## **Press Release**



## **Indian Institute of Management Tiruchirappalli**

## IIM Tiruchirappalli Conducts its 2<sup>nd</sup> HR Conclave

IIM Tiruchirappalli organised the second edition of its annual HR Conclave on 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2014 at Hilton Hotel in Chennai. The event was a huge success with active participation from corporate and academic fronts. The objective of the conclave was to offer a forum for the industry and academia to come together and share the latest knowledge and practices in the field of HRM.

The event was inaugurated by Mr. Sunil Kumar, Centre Head, World Bank. Dr. Prafulla Agnihotri, Director, IIM Tiruchirappalli addressed the gathering during the inauguration.

This was followed by a panel discussion on "Is Organisational Citizenship Behaviour a Myth?" by Dr. Vishal Shah, VP– Corporate HRD, Wipro Limited; Mr. Yogesh Mariwalla, Executive Director, Index Advisory Pvt. Ltd. and Dr. Deepak Malhotra, VP-HR, IL&FS Environmental Infrastructure & Services Ltd.

The participants, including corporates, students of IIM Tiruchirappalli and other business schools took this opportunity to interact with the panellists and get cues to carve their way to be the leaders of tomorrow influencing change.

The second panel discussion went on with the theme "Does Organisational Commitment translate into Personal Growth?" for which the panellists were Ms. Aparna Sharma, Country Head –HR, Lafarge India; Ms. Sindhuja Shankar, Head-HR, World Bank Group and Mr. Prince Edison, VP-HR, Bharti Airtel Ltd.

The post lunch session was equally interesting and interactive with a panel discussion on "Diversity: A Competitive Advantage". The panellists were Mr. Surya Prakash Mohapatra, India Head-Knowledge & Capability, HP GBS, Hewlett Packard; Ms. Rituparna Chakraborty, Senior VP & Co-Founder, TeamLease Services Pvt. Ltd. and Ms. Srimathi Shivashankar, Associate VP-Diversity & Sustainability, HCL Technologies.

The valedictory speech by Mr. Awdhesh Krishna, MD&Global Head of HR, Nomura marked a wonderful finishing to the proceedings of the day.

The event was concluded with a vote of thanks by Prof. Abhishek Totawar, Chairperson, Placement and External Relations from IIM Tiruchirappalli.