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SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT

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Organised by: Indian Institute of Social Welfare and Business Management (IISWBM)

Location: Syama Prasad Mookerjee Port

On 13 July 2026, the students of the Indian Institute of Social Welfare and Business Management (IISWBM) participated in an industrial visit to **Syama Prasad Mookerjee Port, Kolkata (SMPK)** to gain practical exposure to modern port operations and logistics management. The visit was organized under the guidance of **Professor Dr. Krishna Murari Agrawal, Director, IISWBM Kolkata**, and **Professor Dr. Tanima Ray, Head, MBA Department, IISWBM Kolkata**.

The students were accompanied by the Faculty Coordinators, **Dr. Soubarna Pal, Dr. Subhasis Ray, Dr. Malini Nandi Majumdar, Prof. Angshuman Sarkar, and Mr. Joydeep Mukherjee (MBA Office)**, with the support of the Student Coordinators, **Saptarshi Sen, Rick Raj Seal, Aishi Munsii, and Debrup Bhattacharjya**.

The institute expresses its sincere gratitude to **Mr. Chandan Chatterjee, Secretary, Syama Prasad Mookerjee Port, Kolkata, Shri Tanay Paul, Senior Assistant Traffic Manager, Traffic Department, and Ms. Esita N. Bera, Executive (Administration), General Administration Department**, for facilitating the visit and sharing valuable insights into the port's operations.

During the visit, the students explored the Adani-operated terminal and observed the JSW terminal from a distance. Port officials explained the functioning of the port, cargo handling procedures, and the role of public-private partnerships, highlighting that the Adani terminal operates under a contractual arrangement while the JSW terminal functions under the Public-Private Partnership (PPP) model.

The briefing covered key aspects of port operations, including the filing of the Import General Manifest (IGM), the role of tug boats, the significance of tidal conditions, the operation of lock gates, and pilot communication with incoming vessels. The visit effectively bridged classroom learning with real-world port management practices, enriching students' understanding of logistics, maritime operations, and supply chain management.



Group photograph of the MBA (Day) 2026–2028 students during the industrial visit.



Faculty members of IISWBM with the representative of Syama Prasad Mookerjee Port during the industrial visit.