

Array of events mark Vigilance Awareness Week at IIM-R

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Raipur: The Central Vigilance Commission of Indian Institute of Management, Raipur (IIM-R) is organizing a slew of events to mark Vigilance Awareness Week. The vigilance week celebrations were based on the theme 'My Vision-Corruption Free India'. The aim behind observing Vigilance Awareness Week is to create awareness among the public at large about the corruption related practices and also educating them how to report it.

The celebration started off with a quizzing event and Prayaas - IIM Raipur marathon on the campus on November 3. Priya Anand, Ajay Jadhav and Anshul Garg proved their mettle in general awareness and secured the first, second and third positions respectively. The top 10 participants also received certificates for their outstanding performance.

Later, a debate competition was organized by PRO-vakta, the public speaking club of IIM-Raipur. The debate competition was conducted

in two parts covering topics on vigilance required on corrupt practices in the country. 'Social values are greater than ethical values', 'I can cheat on my wife as long as she doesn't find out' to name a few. The judging panel selected the top four teams for the second stage after much deliberation. After the second round, the team of Monika Vaswani and Shibin George Varghese was selected the winning team and Uday Nattoo and Akhil Goutham Kotini were the runners-up. The event saw an enthusiastic participation from

both the batches of the post graduate programme.

The student affairs committee of IIM-Raipur also organized a knowledge session for students on vigilance awareness in the state. Prof Dhnanjay Bapat, chairperson, student affairs committee, addressed the students on the necessity of a corruption free India and the importance of ethics and honesty.

He urged the students to be vigilant about the various corruption practices rampant in our country and how to counter them.