

# Changing Gears (CII-Bharat Forge-COEP: Finishing School)



## A Brief Report

(Sessions Conducted Till Date)

College of Engineering Pune

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### Pre-Assessment:

Pre-assessment of all the student participants was carried out by Ms. Priti Kibe, Section Manager: Department of Social Initiatives, Forbes Marshall Pvt. Ltd. The evaluation criteria included parameters such as communication, leadership and personality. A questionnaire containing multiple-choice and subjective questions was given to student participants to fill in.





### Inaugural Function:

The second batch of the 'Changing Gears' Programme by Bharat Forge and CII was inaugurated at the College of Engineering Pune on Monday, March 18, 2019. The inaugural function was attended by Ms. Leena Deshpande, Convenor, CII: CSR & AA Panel, Mr. Anil Ghundare, Associate Vice President: Heat Treatment, Bharat Forge Ltd; Dr. B. B. Ahuja, Director, COEP; Ms. Bhagyashree Gade, Executive Officer, CII; Ms. Sapna Gadh, Bharat Forge Ltd., Dr. S. L. Patil, Dean: Student Affairs, COEP; Mrs. Nandini Iyer, HOD, Applied Science, COEP, Faculty Members of COEP and student participants.

The students of the Changing Gears Programme Ms. Shruti Manwatkar and Mr. Additya Tayade compered at the function. The function started with opening remarks by the Course Co-ordinator Dr. Atul B. Patil who shared the objectives of the programme. Dr. B. B. Ahuja, Director, COEP welcomed everyone and set the tone of event through his special insightful address. The students of the first batch shared their experiences of the course and received a huge round of applause for coming out to be good speakers with shining colours. Mr. Sunil Gundare, Associate VP, Bharat Forge delivered a special address and emphasized the importance of such courses. Ms. Leena Deshpande, Convenor, CII addressed the gathering citing interesting examples and stories that motivated the students to take maximum benefit of the course. The masters of the ceremony proposed a vote of thanks and concluded the programme.





The following sessions have been conducted till date.

**Session 1 on 'Ice-breaking & Business Communication' by Mr. Sunil Patil on Saturday, 30th March 2019**





**Sessions 2 on 'Career Toolbox' by Ms. Vaijayanti Kherdekar**



**Session 3 on Business Communication-2 by Mr. Sunil Patil**





**Session 4 on 'Communication Skills, First Impressions, Resume and Email Writing' by Ms. Shaheen Maniar**







**Session 5 on 'Corporate Communication: Dos and Don'ts & Presentation Skills' by Mr. Aston Moshe**



All the participants have found the sessions quite interesting and useful. They are looking forward to attending the remaining sessions in the next semester.

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