Maharaja Surajmal Institute of Technology , Janakpuri , New delhi

Department of Information Technology (2s)

Seminar Report

On

Navigating Careers: Alumni Insights and Interactive Sessions

S.No.	Point Name	Description
1	Topic	Navigating Careers: Alumni Insights and Interactive Sessions
2	Expert Name	Mr. Aaksh Verma, Mr. Ishant Thakral, Mr. Daksh, Mr. Kabeer, Mr.Ekas Sigh
3	Activity Name	Seminar
4	Mode, Date & time	Offline, 13/4/24, 9:30 to 11:00 AM
5	Target Audience	IT-3rd year and final year students
6	Organized by	Dr. Sunesh Malik
7	Attended Participants	IT-3rd year and final year students
8	Venue	MSIT (Seminar hall 206)

The Career Counseling Seminar was organized by the IT - 2nd shift at Seminar Hall 206, Maharaja Surajmal Institute of Technology, New Delhi. The session, titled 'Navigating Careers: Alumni Insights and Interactive Sessions,' featured presentations by five alumni speakers: Mr. Aaksh Verma, from the batch of 2016; Mr. Ishant Thakral, Mr. Daksh, and Mr. Kabeer, from the batch of 2019; and Mr. Ekas Singh, from the batch of 2022. Mr. Aaksh is currently employed as an Industry Analyst at Everest Group, Mr. Daksh serves as a Lead at D.E. Shaw, Mr. Ishant Thakral is engaged in data engineering at Housing.com, and Mr. Ekas is working as a Cloud DevOps Engineer at Real Time Data Services.

1. Ekas Singh: Ekas Singh shared valuable insights into the importance of Data Structures and Algorithms (DSA), emphasizing its relevance in technical interviews. He discussed his proficiency in networking, operating systems (OS), cloud technologies, Linux, Python, and Bash Scripting, highlighting their significance in the DevOps field. Ekas stressed the importance of creating customized resumes tailored to specific job roles, such as DevOps, and recommended leveraging platforms like LinkedIn for professional networking. His emphasis on Text Summarization, Abstraction, and active networking resonated well with the audience, offering practical strategies for interview preparation and career advancement.
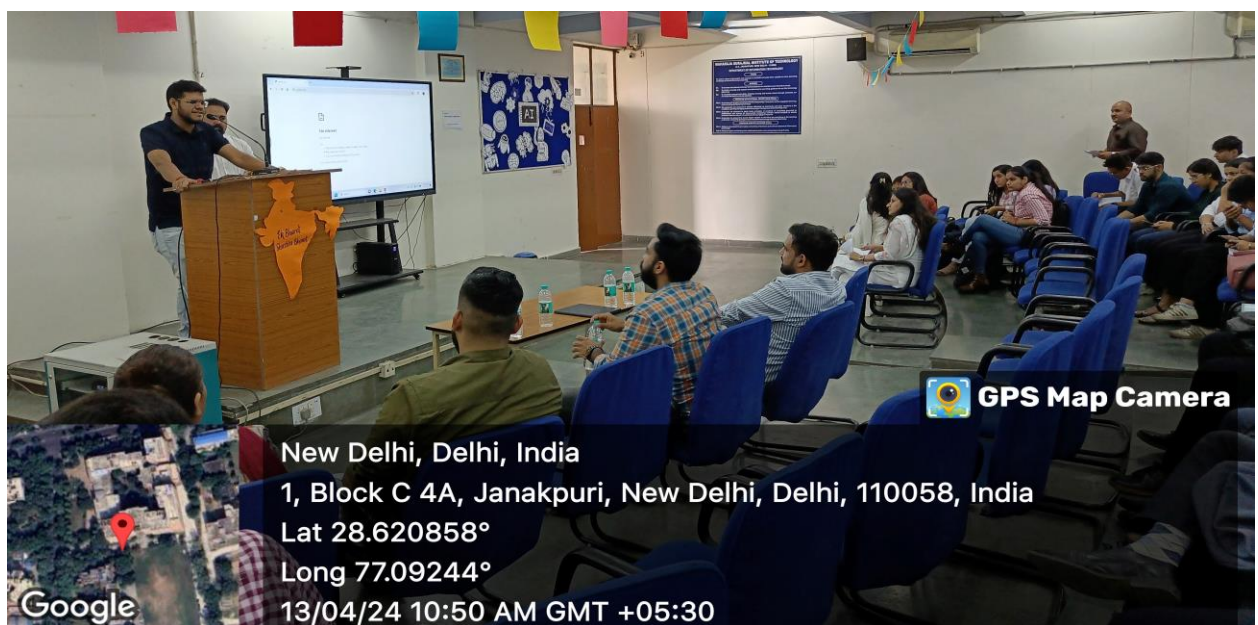

2. Daksh Varshneya: Daksh Varshneya delved into Software Development topics, including Array Strings, Operating Algorithms (OA), Database Management Systems (DBMS), and Interview Question Puzzles. He shared tips on building a strong resume, showcasing relevant projects, and maintaining composure during interviews. Daksh's practical advice resonated with students aiming to enter the software development industry, offering actionable strategies for interview success and career growth.

3. Ishant Thakral: Ishant Thakral's session revolved around Data Engineering, with a focus on Big Data, Cloud Technologies, and Architecture Designing. He emphasized the value of reading documentation thoroughly for better understanding and encouraged students to seek offline coaching for hands-on experience. Ishant's insights shed light on the evolving landscape of data-centric roles, providing a roadmap for students interested in pursuing careers in data engineering and related fields.

4. Aakash Verma: Aakash Verma provided a comprehensive overview of learning resources, including NPTEL, LinkedIn Learning, and Udemy, highlighting their relevance in acquiring technical skills. He stressed the importance of DSA, Pen Testing, and Cybersecurity Frameworks in today's digital landscape, advocating for continuous learning through platforms like Coursera, IBM courses, and specialized programs like Malchom Shore courses. Aakash's insights on early engagement in Bug Bounty programs and professional development resonated with students interested in cybersecurity and related domains.

5. Kabir Chabra: Kabir Chabra shared insights from his experience at Accenture, focusing on On-Campus Placements, Market Knowledge, and career progression. He advised students to gain industry experience before pursuing further education like an MBA, highlighting the value of practical exposure and understanding market dynamics. Kabir emphasized the role of good faculty support, strategic career planning, and leveraging opportunities in the job market for professional growth.

Conclusion: The alumni interaction session was enriching, offering a diverse range of perspectives and actionable insights for students preparing for HR and technical interviews. The speakers' expertise in various domains, coupled with practical advice and real-world experiences, provided a holistic understanding of industry expectations and career pathways. Overall, the session served as a guiding light for students navigating the transition from academia to the professional world.

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