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Sairam Engg hosts meet on Structural Equation Model

Chennai, Apr 18: Sri Sairam Institute of Management Studies, a unit of Sri Sairam Engineering college, West Tambaram, Chennai, organised Two-Day National level Workshop on "Structural Equation Model (SEM) using SPSS and AMOS for Quantitative Data analysis" during 16th Centre lab at our premises. The workshop was conducted by the statistical expert Dr.A John William Felix, Professor of Statistics at Rajah Muthiah Medical College, Annamalai University. The workshop had a overwhelming response from various colleges and universities. The workshop was inaugurated welcome address given by Dr.K.Maran, Director, Sri Sairam Institute of Management Studies, and Dr.K.Soundarapandiyam, co-ordinator of the workshop did the honors to the expert.

The workshop focuses on application of SPSS and AMOS packages for research on various spheres of management, technology and social sciences. He emphasized the need for statistical science and importance



by highlighting its contribution in decision making in various sectors. The workshop dealt with right from giving the basics of stats and step by step of advancing the research and analysis through the powerful statistical methods.

The workshop was fully practical oriented with hands on experience at the state of the art systems laboratory with built in packages for participants to learn, practice and gain the expertise from the expert. The aspiring research scholars actively participated in the

practical sessions and got quality outputs. Writing the apt interpretation is very vital and effective way of interpreting the data analysis and findings also forms part of the workshop. The queries were handled in a lucid manner that made complex facts simple for understanding and ease of use in their respective areas of research. The research scholars various areas of specialization clarified their doubts and quenched their thirst for statistical knowledge.

Dr.Felix distributed the certificate of merit for all

the participants during the valedictory held on the 17th collaborated learning experience with academic stalwart and the aspiring scholars.

He also highlighted the potential areas of research that motivates the scholars to take-up the research activities to a wider perspective that touches the academia, industry and the society as a whole. of April 2014 and concluded the workshop with collaborated learning experience with academic stalwart and the aspiring scholars.