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UNIVERSITY OF DELHI
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Location of the Event: Seminar Hall

The Business economics department held a student mentorship session for the business economics students on 20th of November, 2023, featuring distinguished alumni, Piyush Jain and Muskan Tewari, who shared their valuable insights and experiences with the current student body. The event aimed to guide students in career development, specifically focusing on LinkedIn networking, profile building, the benefits and challenges of studying abroad, and the process of applying to foreign universities.

Speakers' Profiles:

Piyush Jain:

M.Sc. Management, Lancaster University, England, UK

Currently employed at Haynes and Boone LLP, London

Notable experiences include participation in the Lancaster Case Competition and work at a gaming company in Lancashire, UK.

Muskan Tewari:

M.Sc. Business Administration, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Berlin, Germany

Winner of Circle U. Challenge – “Car Free Liveability in Oslo”, Belgrade, Serbia

Worked with e-commerce and tech startups in Berlin, Germany.

Event Highlights:

1. The Power of LinkedIn:

The session kicked off with a discussion on the significance of LinkedIn in professional networking. Piyush and Muskan highlighted the importance of maintaining an updated profile, engaging with content, and making meaningful connections. They provided insights on recommendations, awards, experience, and education sections to enhance profiles.

2. Crafting Your College Profile:

The speakers provided guidance to college students on crafting robust profiles. They highlighted the significance of diversifying experiences by engaging in sports, clubs, internships, community service, publications, certifications, and language courses. They emphasized these activities as instrumental in fortifying a well-rounded profile for future endeavors.

3. Studying Abroad - Pros and Cons:

Piyush and Muskan shed light on the benefits and challenges of studying abroad. They discussed the importance of lifelong connections, independent living, international outlook, and personal development. The challenges, including homesickness, winter depression, and cultural shock, were candidly addressed.

4. Applying to Foreign Colleges:

Practical advice on shortlisting courses, countries, and universities, along with information on available scholarships and required exams (GMAT/GRE, IELTS/TOEFL), was shared. The importance of research, applying in the appropriate intake, and considerations for part-time work were discussed.

The session concluded with an interactive Q&A where students had the opportunity to pose questions to the alumni. Piyush and Muskan provided thoughtful and insightful answers, sharing their experiences and wisdom with the audience.

Conclusion:

The Alumni Mentorship Session emerged as a highly valuable and enlightening event, affording students a firsthand peek into the professional realm via the journeys of accomplished Aryabhatta College alumni. This collaborative initiative between the faculty and alumni aimed to offer guidance and bolster support for the present student cohort, enriching their comprehensive growth. Notably, the speakers graciously committed to mentoring five students each who aspire to pursue opportunities abroad. Around 50 students attended the event.





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