



Seminar On “Soft Skills Development”

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Swami Vivekanand Subharti University (SVSU), Meerut taken an Initiative to organize a seminar on “**Soft Skills Development**” with the joint effort of Faculty of Management and Commerce and Placement Cell, SVSU, Meerut at Faculty of Management and Commerce on 7th November, 2019 at 2:00 PM in which 92 students have participated.

Dr. Padma Mishra - Professor, Faculty of Management and Mr. Jagdeep Singh, Placement Officer, Placement Cell, Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut, was invited as speakers for this session.



Dr. Padma Mishra, Professor, Faculty of Management and Commerce taking session on Soft Skill Development

Dr. Padma Mishra talked on soft skills which are important for employability, and can categorize into speaking, listening and writing skills. As students of management they not only need to learn and improve on these skills but also learn how to identify them. The session covered an exercise on identifying areas of weakness. And for hands on practice, a list of skills is being provided to all the participants and asked to categorize into Speaking, Listening and writing related skills and also were asked to identify 5 most strongest and 5 weakest skills from the list. During the session she had discussion on Soft skills vs Hard Skills, Type of soft skills need in employment: Speaking, Listening, Writing, Identifying areas of weakness and self-coaching & discipline.

Mr. Jagdeep Singh emphasized the importance of self-coaching and discipline in honing skills. Soft skills concept can be taught in classroom but they have to be consistently practiced to make them a part of natural behavior and work style. The entire session was very interactive for the students and they took active part in understanding the topic. Students absorbed the information & shared their experiences and learnt about how Soft Skills play an important role in professional life.