

IIM Trichy inaugurated a three-day Management Development Program *titled* ‘High Potential Women Leaders Programme’ for VDart Technologies Pvt Ltd.

Indian Institute of Management Tiruchirappalli inaugurated a three-day Management Development Program titled ‘High Potential Women Leaders Programme’ for VDart Technologies Pvt Ltd. This program aims to put the spot-light on the high potential women executives who have the potential to rise up to the C-suite. The program aims to cultivate the knowledge and skills needed for this journey.

The event was graced by – Mr. Sidd Ahmed, President & CEO (VDart Inc.), Mr. Oliver Sam, Vice President - People Strategy and Transformation (VDart Inc.), Dr. Pawan Kumar Singh, Director, IIM Tiruchirappalli, Prof. Saravanan P, Dean (Corporate Relations and Faculty Affairs), Prof. Abhishek Totawar, Programme Director. The inaugural ceremony began with the lighting of the lamp.

Prof. Saravanan P, Dean (Corporate Relations and Faculty Affairs) welcomed the participants and outlined the goals of the course. He briefed all about the institute, the courses offered, and highlighted the impact a leader could make by immersing oneself in this curriculum.

In his address, Mr. Oliver (Vice President - People Strategy and Transformation, VDart Inc.) talked about the social and economic impact created by VDart in the Trichy region by creating high quality employment opportunities. He applauded the Women Leadership Committee (of VDart) and highlighted how small steps can lead to effective societal changes. He urged everyone to be as calm and abundant as an ocean, even in adversity.

Mr. Sidd Ahmed, President & CEO - VDart Inc., highlighted how leadership affects communities and transforms the trajectory of people's lives. He urged everyone to utilize the learning opportunity rendered by the this program towards transforming and touching the lives of the people in times to come. He emphasized the practical aspect of learning rather along with the formal form of education if one wishes to become an effective leader.

Dr. Pawan Kumar Singh, Director, IIM Tiruchirappalli, applauded the program's objectives and said that leadership comes naturally to women. He urged the participants to meditate for answers and to know the right questions to ask in order to be an effective leader. He said that an excellent leader guides the pathway and creates leaders in the process.

Prof. Abhishek Kumar Totawar (Programme Director, High Potential Women Leaders Programme) proposed the vote of thanks. The ceremony concluded with the national anthem.