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Award of PhD in Management by ICFAI University Jharkhand

After Open Viva-Voce conducted by the ICFAI University on 19th and 22nd Oct 2016, Mr. K Krishna Kumar and Mr. A S Babu were declared to be eligible for the award of the Ph. D. Degree in Management, for their theses on "Evaluation of Investment Performance and Perception of Investors for ELSS Plans of Indian Mutual Funds" and "Analysis of Impact of CSR Initiatives of the Coal Company on Society" respectively. Dr. B M Singh was Research Supervisor and Dr T S Raghavendra was co-supervisor of Mr. K Krishna Kumar and Dr. S C Swain was Research Supervisor and Dr. K K Bhagat was co-supervisor of Mr. A S Babu. External Examiners were Dr. O P Gupta (Professor Emeritus of Delhi University), Dr. Shivaji Borhade (Professor, Bharati Vidyapeeth University, Pune), Dr. Pradip Manjrekar (Professor, D Y Patil University, Mumbai) and Dr. Arun K Rath (Dean, IMI, New Delhi)

Congratulating both the scholars on their achievement, Prof ORS Rao, Vice-Chancellor of the University said, "Their both the researches address the real-life problem in investment decisions and implementation of CSR initiatives of the Coal Company. "Our University encourages our PhD Scholars to work on such inter-disciplinary real-life topics, relevant to industry and society", added Prof Rao.

Acknowledging the inputs and guidance from the University, both the scholars said, "The rigour of processes of the University and guidance from my supervisors and co-supervisors enabled us to pursue quality research, despite a number of challenges".

Dr BM Singh, Registrar, Dr. Hari Haran, Prof Arvind Kumar and other faculty members and research scholars of the University were present during both the Open Viva Voce session.

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