

IIM Raipur's EPGP batch 3 kicks off II campus immersion prog

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RAIPUR: The Executive Post Graduate Program in Management (EPGP) Batch 3 at the Indian Institute of Management Raipur (IIM Raipur) has commenced its second campus immersion program from May 27, 2024. This program marks the beginning of an enriching and transformative experience for the participants. The EPGP Batch 3 comprises a diverse group

of professionals, with 82% male and 18% female participants from various fields including engineering, technology, computer science, IT, commerce, science, arts, and management. The participants bring substantial experience, ranging from 25 months to over 61 months, and represent a wide age range from 25 years to over 45 years. The cohort includes professionals from MNCs, banking and financial institutions, gov-



ernment bodies, self-businesses, and corporate entities, both from India and abroad, including the USA, UAE, UK, Singapore, Kuwait, and Kenya, fostering a global learning envi-

ronment. **Social Entrepreneurship Event:** The immersion program commenced with a seminar on Social Entrepreneurship. The chief guest,

Deepak Soni, IAS, Commissioner of MGNREGA, Department of Panchayati Raj & Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Chhattisgarh, was welcomed by Prof. Diptiman Banerji and the Corporate Outreach Committee. Mr. Soni shared insights on social entrepreneurship initiatives, including the 'vocal for local' movement, and emphasized the importance of generating self-employment opportunities and ener-



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gizing cooperatives. He also discussed the "6Ps of Social Entrepreneurship" and engaged in an interactive session with the participants. During the event, Mr. Soni shared his experiences and insights on various social entrepreneurship initiatives, including the establishment of Bihan, a self-help group promoting the 'vocal for local' movement, and its successful implementation at IIM Raipur.

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