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#### GJ REPORT

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The event was managed entirely by the student body of Jammu's IIM Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC). Students had the unique opportunity to hear directly from the entrepreneur about her experiences and challenges. Sanchaita Khajuria shared her entrepreneurial journey, starting from wildlife tourism in Delhi to promoting handicrafts in Jammu during the COVID-19 pandemic. Having married into a Dogra family in Jammu and Kashmir, she built her business, Shilpkari Bazaar, three years ago, focusing on manufacturing



Students and staff posing for a group photograph with local entrepreneur Sanchalta Khajuria at IIM Jammu.

and promoting local arts and crafts from the small town of Basohli in Kathua district.

During the session Sanchaita eloquently described the obstacles she faced, the triumphs she achieved, and the role of courage in shaping her path to explore and preserve the culture and heritage of J&K. She emphasized that persistence is crucial in pursuing dreams, even in the face of fear and uncertainty. She encouraged the students to develop qualities like risk-taking and perseverance to succeed in their entrepreneurial ventures.

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