

Apeejay Institute of Hospitality launched in Mumbai

Dedicated to the memory of Late Chairman Surrendra Paul

Apeejay Institute of Hospitality, an initiative from Apeejay Surrendra Park Hotels has been officially launched in Navi Mumbai. Chairperson Emeritus, Shirin Paul and Group Chief Advisor, Jit Paul formally inaugurated the institute and dedicated the same to the memory of late Chairman Surrendra Paul. Also present at the launch ceremony were Ms Priya Paul, Chairperson, Apeejay Surrendra Park Hotels, Ms. Priti Paul, Director Apeejay Surrendra Group, Mr. Lemuel Herbert, General Manager and Mr. Bhuvan GM, Principal, Apeejay Institute of Hospitality. The institute bridges an important gap between industry and academia – that of meeting the growing demand for qualified and talented professionals. The institute is located within the recently launched The Park, Navi Mumbai.

Apeejay Surrendra Group has been committed to educating and nurturing talent for many years. Mrs. Shirin Paul personally oversees the management of the Apeejay Schools in Kolkata and is the Chairperson of The Paul Foundation that awards scholarships to outstanding scholars who are committed to make a difference to the society through their work. Apeejay Surrendra Park Hotels has had a successful structured internal training programme for over twenty years that charts the personal and professional growth of its employees. With this institute, the Group takes a definitive step forward by introducing degree courses for external candidates.

Speaking on the occasion Ms. Priya Paul, Chairperson, Apeejay Surrendra Hotels said, “Trained people has been a constant requirement of the industry and it is of significant importance right now. While many talented young people are keen to join the industry, we do not have enough institutes to give them the right training and exposure to bring them at par with world-class talent. We are delighted to take the first step towards that with Apeejay Institute of Hospitality”.

Mr. Vijay Dewan, Managing Director, Apeejay Surrendra Park Hotels further added “ At the Apeejay Institute of Hospitality, we are committed to develop talent in a dynamic learning environment based on our unique culture of hospitality, to enable them to lead our industry into the future. We propose to instill in them humility, reliability and integrity and encourage them to grow as individuals and excel as a team.”

Elaborating upon programmes being offered he said, "The three-year comprehensive degree programme will have around 60 students passing out each year. Apart from this, we are also offering a unique Executive Development programme for senior and mid level industry professionals. The institute will also function as an internal resource for training company executive through its Management Training Programme from which currently about 40 assistant managers graduate every year and Professional Development Programmes that are designed to meet organizational requirements for trained supervisory and executive staff.

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