

# **Gandhinagar Instituteof Technology**

A Report on

"Alumni Talk Series - Abhivyakti"
Webinar conducted by Mr Rujul Darji
(Practical Concepts about Construction Site)
(3<sup>rd</sup> June 2020, Wednesday)

# Alumni Talk at a Glance:

Date: 03-06-2020, Time: 11:00 AM, Platform: Google Meet

Invited Alumnus: Mr. Rujul Darji,

Planning Engineer (Residential Projects),

PSP projects ltd., Ahmedabad.

Passout Year: 2014-18 CL dept.

Host: Prof Vineeta Nishad & Moderator: Prof Jignesh Vaniya

• Around 46 participants attended the alumni talk including students, faculties and alumni and learned about the practical concepts on construction site in CL domain under SSIP.

## **Objective of the event:**

The objective of the Alumni Talk Series - 'Abhivyakti' is to organize interactions on a digital platform among current students and alumni on career opportunities and emerging trends of industry in different domains. The experiences and knowledge of alumni who have excelled in performance in their respective fields can motivate and guide the current students of GIT.

## **Brief Profile of the speaker:**

Mr Rujul Darji has pursued his Bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering from GIT in 2014. He worked as a trainee in Vastu Buildcon PVT LTD at Ahmedabad during May 2017- Dec 2017. He completed his M.Tech in Construction Engineering Management from Ganpat University in 2020. He worked as a site engineer in Riya buildcon pvt ltd. From May 2018- October 2019 in residential project. He is currently working as Planning engineer in PSP projects ltd ffrom Dec 2019 in residential projects.

#### **Activities during the event:**

Under the banner of Gandhinagar Institute of Technology Alumni Association (GITAA) & SSIP, GIT invited his Alumnus Mr. Rujul Darji of batch 2014-2018 from Civil Engineering department for an expert session on "Practical concepts about construction site". He is working as a Design Engineer 2 (R & D) in Synopsis Inc at Bangalore.

The expert session was held on 03-06-2020 during 11:00 to 12:15 pm on Google Meet platform. Prof Jignesh Vaniya gave an introductory speech about the speaker of the session Mr Rujul Darji. Around 46 students, alumni and faculties participated in this expert talk on practical concepts in construction field. Alumni Mr Rujul Darji inspired the students with the story of his journey in Civil Engineering field. He explained about the opportunities for an CL engineer in the fields of construction design, practical words used on site, safety measures on site, equipments used in construction, steps of construction and lastly about labour management. He

gave the details of the methodology of construction and also about precautions in any hazardous situations.

He guided the students about the necessary skill sets to be developed for becoming industry ready like various construction methods and use of equipments - Concreting, Masonry work, use of formworks, tools regarding safety on site and labour awareness etc. He gave example of current issue Covid19 due to which many issues are arising in construction and how to manage labours and workflow on construction site. He solved many queries of the students regarding career choices and job opportunities in CL domain. He also gave few tips regarding interview process. The session was concluded with vote of thanks given by faculties of the CL department.

## **Outcomes of the event:**

The Alumni Talk has facilitated interactions of students with alumni for career development & skills needed for grasping better job opportunities. The students were very enthusiastic to learn about present industry scenario in Civil Engineering field.

#### **Feedback from students:**

The whole webinar was interesting and I got answers my practical knowledge which is currently in practice..

- Patel Mitali

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Keep coming with webinars on construction management and structural engineering.

- Dhaval Sheth

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## Feedback from faculty:

The session was wonderful and interactive. We Should arrange this type of webinar to encourage the recent engineering students.

- Prof. Manisha Parmar Asst. Prof. CL Department

#### **Feedback from Alumni Expert:**

I am thankful to GIT for inviting me to share my experiences and meet my faculties again. I hope that students will get inspired from my journey and become more focused towards their career goal. It was such a good interaction with the young engineers. I would be very happy to help the students in future also.

- Mr. Rujul Darji

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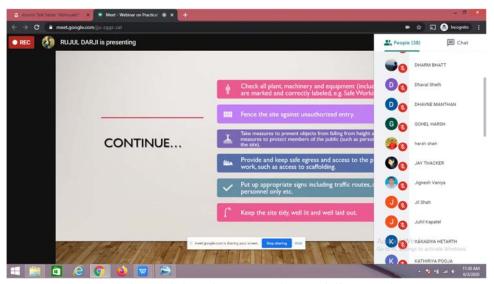
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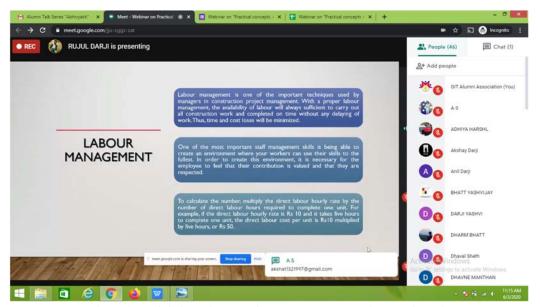
Social Media Creative of the webinar



Alumni Expert talking about his professional journey



Alumni explaining about procedure to follow on site



Alumni explaining about Labour Management in CL domain



Alumni interacting with the audience and solving their queries