

# Report on the Maiden Alumni Meet of ICFAI University Meghalaya, Tura

## Introduction

The ICFAI University Meghalaya, Tura Campus, hosted its inaugural Alumni Meet on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2023 at the ICFAI University Hall. This event, themed "Alumni Connect: Ignite the Flame," was a significant milestone in the history of our institution. It aimed to rekindle old friendships, celebrate shared accomplishments, and pave the way for a stronger alumni network.

## Event Highlights

- **Warm Welcome:** The event began with a warm welcome by Ms. Chompaboti Hajong, the Alumni Event Coordinator. Her opening remarks set the tone for a day filled with nostalgia and companionship.
- **Honoring Distinguished Guests:** Bouquets were presented to the Vice Chancellor of ICFAI University Meghalaya and the Advisor and the Campus Head In-charge of ICFAI University Meghalaya-Tura, acknowledging their pivotal roles in our institution's growth.
- **Musical Welcome:** The ICFAI Choir welcomed attendees with a melodious rendition, setting a harmonious atmosphere.
- **Inspirational Address:** Dr. V S B Sangma, Advisor and The Campus Head In-charge of ICFAI University Meghalaya-Tura, delivered an inspiring welcome address, sharing insights into the institution's growth and vision.
- **Enthralling Performances:** The event featured captivating performances, including a dance by Collin & Group and a soulful song by Anisha Momin, a 5th Semester student of the Department of English.
- **Words of Wisdom:** Dr. Alicia Gatphoh, Vice Chancellor of ICFAI University Meghalaya, delivered a thought-provoking speech, emphasizing the importance of alumni contributions and their role in shaping the future.
- **Success Stories:** Alumni from various batches shared their success stories, inspiring the audience with their achievements and career journeys.
- **Mementos and Recognition:** The event also included the distribution of mementos to alumni, acknowledging their contributions to the institution's legacy.
- **Vote of Thanks:** Mrs. Calvarina G Momin, an Alumni Organizing Member, delivered a heartfelt vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to all participants, organizers, and contributors.

**Announcement of Alumni Representatives:** A significant announcement during the event was the introduction of Alumni Representatives. These representatives will play a crucial role in bridging the gap between our alumni network and the university, fostering collaboration and engagement.

## **Recognition of Serving Alumni**

During the event, a special segment highlighted the contributions of alumni who are currently serving the institution in different departments. The Advisor and the Campus Head In-charge felicitated these alumni, recognizing their dedication and commitment to the institution's growth and development.

## **Sponsorship by the Batch of 2008-2011**

A remarkable moment during the event was the announcement that the batch of 2008-2011 had generously sponsored the package drinking water bottles for the event. This act of kindness and support from our alumni exemplifies the spirit of giving back to our institution and supporting future generations of students.

## **The Alumni Event Coordinator's and the Organizing Members Efforts**

One of the most remarkable aspects of this event was the relentless effort put in by the Alumni Coordinator's and the organizing members. The Alumni Event Coordinator shared their inspiring journey of trying every possible way to connect with our alumni, emphasizing the importance of persistence and dedication in building and maintaining alumni relationships.

## **Cultural Extravaganza**

After a sumptuous lunch break, the program continued with a Cultural Event anchored by Ms. Stacy D Sangma, the event showcased a dazzling array of performances, including dance, music, and open stage acts. It provided a platform for alumni to showcase their talents and entertain the audience.

## **Conclusion**

The Maiden Alumni Meet of ICFAI University Meghalaya, Tura, was a resounding success, leaving indelible memories and rekindling the flames of harmony among alumni. The event emphasized the importance of alumni engagement, not just as a reunion but as a platform for mutual growth and support.

With over 80 attendees present, this maiden event marked the beginning of a promising journey, and we look forward to many more alumni reunions and collaborations in the future. Our alumni have ignited the flame, and together, we will illuminate the path to a brighter tomorrow.

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