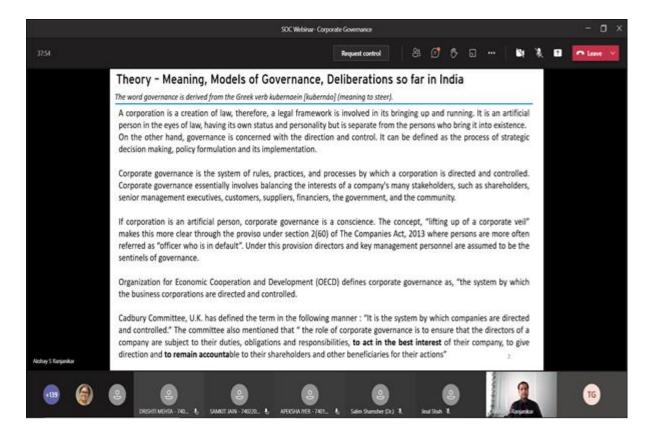
## GUEST LECTURE BY MR. AKSHAY RANJANIKAR ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

School of Commerce – NMIMS, Navi Mumbai campus organized a guest lecture on the topic "Corporate Governance" on April 3, 2021. The lecture was conducted by Mr. Akshay Ranjanikar, Senior Manager, Forensic & Integrity Services at Ernst & Young, Pune, Maharashtra, India.

Dr. Salim Shamsher, Associate Dean, School of Commerce introduced the guest speaker to the students. The lecture began with a brief introduction about the basics of Corporate Governance by Mr. Akshay Ranjanikar which was followed by him sharing his incredibly useful insights on the topic. He asked the audience what according to them was the true meaning of independence and illustrated the crucial role of Independent Directors in Multinational Firms. He further explained how in today's day and age educational qualifications have also come to be superseded by relevant expertise and experience.



Mr. Ranjanikar familiarized the audience with examples of mishaps in Corporate Governance such as the well-known Satyam Scam and the Yes Bank Case to name a few. He also commended firms who have taken positive initiatives such as Wipro which has turned its Pune Campus into a fully equipped Covid-19 Centre.



The ground was opened to questions from the audience at the end of the session which were answered ardently by Mr. Ranjanikar. Finally, Prof. Jinal Shah presented the Vote of Thanks and expressed her gratitude to our distinguished Guest Speaker for such a remarkable session with the students of NMIMS Navi Mumbai.

