Graded Program: MIB

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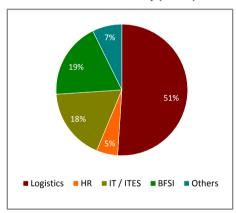
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### **Best Practices Followed**

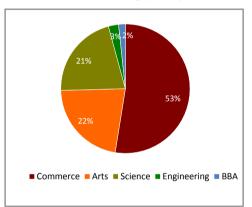
Comprehensive Curriculum review process with inputs from independent Board of Studies comprising of academicians and industry experts

| Graded Program Details |                             | Students - Key Statistics     |  | Permanent Faculty          |          |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|----------------------------|----------|
| Program                | MIB (2 years)               | Student strength              | 120  | Faculty strength           | 14       |
| Offered since          | 1997                        | Average age                   | 21 years   | Median teaching experience | 10 years |
| Status                 | Autonomous                  | Average work experience       | 4 months   | Median Industry experience | 1 year   |
| Recognition            | NAAC, ISO                   | Percentage of female students | 39%  | Retention rate             | 100%     |
| Program Fee            | Rs. 2.20 lakh               | Entrance test                 | Graduation percentage,                             | Student-Faculty ratio      | 16:1     |
| Total Seats            | 120<br>(From 2009-11 Batch) |                               | Group Discussion and<br>Personal Interview is used |                            |          |
|                        |                             |                               | for selection                                      | Visiting faculty           | 11       |

### Placement Diversity (08-10)



## Student Diversity (10-12)



### Student Outcome (08-10)

| Placements   | 87%                             |  |  |  |  |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
|  | 8% students opted out of campus |  |  |  |  |
|  | placements                      |  |  |  |  |
| Median salary  | Rs.2.12 lakh                    |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum salary   | Rs.2.60lakh                     |  |  |  |  |
| Pre-placement offer  | NIL                             |  |  |  |  |
| No. of student clubs   | NIL                             |  |  |  |  |
| Predominant placement region   | Coimbatore, Chennai             |  |  |  |  |
| Key recruiters   |                                 |  |  |  |  |
| C.H Robinson Logistics, Kuehnek and Nagel Logistics, Al-<br>Seer Logistics, Standard Chartered Bank, Panalpina |                                 |  |  |  |  |
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# Curriculum

The programme is spread over four semesters with seven to eight courses per semester. The programme includes industry visit, self study paper and management skill development courses. There is a summer internship of 4 week duration after the second semester. Students get to choose an elective each in the 3rd and the 4th semester.

Industry visits to Malaysia and Singapore through the 'Global Frontiers' programme add to the overall student learning outcomes.

The pedagogy involves class room interactions, assignments, case studies, quizzes and group assignments.

### **Industry Interaction**

A total of 34 guest lectures were held in 2008-09 while 24 lectures were held in 2007-08. Industry visits and conferences and seminars are also organised regularly.

In 2009-10, the institute conducted 3 MDPs in which 325 applicants from 31 companies participated. The MDPs were held in the field of creativity in management, branding, change management and international business.

The institute has 5 tie-ups for customised courses by professionals from entities like O&M, Idea and Hindu Business Line.

The self-sufficient campus is spread over an area of 14 acres with facilities, such as students' hostel, canteen, sports and recreation facility, six classrooms dedicated for MIB programme, a seminar hall and video conferencing facility.

The library is stocked with 13,100 books and 7,250 titles for undergraduate and postgraduate students. The institute also subscribes to more than 60 journals (National and International) and online databases, such as EBSCO.

The learning infrastructure at GRDSCIB is limited and the information is shared through Yahoo / Google Groups. The institute is yet to implement a learning management system at the campus.

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