**Name of the Event:** Report on Azim Premji University, Bengaluru (APU) & Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai (TISS) Talk on "Understanding of admissions to PG courses".

Organised by: Career Guidance and Placement Cell.

Date: 19th September 2023.

Aim of the Programme: The talk aimed at promoting and providing a comprehensive insight into the admission processes, requirements, and opportunities available at the renowned institutions dedicated to social sciences and development studies, APU & TISS. The seminar aimed to inform the students about the prestigious institutions and guidance on securing admissions along with the scholarship opportunities.

Invited: Mr. Das Antoni & Mr. Pratik Dahal

No of Participants: 123

No of Faculty Members: 08

No of Resource Persons: 02 (Azim Premji University, Bengaluru & Eastern Himalaya Foundation)

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On 19<sup>th</sup> September, a seminar on "Understanding of admissions to PG courses" was hosted by the Career Guidance and Placement Cell in collaboration with the Azim Premji University, Bengaluru (APU) & Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai (TISS) aiming towards providing valuable insights and guidance to students aspiring to pursue admission in the prestigious institutes. The event brought together students of St. Joseph's College and Southfield College to share knowledge and information on the admission processes, requirements, and scholarship opportunities of these renowned institutes. The highlight of the seminar was the presence of Mr. Das Antoni of Azim Premji University and Mr. Pratik Dahal from the Eastern Himalaya Foundation. The Seminar was concluded by Mrs. Komal Gurung, the coordinator of the Career and Placement Cell.



## **Key Points Discussed**

**Topics covered-** Mr. Das Antoni, an alumnus of Azim Premji University who posesses a Masters's in Development from Azim Premji University, highlighted the unique features of APU and emphasized the importance of a holistic application approach. On the other hand, Mr. Pratik Dahal from Eastern Himalayan Foundation shared valuable insights and guidance about Tata Institute of Social Sciences. Anf offered guidance on securing admission to this prestigious institute. They also provided information about scholarship oppurtunities to ensure that financial constraints do not hinder their pursuit of these courses.

## **Conclusion:**

The seminar organised by St. Joseph's College, in collaboration with Azim Premji University (APU) of Bengaluru and Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS) of Mumbai, proved to be a valuable source for students seeking to apply to PG courses. This collaborative effort underscores their commitment in promoting higher education and fostering academic excellence.





