RIT Alumni Meet 2019 of Mechanical Engineering Department

Alumni meet of all mechanical engineering students of RIT was organized at the AISSMS Institute of Information Technology, station road, Pune on 4th May 2019. More than 190 alumni were present for this meet. After registration, all the alumni gathered in program hall. Meet started with the welcome of Dr. S. S. Kulkarni Madam (Director RIT), Mr. Najir Shaikh (RIT Alumni Association), Dr. S. K. Patil (Dean Academics and HOD, Mech. Dept.), Dr. S. M. Sawant (Dean Student's), Dr. S. S. Gawade (Chief Alumni Officer), by Prof. Prakash M. Jadhav. He has shown a video clip "Glorious Moments in RIT" to recall the memories of their 'RIT Days'. All the alumni enjoyed this video clip. All the dignitaries inaugurated the function by 'watering the plant'. Inauguration was followed by address of Dr. S. K. Patil. He presented important foot marks of Mechanical engineering department since last three years, such as UG and 3 PG programs have accredited by NBA, have received Rs.27,10,130/- external funding, Rs. 17 lakh IRG though consultancy, MOU signed, Patent filed and granted, number of faculty perusing PhD, Faculty Achievements.

Mr. Najir Shaikh, highlighted the growth of RIT Alumni Association and how it has played a vital role in the development of institute. He also discussed how the alumni of RIT have been successfully placed at important and high positions in the society. He appealed the alumni to remain present for the meet and contribute voluntarily for further development of the institute by formation of an endowment trust.

Dr. Sushma Kulkarni, Director, RIT, then addressed the gathering. She highlighted about the development of the institute since its inception in 1983. She also added about the recent achievements of RIT in different rankings by various agencies and magazines. She point out recent MOU with foreign universities such as, Teesside, UK, IUKL Malaysia, K. J. Somaiya College of Engineering, Mumbai. She appealed all the alumni to support the institute by expert talk, industry visit, gratitude fund, placement, internship etc. The program was ended with the vote of thanks of Prof. P. V. Gunjavate.

Distinguished Alumnus

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- Global -Senior Manager, Cloud (Public/Private) Network Architecture and Design at Liberty Global Schiphol-Rijk, Schiphol-Zuidoost, North Holland Province, Netherlands .

- International experience spans 17+ yrs. of Technology and Management leadership in B2C/B2B especially into Public and Private Cloud , Customer development with developing new technology solutions, Engineering & DC networking, Virtualization, Security, Storage, Orchestration and Automation, Pre-sales, Product, Account and Project Management, and International Finance.

- Graduated with a C-Level program called Advanced Management Program (AMP) from INSEAD Business School in France (Alumni), and a Driving Growth Through Innovation (DGTI) Management Program from Harvard Business school.

- Holds MBA degree from University of Amsterdam - Business school, and Bachelor degree in Engineering from Shivaji University(India).

- Holds a prestigious Cisco CCIE certification in Security & Amazon AWS Certification.

Global Responsibilities :

- Managing a global Architecture & Design team, responsible for Cloud, DC portfolio – Core and Edge.

- Principal Architect – while working on a Greenfield Cloud Native DC design and Build –> Openstack,SDN, SDDC and Automation.

- Key advisor to Group CTO – in cloud and Datacenter space and manage Europe Product development in Cloud and DC space.

- Keynote Speaker, Panelist, Round table - Global conferences, Meetup's and Technical Universities.

Distinguished Alumnus

Keynote speaker and panelist at:

Location	Event	Topic	Links
Amsterdam	Edge Congress	Edge Computing for 5G and IoT	http://www.edgecongress.com/europe/speakers https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:6497124798961901568
Amsterdam	World AI Show	Artificial Intelligence	https://amsterdam.worldaishow.com/speakers/ https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:6466921131226992640
London	Total Telecom Congress	Cloud, SDN, NFV	https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:6464065803590332417
Amsterdam	CXO Inspired Conference	Hybrid Cloud and Edge computing for 5G and IoT	https://ds3.delegateselect.com/MT/Run/event/main.html;jsessionid=6D5E277BF8349E6F5615FEED94D09322?Menu=extra&ID=639
Amsterdam	The European IT Roundtable Meeting	AI, Smart machines and Robotic Process Automation	https://strategyinsights.eu/registration-formeuropeanitmeeting13feb2019/
Amsterdam	Edge Congress	Edge Computing for 5G and IoT	http://www.edgecongress.com/europe/speakers https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:6497124798961901568
Amsterdam	World AI Show	Artificial Intelligence	https://amsterdam.worldaishow.com/speakers/ https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:6466921131226992640
London	Total Telecom Congress	Cloud, SDN, NFV	https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:6464065803590332417
Amsterdam	CXO Inspired Conference	Hybrid Cloud and Edge computing for 5G and IoT	https://ds3.delegateselect.com/MT/Run/event/main.html;jsessionid=6D5E277BF8349E6F5615FEED94D09322?Menu=extra&ID=639
Amsterdam	The European IT Roundtable Meeting	AI, Smart machines and Robotic Process Automation	https://strategyinsights.eu/registration-form-europeanitmeeting13feb2019/

Alumni Interactions
Department of Management Studies (MBA)
MDP on "Human Resources & Wealth Management"

Indian Society for Training and Development (ISTD) in association with Rajarambapu Institute of Technology, Dept. of Mgt. Studies (MBA) was organized Management Development Program (MDP) on the topic entitled " Human Resources & Wealth Management" on Wed. 8th May 2019. This MDP was organized under RIT-Center for Teaching and Learning (RIT-CTL). The resource person for the same were Mr. Kurien Daniel (Regional Vice-President (West), ISTD, New Delhi) and Mr. Rupesh Kale (Founder & CEO, Smera Capital & Private Wealth Advisor, Kolhapur). This MDP was successfully completed under the guidance of Dr. S. S. Kulkarni (Director, RIT) and Dr. S. K. Patil (Dean Academics), Dr. H. V. Gaikwad (HOD). The great response was well recognize through the registration of around 100 participate including industry person academicians and students.

It was successfully coordinated by Prof. K. S. Patil & Prof. S. S. Karanjkar, MBA Staff & Students.

Alumni Interactions
Department of Management Studies (MBA)

Training Program on "Preliminary Course in Yoga & Physical Fitness"

Rajarambapu Institute of Technology, Dept. of Mgt. Studies (MBA) in association with Indian Society for Training and Development (ISTD), New Delhi (Islampur Chapter) was organized short term training program "Preliminary Course in Yoga & Physical Fitness" from 27th March to 9th April 2019. This training program was specially organized for management students. The resource persons were Yogacharya Prof. S. A. Kumbhar & Prof. Sandip Patil (Physical Director, RIT). Total 40 students were participated in this program. The program was successfully conducted under the guidance of Dr. S. S. Kulkarni (Director, RIT) and Dr. H. V. Gaikwad (HOD), coordinated by Prof. S. S. Karanjkar & students team.

Alumni Interactions
Department of Computer Engineering
How to Prepare for Competitive Examinations?

Mr. Chandrakant Chavan MPSC Coaching Classes, Mumbai (alumnus, CSE, batch – 2014), delivered an expert lecture on "How to Prepare for Competitive Examinations".

To ace in any interview, students need to do proper preparation. They should have proper focus and plan to clear the competitive exam. All this comes under the preparation process.

Mr. Chandrakant sir guided to students with some important tips for competitive exams:

1. Plan well   **2. Choose the subjects carefully**

3.Time management   **4.The study session should be short**

5.Make use of mock papers   **6.High motivation**

Here are few top tricks to study and crack competitive exams.

- Make use of the Russian physiologist Ivan Pavlov's experiment
- Match your school timetable and home study schedule
- Avoid being too social (for the time being)
- Try Smart work rather than hard work
- Avoid studying at odd times:
- Read the content thoroughly
- Never study when you are sleepy
- Textbook reading methodology – **OK4R**
  Overview, **K**ey ideas, **R**eading the topic totally, **R**ecall, **R**eflect, **R**eview
- Never schedule similar kind of subjects one after another
- Remember the keywords
- Plan to have enough revision time
- Shorter study sessions work better than long sessions
- Have a proper diet
- Proper exercise:
- Don't study one tough subject after the other
- Switch off your phone while studying

Alumni Interactions
Department of Computer Engineering

Final evaluation of four tracks for Final Year students

Department of Computer engineering organized alumni interaction on final evaluation of four track.

The main points covered as follows:

• Discussion was started with introduction of Alumnus.

• Discussion on new changes adapted in the curriculum i.e. Four Track (Capstone Project, IIP, ED, URE).

• Discussion regarding M. Tech Admission under sponsored category.

• Discussion on department placement status by HOD and TPO.

• Alumni suggested to adapt the changes as per the industry needs and they had committed to fully involve and help in this activity.

• Discussion on requirement of Internship Project in industry.

• Discussion on Alumni Gratitude Fund with Alumni.

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6	Mr. Chandrashekhar B. Gaikwad	Sail Point Pune	chandrashehar _g @ persistent.com	8308567894
7	Mr. Raj Pethkar	KIT, Kolhapur	rajepetkar@gmail.com	7304145276
8	Mr. Swapnil Pawar	K.J. Sommayya Mumbai	swapnil.pawar@gmail.com	9970976137

Alumni Interactions

Department of Computer Science & Information Technology

Project Assistance

Our alumni Mr. Saurabh Thoke (2014 pass out), Senior Software Engineer, INCEDO Pvt. ltd., Pune, Mr. Suhit Kalubarme (2014 pass out), Lead Engineer, HCL Info systems pvt. ltd., Pune, Mr. Nilesh Sharma(2011 pass out), Software Support specialist, Amdocs, Pune, Mr. Sagar Patil (2011 pass out), Assistant Managre, CITI Technology Center, Pune visited RIT on 18 May, 2019 for project assistance of B. Tech. students.

The following contents covered during the visit:

1.Improving technical skills

2.Soft skill's and presentation skills

3.Interview skills

On behalf of IT department, we express our gratitude to Mr. Saurabh Thoke, Mr. Suhit Kalubarme, Mr. Nilesh Sharma and Mr. Sagar Patil for assisting our students in projects.

Alumni Interactions

Department of Computer Science & Information Technology
One-week Student Training Program on "Data Science using Python"
RIT-CTL

Department of Computer Science & Information Technology has successfully organized one-week Student Training Program on "Data Science using Python" under RIT-CTL (Centre for Teaching & learning).

More than 60 students from institute and nearby colleges were participated in this training program.

Alumni Interactions

Department of Electrical Engineering

Curriculum design

Power system is an import domain in Electrical Engineering. There are lot of opportunities available in power system. By considering this a short meeting was organized for staff to brainstorm on curriculum design for future power system. It was headed by , Dr. V. N. Kalkhambkar Head and alumni Mr. Dhiraj Kamble of Electrical Department of batch 2014. Mr. Dhiraj Kamble is now working as an Assistant Engineer at Maharashtra State Electricity Generation Company Limited.

The design software knowledge is very important for engineers. This knowledge has lot of job opportunities in engineering fields. So in view of this alumni interaction of Mr. Nitin Sadawarte was organized for final Year B. Tech students. He is currently working with Whirlpool India Ltd. Pune as a Design Engineer.

Alumni Interactions

Department of Electrical Engineering

Higher Studies

Alumni interaction of Mr. Rahul Shinde and Mr. Viraj Savakhande were interacted with first year M. Tech. students regarding Ph.D. admission requirements and importance of research. Mr. Rahul Shinde and Viraj Savakhande alumni of M. Tech. Electrical Department Batch 2014-2016 and 2015-2017 respectively.

Mr. Prashant Mali interacted with final year B. Tech students on 10th April, 2018. Mr. Prashant Mali also helped department in Oral Exam for academic year 2018-19. Mr. Prashant Mali is working as an Assistant Professor in Electrical Department of Annasaheb Dange College of Engineering & Technology, Ashta.

Alumni Interactions

Department of Electrical Engineering

Interview skills

Department of Electrical Engineering has organized alumni interaction for final year B. Tech students on 26th March,2019.

The Department invited Mr, Omkar Chaugule alumnus of batch 2013-2017. He is now working as an Assistant System Engineer in TCS. Mr. Omkar guided B. Tech students on " How to appear for recruitment process? " . Along with Mr. Omkar, Mr. Rahul Sawant also discussed about the opportunities after M. Tech.

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