

**A Report on One Day Workshop on**  
**“Redefining soft skills in pursuit of present corporate scenario”**  
**Organised by Department of English and Foreign Languages**  
**on 17.01.2025**



**Event Organized by: Dr. P. Athahar, Head and Associate Professor, Department of English and Foreign Languages.**

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The Department of English and Foreign languages, MITS organized a one-day workshop on “Redefining soft skills in pursuit of present corporate scenario” on 17/01/2025 at MITS campus. The idea behind this workshop is to retaliate and update soft skills of teachers and to ensure vibrant exchange of ideas and knowledge. In the present scenario of changing mindset of Industry, there is a need to fulfil the gap between the industry and teachers and to enrich them with standardization of teaching soft skills. This workshop primarily intends to bridge this gap. There were two resource persons from Brillio Technologies. Ritu Sharma was one of them who is a leader, Mentor and coach, University relations, Professor of practice. Another one was Shambhavi Khare, operational excellence & University Relations Lead campus recruitment for LTR, MEC, CTO, vertical and design. Both the resource persons exhibited what the corporate is looking forward from students and gave first-hand experience to the teachers. It was a highly interactive workshop that enabled all the teachers of MITS ready for the expectations of the industry in terms of soft skills like rules, traits, dynamics, format and structure of resume, group discussion and interview skills and the same can be imparted to the students.

We are so grateful to our management and the principal for allowing us to conduct the program that brought all the faculty to rejuvenate and update the knowledge of soft skills according to Industry needs. The faculty also gave lot of inputs to upskill themselves and sought a few requirements from the Institution.

I would like to thank the training and placement officer for his timely assistance to provide authentic resource person for the workshop to train the trainers. I would also extend my gratitude to our beloved vice principal, academics and senior training and placement officer for attending the workshop as guests to deliver their valuable address. Finally, my sincere thanks to all the teacher participants who were enthusiastic to take both the sessions that included wide scope of interaction.

**Program Outcomes:**

1. The faculty have understood the challenges in teaching and learning approaches with regard to soft skills.
2. They got familiarized with the technical advancements which can be adopted in the classrooms.
3. The faculty learnt how to be flexible with students while teaching soft skills.
4. Amid the changing requirements of Industry, the faculty learnt how to transform from a teacher to facilitator.
5. How to be prioritizing the real-world application with advanced teaching techniques as per the current requirements of Industry.
6. The faculty were enriched with the culture, ambience and environment of the corporate that can be imparted to students.