

## Higher Studies and Research in Germany

Avinashilingam Centre for International Education (ACIE) organized a session on higher studies and research opportunities in Germany on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2025 (Thursday) from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the MBA Conference Hall. Students and research scholars, interested in exploring academic and research opportunities in Germany, attended the event.



Dr. S. Sumathi, Coordinator of ACIE and Professor of BCBT, welcomed the gathering and introduced the Chief Guest, Ms. Kavitha Somasundaram, Regional Officer (Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh & Puducherry), DAAD Information Centre, Chennai. The session was designed to provide students with insights into pursuing higher education and research in Germany, covering admission procedures, scholarships, research grants, internships, and exchange programs.

Ms. Kavitha Somasundaram delivered the special address, offering a comprehensive overview of educational opportunities for Indian students in Germany. She highlighted key aspects such as funding options, application processes, and institutional support available for international students. She also engaged with participants by addressing their queries and guiding them on how to navigate the process of studying and conducting research in Germany.

The session concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Dr. C. Antony Crispin Sweetey, Assistant Professor of Mathematics (SF), who expressed gratitude to the speakers and encouraged students to take advantage of global educational opportunities.

Dr. S. Sumathi, Dr. V. Srividhya, and Dr. C. Antony Crispin Sweetey coordinated the event, ensuring a valuable learning experience for students and research scholars. The session proved to be an informative and enlightening experience, equipping participants with valuable knowledge about higher education and research prospects in Germany.

