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DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE



It gives me immense pleasure to introduce you to the Institute for Future Education, Entrepreneurship, and Leadership (iFEEL). Choosing the right management program is one of the most important decisions in a student's journey, and at iFEEL, we are committed to making that decision truly worthwhile.

iFEEL is a modern business school dedicated to nurturing entrepreneurial, leadership, and creative skills in future management professionals. As management education continues to evolve, our focus is on adopting innovative approaches that equip students with the right mindset, capabilities, and resilience to excel in a dynamic global business environment. At iFEEL, our vision is to create not just managers, but responsible leaders and entrepreneurs who will shape the future of business and society.

DR. SANJAY SALUNKHE
GROUP DIRECTOR

DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

I am proud of the progress iFEEL has made in achieving academic excellence and fostering holistic student growth. Together, we have built a vibrant environment that inspires curiosity, innovation, and leadership.

As management education evolves, iFEEL remains committed to staying ahead through cutting-edge programs and innovative teaching. The iFEEL Newsletter serves as a reflection of our journey, capturing the spirit of our academic initiatives, student achievements, industry interactions, and community events. It is a platform that connects all stakeholders—students, faculty, alumni, and partners—and showcases the values that define us: leadership, entrepreneurship, and innovation. I invite you to explore the pages of this newsletter with pride and enthusiasm, as it reflects the collective efforts and accomplishments that make iFEEL a truly unique institution.

DR. SAGAR BHADANGE
DEPUTY DIRECTOR



About iFEEL

The Institute for Future Education, Entrepreneurship, and Leadership (iFEEL), approved by AICTE, is redefining management education with its cutting-edge PGDM program in Marketing, Finance, HR and Operations. As a hub for visionary leaders and innovators, iFEEL prepares students to excel in a dynamic global business landscape with entrepreneurial zeal and leadership excellence. At iFEEL, we don't just educate; we inspire. Guided by the vision of Dr. Sanjay Salunkhe, iFEEL has been a beacon of excellence in management education for over 12 years. The institute has earned numerous accolades and prestigious memberships, including AACSB (Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business), ACBSP (Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs), and QAHE accreditation (The International Association for Quality Assurance in Pre-Tertiary and Higher Education), making it a globally recognized institution.

Programs Offered



Marketing

Certification in Digital Marketing



Finance

NISM certification



HR

Certification in Recruitment and Learning & Development



Operations

Certification in Six Sigma

Times B School Ranking 2025



iFEEL Awards



The Skill Development

Leadership Award -2023

'World HRD Congress' presented by 'Times Ascent'



I2OR International Education

Excellence Award -2022

International Day of Education -2022



Higher Education Review

Award -2018

Top 10 promising Business Analytics Institute

Message from Group Director and Deputy Director



Message from the Group Director

"At iFEEL, we empower future leaders and changemakers through values-driven education, driving innovation and societal transformation for a better future."

Dr. Sanjay Salunkhe



Message from the Deputy Director

"iFEEL is a collaborative ecosystem fostering excellence, impact, and inclusivity. We empower students, faculty, and partners to be agile, purpose-driven leaders, shaping a future-ready India."

Dr. Sagar Bhadange

Program Highlights

• IIM Ranchi Immersion Program

IFEEL organizes a 4-day Knowledge Immersion Program (KIP) in collaboration with IIM Ranchi, offering students an exclusive opportunity to experience academic excellence at one of India's premier management institutes. The program includes high-impact leadership and management sessions, interactive workshops, and engagements with IIM faculty and peers. Students gain exposure to best practices in business education and leadership, making it a transformational experience that extends far beyond the classroom.

• CFA Level 1 Training Program

For finance aspirants, IFEEL provides dedicated training for the globally recognized CFA Level 1 certification. The program includes expert coaching, concept clarity, and financial modeling. It equips students with the knowledge and credibility needed for a successful finance career.

• Value-Added Certifications

IFEEL offers a diverse range of industry-relevant certifications in areas such as Digital Marketing, NiSM Certifications, Six Sigma, and HR Analytics. These certifications complement classroom learning and provide hands-on skills that are highly valued by recruiters. They are conducted by certified trainers and industry experts.

• Global Change Leaders (GCL)

Previously known as Global Citizen Leadership, the GCL program focuses on leadership development through real-world problem solving, group exercises, and design thinking. It encourages students to think globally and act locally, fostering a mindset of innovation, empathy, and collaborative action.

• AI-Based Curriculum

Our PGDM program features an AI-integrated curriculum designed to prepare students for the future of work. From marketing automation to financial forecasting, students learn how AI is transforming industries. This forward-thinking approach ensures technical literacy in every specialization.

• 50+ Hours of AI Training

Every student undergoes over 50 hours of structured AI training tailored to their field of specialization. The training introduces AI concepts, tools, and applications relevant to business management. It empowers students with digital skills, regardless of their technical background.

• NEP 2020 Curriculum

IFEEL's curriculum is aligned with the National Education Policy 2020, offering flexibility, interdisciplinary learning, and a focus on ethics and critical thinking. It encourages holistic student development, promotes lifelong learning, and reflects modern education reforms.

• 100+ Hours of Placement Training

Students benefit from over 100+ hours of structured placement training, including aptitude tests, mock interviews, GD practice, and resume-building sessions. The training is personalized and guided by industry professionals to help students confidently face internship and final placement processes.

• National and International Study Tour

Our PGDM program includes optional national and international study tours that offer global exposure and real-time learning. These tours include company visits, cultural experiences, and academic sessions with international universities and corporates. They broaden perspectives and build cross-cultural understanding.

• Student Committees

IFEEL offers students the chance to be part of active student-run committees like the Corporate Relations Committee, Cultural Committee, Alumni Committee, and Event Committee. These platforms develop leadership, communication, and organizational skills while fostering student engagement and campus life.

CLUBS & COMMITTEE'S



iFEEL CLUBS & COMMITTEES

At iFEEL we have different Clubs and Committees for encouraging holistic development of students. These Clubs and Committees typically aims to foster Creativity, Leadership and Teamwork amongst the students.

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i6 COMMITTEE



Establishing and Maintaining relationships with companies.

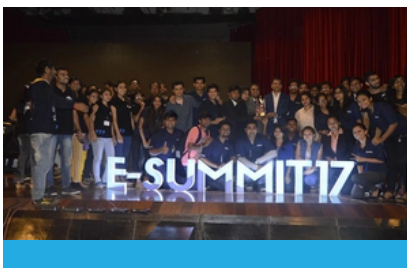
Inviting organization to participate in placement drives.

Keeping updated on industry trends and recruitment needs.

BUILDING CORPORATE RELATIONS

i6 Committee plays a crucial role in bridging the gap between students and the corporate world. The primary focus is to ensure students industry readiness and that the institute builds strong relationship with the top recruiters. The Committee ensures that students are equipped with the relevant skills and opportunities needed for successful careers.

E-CELL COMMITTEE



The E-Cell Committee welcomes all students passionate about innovation, leadership, and making difference. E-Cell Committee helps in creating the leaders & change makers of tomorrow.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL (E-CELL)

The Entrepreneurship Cell (E-Cell) is a vibrant and a dynamic committee of budding entrepreneurs dedicated in fostering the spirit of innovation and change contributing for a social cause. E-Cell serves as a hub for creativity, learning, and business innovation.

FOOD COMMITTEE



The Food Committee, led by students, is dedicated to fostering a culture of sustainability in food practices while advocating for nutritional eating habits that nourish the physique.

SERVING FLAVOURS, CREATING MEMORIES

The Food committee at iFEEL Plays an essential role in enhancing campus life by ensuring a delightful and nutritious dining experience for students, faculty, and staff. It collaborates with the cafeteria staff, conducts feedback surveys, and organizes special food events.

EVENT COMMITTEE

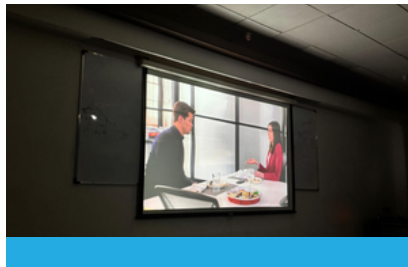


The Event Committee at iFEEL college fosters creativity, teamwork, and excellence, organizing memorable events that unite and inspire the campus.

IGNITING CAMPUS SPIRIT

The iFEEL College Event Committee stands as the backbone of the vibrant campus life, dedicated to organizing, coordinating, and executing a wide range of events that bring students, faculty, and staff together. From cultural extravaganzas to academic seminars, the committee ensures every event is a memorable experience.

MOVIE CLUB



EDUTAINMENT
Entertainment and
Relaxation.
Cultural and
Artistic Exposure.
Community
building
Education and
Entertainment.

LIGHT, CAMERA, ACTION

Movie Club plays a dynamic and creative role in enriching the student experience by providing a break from academic rigor through movie screenings, offering students a space to relax and unwind. Club features screenings of classic, contemporary and popular films.

EVENTS & CELEBRATION



iFEEL EVENTS & CELEBRATION

iFEEL hosts vibrant events, cultural festivals, management fests, and celebrations, fostering creativity, collaboration, lifelong memories.

[Discover More](#)





ABOUT INVICTUS

The iFEEL College Lonavala, Proudly hosted its annual sports fest INVICTUS 2025 from 23rd to 25th January 2025 at the iFEEL Sports Ground. The three-day extravaganza celebrated the true spirit of sportmanship, teamwork, and resilience. Students from different batches came together to compete in a wide range of indoor and outdoor events.

The atmosphere was filled with energy and enthusiasm as every match showcased determination and team spirit. The event not only encouraged physical fitness but also fostered leadership, collaboration and a healthy competitive spirit among participants.

FEBRUARY 1, 2025

BUDGET SESSION



ABOUT THE BUDGET SESSION

The Institute for Future Education Entrepreneurship and Leadership (iFEEL College Lonavala), hosted a Live Union Budget 2025 viewing and discussion session on February 1, 2025. The event brought together students, faculty, and finance enthusiasts to witness the Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman's presentation of the union Budget 2025-26.

The Session provided a unique platform for participants to gain first-hand insights into the government's policies, taxation reforms, Infrastructure investments, and developmental initiatives announced under the theme of "Viksit Bharat".

FEBRUARY 1, 2025

IIT BOMBAY E-SUMMIT



HONORING EXCELLENCE, INSPIRING THE FUTURE

IIT Bombay's Entrepreneurship Cell hosted E-Summit'25, Asia's largest student-led entrepreneurship summit, 1-2 February 2025. The dynamic two-day event welcomed over 50,000 participants. Highlights included the Ten Minute Million, offering upto Rs. 3.5 million in on-the-spot funding, a startup Expo showcasing 100+ ventures, and competitions like I-Hack, Entre-MUN, and Ace the Case. Attendees also benefited from workshops in tech, marketing, and analytics, along with mentorship sessions from leaders across industries. Supported by prominent sponsors like Westbridge Capital and AWS, E-Summit'25.



FEBRUARY 7, 2024

IIM RANCHI -IMMERSION PROGRAM



IIM RANCHI DIGNITARIES LEAD IMMERSION LEARNING PROGRAM

Elevating the academic experience, iFEEL hosted an exclusive Immersion Program in collaboration with the IIM Ranchi. The event was graced by the presence of our esteemed Chief Guest, Dr. Amit Sachan, Dean of Executive Education and Consultation at IIM Ranchi. He was joined by our distinguished Guest of Honor, Dr. Radha Yadav, Program Director, and Dr. Aman Kumar, Assistant Professor from IIM Ranchi. The program was meticulously designed to provide students with deep insights into contemporary management practices and strategic thinking.



FEBRUARY 15, 2025

PANEL DISCUSSION



The Panel discussion featured esteemed speaker Mr. Bhivek Mehata Deputy HR Manager at (Reliance), Mr Subhanish Malholtra, Vice President at (Welspun), and Mr. Alok Singh Sastri at Talent acquisition (Compucom), offering valuable insights on navigating the evolving market. The panel emphasized the importance of SOFT SKILLS such as adaptability, communication, leadership, and problem-solving.

CHATRAPATI SHIVAJI JAYANTI



iFEEL recently celebrated Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti with great pride and enthusiasm. Students showcased their talents through cultural performances, skits, and speeches, highlighting Shivaji Maharaj's ideals of courage, justice, and equality. The vibrant celebration not only honored our history but also inspired everyone to embrace his values of leadership, strategy, and integrity in today's times.

MARCH 3, 2025

AI AWARENESS WEEK



Industry Leaders Illuminate the Path Forward in AI

Keeping students at the forefront of technological innovation, the iFEEL successfully hosted AI Awareness Week, an initiative designed to explore the multifaceted impact of Artificial Intelligence on business and society.

The cohort benefited from the deep industry experience of Mr. Sudhin Baraokar, a Global AI and Digital Transformation Advisor, who delivered an engaging masterclass on "How to leverage the Tsunami of AI and deep tech: A once in a lifetime opportunity," drawing from his extensive background at SBI, Barclays, IBM, and GE.

Mr. Abhivardhan, Chairperson and Managing Trustee of the Indian Society of Artificial Intelligence and Law, provided invaluable insights into the critical legal and ethical frameworks shaping AI's future.

MARCH 3, 2025

AI AWARENESS WEEK



Rounding out the formidable line-up was Dr. Utpal Chakraborty, a leading AI & Quantum Scientist and Co-Founder of IndiqAI, who shed light on the scientific underpinnings and future trajectory of these transformative technologies. The event provided students with a holistic understanding of AI, spanning its legal, strategic, and technological dimensions, further equipping them to lead in an increasingly intelligent world.

MARCH 08, 2025

WOMEN'S DAY



ABOUT THE CELEBRATION

At iFEEL, we believe in nurturing an environment where women are encouraged to dream big, lead with confidence, and create impact. From classrooms to corporate boardrooms, women continue to inspire with their vision, dedication, and courage. This Women's Day, Let us Celebrate the changemakers, innovators, and leaders

around us and pledge to build a world where every woman can thrive without limits.

MARCH 20, 2025

BUSINESS MODEL PITCHING COMPETITION



ABOUT THE COMPETITION

The institute recently hosted an Entrepreneurship Business Model Pitching Competition under the flagship of its Institution's Innovation Council (IIC). We were honoured to welcome an esteemed panel of judges, including Dr. Atul Kumar from DY Patil B-School and Mr. Vaibhav Kabra, Assistant Vice President of Deutsche Bank.

Their expert insights and valuable feedback provided our aspiring entrepreneurs with a profound, real-world perspective, elevating the competitive spirit and quality of the innovative pitches presented.

APRIL 1, 2025

BARCLAY'S LIFESKILL TRAINING PROGRAM



ABOUT THE TRAINING PROGRAM

As part of ongoing commitment to corporate readiness, iFEEL hosted a professional development workshop in collaboration with Barclays. The session was expertly conducted by Ms. Bhargavi Kulkarni, a renowned Soft Skills Trainer and Keynote Speaker. Ms. Kulkarni shared invaluable insights on the essential interpersonal skills and professional etiquette required to thrive in the modern corporate landscape.



We extend our sincere gratitude to Barclays and Ms. Kulkarni for this impactful learning experience.

APRIL 7, 2025

BOLLYWOOD DJ NIGHT



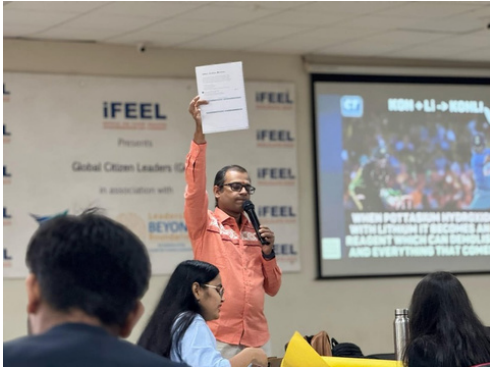
ABOUT THE BOLLYWOOD DJ NIGHT

The campus lit up with glamour, music, and energy as iFEEL hosted a fun-filled Bollywood Night. Students came together to celebrate the vibrant spirit of Bollywood through dance, music, and dazzling performances. The event was packed with excitement-from groovy dance numbers to melodious songs - making it a memorable night of joy and togetherness.

We extend our sincere gratitude to Barclays and Ms. Kulkarni for this impactful learning experience.

APRIL 11, 2024

GCL FINALE



BATTLE FOR GLORY: GCL FINAL

The much-awaited GCL Grand Finale was held with tremendous enthusiasm and showcased the spirit of innovation, teamwork, and leadership. After weeks of rigorous competition, the finale brought together the brightest minds to present their ideas and strategies. Emerging as the champions of the competition was Team Elric, while Team Ace secured the position of first runner-up, and the second runner-up title was proudly claimed by Team Ingenious Geniuses.



JUNE 2, 2025

SEP PROGRAM



The Student Engagement Program (SEP) is a unique 3-day learning experience designed to give aspiring management students deeper insights into life at iFEEL. The program introduces participants to the institute's culture, teaching pedagogy, and opportunities, while also helping them explore their potential as future leaders. Across three days, students engage in interactive sessions, case studies, management-focused activities, and company visits that expose them to real-world business scenarios.

JUNE 28, 2024

HR SUMMIT & AWARDS 2025



HONORING EXCELLENCE, INSPIRING THE FUTURE

The Institute For Future Education Entrepreneurship & Leadership (iFEEL) Proudly hosted the HR Summit & Appreciation Awards 2025 on 28th June 2025 at Hotel Sayaji, Pune. The event brought together over 100 distinguished HR leaders and Professionals to celebrate excellence and innovation in Human Resource Practices. Graced by Dr. Kiran Bedi as the Chief Guest, the summit highlighted the vital role of HR in shaping organizations and fostering collaborative growth.



JUNE 28, 2025

HR SUMMIT & AWARDS 2025



ABOUT THE HR SUMMIT & AWARDS

The event featured inspiring addresses by dignitaries, including Dr. Chandrasekhar Buddha, alongside the Chief Guest, Dr. Kiran Bedi, emphasizing HR's evolving role as a catalyst for innovation, transformation, and sustainable organizational growth. The event also celebrated themes of inclusive leadership and women's empowerment, reinforcing the importance of diversity in today's corporate landscape. Beyond honoring HR excellence, the summit served as a

valuable platform for industry-academia collaboration, providing iFEEL students with unique insights into contemporary HR trends and inspiring them to become future-ready leaders.

Our Proud Alumni



Priya Chachara (2019-21)
Oracle (U.K)



Chandrashekhar Singh Chouhan (2018-20)
Deloitte



Sudeepti Agarwal (2015-17)
Morgan Stanley



Ankita Kumari (Batch 2018-20)
Deloitte



Ankit Chitlane (Batch 2017-19)
KPMG



Kriti Sharma (Batch 2017-19)
PwC



Rajshri Jadhav (Batch 2015 - 17)
TATA ZUDIO



Akshay Kr. Thakur (Batch 2018-20)
PwC



Priyanka Patel (Batch 2023 - 24)
Godrej Capital Ltd

Our Proud Alumni



Ganesh Giramkar (2018-20)
Bank of New York



Vishvapal Singh Rathore
(2020-22)
Federal Bank



Akash Tiwari (2022-24)
TATA Consumer Product



Harshal Jain (Batch 2017-19)
Morgan Stanley



Vinayak Gudur (Batch 2022-24)
LT Mindtree



Kumkum Gautam
(Batch 2023-25)
Himalaya Wellness



Imran Malik (Batch 2010-12)
Tira



Dhaval Thakkar (Batch 2011-13)
CRIF



Heman Saralaya (Batch 2012-14)
DHL Express, India

Empowering Alumni
Connect. Grow. Succeed.



We are thrilled to announce the launch of the
Alumni Career Growth Centre @ iFEEL (ACGC@iFEEL)!

At iFEEL, we are committed to your continuous growth and success. Through ACGC@iFEEL, we will provide you with exceptional lateral placement opportunities tailored to your career aspirations.

What ACGC@iFEEL Offers:

- **Lateral Placement Opportunities:** Connect with top recruiters and explore roles that match your experience and skill set.
- **Career Development Resources:** Gain access to various career development resources to enhance your professional journey.
- **Networking Events:** Join a community of fellow alumni, and attend seminars, guest lectures and conferences to expand your professional network.

Be a part of this milestone event and take the next step in your career growth.

**Stay tuned for more details on upcoming events and opportunities
through ACGC@iFEEL.**

iFEEL MILESTONES

2012

iFEEL won awards for 'Best Student with Global Perspective' and 'Best Institute for Entrepreneurship & Leadership in India.'

2016

iFEEL was named 'College of the Year 2016' for its impact on education and society.

2018

iFEEL was honored as 'Best Entrepreneurship & Management Education Institute - West India Region' and listed among the 'Top 10 Promising Business Analytics Institutes.'

2019

iFEEL was ranked 39th in the 'Top 100 B-schools.'

2020

iFEEL was recognized as the '10th Most Recommended B-school in India.'

2022

iFEEL won the 'I20R International Education Excellence Award 2022' and was listed among 'The 10 Best Institutes of the Year (Maharashtra Special).'

iFEEL MILESTONES

2024

At iFEEL, we take immense pride in our continuous journey toward academic and professional excellence. As an institution affiliated with the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), we are dedicated to upholding global standards in business education.

Additionally, our approval by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) further reinforces the quality and credibility of our programs.

Our commitment to excellence has been reflected in the numerous accolades and recognitions we have received over the years. In 2024, iFEEL continues to shine, earning the following distinctions:

- Ranked 49th Amongst Top 100 B-Schools – Times B School Ranking 2024.
- Ranked 33rd Amongst Top 50 Private Institutes in India – Times B School Ranking 2024.
- Ranked 44th in Top B-School for Placement – Times B School Ranking 2024.

These rankings are a testament to our dedication to providing students with a transformative educational experience, equipping them with the skills and knowledge to become successful leaders in the global marketplace.

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OUR TOP RECRUITER

Batch 2023-25



L&T Technology Services



HDFC BANK

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Capgemini

HCL

naukri.com

India's No. 1 Job Site



Nestlé

Reliance
RETAIL

satguru
TRAVELS

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TATA
CONSULTANCY
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