



AWARENESS SESSION ON LEGAL FOUNDATIONS FOR NEW BUSINESSES

VENUE: SHAHEED SUKHDEV COLLEGE OF BUSINESS STUDIES

DATE: 17TH NOVEMBER, 2025

INTRODUCTION

Lawrence – The Law Forum of SSCBS organized an awareness session on “Starting Up Right: Legal Foundations for New Businesses”, featuring Ms. Aankhi Anwasha, Corporate Lawyer at DSK Legal and an SSCBS alumna (Batch of 2018). The session focused on core legal considerations that shape the early stages of a business, helping students understand how to start ventures on solid regulatory ground.

The initiative aimed to equip aspiring founders and business professionals with clarity on compliance, structure, and risk management-areas that often lead to mistakes in the early life of a startup.

OBJECTIVES OF THE SESSION

- To introduce students to essential legal frameworks governing new businesses.
- To explain entity selection, incorporation formalities and regulatory requirements.
- To highlight early-stage legal mistakes commonly made by founders.
- To encourage informed, compliant, and structured approaches to entrepreneurship.
- To bridge academic learning with real-world legal and operational insights.

SESSION DETAILS

- Date & Venue: 17th November, 2025; 4th Floor Seminar Hall, SSCBS
- Organized by: Lawrence – The Law Forum of SSCBS
- Target Audience: Students interested in entrepreneurship, finance, consulting and business operations
- Mode: Offline Interactive awareness session with presentation and discussion
- Resource Person: Ms. Aankhi Anwasha, Corporate Lawyer at DSK Legal

Ms. Anwasha discussed the foundational legal steps required to start a business from choosing between proprietorship, partnership, LLP or company, to understanding registration, documentation and compliance obligations. She emphasized how early legal clarity prevents disputes, financial setbacks, and structural issues later.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Simplified explanation of entity structures and their long-term implications.
- Practical advice on incorporation, documentation and mandatory registrations.
- Key insights on founders' agreements, IP protection and governance norms.
- Discussion on frequent legal mistakes made by early-stage founders.
- Highly interactive Q&A where students clarified doubts about startup law.
- Strong turnout and active interest from students across multiple disciplines.

CONCLUSION

The session succeeded in offering students a grounded and practical understanding of the legal foundations necessary to build a stable, compliant and scalable business. It helped bridge the gap between theory and practice, empowering students to make informed decisions as aspiring founders or future business leaders.

The event reinforced Lawrence's commitment to fostering legal awareness and supporting students in navigating real-world business challenges with confidence.

ANNEXURES

Attendance sheet: https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1WTfECKnZjV0TF9_2gCDtTlhJ-VLbYnr-9cXLKLim5Pc/edit?usp=sharing

More Images: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1dY1JJ6i-KWNZwir4wuV0VaZrOifidmS?usp=drive_link



