

2023-24

**Annual
REPORT**



ALUMNI TEAM

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ABOUT US



As the Alumni Team of SIBM Pune, we proudly uphold a legacy spanning over 47 years, representing a robust network of more than 8000 distinguished alumni. Our team is dedicated to nurturing and strengthening the bonds within this prestigious community, ensuring its members **collaborate, thrive, and inspire.**

Our responsibilities extend to organizing diverse alumni events, from intimate **batch reunions to expansive regional meets, creating opportunities for alumni to reconnect and celebrate their shared connection to their Alma Mater.** Additionally, we facilitate interactions between current students and alumni, enabling students to tap into the vast reservoir of knowledge and experience that our alumni offer. Our efforts to strengthen the alumni connect were recognized at the Annual Management Day, where we received the **Best Council Award - Director's Choice.**

THE TEAM



THE SENIOR TEAM

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Rashi Makwana
Sayli Kharkar

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Rashi Makwana
Sayli Kharkar

ALUMSPEAK



The poster features a portrait of Ankit Chaturvedi on the right side. On the left, there is a dark blue background with white and red text. At the top left, there is a logo for 'ALUMNI TEAM' with a stylized 'A' in a circle. At the top right, there is the 'SIBM PUNE' logo. The main title 'ALUMSPEAK 2023' is in large, bold, red letters. Below it, the name 'ANKIT CHATURVEDI' is written in large, bold, white letters. Underneath the name, his title 'Vice President and Global Head of Marketing at RateGain' is written in smaller white text, with 'RateGain' in red. Below the title, 'Batch of 2013' is written in white. At the bottom left, there are two icons: a clock icon next to '04:00 PM' and a calendar icon next to 'June 17, 2023'.

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2023

ANKIT CHATURVEDI

Vice President and Global Head
of Marketing at *RateGain*

Batch of 2013



🕒 04:00 PM

📅 June 17, 2023

An initiative by the Alumni Team, **AlumSpeak** is a platform for sharing rich, valuable knowledge and experience between the Alumni and the students. It is a year-round voluntary engagement activity and any alumni can connect with us via email or any social media platform to conduct a formal or informal session, sharing knowledge of current industry happenings and relevant matters.

This year, the AlumSpeak was conducted on **June 17, 2023**, where our esteemed Alumnus, **Mr. Ankit Chaturvedi, Batch of 2013, Vice President & Global Head - Marketing at RateGain** counselled students on **how to align future goals with individual personalities**.



ANNUAL DATABASE UPDATION DRIVE



The Alumni Team successfully completed the

DATABASE UPDATION

of 8000+ Alumni



With a legacy of over 47 years, SIBM Pune prides itself on its well-established and esteemed Alumni community. The Alumni Team strives to maintain this connection by updating the alumni details annually through its database updation drive. For the year of **2023-24**, the Alumni Team spearheaded this initiative in the months of **July to September**, updating the details of over **8000 Alumni**.

The team then facilitates the use of the database by the **Student Councils and Special Interest Groups** for speaker sessions, student interactions, mentorship, internship and job opportunities. The database is also the most important tool in keeping the alumni informed and involved about the various initiatives and events organized for them.

REWIND

25 YEAR REUNION



Rewind '23 – The 25-year Reunion was hosted by the Alumni Team for the **Batches of 1997 and 1998** on **July 8, 2023**. The Alumni were overwhelmed and delighted to have received the opportunity to get together and reconnect after years. The event started with a meet and greet session at the former **SIBM Pune campus at SB Road**.

The fun and celebration continued at Lavale campus, with exciting games to relive their college days. The activities were followed by a virtual interactive session with their batchmates situated overseas. The event ended with the Alumni taking a tour of the beautiful Hilltop Campus at sunset.



REPRISE

10 YEAR REUNION



The Alumni Team organized **Reprise 2023**, a **10-year Reunion** for the **Batches of 2012 and 2013**, at the Lavale Hilltop campus on **September 9, 2023**. A total of **54 alumni** returned to their alma mater to relive and reprise their college memories. The day featured engagement activities, an open mic session, and a relaxing high tea. To conclude the reunion, the alumni embarked on a campus tour, which likely brought back many fond memories of their time at SIBM Pune. The Reprise 2023 event was a great success, providing an opportunity for the attending alumni to reconnect with classmates, faculty, and their alma mater.



ENCORE WEST



The Alumni Team hosted **Encore West 2023** on **September 30, 2023**, reuniting **over 150 SIBM Alumni** for an engaging evening at the **Novotel Hotel in Mumbai**. Dr. Santosh Gopalkrishnan, Deputy Head of Corporate Relations, inspired the gathering with a keynote address. Laughter and interaction filled the air as icebreakers, interactive games, and an open mic session fostered connections. This Mumbai reunion provided a platform for the alumni to reconnect with former classmates, faculty, and fellow graduates. Reconnecting, reminiscing, and building new connections within the SIBM network, Encore West 2023 proved to be the ideal platform for our alumni to **collaborate, thrive, and inspire**.



RENDEZVOUS



The Alumni Team proudly organizes **Rendezvous, the Degree Distribution Ceremony**, celebrating the graduating batch's induction into the Alumni community. Rendezvous represents the culminating event of the MBA program, marking the successful completion of the students' academic journey.

Rendezvous 2023, held on **December 9, 2023**, saw enthusiastic participation from over **300 graduates**, making it the **largest Alumni event of the year on campus**. The itinerary included the Vice Chancellor's speech, Director's address, the Degree Distribution Ceremony, a batch photoshoot, and the distribution of yearbooks and goodies.



YEARBOOK 2024 LAUNCH

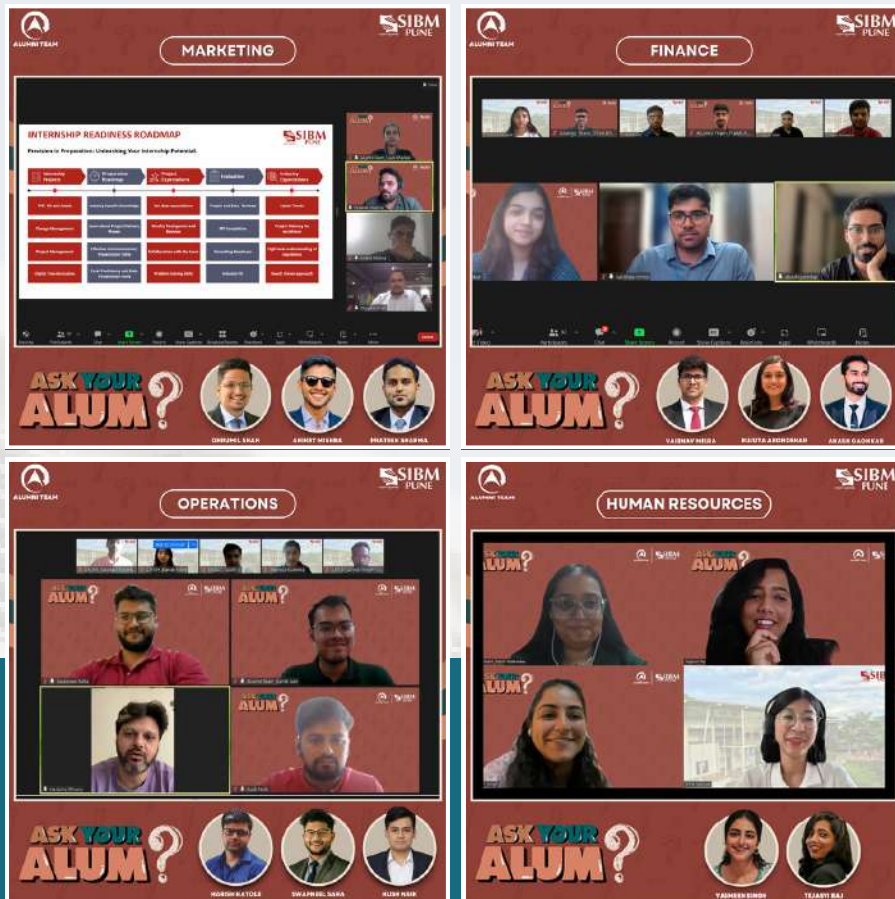


Every year, the Alumni Team publishes the **Yearbook** for the outgoing batch to capture the special moments and memories of their MBA journeys. The Yearbook gives our **to-be-alumni** an opportunity to pen down the best parts of the two years they spent on the Hilltop Heaven and preserve them in pictures and words they can look back on for years after graduation.

The Alumni Team hosted a **Yearbook Launch** event for the **Batch of 2024**, an afternoon filled with games and activities that prompted the batch to reminisce and reflect on their time spent at SIBM Pune.



ASK YOUR ALUM



Ask your Alum is an initiative to help the students of **MBA-1** ace their **Summer Internships** by learning from the experience of our young Alumni through a candid interaction. Conducted on **February 18, 2024**, students made the most of these sessions by asking their queries in a candid setting. The speakers included:

1. Ms. Rujuta Arondekar, Mr. Akash Gaonkar, Mr. Vaibhav Misra (**Finance**)
2. Mr. Aniket Mishra, Mr. Dhrumil Shah, Mr. Prateek Sharma (**Marketing**)
3. Mrs. Yasmeen Singh, Ms. Tejasvi Raj (**Human Resources**)
4. Mr. Kush Naik, Mr. Swapneel Saha, Mr. Harish Katole (**Operations**)

Furthermore, these speakers were spread across diverse sectors like **FMCG, Banking and Finance, Consulting, and Manufacturing** to help students from all specializations.

ENCORE NORTH



Encore North 2024, held on **February 24, 2024** at the **Crowne Plaza in Delhi**, was a remarkable event that saw **over 100 alumni** in attendance. For the first time, the event featured a comedy show, adding a refreshing and entertaining element to the evening.

The itinerary included an Opening Address by our Director, **Dr. Shirang Altekar**, a standup comedy performance by **Mr. Chirag Panjwani**, and an **Open Mic** session by our alumni. The comedy show was a highlight, evoking laughter and fond memories of the good old MBA days, creating an atmosphere of joy and camaraderie among the attendees.



SCRIBBLING DAY



Scribbling Day is an initiative undertaken by the Alumni Team for the Graduating Batch to mark the end of the 2 beautiful years spent at the Hilltop Heaven, with the best of friends. This year, it was held on **March 9, 2024**, where the **Batch of 2024** celebrated their MBA journey and scribbled down all the emotions and stories on whites. Scribbling Day enables the graduating batch to take back a souvenir in the form of a T-shirt that is filled with memories from their batchmates.



SOCIAL MEDIA SPOTLIGHTS



The team actively works to enhance its social media presence by showcasing articles, books, interviews, and speeches published in prestigious national and international newspapers and journals. In the academic year **2023-24**, the Alumni Team featured **over 25 such media spotlights**. These efforts not only **recognize and celebrate the accomplishments of our alumni** but also inspire current students and reinforce the esteemed reputation of SIBM Pune. By highlighting these achievements, we aim to create a dynamic and engaging online community that reflects the diverse talents and successes of our alumni.



ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENTS



The Alumni Team celebrates the **promotions and achievements** of our alumni by congratulating them on our social media platforms for their exceptional career advancements. This year-round initiative ensures that they feel valued and connected to their Alma Mater. In **2023**, we highlighted **over 20 Alumni achievements**, including those of **Mr. Apurva Bapat, Ms. Archana Shiroor, Ms. Pooja Narayan, Mr. Abhijeet Mukherji, Ms. Surbhi Singhal, Mr. Jatin Panchal, Mr. Vishal Singh, Ms. Archana Shiroor, Mr. Kedar Kulkarni, and Ms. Jyosmita Chintey**, among others. These congratulatory posts not only recognize their success but also strengthen our vibrant alumni community.



JOB POSTINGS



The Alumni Team consistently shares **numerous exclusive job opportunities** throughout the year on its private **LinkedIn group and regional WhatsApp groups**. These opportunities, predominantly sourced from our own alumni network, enable our graduates to leverage the distinguished legacy of SIBM Pune for **career advancement**.

By fostering a supportive community, we ensure that alumni can seamlessly connect with potential employers and advance their professional journeys. This network not only enhances career prospects but also strengthens the bonds within our alumni community.

CLOSING NOTE

The **Senior Alumni Team 2023-24**, would like to extend its deepest gratitude to **Dr. R. Raman**, Vice Chancellor, SIU, **Dr. Shrirang Altekar**, Director, SIBM Pune, and **Admin staff** for their continued support and encouragement.

Looking ahead, we aim to cater to the evolving interests of our alumni community, driven by our shared commitment to fostering strong connections and providing meaningful opportunities for all members.



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