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International Women's Day Celebration

IIMS celebrated **International Women's Day 2026** with great enthusiasm, honoring the achievements and contributions of women. The occasion was marked by the presentation of the prestigious **Alumni "Rann Ragini" Awards 2026** to distinguished alumni for their excellence in various fields. The event inspired students and highlighted the strong bond between the college and its alumni community.



Global Insights Club Session - Women's Day Special

On International Women's Day, the Global Insights Club at IIMS hosted a special Group Discussion on *Geopolitics, Business Impact & Women in Leadership*. Students explored thought-provoking topics such as the link between gender diversity and corporate profitability, and whether diversity should be prioritized over experience in leadership roles. The session strengthened critical thinking, confidence, and global business awareness through engaging dialogue and collaborative learning.



Global Insights Club Session - Iran Israel War

Members of the Global Insights Club engaged in a thought-provoking discussion on the escalating US–Israel and Iran tensions and their impact on the global economy.

The session explored key issues including energy security, global trade routes like the Strait of Hormuz, market volatility, and implications for India's economy.

Participants shared diverse perspectives on how geopolitical events shape business and economic stability worldwide. The discussion reflected the club's commitment to building global awareness and analytical thinking among future professionals.



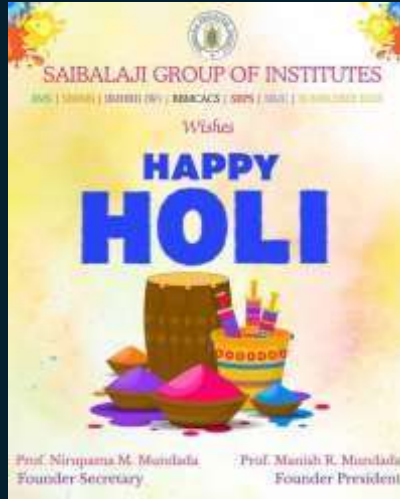
1st Foundation Day of Case Club

The Case Club at IIMS Pune proudly celebrated its 1st Foundation Day on 6th March 2026, marking a year of excellence and growth. What began as a platform to nurture analytical thinking has evolved into a vibrant space for case discussions, competitions, and collaborative learning. Over the past year, the club has inspired students to develop strategic problem-solving skills and business acumen. The celebration reflected the club's remarkable journey in shaping future leaders.



Holi Festive

IIMS extends warm wishes to everyone on the joyous occasion of Holi. May this festival of colors bring happiness, positivity, and new beginnings into your life. Let the vibrant spirit of Holi inspire unity, friendship, and celebration across our IIMS family. Wishing you a safe, colorful, and memorable Holi.



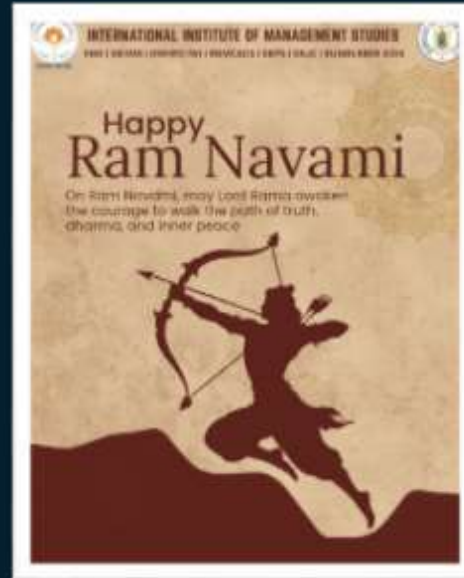
Case Club -Business Model & Geopolitical Case

The Case Club at IIMS Pune conducted a session on *Business Models and Geopolitical Case Analysis*, focusing on how companies create value and how global politics shapes business decisions. Members explored the fundamentals of business models, including value creation, revenue streams, and cost structures. The session included a real-world case discussion followed by a geopolitical activity on Free Trade Agreements, highlighting the impact of international relations on trade and strategy. The session enhanced participants' analytical thinking, structured problem-solving, and global business understanding.



Ramnavmi

IIMS extends heartfelt wishes on the auspicious occasion of Ram Navami. May the divine blessings of Lord Rama bring peace, prosperity, and happiness to all. Let this sacred day inspire values of truth, righteousness, and compassion in our lives. Wishing everyone a blessed and joyous Ram Navami.



Case Study Competition - The Future of Indian Industry

Team of students of IIMS Pune secured **3rd Position** at the **Future of Indian Industry – Case Study Competition 2026**, presented by **Atlas Copco** and **The Manufacturing Frontier**.
This achievement reflects the team's analytical excellence, innovation, and collaborative spirit.



Case Club – Growth Strategy & Organizational Behavior

Case Club, IIMS Pune conducted an insightful session on the **Ansoff Matrix**, helping members understand how companies choose growth strategies through products and markets. Participants explored the four key approaches to business expansion and their impact on long-term success. The session also included an organizational behaviour activity that enhanced students' **decision-making abilities** and provided valuable exposure to real corporate challenges and team management.



Transformative Learning Session - Certifications

IIMS Pune successfully conducted two industry-focused certification programs for its students — a 2-day **Power BI & Tableau** program, and a 3-day **Financial Modelling** program. These sessions provided hands-on exposure to data visualization, dashboard creation, financial forecasting, and business decision-making tools. Students gained practical skills in analyzing data, building reports, and transforming insights into strategic actions. The programs significantly strengthened their analytical capabilities and enhanced their readiness for future corporate roles. Such initiatives continue to bridge the gap between academic learning and industry expectations at IIMS Pune.



Transformative Learning Session - Workshop

The Agribusiness Management students of IIMS Pune successfully completed a two-day practical workshop on **“Sensory Evaluation of Foods & Its Applications in the Food Industry,”** organized with NAFARI. Students explored key sensory evaluation techniques such as the Triangle Test, Threshold Test, Duo-Trio Test, and Ranking Method through hands-on activities. The workshop enhanced their understanding of food quality assessment, consumer preference, and the role of sensory analysis in the food industry. This certification program provided valuable industry-oriented learning and practical exposure for future agribusiness professionals.



Transformative Learning Session - Industry Academia Interface

IIMS Pune organised a conclave on “**AI – Impact and Transformation,**” featuring **Panel 1 on “Re-Skilling for AI Transformation”** and **Panel 2 on “Data Analytics and Business Intelligence.”** Industry experts shared how AI is reshaping business functions and creating new opportunities across sectors. Students gained valuable insights into the importance of continuous learning, adaptability, and data-driven decision-making in today’s workplace. The event successfully bridged academic learning with emerging industry trends and future career readiness.



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