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Event- Integrity Pledge on Vigilance Awareness Week

Day & Date- 29th October 2020

Timing- 10 AM – 11 AM

Students- BBA, BA (J&MC), BCA

Faculty Convener- Dr. Kirti Miglani –NSS Incharge

Venue: Online Platform

Objective

- The purpose of Vigilance Awareness Week is to generate awareness in the public at large about the ill effects of corruption.
- It aims to the promotion of integrity and probity in public life through citizen participation.
- It aims of spreading awareness and sensitizing the public about ways and means to fight corrupt practices.

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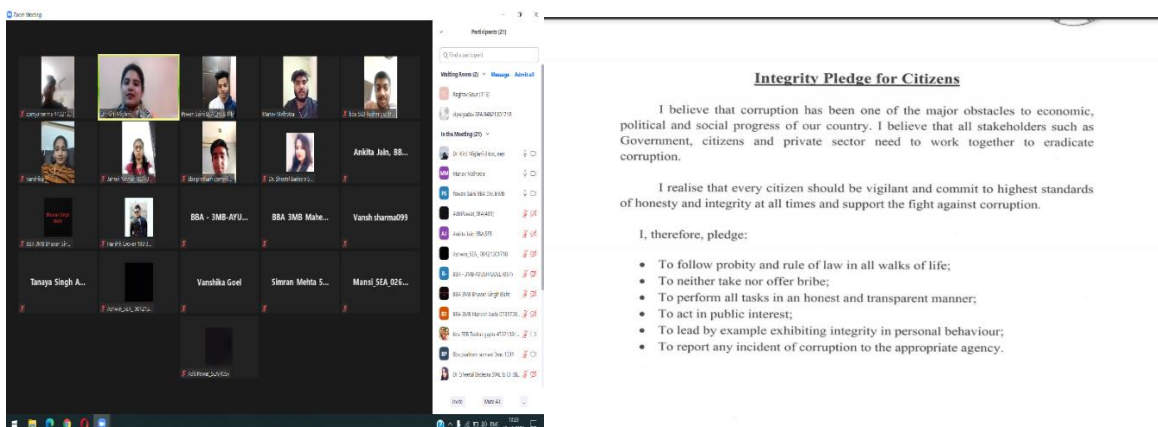
Tecnia Institute of Advanced Studies organized Integrity pledge for students. Vigilance Awareness Week (VAW) is being celebrated every year and coincides with the birthday of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, known to be a man of high integrity. In pursuit of the vision of the Government of India to make a New India by the year 2022, which is the 75th anniversary of our independence, the Central Vigilance Commission, as the apex integrity institution of the country, endeavours to promote integrity, transparency and accountability in public life.

Observance of Vigilance Awareness Week every year is part of the multi-pronged approach of the Commission where a key strategy is to encourage all stakeholders to collectively participate in the prevention of, and the fight against corruption and to raise public awareness regarding the existence, causes and gravity of and the threat posed by corruption.

The Central Vigilance Commission has decided that this year Vigilance Awareness Week would be observed from 27.10.2020 to 02.11.2020 with the theme **Satark Bharat, Samriddh Bharat – सतर्क भारत, समृद्ध भारत (Vigilant India, Prosperous India)**

Corruption can be defined as dishonest or unethical conduct by a person entrusted with a position of authority, either to obtain benefit to oneself or to some other person. It is a global phenomenon, affecting all strata of society in some way or the other. Corruption undermines political development, democracy, economic development, the environment, people's health and much more. It is, therefore, imperative that the public be sensitized and motivated towards efforts for weeding out corruption. E-governance, and systemic changes in procedures, minimal discretion, reduced public interface, technology based procurement and automation will go a long way in reducing corruption. The Commission has, therefore, been advising all organizations/ departments to identify and implement effective preventive measures to fight corruption and to enhance transparency and accountability in their functioning.

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Students taking Pledge through Online Mode

A mass integrity pledge was taken. It was followed by a signature campaign against Corruption. Banners, posters and placards depicting the theme of Vigilance Awareness Week were displayed.

Learning Outcomes

- This campaign will provide awareness among the students related to corruption.
- It will create awareness and sensitize the students about ways to fight with corrupt practices.
- It will help to generate transparency and accountability in functioning.