creating a distinctive brand presence.

5. Adaptability and Resilience: The fashion industry is inherently dynamic and subject to rapid changes in trends, consumer preferences, and market dynamics. Ms. Khyati Shah highlighted the importance of adaptability and resilience in navigating uncertainty and evolving with the ever-changing landscape of the textile and fashion industry.

Outcome

This interactive event served as a source of inspiration, empowerment, and guidance for students of Textile and Fashion Technology aspiring to embark their career in the field of textile and fashion industry.

Photo evidence





Flyer of the event

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