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Wednesday, 3rd September 2025

Seminar on "Kickstart Your Finance Career"

Academic Year: 2025-26

Name of event: Kickstart Your Finance Career

Organized by: Ms. Taranpreet Kaur, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce

Date of the Event: 3rd September, 2025

Time of the Event: 11.00 Am onwards

Location: Seminar Hall, 9th Floor, MAIMS

Number of Students Participated: 86

Objectives of the session:

1. Career opportunities in finance
2. Insights into Global Career Paths and Industry Trends
3. Guidance On Skill Development and Academic pathways
4. A Roadmap to Building on Ideal Finance Career

Seminar-Kickstart your Finance Career

On 3rd September 2025, Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies conducted an insightful session titled “**Kickstart Your Finance Career**” organized by the Department of Commerce. The session was conducted at the 9th floor seminar hall and featured **Mr. Sanjay Saraf**, Edupreneur, Sanjay Saraf Educational Institute. Sanjay Saraf is a distinguished finance educator with over 25 years of experience in teaching and mentoring. Renowned for his expertise in financial treasury, risk management, volatility trading, and business valuation, he simplifies complex topics through conceptual clarity and practical application. His pedagogy has helped plenty of students excel in competitive exams like CA, CFA, and FRM etc.

The seminar “*Kickstart Your Finance Career*” was organized to provide students and young professionals with insights into career opportunities, skill requirements, and industry trends in the field of finance. The session aimed to bridge the gap between academic learning and practical industry expectations.

Key Topics Covered in the session:

- Industry Overview: Current trends in the finance sector, including the impact of digital transformation and fintech innovations.
- Career Opportunities: Roles such as financial analyst, investment banker, risk manager, tax consultant, and corporate treasurer were explained in detail.
- Skill Development: Emphasis was placed on analytical skills, financial modeling, Excel, communication, and problem-solving abilities.
- Certifications & Courses: Information on CFA, CPA, FRM, MBA in Finance, and online finance courses was provided.
- Networking & Internships: Importance of LinkedIn, professional communities, and internships for practical exposure.

Outcomes of the Seminar

- Participants gained clarity on finance career pathways.
- Students became aware of the need for additional certifications beyond academic degrees.
- The seminar motivated attendees to set career goals and begin early preparations.

Student Engagement

The students actively participated in the session, asking questions and engaging in discussions. Students asked queries about career planning, challenges, and the scope of

international opportunities in finance.

Conclusion

The seminar proved highly beneficial for aspiring finance professionals. It provided a roadmap for building a successful career in the finance sector and encouraged participants to continuously upgrade their knowledge and skills.

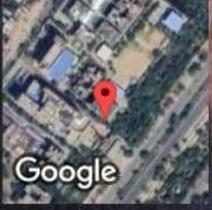
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KICKSTART
YOUR
FINANCE CAREER

Hierarchy in Finance
Hierarchy of Value Addition to the business * Hierarchy of Salary Structure

- Capital Providers**
 - PE/VC Investment Firms such as:
 - Sequoia, K11, Accel Partners, etc.
 - Venture Capital Funds such as:
 - Sequoia Capital, etc.
- Strategy and Growth**
 - Consultants such as:
 - BCG, McKinsey
- Fund Raising / M&A**
 - Investment Banking such as:
 - Goldman Sachs, etc.
 - Buy Side Firms such as:
 - Lazard Freres and Freres S.A., etc.
- Regulatory Compliance**
 - Law Firms such as:
 - AmLaw, etc.
 - Tax, Auditing & Accounting Firms:
 - PwC, etc.



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