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from the life of Shri Arvind Mafatlal**

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Talk title: Value-based leadership— lessons learnt from the life of Shri Arvind Mafatlal

Abstract: At the age of 44 at the very height of his business success, Arvind Mafatlal felt a deep emptiness inside him. Then, an inner transformation in his vision and direction took place, he understood what his calling in life was.

From then on, he used all his intelligence, his resources, his position for the upliftment of the most downtrodden, while embracing austerity in a joyful state. Externally he was the creator of the 3rd largest business group in the country, but in his demeanour and at the core of his being, he was a sadhu.

About the speaker: Mr. Hrishikesh Mafatlal is the Chairman of the Arvind Mafatlal Group of Companies (AMG). AMG has major interests in Textiles (Mafatlal Industries Ltd.), Denims (Mafatlal Denim Ltd.), Rubber Chemicals (NOCIL Ltd.) and Fluorochemicals (Navin Fluorine International Ltd.). With his Advanced Management Degree from the Harvard Business School, USA, Mr Mafatlal has, in addition to his major corporate presence, a significant role in the shaping of management education in Mumbai and India. He is a past President and now a Managing Committee Member of The Millowners' Association, Mumbai (MOA). He was a Member on the Board of Governors of IIM Ahmedabad for 12 years (1995 – 2007) and was Vice Chairman of The Cotton Textiles Export Promotion Council (TEXPROCIL).