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Report on the Launch of the First International Alumni Chapter – Hinduja College Dubai Alumni Chapter

Date: 20th June 2026
Venue: Dubai, United Arab Emirates

As part of the official delegation to Dubai for strengthening academic collaboration with Hult International Business School, K. P. B. Hinduja College of Commerce leveraged the visit to launch its first overseas Alumni Chapter in Dubai. The delegation comprised Prof. (Dr.) Navin M. Punjabi, Principal; Dr. Shradha B. Jain, International Programmes Coordinator and Coordinator, B.Com. (Logistics and Supply Chain Management); and Dr. Antara Sonawane, Chief Coordinator, Integrated Professional Programmes. The initiative reflects the College's commitment to strengthening its global alumni network and fostering long-term engagement with its alumni community abroad.

The launch marks a significant milestone in the College's internationalisation journey and reflects its commitment to building a strong and connected global alumni community.The event witnessed the participation of **15 Dubai-based alumni** representing diverse sectors, including logistics and supply chain management, real estate, construction, retail, finance, taxation, consulting, human resources, digital audit, and marketing. Alumni currently associated with reputed organisations such as **The Kanoo Group, Kanoo Machinery, Sobha Construction, Vincitore Real Estate Development LLC, EROS Group, Danube Home, Shuraa Tax & Accounting Services LLC, KPMG, Home Centre (Landmark Group)** and other leading organisations attended the meet.

During the programme, **Mr. Aditya Sudhakar Pawar** was introduced as the **Chairperson** and **Mr. Dhruvit Jain** as the **Co-Chairperson** of the Hinduja College Dubai Alumni Chapter. They will lead alumni engagement initiatives and serve as key representatives for the College's alumni network in the UAE.

The delegation engaged with alumni through interactive and informal networking sessions to discuss ways of strengthening institutional relationships and enhancing alumni participation in

the College's academic and co-curricular initiatives. The discussions generated valuable insights into alumni expectations and identified opportunities for mentoring students, facilitating internships and placements, strengthening industry connect, supporting international collaborations, and contributing to institutional development.

A key outcome of the meeting was the decision to initiate a **structured Alumni Newsletter** to ensure regular communication and sustained engagement with overseas alumni. The alumni also expressed their willingness to actively contribute towards the revamping of **TEDxHinduja College** and **Panaah**, while extending support for student mentoring, career guidance, guest lectures, industry interactions, and future institutional initiatives.

The event was attended by alumni including **Mr. Aditya Sudhakar Pawar, Mr. Dhruvit Jain, Mr. Devang Valia, Ms. Kinjal Sheth, Mr. Maaz Shaikh, Mr. Ayaan Motorwala, Ms. Kaynaat, Mr. Masud Mansoori, Ms. Ruchita Raju, Mr. Arsh Middha**, along with several other alumni representing diverse professional domains.

The launch of the **Hinduja College Dubai Alumni Chapter** establishes a formal platform for sustained engagement with the College's international alumni. The initiative is expected to strengthen global networking, enhance industry-academia connect, create opportunities for student development, and support the College's long-term vision of expanding its international collaborations and global presence.

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