

BUILDING BETTER BOARDS

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The School of Corporate Governance and Public Policy has successfully conducted a two-day intensive Re Orientation Programme for Directors "**Building Better Boards**" on 15th and 16th February, 2016 at Hotel Vasant Continental, New Delhi.

The programme provided an opportunity to discuss governance challenges which can improve the performance of the Board and thus the performance of the company. It has also effectively contributed in improving Board's performance by providing an opportunity to hone up necessary critical skills.

The programme was commenced with the welcome address by Prof Asish K Bhattacharyya, Head SCGPP, IICA who deliberated upon the vital importance of such training needs in the light of recent regulations. The inaugural session was followed by 10 technical sessions covering the most relevant areas of corporate governance. All the sessions were delivered by the internal faculty of the School of Corporate Governance and Public Policy. The pertinent issues discussed during the learning sessions includes: Board Culture, Board's Role and Responsibilities under Companies Act 2013, Emerging Role of Independent Directors, Board's role in Strategy, Diversity at Board, Enterprise Risk Management, Managing Finance through Ratios, Balance Score Card, Boards Report and Corporate Social Responsibility.

The program was marked by presence of Directors from renowned Private & Public Sector Units (PSUs) such as WAPCOS Ltd., Union Bank of India, Madras Fertilizers Ltd., Amcor Private Ltd. The program was very well received by all participants by appreciating the clarity of exposition of speakers and amongst other things, liked the relevance and presentation

of the program. All the participants received IICA certification on completion of the training programme.