

Movie Screening and Panel Discussion Report

CMS Business School, Jain (Deemed-to-be University) organized a Movie Screening and Panel Discussion on September 20, 2018.

The event was organized on the occasion of World Suicide Prevention day to spread awareness among the students and also to learn and understand about LGBT community. The event started with a brief topic followed by a movie screening. The movie selected was “A Single Man”, based on a novel by Christopher Isherwood. Most of the action takes place over the course of a single day in Los Angeles in the early '60s when being gay was socially disapproved. The film emphasizes over the issue of discrimination.



It is apparent that George and Jim had a very real and loving relationship no matter what 1960s America thought. Their love story is contrasted to the next-door neighbors.

The movie ends with the protagonist changing his mind about suicide and declaring to have found the reason to live. The

movie screening and the panel discussion encouraged the students to have a broader perspective on the issue of suicide and also towards the LGBT community.