

Day 2

Ananya

1) Online Gaming – Valorant



- **Date:** 15 May, 2021
- **Time:** 12:30 PM
- **Duration:** 220 mins
- **No. of Participants:** 20 (4 teams of 5 each)
- **Platform:** Valorant/online game streamed on Paytm Insider

Event Summary:

Ananya, the cultural wing of Sympulse hosted Valorant. The event was hosted in the online game mode - Valorant . There were 3 matches conducted, first 2 were the semi-finals and the 2 teams that went to the final, their match was streamed on Insider. The game mode was the same as the previous matches which was 5 vs 5. The event consisted of 20 participants in total from various universities and colleges. The event started a bit late as there were some technical issues. The final match, which was going to be streamed on stage 5 was streamed on stage 3 as Insider was having some technical issues on stage 5. But at last, the final match was very smooth and was very intense with the pro gamers in the house.

In the end, Team Tanmay of Medi-Caps University, Indore bagged the first position followed by Team Akash of Subbaiah Institute of Medical Sciences, Shivamogga.

2) **English Solo Singing - Melody**

- **Date:** 15 May, 2021
- **Time:** 1 PM
- **Duration:** 1 hour 20 minutes
- **Judge:** Venkat Subramaniyam, Indian bassist
- **Host:** Mishi Patni , core member of Ananya
- **No. of Participants:** 12
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

Ananya, the cultural wing of Sympulse held Melody, an English solo singing event. The event was held online on Zoom meetings. The event was anchored by Mishi Patni, a core member of Ananya. The event began with the host, Mishi introducing the judge and the participants. The performances of the 12 participants were then played, starting with Vishnu Chandana from United World Institute of Design. She sang a beautiful rendition of “When we were young” by Adele. The event continued smoothly with the performances of the participants being played. The judge, Venkat Subramaniyam provided positive feedback after every performance. The last participant was Chrys Vurgese from Abu Dhabi Indian School. The event was held efficiently. Two of the participants used music instruments like guitar whereas others used different musical equipment. The judge was impressed and appreciated the efforts put up the participants. In the end, Chrys Vurgese from Abu Dhabi Indian School bagged the first position with 8.5 points. The second and third positions were bagged by Lynn Locksley from Christ University with 8.25 points and Anushka Kumar from St. Joseph’s College with 8.15 points respectively.

3) Fashion Fiesta



- **Date:** 15 May, 2021
- **Time:** 1:46-2:30PM
- **Duration:** 44 minutes
- **Host:** Saanvi Sharma (Core Member- Ananya)
- **Teams:** 10 (1 to 3 members in each)
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings & Paytm Insider
- **Guests:** Sakshi Malik

Event Summary:

Ananya, the cultural wing of Sympulse which organizes glamorous events hosted Fashion Fiesta, the Fashion Show of Sympulse. The event was hosted by Saanvi Sharma, a core member of Ananya. The event was conducted on Zoom which was further streamed on Paytm Insider for the audience. There were 10 teams participating from various colleges and each team were supposed to send in their pictures which were displayed for 15seconds for both the judge and the audience and was followed by a reel made by them wearing the same attire. The participants were very creative with the deliverables. In the end each team were scored out of 10 points. The first position was bagged by Team Vaishnavi Nair from SID Pune with 9 points. The 1st and 2nd runner up went to Team Mehak Sirohi and Team Varsha Ramachandran, both from SID Pune.

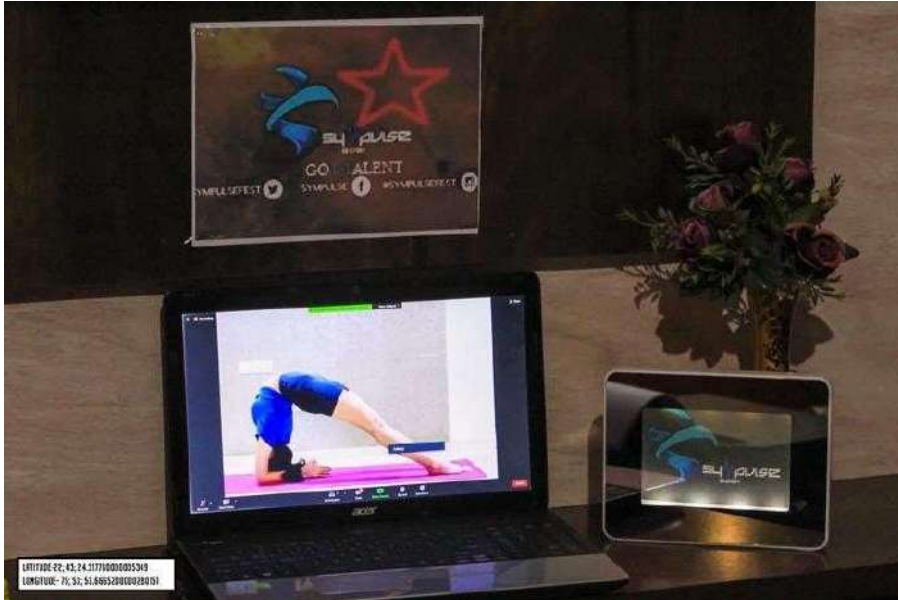
4) **Art Reelay**

- **Date:** May 15, 2021
- **Time:** 1:30 PM
- **Duration:** 45 minutes
- **Host:** Mannat Trehan, core member of Ananya
- **Judge:** Medha Srivastava
- **No. of Participants:** 10
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

Ananya, the Cultural Wing of Sympulse hosted Art Reel-ay, an online art competition. The event was held online on Zoom meetings, and was hosted by Mannat Trehan, a core member of Ananya. The event started right on time with the host announcing the judge for the event, Medha Srivastava, a professional concept and game artist. This was shortly followed by the screening of the Sympulse'20 after movie. The first performance to be judged was an art reel by Aditi Shahpurkar of CBALC, who used the concept of canvas paintings. The last reel to be presented was by Tzara Ali of The University of Auckland. All the reels were thoroughly appreciated by the guest judge as the participants brought in a whole lot of creativity and unique ideas. The event took place in a very smooth manner. In the end, Divya Devesh Vikram of Girl's High School and College bagged the first position with 8.5 points, closely followed by Richa Banka of SD Jain Modern School with 8.4 points. Neha Bhima of CHIREC International and Riya Kalra of Mithibai College scored 8 points each, tying for the third position.

5) Talent Hunt



- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 4:00 pm
- **Duration:** 90 Minutes
- **Host:** Aarav Shah, Core Member- Ananya, Cultural Department
- **No. of participants:** 10
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings
- **Judges:** Anupriya Goenka

Event Summary:

Ananya, the cultural wing of Sympulse hosted Talent Hunt, a platform for the participants to show their skills and talents. The event was hosted in an online mode on Zoom meetings. The event was judged by Anupriya Goenka, a talented actress and a model known for her roles in major blockbuster films.

The event started with the host introducing the Judge to the audience. The event in-charges had shortlisted 10 participants beforehand for this particular event. Each of the 10 participants had to send a video of them showing their talent, be it playing the drums or singing or doing yoga. One by one, the video was shown to the judge and respectively after each video, feedback was given to the contestant. In the end, the judge announced the top 3 winners for this event.

Tarun Kotrappa of St. Joseph's College, Bangalore bagged the first position followed by Priyanka Kakadiya of Lancers army school, Surat followed by Remita Austin of VIT, Vellore.

6) Quiz – Eureka



- **Date:** May 15, 2021
- **Time:** 4:00 PM-5.30PM
- **Duration:** 90 mins
- **Host:** Naavya Bhartiya (Core member of Ananya)
- **No. of participants/teams:** 12
- **Platform:** Zoom Meetings

Event Summary:

The event started at 4:05pm and included 3 rounds. The rules of every round were presented before the participants at the beginning. The first round was a 'Direct Elimination' round where 3 teams with the lowest points would get eliminated. Participants were supposed to answer questions related to Current Affairs in 5 seconds, and taking more than 5 seconds would have led to deduction of one point with each passing second. The second round was 'The Buzzer' round where the participants were supposed to write the keyword

“MISSISSIPPI” in the chat box to get a chance to answer the question. In this round too, the 3 teams with the least points got eliminated. The third round was the ‘Mechanics’ round, which was an audio-visual round, where participants were shown a short clip or an image and were asked questions revolving around the same. In the end, a tie breaker round which was a combination of ‘Direct Elimination’ and ‘Buzzer’ Rounds was organized for deciding the 2nd & 3rd position.

The event was full of fun facts, which were used as fillers between rounds to give our participants a one-minute break to relax. The event took place very smoothly and was appreciated by the participants. In the end, team 10 bagged the first position followed by Team 1& Team 3.

7) COD-M



- **Date:** May 15, 2021
- **Time:** 5:00 PM-6.30PM
- **Duration:** 90 mins
- **Host:** Mitali Sinha (Core member of Ananya)
- **Platform:** Insider
- **No. of participants:** 17
- **Judge:** Ishan Khedkar

Event Summary:

Ananya, the Cultural Wing of Sympulse hosted an event of Call of Duty, which was a sponsor event.

Call of Duty is a first-person shooter video game franchise published by Activision. Starting out in 2003, it first focused on games set in World War II. Over time, the series has seen games set in the midst of the Cold War, futuristic worlds, and outer space. There are many active and keen players of this game, this event was conducted well. There were about 17 participants and they all put in keen efforts and enjoyed playing the game along with Ishan Khedkar.

The participants played this event solo and not as a team, and that made the entire game even more interesting. It was conducted very well and all participants enjoyed. Ishan was the main gamer and he spoke about the games and described them really well. All in all, the event was a complete success.

Headlines

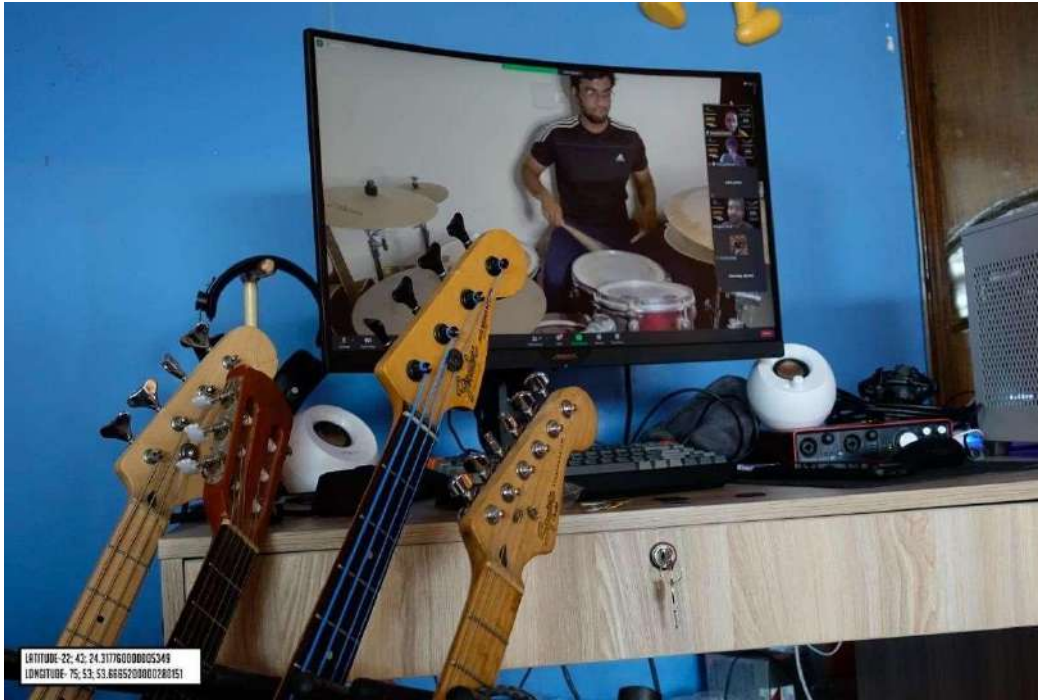
8) Texas Hold'Em

- **Date:** 15th May 2021
- **Time:** 2:00 – 5:30 PM
- **Platform:** Online Portal
- **No of Participants:** 136

Event Summary:

Day Two of Texas Hold'em commenced with 136 participants. It was organised on an online portal. The 136 players were given the tournament code through a WhatsApp Group (and were messaged individually) and the tournament commenced and the players were placed around 27 tables initially with 5 players (6 on 1) on each table. The tables kept coming together in a last man standing format and it came down to one table in the end. There were no eliminations.

9) Battle of the Bands



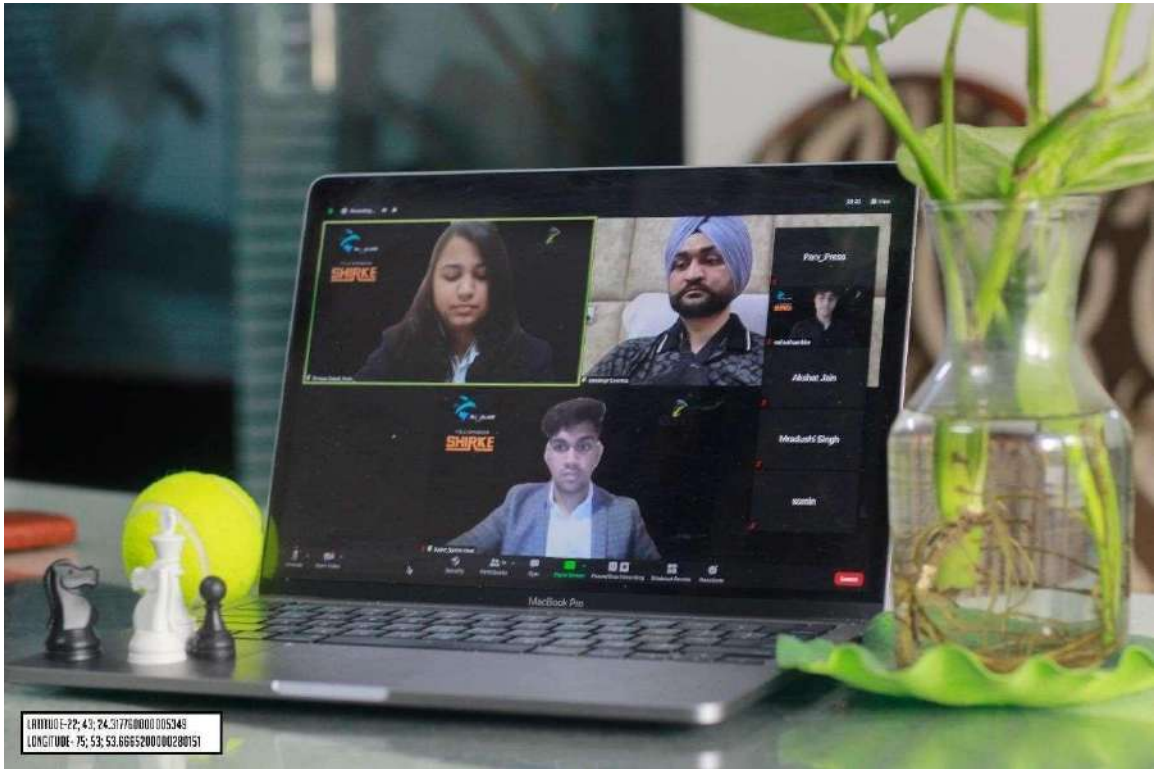
- **Date:** 15th May 2021
- **Time:** 4:00 – 6:30 PM
- **Platform:** Zoom Meeting - Streamed on Insider
- **No of Participants:** 6 Bands

Event Summary:

The participants and the judge were called on a zoom meeting and the recording was being streamed simultaneously on Insider. 6 Bands Participated in Today's Event. The bands were judged based on their vocals and instruments and the judge also provided his feedback after each performance. The judge's scoresheet template was a google document provided to him by the Headlines Team itself. He was aware that his judgement has a 70% weightage. Right after the online event is over, all the performances are to be uploaded on the Headlines official Instagram handle. It was announced on insider itself that the engagement of respective performances on the Instagram page carried 30% weightage. The Headlines Team will calculate the total score with the 7 to 3 ratio and announce results on the Instagram page tomorrow (May 16th) at 7 PM.

Sprint

10) Sprint Opening Ceremony



- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 12:30 pm
- **Duration:** 60 Minutes
- **Host:** Shreya Goyal, Core Member- Sprint
- **No. of participants:** 31
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings
- **Guest:** Sandeep Singh

Event Summary:

The sports department of Sympulse fest, Sprint conducted their opening ceremony in the presence of Sandeep Singh, Professional Hockey player and Ex- Captain of the Indian national hockey team. The hosts started by introducing themselves and the chief guest to the audience after which Sandeep Singh, the chief guest took over to share some insights into how he became successful as a hockey player and reached new heights. He talked about being disciplined and staying motivated throughout your ups and downs. His great words were a delight to everyone listening to him. It was truly an honour to have him with us. After his speech, the hosts thanked him for his valuable time and the event concluded right after.

11) **Sports Buzz**

- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 1:30 pm
- **Duration:** 240 Minutes
- **Host:** Ginar Rustagi, Core Member – Sprint Department
- **No. of participants:** 22
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

Sprint, the sports wing of SYMPULSE hosted the event. On day 2 of Sympulse, the event took place. The event- SPORTSBUZZ was a quiz event, conducted in 2 rounds.

Round 1 was a “Kahoot” round, where the participants had to download the app ‘Kahoot’, and join the quiz room via the app. The participants were posed with a number of questions, related to sports. It was an elimination round. The whole round was conducted in 2 panels of 11 each, and top 4 participants were selected from each panel. So, in total 8 people moved forward.

Round 2 of the event was in 3 phases. Phase-I was a timer based quiz round, where participants got 10 seconds to answer the question. In Phase-II, there was again a timer based quiz, but the participants could ask for clues. In Phase-III, participants had to select any 2 sports related topics out of the topics presented to them, and then they were questioned about that. Each round won points to the participants. The event was won by a participant, named Akshay.

Symulate

12) **Best Manager**

- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 1:00 pm
- **Duration:** 300 Minutes
- **Host:** Ananya Mittal, Core Member – Symulate Department
- **No. of participants:** 23
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

Symulate, the business wing of SYMPULSE hosted the event. The event consists of 6 rounds (including the Finale). On day 2 of Sympulse, 2 rounds took place.

Round 4, which was the first round for the day included presentations based on the previous day's last round, round 3 (case study round, done via asynchronous mode). It was done in 4 different panels. After this, there were eliminations, where 13 people got eliminated.

Round 5, was called "Pressure Room". The participants had the task of solving another case study, via asynchronous mode. They got 2 hours to solve their respective case study. Then, they faced the pressure, where each participant got 15 minutes to answer the posed questions. This was also an elimination round, where 4 participants got eliminated.

13) Marketing

- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 1:00 pm
- **Duration:** 300 Minutes
- **Host:** Arpita, Core Member – Symulate Department
- **No. of participants:** 18
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

Symulate, the business wing of SYMPULSE hosted the event. The event consists of 6 rounds (including the Finale). On day 2 of Sympulse, 2 rounds took place.

Round 4, was called "Marketing Gamebox". Participants had to prepare an advergaming idea proposal video. Along with that, they also had to do sonic branding for AIRBNB. After this, there were eliminations, where 8 people got eliminated.

Round 5 was a roleplay round. Participants were to play the role from previous day's rounds. After this, participants were to partake in "Marketing Mismatch", where they had to create a marketing strategy with slogans for random products assigned to them. This was also an elimination round, where 5 participants got eliminated.

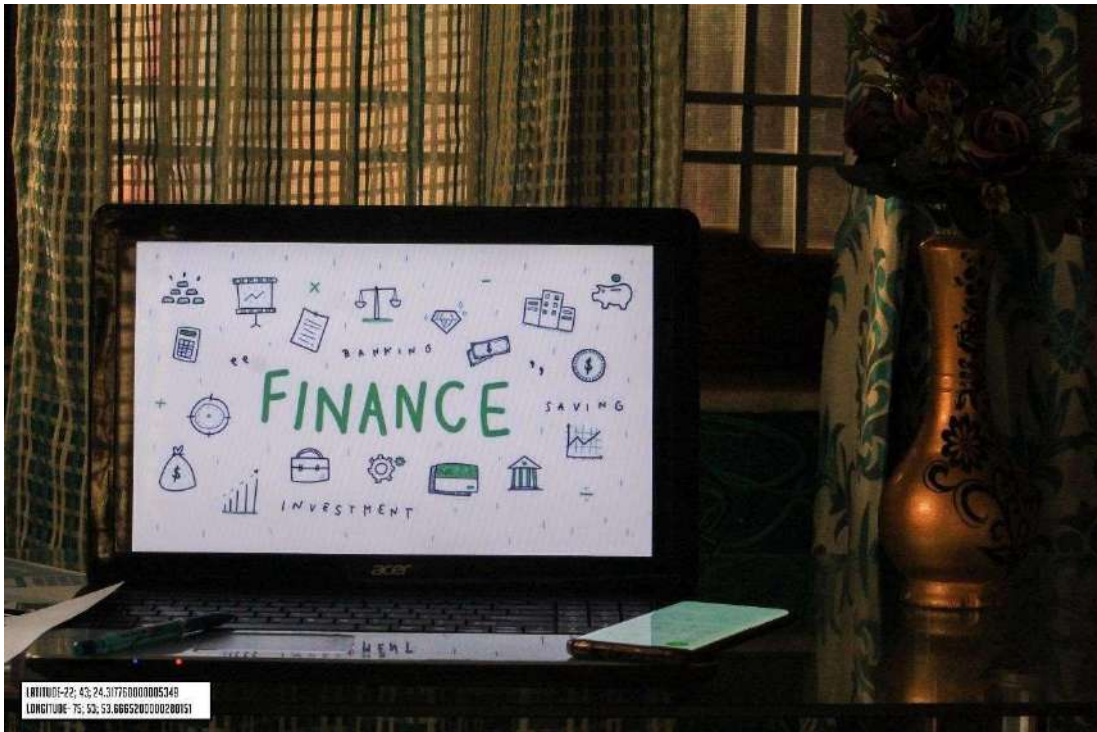
13) Human Resources

- Date: May 15th, 2021
- Time: 1:00 pm
- Host: Symulate
- Platform: Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

The second day of the ‘Symulate- Human Resources’ event was yet another eventful, action packed test of each participant’s human resource management knowledge and skill. Today, each participant was required to fire an employee from each of their respective hypothetical companies. They were also required to justify their specific reasons for doing so. However, the participants were completely astounded when in the following round they had to face their former employee in a daunting yet hilarious ‘Grill Session.’ The event organisers role played as the disgruntled former employees. Participants were treated even further, with some of Sympulse’s very own executive committee members making cameo appearances as the cross-questioning resentful fired employees.

14) Finance



- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 10:30-12:20PM (Round 3) & 3:15-6:30PM (Round 4)
- **Host:** Ananya Vasudeva (event head), Pratham Mehra & Uday Shekri(Core Symulate)
- **No. of participants:** 20(Round 3) & 12(Round 4)
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings and Air Meet

Event Summary:

All the participants were assigned a night round at 11pm the day before and all the participants were to submit their deliverables by 2AM. The night round consisted of a personal finance case study for which each participant had to make a report and a ppt. Round 3 which was conducted on Zoom, was basically conducted for each participant to present their respective ppts from the case study assigned to them. Round 3 was also an elimination round and thus 8 participants were eliminated after round 3 results. Round 4 was conducted on Airmeeet and was a mock stock simulation where all the participants were allotted a company and they had to trade their shares. This was also an elimination round and thus its results will be announced later tomorrow.

15) B-Quiz

- **Date:** May 15, 2021
- **Time:** 12:30 PM-3:10PM
- **Duration:** 160 mins
- **Host:** Lakshay Khandelwal (Core member of Symulate)
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings
- **No. of participants:** 12

Event Summary:

Symulate, today, hosted the event of business quiz, which was the final round (round 3) of the business quiz events. Today a total number of 12 participants participated in groups of two. Throughout the event, there was cooperation and coordination among the teams, and every member enjoyed the event.

The top 6 teams from Day 1 made it to the finals. Today's event consisted of 3 rounds - personality identification, (lit., Art & Entertainment, and Bidding Round). The rounds were as follows-

Personality identification - corporate personalities to be identified in the basis of the clues given related to their life events.

Literature, Art and Entertainment (self-explanatory)

Bidding Round - each team was allocated a sector like Automobile, Banking and Finance, IT, FMCG, Fashion & Lifestyle, and Oil & Gas. The Bidding round was a new concept introduced wherein participants were allowed to buy/sell questions for points, all the participants loved the idea and participated with lot of zeal and enthusiasm, so overall it was a very successful event.

16) Best Entrepreneur



- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 1:00 pm
- **Host:** Symulate
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

The second day of the 'Symulate- Best Entrepreneur' event proved to be even more enticing than the previous day; during which participants sat at the edge of their virtual seats. In the first round of the day, participants were provided a comprehensive document consisting of fourteen issues that society is currently facing. Each participant then had to submit a preference list in terms of which five of these could be a good potential startup idea. The following round was a riveting Kahoot quiz, during which the participants were quizzed on entrepreneurial knowledge and trivia, as well as the CEOs of today's leading startup ventures. Each participant was then allotted a certain amount of hypothetical virtual currency depending on their ranks at that point of time.

Using their newfound imaginary fortune, each participant had to buy a problem for which they have to create a business plan. They are currently working on their startup business plan blueprint which must be submitted by 10:15pm today. On the basis of the quality, originality and innovation of their submissions, seven potential entrepreneurs will advance to tomorrow's final rounds where a judge will then evaluate the seven startup business blueprints.

17) **Strategy**

- **Date:** May 15th, 2021
- **Time:** 1:00 pm
- **Duration:** 240 Minutes
- **Host:** Jivika Jain, Sub-department Head - Strategy.
- **No. of participants:** 16
- **Platform:** Zoom meetings

Event Summary:

Symulate, the business wing of Sympulse hosted day 2 of the Strategy event. Today's event had three rounds each including its own competitive twist. Participants were given a night round task to design a music track release event and prepare a disaster management plan for any kind of mishap that could take place. In the morning round, the Participants presented their Disaster management plan and modified it according to the impromptu Disaster that was given to them. Round two included a treasure hunt-based case study event sponsored by Structured. This round was time based and was an eliminator Later a live event was conducted where a Crisis was given to participants based on hypothetical world scenarios. Participants had to be the CEO of major companies and devise a business strategy to overcome these Crisis scenarios. Later a debate was held between the top 9 finalists regarding the Crisis and their strategy.