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RELIGAREART:

Wharton Alumni and the visiting Lauder MBA students met at the most happening contemporary art hub in India- Religare Art in Saket. During this gathering on Friday, July 22nd, **Mr. Mukesh Panika** (Director - Religare Arts Initiative) propelled us into the fascinating world of contemporary art by introducing us to the 360 degree arts initiative that is Religare Art.

Lyla Rao, who heads the client services department at Religare Art, spoke briefly on the development of the Indian art market from a loosely structured buying and selling platform into an internationally recognized multi-million dollar industry, touching lightly upon the factors that need to be borne in mind when investing in art.

This was followed by a short presentation by **Sumakshi Singh**, internationally renowned artist and mentor of the residency programme, about the ongoing residency and her individual art practice. Guests got an unique opportunity to interact with the resident artists and experience the art being produced as part of the WhyNot Place residency.

