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Press Release

100% Internship Placement for MSc BFA (Banking and Financial Analytics) students of JMI

The Department of Economics, Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) has achieved 100 percentage internship placement for its 4th batch of MSc Banking and Financial Analytics (BFA) students this year. All MSc BFA 4th semester (2002-2024) students secured internship in nationalized bank namely Indian Bank and various corporate entities such as Genpact, CRISIL Ltd, GFK, Axiom Consulting and RevFin, etc.

MSc BFA is a 2 year master's programme run by the Department of Economics, JMI since 2019. The content of the programme is highly aligned to changing needs of the analytics Industry. The course is focused on 360 degree skilling of students for analytics Industry. In addition, learning applied finance and advanced statistics students are trained in using softwares like R, Python, Stata, SQL, PowerBI for data management, visualisation and quantitative modeling. Students are also trained in modern data science tools such as machine learning and AI. As a result, this has become most sought after course by employers and students in a very short span of time. We have been experiencing nearly 100% placement of our graduates.

In order to provide industry immersive experience entire 4th semester of the course is devoted to industry internship/capstone projects so that course participants can fine tune their skills learned in the class room and make themselves industry ready, said Professor Asheref Illiyan, Head Department of Economics, JMI.

Further, the Department has also kick-started campus placement drive for its MSc BFA students. A few companies have already recruited some students through campus drive with good offers and some more companies have expressed their willingness to participate in the campus drive of MSc BFA graduates. Prof. Illiyan expressed his gratitude to the Vice Chancellor and Registrar, JMI for the excellent support for the smooth running of the course. He also thanked Dr. Vasim Akram, course Coordinator, MSc BFA and all the faculty members of the Department and University Placement Cell for their support.

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