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Report on Orientation program by Global Reach

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An orientation program was conducted by Global Reach on January 9, 2025. The program aimed to provide valuable insights and guidance to students interested in pursuing higher education abroad. Global Reach, an organization with over 30 years of expertise in this field, conducted the session to address various aspects of studying in foreign countries.

The session was led by two representatives, Ms. Drupthi and Ms. Lalitha, the latter being an alumnus of our Institute, which made the program more relatable and inspiring for the students. The program began with an introduction to Global Reach, outlining its mission and the services it provides to aspiring students.



The speakers elaborated on the benefits of studying abroad, emphasizing the opportunity to gain global exposure and the possibility of working part-time while pursuing education. They explained how Global Reach supports students in their journey by offering career counselling, helping with university shortlisting and guiding them in selecting the best-suited country and courses based on their interests and career goals.

The session also addressed the various entrance and language exams required for admission to foreign universities, such as IELTS, TOEFL and GRE. The representatives provided comprehensive

guidance on preparing for these exams and shared information about financial assistance through scholarships and loans.



Additionally, the speakers discussed the earning opportunities available to students both during and after their studies. They clarified the options for part-time jobs while studying and full-time work opportunities after completing higher education. They also highlighted the common roadblocks, such as financial challenges and exam preparation, that students face when planning to study abroad and offered practical solutions to overcome them.

The program concluded with an engaging Q&A session, where students had the opportunity to interact with the speakers and clarify their doubts. This interactive segment added value to the session by providing personalized advice and insights. It was an informative and engaging session that effectively equipped students with the knowledge and resources needed to pursue higher education abroad.