

TALK ON ABUSE OF ALCOHOLISM AND ITS ADDICTION

27th SEPTEMBER, 2022



NSS Unit of Gitarattan International Business School in collaboration with Alcoholics Anonymous organized a Talk on Abuse of Alcoholism and its Addiction on 27th September 2022. Mr. Deepak, Chairman, Public Information Committee, Alcoholics Anonymous talked about underage drinking, Alcohol Use Disorder (AUD), addiction & abuse of over drinking. He was accompanied by his fellow members that included both victims of AUD and their family members of victims who shared their experiences, strengths and hopes that helped them solve their common problem and helped others to recover from alcoholism.

They shared their own real-life stories with the students so as to make students aware of the consequences of addiction of alcoholism. The main objective of the event was to generate awareness among students with respect to abuse of alcoholism and its addiction. Alcoholic Anonymous team members educated students about the addictive & psychotropic qualities of alcohol.

They continued by adding that alcohol has become widely accepted in many modern societies and has become a routine part of the social landscape for many in the population. This is particularly true for those in social environments with high visibility and societal influence, nationally and internationally, where alcohol frequently accompanies socializing. In this context, it is easy to overlook or discount the health and social damage caused or contributed to by drinking. Consequently, this may result into addiction and the victims and their family members face the repercussions in social and economic terms.

The event sparked curiosity amongst the students. Their questions were well handled. A vote of thanks brought the talk to a close. The members of the AA team sent their regards and best wishes to GIBS.

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