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Professor Philip has shown that he can perform as commendably well as teach. In an interlude in his academic career, he was V.P. [HR] at the Oberoi Hotels Group, where he revamped the HR function and raised its performance to a new level of excellence. He turned a social entrepreneur after completing his assignment as Director, IIM Bangalore. He founded Xavier Institute of Management and Entrepreneurship (XIME), in 1991, which is now regarded as one of the best private sector management educational institutions in the country.

Combining his experience as a teacher, manager, educational administrator and social entrepreneur, Professor Philip has authored several management books to instruct and inspire the present and the future educational and business leaders. XLRI, his alma mater, had earlier conferred on him its prestigious 'Lifetime Achievement Award' [2009].

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