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EASTERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

On the occasion of month long observance of "International Women's Day", ICAI-EIRC had organized a virtual programme on 12th March 2021 where CMA Arundhati Basu, Vice Chairperson, EIRC and Chairperson, Women Empowerment Committee welcomed the members. CMA Ashis Banerjee, Chairman, EIRC addressed the participants and expressed his heartfelt gratitude to the honoured Guests for their kind presence during the programme. There were two Technical Sessions. The Technical Session on "Emotional Intelligence - Strongest Driver of Leadership & Personnel Excellence" was addressed by the Guest Speakers CMA Chandana Bose, Former Senior Director - Research, ICAI. The other Technical Session on "IBC 2016 - The First Case Study "was addressed by the Guest Speaker CMA Meera Prasad, Practising Cost Accountant. CMA Kavita Dubey and CMA Tanmaya Pradhan compered the programme and introduced the speakers. A virtual programme was organized on the occasion of month long celebration of International Women's Day on 19th March 2021. CMA Arundhati Basu, Vice Chairperson, EIRC and Chairperson, Women Empowerment Committee welcomed the members and expressed her sincere gratitude to the honored Guests for their kind presence during the programme. CMA Kavita Dubey, Practicing Cost Accountant recited a poem on Women Empowerment during the programme. There were two Technical Sessions. The first technical Session was on "Entrepreneur in the Context of MSME"CS Rupanjana De Practicing Company Secretary, Former Secretary - ICSI-EIRC & Independent Director and Ms Shaleni S Biswas Managing Director of Easy Notes Stationeries were the guest panellists and deliberated elaborately on the topic. The other technical session was on "An Overview of Intellectual Property Rights - Patent, Trade Mark, Copy Right & Design". Ms Astha Sharma Patent Attorney L.S.Davar & Co,Ms Kajal Sinha Sr Trade Mark Attorney (Trade Mark & Design) L.S.Davar & Co, Ms Souma Samanta Copy Right Attorney L.S.Davar & Co were the guest speakers. CMA Tanmaya Pradhan moderated the programme and introduced the speakers. The last virtual programme, of the month long series of the International Women's Day, was organized on 26th March 2021. CMA Arundhati Basu, Vice Chairperson, EIRC and Chairperson, Women Empowerment Committee welcomed the members and expressed her sincere gratitude to the honored Guests for their kind presence & their excellent deliberations during the programme and also expressed her gratitude to all the woman CMAs namely, CMA Chandana Bose, CMA Tanmaya Pradhan, CMA Aparna Biswas, CMA Ranjana Dutta, CMA Meera Prasad, CMA Subhra Saha & CMA Kavita Dubey for their active participation and cooperation for making all the four programmes organised on this occasion a grand success. CMA Swati Chaturvedi Chairperson Noida Chapter, PCMA & Registered Valuer, CMA Jyoti Satish Independent Director Cost & Management Consultant Imm. Past Chairperson SIRC, CMA Manisha Agrawal IP, RV, Qualified Independent Director and CMA Manjula B.S. Chairperson Bengaluru Chapter of Cost Accountants had graced the occasion as the honoured guests and addressed during the programme. CMA Debosmita Sengupta, Sr Officer - PD recited a poem on the occasion. There were two Technical Sessions. The first technical Session was on Inquest of the Illusive Assets - A Case Study. CMA Sujata Chattopadyay Insolvency Resolution Professional was the Guest Speaker. The other technical session was on "Roadmap for New CMAs Venturing into Practicing Field". CMA Ranjana Dutta Practicing Cost Accountant was the guest speaker. CMA Tanmaya Pradhan moderated the programme and introduced the speakers.

Award ceremony of E-Quiz Contest for students of EIRC & Guest Faculty Meet organised by EIRC under the initiative of Student Facilities & Training Committee of EIRC on 27th February, 2021 at J.N.Bose Auditorium. CMA Arundhati Basu Vice-Chairperson, EIRC & Chairperson – Student Facilities & Training Committee delivered the welcome address. CMA Ashis Banerjee, Chairman also addressed the students and congratulate them on winning the award for the Quiz Contest. CMA Biswarup Basu, President, ICAI, CMA Amal Kumar Das, Former President, ICAI, CMA Harijiban Banerjee, Former President, ICAI, CMA Avijit Goswami, Former CCM, ICAI, CMA C.R. Chattopadhyay CCM, ICAI & CMA Pallab Bhattacharyya Former Chairman - EIRC, ICAI were present during the occasion and addressed the students.CMA Umesh Kumar Pandey, the Quiz Master was also awarded during the ceremony on conducting the Quiz Contest very successfully. The Students who participated in the quiz contest were also awarded. CMA Ashis Banerjee & CMA Arundhati Basu addressed the Faculties & thanked them for their dedicated service for the students. Different issues relating to the development of the students were discussed. EIRC had conducted E-Career Awareness Programme on 31st March, 2021 for the student of Netaji Nagar College Kolkata, under the initiative of Student Facilities & Training Committee of ICAI-EIRC. Dr. Amrita Dutta, Principal, Prof. Pinaki Ranjan De - Associate Prof. & Coordinator, IOAC & Dr. Kaberi Bhattacharyya - Associate Prof. & HOD Commerce, Career Counselling Cell addressed the students. Arundhati Basu, Vice Chairperson, ICAI-EIRC and Chairperson -Student Facilities & Training Committee addressed the students on the CMA Course and its prospects when pursued along with a degree course. CMA Debosmita Sengupta, Sr Officer - PD gave an introduction about the Institute. A Virtual Meet was organised on 12th April 2021 for the Students who were shortlisted by TCN Global & Economic Advisory Services LLP for campus placement. CMA Arundhati Basu, Vice Chairperson, EIRC and Chairperson, Student Facilities & Training Committee addressed the students and also guided and suggested them for facing the interview. Virtual Student Meet (Final passed Students) was organized on 16th April, 2021 by ICAI - EIRC under the initiative of Student Facilities & Training Committee of ICAI-EIRC where CMA Arundhati Basu, Vice Chairperson, EIRC and Chairperson, Student Facilities & Training Committee welcomed the Students & Dignitaries. CMA Ashis Banerjee- Chairman, EIRC-ICAI had graced the occasion and addressed the students. CMA Raju Iyer - Vice President, ICAI, CMA Harijiban Banerjee- Former President, ICAI, CMA Avijit Goswami- Former CCM, ICAI were present and addressed the CMA Qualified on the various aspects and opportunities available for them within and outside India.







THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA RAJPUR CHAPTER

The Chapter organized a webinar on 27th March, 2021 on "Application of Cost Management Techniques in Economic Recovery - Post COVID 19". CMA S.N. Das, Secretary of the chapter gave a hearty welcome to the participants, guest speakers and explained the reason for selecting the topic to highlight the role of CMAs in recovery of the economy of the country in a pandemic situation. The webinar was inaugurated by CMA Amit Apte, former President ICAI who in his address first hailed Rajpur Chapter for first time upholding such an important issue on CMA for its role in economic recovery. He stressed the use of the MSME sector in a proper way to contribute more to the economy. CMA Manas Kumar Thakur, former President ICAI complemented CMA Amit Apte for his comments and further impressed upon the government to look at the agricultural sector specially for the Indian economy revive and survive. Then the guest speaker Hon'ble CMA CA CS Kalyan Kar took over and gave a detailed presentation with projections about the importance of CMAs in helping in the economic recovery process. Hon'ble CMA Ravi Sahni, former Chairman, NIRC, ICAI was the second and last guest speaker to the seminar who mainly made a threadbare discussion on the role of CMAs in helping the business and industry scenario of a country as well as more revenue to the government. CMA Sahni called upon CMAs to be careful about cost audit reports so that it could actually help a business in its way to prosperity. The webinar ended with a vote of thanks by the chapter to participants and speakers for their patient hearing.



THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA BHUBANESWAR CHAPTER

The Chapter organised a seminar cum motivational session on "Leading Profession through Passion" on 22.03.2021 at its conference hall following various precautionary measures to contain infection of Pandemic COVID-19. Dr Sudhir Kumar Das, Adjunct Professor in Business Strategy, Author of the Book "Newtons Fourth Law", News Analyst in Electronic Media & Columnist was the "Resource Person" on the occasion. CMA Saktidhar Singh, Chairman, PD Committee of the Chapter delivered welcome address and CMA Ajay Kumar Samal, Secretary of the Chapter extended formal vote of thanks on the Occasion. The Chapter has organized a WEBINT in association with NSIC, National SC/ST Hub, and Bhubaneswar on the theme "Initiatives of NSIC for MSMEs including SC/ST Enterprises" on 16.04.2021. On the occasion CMA Kamal Lochan Nayak, Sr. Branch Manager, NSIC, Nagpur and Shri Subhasis Das, NSSH Head, NSIC, Bhubaneswar were the "Resource Person". CMA Saktidhar Singh, Chairman, PD Committee of the Chapter delivered welcome address and extended formal vote of thanks. CMA Asutosh Debata, MC Member and Member PD Committee delivered the key note address. On the Occasion CMA Damodar Mishra, Past Chairman of the Chapter also accompanied during presentation of mementoes to the Resource Persons. The Chapter has organised an interaction meet among the Practicing Members on 06.03.2021 in reference to discussion held in the previous meeting held on 24.02.2021 at conference hall of CMA Bhawan. Discussion held on "Compliance for the COP holders, Cost Accountants Firms and Professional Avenues". CMA Mukesh Chaubey, Chairman welcomed the Practicing Members Participated in the discussion. CMA Saktidhar Singh, Chairman, Professional Development Committee moderated the meeting and appraised the members regarding formation of various committees. CMA Niranjan Mishra, Past Chairman, ICAI-Bhubaneswar Chapter and Sr Partner M/s Niran and Co, Cost Accountants highlighted on "Compliance for the COP Holders, Cost Accountants Firms: Institute Prospective", CMA Chaitanya Kumar Ray, Managing Partner, M/s Ray Nayak and Associates highlighted "How to become an IBC Professional and its Avenues for CMAs" and CMA Prasanjit Mohanty, Partner, M/s BSS & Associates, Cost Accountants highlighted on Career opportunity as "Insurance Surveyor And Loss Assessor". The Chapter successfully celebrated "International Women's Day" on 8th March, 2021 at CMA Bhawan in a grand way. Discussion held on the theme "Women Empowerment". Dr. Rajashree Mallick, Hon'ble MP, Jagatsinghpur Constituency graced and inaugurated the event as "Chief Guest" and addressed on "Women Empowerment" and highlighted on role of women in nation building , Shri Ananta Narayan Jena , Hon'ble MLA, Bhubaneswar (Central) Constituency graced as "Special Guest" and praised the contribution of women in transforming better society. Mrs. Sasmita Patra, President, NALCO Mahila Samiti, Bhubaneswar graced as "Special Guest of Honour" and encouraged girls to choose a noble profession. Amongst others Ms. Reena Ravichander, Secretary, Rotary Club of Bhubaneswar Friends and CMA Minati Mishra, DGM (Finance), OPTCL were "Guest of Honour" and addressed on power of women . CMA Mukesh Chaubey, Chairman, ICAI-Bhubaneswar Chapter delivered welcomed and highlighted about the role of Women CMAs in the development of Global Economy. More than 150

participants consisting Members such as CMA Niranjan Mishra, CMA Saktidhar Singh, CMA Damodar Mishra, CMA Himoj Mishra, CMA Ajay Kumar Samal, CMA Santanu Kumar Rout, CMA Asutosh Debata, CMA Surya Narayan Tripathy, other members and girls students of the chapter actively participated in the programme . CMA Mukesh Chaubey, Chairman of the Chapter and CMA Niranjan Mishra, Past Chairman of the Chapter met Shri Mohan M, Hon'ble Chairman, Odisha Gramya Bank and appraised about the role and scope of CMAs for nation building specifically role of CMAs on Banking Sectors. On behalf of the Chapter, CMA M Chaubey and CMA N Mishra felicitated Shri Mohan M, Chairman, Odisha Gramya Bank. All Odisha Quiz Competition through online among +2 and +3 Commerce Students was held on 14.03.2021. As a part of Career Counseling and enhancing further visibility, the chapter organized an Online "All Odisha Quiz Competition" separately for +2 Commerce and +3 Commerce Students at Odisha on 14.03.2021.





NORTHERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA **BEAWAR CHAPTER**

The chapter organized a career counseling seminar for students. CMA Rupesh Kothari (Chairman), CMA Mitesh Chopra (Secretary), CMA Jyoti Maheshwari (Treasurer), CMA Mandeep Singh (Joint Secretary), CMA Lokesh Sankhla, CMA Lekhak Agarwal, CMA Ayush Mantri, CMA Piyush Duggar, CMA Shubham Sankhla, Rakesh Kumawat (Student Member) and other members and students participated the program. The Chapter also felicitated the foundation passed students. The Institute of Cost Accountants Beawar and Kota chapter jointly conducted a webinar on Professional Avenues for CMAs and professional opportunities in Commerce on 26 March 2021. Chairman of Beawar Chapter, CMA Rupesh Kothari and CMA

Aakash Agarwal, Chairman of Kota Chapter welcomed all the guests, school and college principals, faculties and participants. CMA Balwinder Singh, immediate past president and chief guest of the webinar stressed on the need for CMA'S and shed light on the various opportunities available for career growth .CMA J. K. Budhiraja, keynote speaker gave a presentation on the various courses available for commerce students, role of CMA'S job and practice opportunities for CMAs. He also gave insights into the role of CMAs in industries and institutions. Guests of honour, CMA Harkesh Tara, Chairman NIRC; Dr. R. C. Lodha, Principal Vardhaman Girls College, Beawar and Dr. Kanchan Saxena, Principal JDB Commerce Girls College also shared their views spoke briefly about various avenues available for commerce students. Program convenor CMA S.N. Mittal, Chairman PD Committee Kota Chapter spoke about the need for career counseling advised students to take up such courses which give immense opportunities for growth. The program was hosted by CMA Rupesh Kothari Chairman, Beawar Chapter. Vote of thanks was delivered by CMA Ashok Jethalia, Secretary, Kota Chapter. CMA Tapesh Mathur, CMA Mitesh Chopra, CMA RP Vyas, CMA Jyoti Maheshwari, Professors, Lecturers, Teachers and students of many schools and colleges attended the webinar. The Chapter conducted a webinar on "Woman as CMApreneur" on 3rd April 2021 on the occasion the Chief Guest, CMA Deepika Bhugra, Chairperson, Woman Committee of NIRC spoke on the need for more women CMA's and their contribution to the economy and the country. Guest of Honour, CMA Swati Chaturvedi, Chairperson, Noida Chapter of NIRC, highlighted the inherent qualities of women and said that CMA is the most suitable career for women due to their cost effective nature and managerial skills. CMA Vidhu Mittal, Chairperson Karnal-Panipat Chapter of NIRC spoke pointed out the issues being faced by Women CMApreneurs. CMA Reetika, Chairperson Jalandhar Chapter of NIRC talked about how women can be better CMAs. The Keynote Speaker was CMA Priyanka Saxena, an effective consultant to various legal and corporate firms. She has recorded her name in BRAVO WORLD RECORDS for creating more than 127 rank holders in the shortest span of 7 years. Vote of thanks was delivered by the chairman, CMA Rupesh Kothari. The program was hosted by CMA Jyoti Sarda. CMA Aditi Gaur, CMA Nikita Bhutra were the coordinators. It was a very successful webinar with CMA Jagan Mohan Rao congratulating all the lady speakers and Beawar Chapter for a great program. The chapter organized a webinar for students who to prepare for campus placement and CV writing on 4th April 2021. On the occasion Chief guest CMA Sumit Khicha, Deputy Manager (Finance), Coal India Ltd. address the participants and spoke about scope of CMA course. Guest of Honor CA Darshan Bhandari, A.O. BEL spoke pointed out the issues being faced by a person during interview. The Keynote speaker was Anil Kumar Jain. CMA lekhak Agarwal and CMA Mandeep singh shared their experience of campus. They highlighted the interview questions and how to properly answer questions. The program was coordinated and conducted by CMA Rupesh Kothari, Chairman of the chapter. An online webinar was organized under joint auspices of Beawar, Jaipur, Udaipur, Kota, Ajmer-Bhilwara, and Bikaner-Jhunjhunu Chapters of NIRC of the Institute on 17th April 2021. The topic for the discussion was to Explore the Role of CMA's and Commerce in the Covid Time in order to Provide the robustness to the Economy in different manner. According to Mr. Rupesh Kothari, Chairman Beawar Chapter, the webinar was held under the joint auspices of all the seven chapter of the Institute in Rajasthan in which the position of Chief Guest was honored by Shri Om Birla Ji (Hon'ble



Speaker of Loksabha). The role of CMAs and commerce graduates plays an important role in order to provide the robustness to the Economy of the Country, said Shri Om Birla Ji. The Special Invitees for the webinar was CMA Biswarup Basu (President-The ICAI), CMA P Raju Iyer (Vice-President, The ICAI), Prof. Rajeev Jain (VC-Rajasthan University), Prof. Neelima Singh (VC-Kota University), Prof. B.S.Rajpurohit (Former VC- Jodhpur University), CMA Balwinder Singh (Immediate Past President of The ICAI), CMA Vijendra Singh (Chairman - PDP Committee), CMA Rakesh Bhalla (Chairman-Direct Tax Committee) & CMA Harkesh Tara (Chairman-NIRC of The ICAI). Vice Chancellor of Rajasthan University told that in this last one decade the interest of students has been increased towards the commerce field as it has much wider scope than the other fields. The former vice chancellor of Jodhpur University told that covid taught us how to leave with the less sources in order to survival and The same is taught in CMA course too that how to do cost cutting and how to reduce the cost of any kind of products or services etc. Vice president of the Institute told that the value of CMA's is exists not only in the Big Corporate but in MSMEs too. In order to resolve the problems and queries of the businessmen's we are establishing the MSME Centers. In order to develop the transparent reporting system government is working day to day basis and as a professional we CMA's are responsible for the corporate Compliances, said CMA Biswarup Basu. CMA Meenu Maheshwari highlighted the various

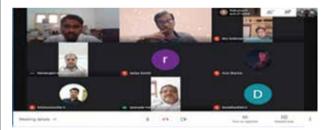
topics and career opportunities exist in the market for CMAs and Commerce graduates. CMA Rajendra Bhati (RCM-NIRC) was the Program Moderator. In last the vote of thanks was given by CMA Sudarshan Nahar, Secretary, Jaipur Chapter and special thanks were given by all the chairmen of all the seven chapters.





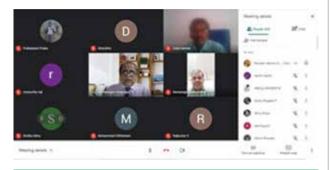
SOUTHERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA RANIPET VELLORE CHAPTER



The chapter organized a motivational program on "Know Thyself' on 3rd April -2021 through the Google Meet. The speaker of the program was Sudarsan Sundaram, MSW, ML, LAWYER & PSYCHOLOGIST. Chief Guest CMA Dr.I Ashok Former chairman SIRC, Practicing Cost Accountant Madurai addressed the students, member and speaker, explained about the career opportunity & role of practicing avenues for CMAs. CMA Manoharan. R, chairman of the chapter gave introduction of the Chief Guest and speaker to the members and students. CMA Sezlian. S Secretary of the chapter presented formal vote of thanks to the speaker and participants. The chapter organized a virtual programme on 27/03/2021 on "Recent Government Initiatives for the growth of MSME Sector" Manoharan .R chairman of the chapter welcomed the member, CMA Chittaranjan Chattopadhyay, CCM, ICAI had graced the occasion as Guest of honour. CMA Manivannan. V DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU was the Guest Speaker. CMA Chittaranjan Chattopadhyay, CCM, BFSI Committee, ICAI highlighted that in the growth of MSME, Cost Accountants will play a crucial role in making India self-reliant. Manivannan. GM delivered to the participants about the recent

Initiatives for the growth of MSME Sector and briefly explained the various scheme at MSME Sector. There was an overwhelming response and also the participants had highly appreciated the programme.



THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA HYDERABAD CHAPTER

of Cost Records in Health Care Sector (Hospitals)









Women's empowerment plays a crucial role in the development of Society as well in their lives. A programme was conducted on 07.03.2021 on 'Inspire & Empowerment' on the occasion of International Women's Day. Women iconic personalities like Smt. Sailaja Vissamsetti-Founder-Sahaja Foundation, Dr.G.L.K.Durga, Retd - Principal -AMS- Art & Science College for Women & Smt Shashi Kala Kalaga - VP-HR Helius Computech were invited for this programme. The Central Govt introduced the Faceless Assessment Scheme to provide transparency, efficiency in Income Tax assessments on 08.03.2021. CMA N. Shravan Kumar clearly explained the entire activity with relevant sections and examples. A webinar was conducted on the eve of Mahasiva Ratri on 11.03.2021 and invited Shri Bibekananda Mohanty, Regional Director, South East Region, MCA as a chief guest. CA Ankit Manglik - Practising Chartered Accountant, CA Kanakamba H K – Practising Chartered Accountant, CMA A.S Nageswara Rao Garu- Past Chairman – HCCA, CMA Dr. P.V.S. Jagan Mohan Rao - Past President - SAFA, CS Madhavi Latha Reddy, Practising Company Secretary, CMA P. Chandra Sekhara Reddy - Practising Cost Accountant have taken sessions on Forensic Audit, Stock Audit, IBC Quick Recap with Case Laws, Restoration of the

name of the Company, Annual Filing with ROC under Company Act, 2013 and LLP Act, 2008. CMA Dr. Chandrasekhar Rajanala Past Chairman, ICAI-Hyderabad Chapter has visited Telanagana State welfare Residential Junior College for Boys, Chengicharla & Telanagana State welfare Residential Junior College for Girls, Chengicharla on 17th March, 2021. He explained about career prospects of CMA Course. The Chapter conducted a webinar on Maintenance of Cost Records in Health Care Sector (Hospitals) on 23.03.2021 through virtual mode. CMA Debaraja Sahu, Practising Cost Accountant clearly explained about Revenue stream, variety of Services, expenditure, MIS& Cost Data etc through detailed presentation. A virtual programme was organized on 24.03.2021 on 'Corporate Social Responsibility.' CS Rahul Jain, Legal Professional elaborated the topics about Amendments to CSR Legislation vide - Companies (Amendment) Act, 2019 & 2020, Companies (CSR Policy) Amendment Rules, 2021. This programme was well appreciated by the participants.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA COIMBATORE CHAPTER

The chapter chairman conducted online orientation programs to the students on 23.03.21 at Sri Ramakrishna College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore and on 15.04.21 at Sri Saraswathi Thiyagaraja College, Pollachi.

WESTERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL



WIRC organised Maharashtra CMA Conclave on 13th and 14th March, 2021 at Bhor Pune, Maharashtra by strictly adhering the Covid 19 protocol. All the topics by eminent speakers on - GST Audit - Introspection by CMA B.M. Sharma, Past President ICAI and CMA Ashok B Nawal, Past Chairman WIRC, Investigations through Artificial Intelligence by Mr Sushil Kumar Solanki, Principal Commissioner of Customs & Excise (Retd.) Mr. Ajit Limye, GST Intelligence (DGGI) and Presidential Award Winner and Cryptocurrency by CMA Anand Karwa, Management Consultant were in line with current digital environment improvement in all fields of business activities and personal life. CMA Harshad Deshpande, Chairman WIRC welcomed the participants and CMA Mahendra Bhombe, Chairman P.D. Committee, WIRC proposed vote of thanks. WIRC organized International Women's Day on 8th March 2021 by online mode. Ms. Sampada Mehta, Joint Commissioner of Investigation, GST Department, Mumbai was the Chief Guest for the programme. Ms. Anuradha Lashkari, Ex Bharti Axa - Deputy Vice President, Heading Global Accounts & CMA Neeta Phatarphekar, Partner, Deals (Business Restructuring, Services), Pricewaterhouse Coopers Professional Services LLP were the speakers. CMA

Poonam Shah, CMA Pradnya Chandorakar & CMA Sakshi Jain, Members Task Force for Women Empowerment coordinated the programme.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA AHMEDABAD CHAPTER





A Brain storming discussion meeting on Exposure Draft of Standard on Quality Control (ED SQC) was held on 5th February'21. The speaker of the meeting was CCM-CMA Ashwin Dalwadi. There was detailed and healthy discussion between all the participants on the subjected topic. 2nd part of the meeting was held on 1st March'21. Many members including CMA Ashish Bhavsar-RCM, Hon.Secretary-WIRC attended the meeting. Exposure draft was discussed in detail and all the members present gave their valuable inputs in this discussion. Inaugural Program of online computer of previous batch students was organized on March 5, 2021. CMA Haren Bhatt, chairman of chapter welcomed speakers, CMA A G Dalwadi-CCM, Chief Guest CMA Harshad Deshpande, Chairman, WIRC, CMA Manish Analkat, Chairman of Computer Training & Soft Skill Development Committee, members and students present. Felicitation of Chief Guest CMA Harshad Deshpande, Chairman, WIRC was with the hands of CMA Haren Bhatt, Chairman of Chapter by offering memento and bouquet. CMA A G Dalwadi-CCM gave brief about computer training and other technological activities done by HQ. CMA Harshad Deshpande, Chairman, WIRC explained his view and importance of computer training as a part of study as well as in profession. The program was well informative useful to the students. CMA Manish Analkat, chairman of Computer Training & Soft Skill Development Committee proposed vote of thanks. The Chapter organized CEP Program on Brainstorming / Discussion meeting on Guidance Note on Internal Audit of Pharmaceuticals on 16/03/2021. CMA Dakshesh Chokshi, Chairman-Professional Development committee welcomed speaker CMA Ashwin G Dalwadi and participants. CMA Ashwin Dalwadi gave detailed presentation

and explained about Guidance Note on Internal Audit of Pharmaceuticals. CMA Haren Bhatt, chairman proposed vote of thanks. The chapter had organized CEP webinar on Strategic Cost Management on 28/03/2021. CMA Dakshesh Choksi, Chairman PD Committee welcomed speaker CMA PD Modh and participants. CMA P D Modh gave detailed presentation and explained on subject of webinar.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA NAVI MUMBAI CHAPTER

The chapter conducted a Webinar CEP programme on "Corporate Governance in Central PSU" on 18th April 2021 via Google Meet app. The speaker for this event was CMA Debashish Mitra G.M. Finance, Konkan Railway Corporation and was welcomed by CMA Sirish Vasant Mohite Chairman of the Chapter . CMA Vivek Bhalerao PD Chairman of the Chapter welcomed the participants and initiated the programme The participants consisted of Cost Accountants in Employment as well as in Practice and it was a very good interactive session. The presentation & the interactive workshop came to an end with the Past Chairman of the Chapter CMA L.Prakash providing the concluding remarks along with the vote of thanks.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA PIMPRI CHINCHWAD AKURDI CHAPTER

The Chapter conducted a webinar on 'PSU Banks: The Unsung Heroes of Indian Economy' on 20th March 2021 through Google Digital platform. CMA Pradeep Deshpande, Secretary of PCA Chapter has welcomed all the audience and introduced the speaker Dr. Divya Kumar Agrawal, Chief Manager (Research), State Bank Institute of Credit and Risk Management. Dr. Agrawal in his speech started with introduction of PSU Banks. He covered the topic such as, Justification of privatization given by Critics, Purpose of Nationalisation of Public Sector Bank, Ability to serve in National Calamities etc. The seminar was attended by members in practice, members from industries, professionals and students in large numbers. The program ended with vote of thanks.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA KALYAN AMBERNATH CHAPTER

On 8th March, 2021, the chapter organized a virtual programme on celebration of International Women Day. CMA Neetu S. Kapoor, Secretary of Chapter welcomed CMA M.R.Dudani, immediate past chairman of chapter, CMA Gopichand B. Shamnani, Chairman of Chapter, CMA S.G. Narasimhan and CMA Gopal U. Keswani ,Treasurer of chapter and speakers . CA Dr. Bhavna Binwani , Vice Principal, C.A. (Prof.) Reshmi Gurnani, Prof. Kajal Bhojwani faculty member of Smt. C.H.M. College of Arts Science & Commerce Ulhasnagar and other dignitaries were present in the programme. CMA Gopichand B. Shamnani Chairman informed about Golden Jubilee Celebration last year Feb 2020 and conducting online lectures for Foundation, inter and Final levels , CMA S.G. Narasimhan Vice Chairman appreciated the role of women in the corporate world and gave examples of many successful women entrepreneurs and executives ,C.A. (Prof.) Reshmi Gurnani speaker lecture on

"Women's Empowerment - Where there is a Woman There is Magic ". She explained importance of role played by women in history and modern society and CA Dr. Bhavna Binwani gave power point presentation on" A talk on successful Women's and Mompreneurs." Many Faculties members of chapter and adjoining colleges attended the programme- including Prof. Jyoti Chand, Prof. CMA Shama Khan, Prof. Sonam Gupta, Prof. Barkha Shamnani, Dr. Riya Nathani, Prof Manisha Gur, Prof. Neha Gyrdasani, Prof. Jiya Chawla, Prof. Savita Punjabi , and Prof. Sanjay Premchandani . More than 50 students of Foundation, Inter and Final attended and faculty members joined virtual lecture. The programme was co-coordinated by Mr.Raju P.C. Executive Secretary, Mr. Ravi Rohra Office Assistant, . Programme was anchored by Prof. Komal Bhojwani, faculty of chapter. CMA Neetu S. Kapoor, Secretary of Chapter, proposed vote of thanks. The Chapter organized Virtual 7 days Industry Oriented Training commencing on 20th March 2021 to 26th March 2021, for final students appearing June 2021 examination .CMA Gopichand B. Shamnani, Chairman of chapter welcomed faculty and students and explained how students will be benefited by updated knowledge shared by faculties during 7 days of training. Eminent and experienced faculties of colleges and professionals were invited to deliver lectures on topics like - Impact presentation, Resume Writing & Interview Skill by Prof Pratik Gupta, Investment in Mutual Funds and Equity Market by Dr. Riya Nathani, Budget Analysis & Stepping Stone of G.S.T. by C.A. Prof. Bharat Khatri, Group Discussion and Interview skills by Prof. Nitin Pagi, Introduction to Foreign Exchange by C.A. Dr. Bhavna Binwani, Transportation & Assignment Problem, by Prof. Bharti Khiyani, Sustainability Reporting In India by Dr. Prof. Srichand Hinduja, Capital Budgeting, Project Financing & Risk Management by CA Reshmi Gurnani Students listened to faculties and raised queries which were replied by faculties to their satisfaction. Programme was co-ordinated by Mr. Raju P.C Executive Secretary and Mr. Ravi Rohra Office Assistant For improving the communication and presentation skills and to face interview after completing CMA course for appointment of Cost Trainee/Accounts Executive at private sector and public sector organizations, the chapter organized seminar online virtual lecture on March 2021 on Communication and Presentation for Intermediate students appearing June 2021 examination CMA Gpoichnad B. Shamnani Chairman of Chapter welcomed and introduced.Prof. Krishna Naidu Corporate Trainers and Motivational speakers. He explained to students the importance communication and presentation skills for students pursuing professional courses like Cost & Management Accountancy . Mr. Raju P.C. Executive Secretary of Chapter coordinated the seminar and presented vote of thanks.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA SURAT SOUTH GUJARAT CHAPTER

The Chapter organized a Webinar on "CSR Policy 2021 & its implications on Corporates" on 23rd March. 2021 through the Google meet. The Speaker of the Program was CMA Pankaj Kannaujiya- Practicing Cost Accountant & Certified CSR Professional, Hon'ble Secretary of the Chapter. The Immediate Past Chairman of the Chapter, CMA Brijesh Mali presented a welcome address and Vice Chairman, CMA Bhanwar Lal Gurjar briefed the introduction of the Speaker to the members. The Speaker commenced the session and spoke about the Corporate Social Responsibility Policy 2021- its introduction and its recent changes. Around 50 members took the benefit of the program. CMA Keval Shah, treasurer of the Chapter presented formal vote of thanks to the speaker and participants. The Veer Narmad South Gujarat University proposed to constitute a Fee Regulation Committee to monitor & review the fees of selffinance colleges. The Chapter represented to the Vice Chancellor of the university to include our members in FRC committee. CMA Pankaj Kannaujiya (Secretary) and CMA Brijesh Mali (Immediate Past Chairman) submitted the representation to the Vice Chancellor on 22nd March 2021. By taking all necessary safety precautions & following the Government & HQ guidelines, the Chapter hosted a Press Meet for the result declared on 29th March 2021 for Intermediate and Final exam of December 2020 term held in January 2021 at the Chapter office on 31st March 2021. CMA Harshad Deshpande (Chairman-WIRC) was the Chief Guest of the program. CMA Bharat Savani, (Chairman) gave a formal welcome to the gathering and Chairman Sir along with CMA Bhanwar Lal Gurjar (Vice Chairman of the Chapter), CMA Pankaj Kannaujiya (Secretary), CMA Keval Shah (Treasurer), CMA Kishor Vaghela (managing committee member) felicitated to CMA Harshad Deshapande. Harshad Sir addressed to the students and congratulated all the passing students. CMA Mahesh Bhalala (Managing Committee Member), CMA Brijesh Mali (Immediate Past Chairman) and Intermediate and Final passed students joined the Meet. CMA Pankaj Kannaujiya (Secretary) gave formal vote of thanks.



