

Motivational Talk

(For newly inducted 1st Year students)

Speaker: Commander V. K. Jaitly (IIT KGP Alumnus, INS (Retired), Author of Book-We Can! We Can!)

Date: 30th Dec. 2020 (Wednesday)

Time: 5.00 PM

Biography of the Speaker (Commander V. K. Jaitly):

Commander V K Jaitly B.Tech Honrs, E&ECE and M.Tech in Satellite Communication both from IIT Kharagpur and MBA from IGNOU.

Commander Jaitly is the ex President of IIT Kharagpur Alumni Foundation, India that integrates IIT KGP alumni across the world. He is an IIT Council nominee by HRD Ministry on the Board of Governors of IIT Bhuvanesar. He has been the Founder Board member of PanIIT India.

He is a motivational speaker, a consultant, a coach, an author, a mentor for the corporate world and an invited specialist on National TV channels. He is an ex IITian with 40 years of experience in corporate, academics and defence. His workshops on 'Business Excellence thru People (BEP)' have been highly acclaimed for increasing productivity and profitability of organizations.

He was the commissioning crew of INS Viraat, installed first LAN of the Indian Navy and pioneered computerisation way back in 1987. He developed the first multimedia in India and made a large number of video documentaries while in the Navy. He has been the Founder Dean of a University. He was a Defence and e-Governance consultant with Cisco Systems for India and SAARC region. He has been President of a Software Technology company and then headed a Project Management company.

Commander Jaitly has a number of articles to his credit and has delivered lectures/presentations at National and International forums and has travelled across the globe.

His first motivational book 'We Can! We Can!' and its Hindi translation "Safalta ki Udaan" have been getting very good reviews. Jaitly is very sensitive to the cause of serving the

under privileged sections of our society staying in bastis or slums and in remote tribal villages and serves through Sewa Bharti and Ekal.

He loves to talk to students and motivate them as a part of his commitment to the society and has been an invited speaker to 109 academic institutions including 3 universities in China and a few IITs and IIMs.