

IITGN STUDENTS LEARN ABOUT INTERNAL SECURITY SYSTEM

Students at the Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar, Palej campus, got an insight into the country's security system, its machinery, problems faced by the police teams, etc., during a lecture by V Balachandran on Monday. The retired IPS officer who has served as a former special secretary with the central government and worked with Maharashtra police for 17 years was speaking on 'Internal Security in India: Problems and Solutions'. Citing several issues faced by the country's police teams, Balachandran said, "In India, police cannot investigate outside their states and the workload on state police is too heavy – they have extra duties such as prevention of infectious diseases and offensive odor, providing security to individual and private individuals and other such municipal duties. There is not enough power that results in a weaker system."