

Report of the Launch of MA in Public Policy Programme at RV University, Bengaluru.

Shri T M Vijay Bhaskar, Chairperson, IIPA, Karnataka Regional Branch was Chief Guest at the launch of the MA Public Policy program by RV University, Bengaluru. The event brought together distinguished academicians, policymakers, faculty, and students to discuss the program's vision, academic structure and career opportunities in the ever-evolving field of public policy.

Prof. Dwarika Uniyal, Vice Chancellor (i/c) of RVU, delivered the inaugural address, emphasizing the university's commitment to fostering leaders equipped to address contemporary policy challenges. Prof. Pushkarni Panchamukhi, Associate Dean of the School of Economics and Public Policy, further elaborated on the interdisciplinary nature of the program. She presented the vision and mission of the School.

Shri T M Vijaya Bhaskar, Chairperson, IIPA, Karnataka Regional Branch, the Chief Guest, in his keynote address stressed the importance of equipping students with a diverse knowledge base, spanning economics, law, technology, data sciences, and governance. He also spoke about the citizens' responsibility to adopt practices to curb corruption.

Dr Ranjini, Professor of Public Policy at RV University, presented a detailed overview of the MA Public Policy program. The event concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks. An interactive session followed, allowing attendees to engage in discussions on public policy education, career trajectories, and the role of policy professionals in shaping the future.

L to R -Dr Panchamukhi, Dr Anuradha, Shri T M Vijay Bhaskar, Prof Uniyal and Dr Ranjini.

