

## **Guest Lecture on Leadership Lessons From Lagaan**

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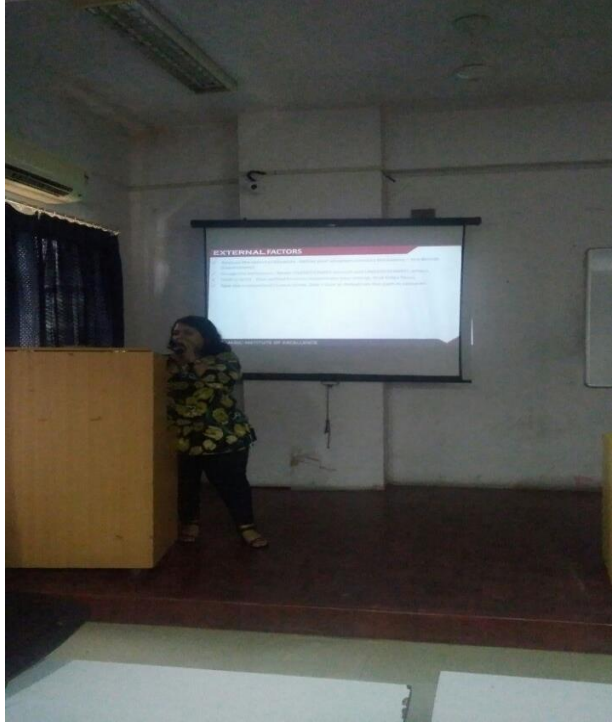
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The movie Lagaan was a big hit and a favourite of every cricket fan in India, it led our spirits high as we watched another Amir Khan hit cinema. The movie during its time and even today motivated and transformed lot of enthusiasm into the youths of today to work for the country, aiming the patriotic spirits to rise high. The seminar on leadership lessons from lagaan was a unique concept, where we carefully observed the movie clips in which Indians played cricket from scratch with the brilliant players of the British. We learnt that leadership is a trait and has nothing to do with seniority, designation or title; everybody has a different leadership quality that empowers people.

As the seminar went on, it gave us a few insights on the leadership qualities of Amir Khan in the movie, without which it would have been impossible to win this cricket match. There were few entrepreneurial approaches that we acquired, one is to make a beginning; it is very important to pause and collect all thoughts of a new idea and to make a new beginning. Secondly, one has to be led by passion and develop a attitude and mindset to win, third is to make the best use of the limited available resources and lastly to practice hard and train regularly.

Other motivational insights are to think of problems as opportunities, dreaming big and of definite goals, to accept challenges and most importantly to celebrate small wins.

The session ended with a small task, where we had put our creative caps on. With limited resources provided to us and paired in teams, we came up with some unique crafts and art. At the end, all of us enjoyed as we learnt how to work in a team, enhancing our leadership qualities.



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