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A lot to take away from seminar, say principals



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Chandigarh: The seminar, said the principals, gave them a lot of takeaways, and lived up to the curiosity and excitement that preceded it. Some found answers to the problems they were facing at their institutions; others, if nothing else, enjoyed listening to the experiences and ideas shared.

Appreciating the role played by *The Times of India*, Albuquerque said that the company is taking the right step in the right direction in making learning more interesting, interactive and enjoyable through its NIE programme. She applauded the

reach and impact of the seminar, and was glad to be part of it. Goel noted the need for educational institutes to understand the special provisions and opportunities available to them for the financial aid of students and the expansion of their own infrastructure.

Nayak, while highlighting the present crisis in the field of education, stressed on the need to strengthen the process of learning by making it more interactive, innovative and a hands on experience.

The chief guest for the occasion was Puneet Jain, vice-president, *The Times of India*. He initiated the programme with the auspicious lamp light-

ing ceremony.

The title sponsor for the event was The International School of Animation, which is a joint venture between Aggarwal Educational Trust, India and Ferris State University, USA to impart complete training in Digital Animation and Game Design using the latest tools and techniques available anywhere in the world.

A co-sponsor for the event was Idiscoveri, a social enterprise with a vision of reviving education in India by developing an experiential learning environment for learners. The second co-sponsor was HDFC Bank.