

Program Name:	IICA-MCA Training Program on “Financial Technologies (Fintech) for Leadership in the Digital World” for the Officers of MCA and its attached offices.
Program Date:	12 – 14 February, 2020
Venue:	IIM, Calcutta
No. of Participants :	17
Participant Profile:	Officers of MCA and its attached offices.

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

The Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA) in association with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) concluded a three-day training programme **for the Officers of MCA and its attached offices** on 12-14 February, 2020 at IIM, Calcutta.

The programme organized by the IICA through its Centre for MSME & IP&CC witnessed engaged participation from 17 Govt. Officers (Joint Director, Deputy Director, Assistant Director, AROC, DROC, and Assistant Manager) representing major Organizations / Offices under Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

This capacity building initiative was organized with the aim to inspire leaders with the required organizational and technological know-how for creating a novel digital vision for the financial organizations with measurable impact.

The financial world is going through an era of digital transformation. The impact of social media, mobility, Big Data and machine learning, Internet of Things, blockchain, and artificial intelligence based robotics is being felt as firms strive to meet the expectations of the new-age millennial customers through digital mastery. Digital change management in the banking and financial services industry and capital markets needs new capabilities in leaders who have the vision to develop novel technological innovation for transforming the world of banking, trading, risk management, customer management and advisory, payments and fraud detection.

Keeping this in view, IICA in collaboration with IIM, Calcutta designed this three days training programme/ workshop with the purpose to introduce participants to a range of issues surrounding the fundamentals of disruption technologies, challenges of social, mobile, analytics & cloud, financial services and FinTech.

This course familiarized participants with the digital technologies and their capabilities key to overcoming challenges and achieving success in the areas of FinTech.

Key topics covered are as follows:

- Digital Transformation in Financial Services, Digital Disruption through FinTech, Emerging Technologies for FinTech, Financial Inclusion through Innovation - **Prof. Indranil Bose, IIMC**

- Risks in FinTech, Generating Early Warning Signals - **Prof. Ashok Banerjee, IIMC**
- The Blockchain Revolution, Smart Contracts & Blockchain - **Prof. Debashis Saha, IIMC**
- Challenges of FinTech for the BFSI sector, Leveraging Technology for agility in Traditional Banking - **Mr. Praloy Majumdar**

Program was Residential and conducted at IIM, Calcutta. Joint Director, Deputy Director, Assistant Director, AROC, DROC, CDM Project Coordinator and Assistant Manager from O/o Regional Director (ER), Competition Commission of India, IBBI, CRC, O/o of ROC (Kolkata), ICLS Academy, SFIO, O/o of OL, IICA, e-Gov Cell, Cost Audit Branch, MCA attended the program.

The pedagogy of the program was based on class room sessions, experiential learning, case studies and evidence based learning for helping those seeking answers to the challenging questions and aspects.

MAJOR HIGHLIGHTS

- Three Hours of sharing in-depth knowledge, debating spiritedly & directing razor-sharp questions at each other made the classroom exercise on Challenges of FinTech for the BFSI sector based on national & international case study a fascinating & enjoyable experience during the three day duration time of our 17 participants.
- The discussion kept the participants engaged.
- The Q&A session was lively & engaging.

PROGRAM FLOW:

The three-day capacity building programme was started with opening remarks by Mr. Rajesh Batra, Head Centre for MSME/ IP&CC & CDM Project coordinator, IICA and Prof. Indranil Bose, IIMC.

Characterized by interactive sessions, presentations and case studies, the programme was facilitated by Prof. Indranil Bose-IIMC, Prof. Ashok Banerjee-IIMC, Prof. Debashis Saha-IIMC, Mr. Praloy Majumdar-IIMC. The programme was concluded with closing session & remarks presided by **Mr. Rajesh Batra**, Head Centre for MSME/ IP&CC and CDM Project Coordinator, IICA.
