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A Report on

Cogitate: The Art of Critical Thinking

Date- 6th of April, 2024

Time- 11:00 A.M.

No. of Participants- 62

Overview-

"Cogitate: The Art of Critical Thinking" was an enriching one-day workshop held on April 6th, 2024, at the Auditorium of Centurion University at Paralakhemundi Campus. It was organized by the School of Management in collaboration with JC Kumarappa Technology Park and Innovation Centre and the Research Centre for EduTech & SkillsTech, the workshop aimed to enhance critical thinking skills and foster creativity among its participants. Attended by 62 individuals from various backgrounds, the workshop offered a rich environment for learning and interaction.

Objectives-

The primary objective of Cogitate 2024 was to provide participants with tools and techniques to enhance their critical thinking and creativity skills. The workshop aimed to:

- Sharpen problem-solving and decision-making abilities.
- Overcome creative blocks and enhance innovative thinking.
- Equip participants with practical skills in digital tools and creative expression.
- Foster an understanding of complex narrative techniques in storytelling and other media.
- Encourage the practical application of learned skills in professional and personal settings.

Highlights of the Workshop-

The workshop featured four sessions, each designed to tackle different facets of critical thinking and creativity:

- Techniques to Sharpen Critical Thinking- Participants explored methods to improve problem-solving and decision-making through interactive exercises.

- **Overcoming Creative Blocks-** Attendees learned strategies to navigate through creativity barriers, unlocking new potential.
- **Innovative Problem Solving-** The session on "Thinking Out of the Box" encouraged innovative approaches to common challenges.
- **Storytelling and Communication-** Experts provided insights into effective communication through the art of narrative.
- **Practical Digital Tool Use-** Hands-on activities with digital tools aimed at boosting technical and creative skills.
- **Art and Sketching Workshops-** These included storyboarding, comics making, and anime sketching led by industry professionals.
- **Short Performances and Discussions-** These fostered a dynamic environment for expressing and debating ideas.

Resource Person for each session are as follows-

- **Session 1: Mr. Harsho Mohan Chatteraj:** Led the comics-making workshop, imparting his extensive experience in graphic novels.
- **Session 2: Dr. Atanu Deb:** Guided participants through storytelling, leveraging his background in film and narrative.
- **Session 3: Dr. Preetha Bhadra:** Combined dance and creative arts in critical performance acts.
- **Session 4: Mr. Sambhav Barik:** Offered insights into AR and VR technologies, enhancing digital interactive experiences.



Mr. Harsho Mohan Chatteraj



Dr. Atanu Deb



Dr. Preetha Bhadra

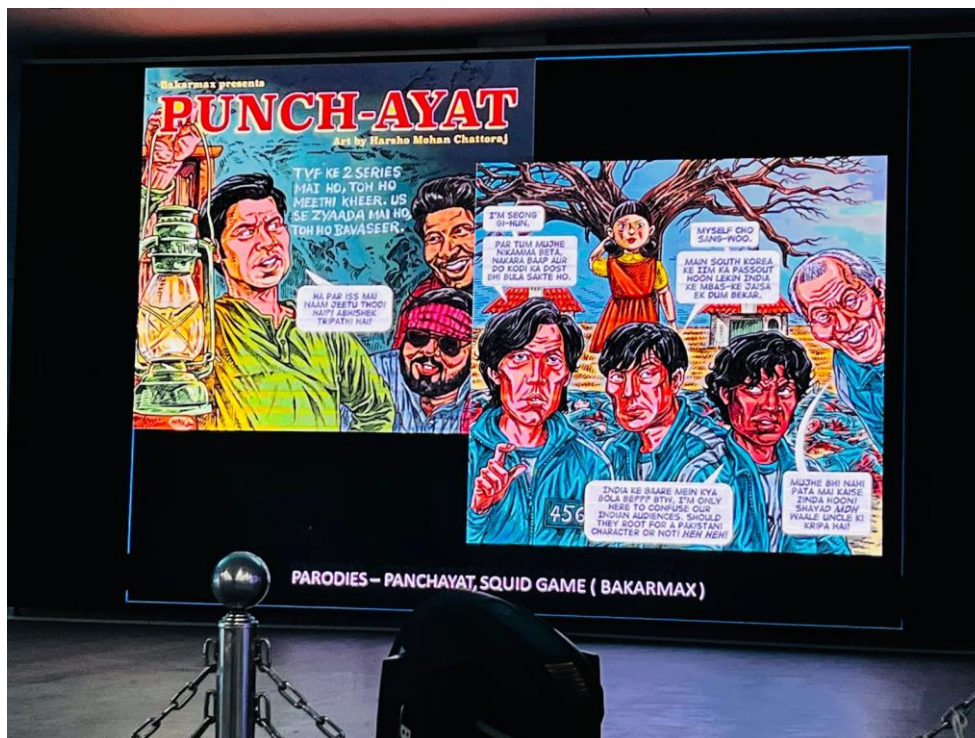


Mr. Sambhav Barik

Learning Outcomes-

- By the end of the workshop, participants were able to:
 - Apply critical thinking skills in varied real-world scenarios.
 - Utilize creative strategies to solve complex problems.
 - Communicate more effectively through structured storytelling.
 - Utilize new digital tools and creative techniques in professional and personal projects.

Glimpses of the Workshop-



During session 1 of the workshop on 6th of April, 2024



Resource Person reviewing learners interest and boosting critical thinking on 6th of April, 2024



Learners with their certificates after the workshop on 6th of April, 2024

Conclusion-

Cogitate 2024 successfully met its objectives, providing participants with valuable skills and insights in critical thinking and creativity. The blend of theoretical knowledge and practical application facilitated not only skill enhancement but also significant networking opportunities, laying a foundation for future creative endeavors and professional growth.

Attendance Sheet**COGITATE: THE ART OF CRITICAL THINKING****Date: 06.04.24****Time: 11:00 A.M.**

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Year
1	Ripsa Jena	220804130098	2nd YEAR
2	Alisha sahu	220804130111	2nd YEAR
3	Srimayee Padhi	220804130095	2nd YEAR
4	Anubhav Behuria	220804130090	2nd YEAR
5	Dikkala. Devayani	220804130100	2nd YEAR
6	Kiranmai Guntamukkala	220804130112	2nd YEAR
7	Pragyan Priyadarshini Patel	220804130082	2nd YEAR
8	Chandra Saisree	220804130086	2nd YEAR
9	Satish Panda	230209120055	1st YEAR
10	Bidyut Prabha Dalai	220804130078	2nd YEAR
11	M.Yeshitha	230804130181	1st YEAR
12	Oungu Karthik	230804130142	1st YEAR
13	Kintada.Priyanka	230804130032	1st YEAR
14	ChittaRanjan jenna	230804130052	1st YEAR
15	Potrakanda.Sai Charan	230804130118	1st YEAR
16	Sk Mohammad Junaid Ahamed	230804130047	1st YEAR
17	Sai Nalini Panda	230101120152	1st YEAR
18	Purushottam Reddy Karri	230804130154	1st YEAR
19	Gagan	230804130187	1st YEAR
20	K.Rama Krishna	230804130039	1st YEAR
21	KURMAI MANOJ KUMAR REDDY	230804130135	1st YEAR
22	M Hema vardhan	240804130091	1st YEAR
23	Borigi Shreeka	230101120153	1st YEAR
24	Sk Abidul Firoze	230804130046	1st YEAR
25	G venkat srinivas rao	230804130057	1st YEAR
26	P. Karthik	230804130034	1st YEAR
27	Kagitapalli Mohana Rao	230804130077	1st YEAR
28	Bosi Rajesh	210101120101	3rd YEAR
29	Bhumika Borigi	210101120067	3rd YEAR
30	A.Poorna sampath	230804130129	1st YEAR

31	A sai krishna	230804130001	1st YEAR
32	A.kartheek	230804130099	1st YEAR
33	KURAMANA SAI PRATHYUSHA	210804130157	3rd YEAR
34	CHIPURU.SAI RATNA	230804130075	1st YEAR
35	J.Saranya	220804130048	2nd YEAR
36	Mudavath Balaji nayak	230804130143	1st YEAR
37	P.Revanth	230804130219	1st YEAR
38	Lolla Abhiram	230804130197	1st YEAR
39	P. Lavanya	230101120125	1st YEAR
40	KONDALA KALYANRAM	230101120134	1st YEAR
41	RAMU YARLANKI	230101120127	1st YEAR
42	Pratik Roy	210101121261	3rd YEAR
43	Hanumantu Jagan	230209120065	1st YEAR
44	Rajeev kumar	230209120016	1st YEAR
45	Gurani prasad	230804130117	1st YEAR
46	Gara Sowmya	230804130095	1st YEAR
47	Tarra ujwal	230804130081	1st YEAR
48	Karanam Dhathri	230101120136	1st YEAR
49	Yabuji premik	230804130203	1st YEAR
50	Bailupati Lalu	230805220006	1st YEAR
51	Karicharla Sakesh naidu	200804130058	4th YEAR
52	Padigapati Praveen Kumar Reddy	200804130226	4th YEAR
53	Swetaparna Mishra	220804230034	2nd YEAR
54	Pratyasha Sethy	220804230006	2nd YEAR
55	Jeevan Kumar	220101120018	2nd YEAR
56	V. Nimshi	200804130298	4th YEAR
57	Akhila Badava	230805220001	1st YEAR
58	Isai naveen	230101120135	1st YEAR
59	ISHA SATAPATHY	200804130082	4th YEAR
60	Kunal Kumar Singh	213001320005	3rd YEAR
61	Abhishek Kumar	213001320011	3rd YEAR
62	B K Prince Raj	213001320001	3rd YEAR

Anita Patra

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