



INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT TIRUCHIRAPPALLI

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INAUGURATION OF CHENNAI CENTRE ON NOVEMBER 21ST

Indian Institute of Management Tiruchirappalli, the 11th IIM in the country started its journey on January 4, 2011. The second batch of the PGP and the first batch of the Fellow Programme in Management [doctoral programme] commenced on June 13, 2012 at Trichy. Among the fourteen full-time faculty is a French national, and others who hail from premier institutions in India & abroad, and with a rich and diverse experience in industry and research. Its state-of-the-art Learning Resource Centre built at a cost of over a crore, features a fully automated RFID-based modern Learning Information Centre and is equipped with CCTV and WiFi connectivity.

IIM Tiruchirappalli commenced the inaugural batch of its 3-year Post Graduate Programme in Business Management (PGPBM) for working executives in at its Chennai Centre in August 2012. 28 students have enrolled for the programme. PGPBM is one of the flagship programmes of the Institute and is specifically designed to enable working executives who aspire to equip themselves with a formal management education. The inaugural batch will be awarded the PGDBM at the annual convocation at Trichy in March 2015.

FORMAL INAGURATION OF THE CHENNAI CENTRE

The centre is located at 45, Nehru Street {1st Floor of Ramaniyam Siddharth Building} at Industrial Estate North Phase, Ekkattuthangal {Nearest landmark: Next to Amway office, Near Jaya TV, Off Kasi Theater Bridge}.

The centre was inaugurated by Dr T S Sridhar, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Tamil Nadu on Wednesday, November 21, 2012. Shri M Damodaran, Chairman, Board of Governors, IIM Tiruchirappalli presided over the function. In the presence of Dr. Prafulla Agnihotri, Director, Prof. V. Gopal, Dean (Academics) and Prof. Suresh Paul Antony, Chairperson, PGDBM {Chennai Centre}.

IIM TIRUCHIRAPPALLI - CHENNAI CENTRE

The Chennai Centre has two 60-seat classrooms, one 40-seat classroom, one 25-seat classroom, one 15-seat conference hall, two 7-seat meeting rooms, eight faculty and administrative offices, one 15-seat computer lab, and a library. The centre is Wi-Fi enabled. The Learning Resource Centre {library} will be further augmented with additions to its growing collection and a VPN to access e resources already subscribed at IIM Trichy campus, and videoconferencing facility.

IIM Trichy will also utilize this Chennai Centre to offer short-term executive education {Management Development Programmes} as well as certification programmes. In addition, the centre will serve as a convenient platform to conduct placement-related activities for its two-year programme at Trichy.

PGDBM

The admission process for the 2nd batch of PGPBM will be announced in leading dailies in March 2013. The application form and programme brochure will be available for free

download at the Institute's website (www.iimtrichy.ac.in). Applicants will be selected after preliminary scrutiny, a written test and a personal interview. The intake will be around 40.

The curriculum is completely aligned with the 2-year full-time Post Graduate Programme in Trichy, and includes 18 core courses, 15 elective courses, and one industrial project, spread over three years. The faculty comprises the permanent and guest faculty of IIM Trichy. Specifically designed to cater to the needs of the working executives, classes are held on evenings, Wednesday to Saturday, 18:45 hrs. to 21:30 hrs.

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