## Certification Programme - 2 ADVANCE EXCEL WORKSHOP

held on 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018. Conducted by Dr. Lalith Achoth



Spreadsheet software remains one of the most ubiquitous pieces of software used in workplaces around the world. Learning to confidently operate this software means adding a highly valuable asset to your employability portfolio. Across the globe, millions of job advertisements requiring Excel skills are posted every day. At a time when digital skills jobs are growing much

faster than non-digital jobs, undertaking training in Microsoft Excel will position one ahead of others.



Advance Excel Workshop, conducted by Dr. Lalith Achoth was held at MPBIM on 20.4.2018. Over 65 students had registered for the programme. The

session started with a brief note of what is MS Excel and covered other usage of advanced commands of finance and statistics. ADVANCE EXCEL which is widely used by the corporates and educational institutions.

Former Professor and Head, Department of Dairy Economics and Business Management, Dr. Lalith Achoth has over three decades of teaching and research experience. He has over 115 scientific publications and has completed many research projects funded by both domestic and overseas agencies like the ICAR, State Government, World Bank, McKnight foundation, IFPRI, etc.

Dr. Achoth gave students an insight basics of excel commands such has WHAT IF,V LOOKUP, HLOOKUP, MACROS, LOGEST date and year which enriched the knowledge. The daylong session in which students were practically trained by using MS Excel with live data, cases and assignments. The programme was enriching experience.



Dr. N S Viswanath Director & Principal briefed on the importance of Advance Excel during the inaugural and thanked Dr. Achoth for the initiative. The daylong programme was coordinated by Dr. Sumithra Sreenath.