

A Report on "Exhibition on Value Chain Activities"
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School of Management Studies and Department ED Cell has conducted **An Exhibition on Value Chain Activities** on 20 November 2025.

The main objective of the *Exhibition on Value Chain Activities* was to give MBA students a hands-on learning experience where they could actually explore and understand how different industries create value. Instead of just learning theories in the classroom, the program encouraged students to work together, research real companies, and present the entire value chain using creative charts, models, and displays. Through this activity, students improved their teamwork, analytical thinking, and communication skills while gaining clearer insights into how products are made, how services are delivered, and how businesses operate from start to finish. The exhibition also helped them discover the unique challenges and strategies that different industries follow.



Event Overview:

MBA II-I sem students were divided into groups and assigned the task of selecting an industry of their choice. Each group analyzed the complete value chain of the chosen industry and presented the processes involved—from procurement of raw materials to delivery of the final product or service.

Team 1 : Dairy industry: Students presented the value chain of the dairy sector using charts and sample packaging. Their visuals made it easy to understand the flow from farms to packaged items. They also explained how support systems help keep the products fresh, clean, and safe.

Team 2 : Cement industry: Students exhibits helped viewers see how different stages are connected within the factory. They also used diagrams to show how support systems like machines and quality checks keep everything running smoothly.

Team 3 : Petroleum Industry: With refinery charts and pipeline maps, this team explained how fuel travels from refineries all the way to petrol stations. Their visuals captured how massive and complex the process is. They also highlighted, through charts, how strong support systems ensure safe and uninterrupted supply.

Team 4 : Edible Oil Processing Industry: This team used step-by-step charts that clearly showed how oil is sourced, processed, and prepared for use. Their visuals highlighted the importance of cleanliness and proper handling throughout the journey. They also used charts to show how support functions help maintain purity and smooth operations.

Team 5 : Gold & Jewellery Manufacturing Industry: The team used design charts and mould visuals to show how raw gold is shaped into beautiful jewellery. Their displays captured the creativity and skill involved in every piece. They also explained, through charts, how branding and quality checks help build customer trust. Students used mock jewellery pieces and process diagrams to explain.

Team 6 : Textile industry: This team displayed fabric samples, yarn along with colourful charts to depict the transformation from fibres to finished textiles. Their visuals captured the importance of technology, design, and production flows. Support activities such as quality control and procurement were also showcased through diagrams.

Team 7: Paper industry: This group presented the complete journey of how raw materials are turned into usable paper products. Their charts highlighted sustainability practices and the significance of large-scale operations. Support functions like environmental management and quality monitoring were also represented visually.

Team 8: Tea industry: The team showcased the journey of tea leaves from plantation to cup using leaves, posters, Students illustrated the fascinating journey of tea leaves from plantations to packaged products. They also explained support functions like grading and branding through clear charts.



Feedback:

Dr. Sreemant Basu, Dean Administration, appreciated the effort put in by the students and highlighted the importance of practical learning beyond classroom teaching. He expressed that exhibitions like the Value Chain Activities showcase not only students' creativity but also their ability to understand real-world business processes. He encouraged students to continue participating in such experiential activities, stating that these platforms build confidence, communication skills, and managerial thinking.

Dr. Bhanu Sree Reddy, Dean of the School of Management Studies, congratulated the students for organizing a well-structured value chain exhibition. She highlighted that understanding the value chain is essential for every management student because it forms the backbone of operations, logistics, and strategic decision-making. She encouraged students to continue engaging in hands-on learning activities that build managerial insight and confidence.

Dr. Arul Kumar, Innovation cell coordinator, praised the students for infusing creativity into their value chain representations. He mentioned that innovation is not limited to technology— even business concepts can be presented innovatively when students think differently. He encouraged students to keep experimenting with new ideas, adopt problem-solving approaches, and develop an entrepreneurial way of thinking. He also appreciated the teamwork displayed by the groups and assured continued support for student-driven innovative initiatives.

Faculty members from Management studies and from different departments visited and appreciated the students' efforts, creativity, and depth of research. The interactive discussions during the exhibition encouraged students to think critically about how value is generated and how each activity contributes to overall organizational success.

Program Outcomes:

The exhibition enhanced the students' ability to:

- Understand the strategic importance of value chain analysis in business decision-making.
- Connect classroom concepts with real-world industry practices.
- Develop teamwork, analytical thinking, creativity, and presentation skills.
- Gain insights into operational efficiencies and competitive advantages across industries.
- Learn to break down complex business processes into structured, meaningful stages.

Conclusion:

The *Exhibition on Value Chain Activities* was an enriching experience that deepened the students' understanding of business processes and strategic management. It successfully transformed theoretical learning into practical insight, making the event a valuable part of the MBA program.

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