



**Gandhinagar University**  
**A Report on**  
**“Introduction to Cyber Security Program**  
**by CISCO Netacad” (30 September, 2022)**

**Objective:**

Cisco Networking Academy is a global IT and cybersecurity education program that partners with learning institutions around the world to empower all people with career opportunities. It is Cisco's largest and longest-running Cisco Corporate Social Responsibility. This Workshop aims to aware CE & IT students about various CISCO Programs as well as training, certification and career opportunities in industry.

**Introduction:**

CE & IT Department of Gandhinagar Institute of Technology (GIT) and Gandhinagar Institute of Skill Development (GISD), Gandhinagar University has organized one day workshop on “Introduction to Cyber Security Program by CISCO Netacad” on 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 for students of CE/IT Department. The day session was conducted by Mr. Pavan Bhagya, CISCO, EFFound. The main Objective was to create awareness among students about CISCO training courses, Certification and Career Opportunities in industry and topic on Introduction to Cyber Security. The main objective was to aware students about importance of CISCO and CISCO certification in industry.

A leader is someone who creates an event and the team members essentially bring life to it, No any event can shape without a hardworking leader. It was the dedication and enthusiasm of the coordinators Prof. Shradha Prajapati and Prof. Briendrasinh Zala who have successfully coordinated the whole event under the patronage of Dr. H N Shah, Director. Above and beyond, let's not forget the backbone of this event conveners Prof. Rahul A. Vaghela (Head of Institute, GISD), Dr. Rajan Patel (Dean, Engineering & Technology, ), Dr. Nimisha Patel (HOD, CE & IT) and department faculties.

**Event Overview:**

CE and IT Department of Gandhinagar Institute of Technology (GIT) and Gandhinagar Institute of Skill Development (GISD), Gandhinagar University has organized this workshop 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 for students of CE/IT Department. The workshop was attended by more than 60 students of CE/IT Department. The first day of session was started with welcome speech by Prof. Shradha Prajapati, Assistant Professor in CE Department. Then after, the expert Mr. Pavan Bhagya, Network Engineer and CISCO Trainer, Bangalore has given online session on topic CISCO and “Introduction to Cyber Security” Program: Courses, Certs and Career Opportunities. He has started the session with importance of CISCO & CCNA as they want to reach students with large count. He has discussed detailed syllabus of CISCO Courses as well as various popular CISCO Certification for students. He has given Session on Cyber Security Concepts such as Online Security threats, Types of Hacker, Protection of data. Also he has discussed about Cisco Network Community which aims to how we give back to our communities, took care of our associates, invested in our environmental sustainability programs, and built a better world by acting with integrity and in the best interest of our stakeholders.

Vote of thanks was offered by Prof. Shradha Prajapati, Assistant Professor in CE Dept. and had appreciated the collective efforts made by Director Sir, HOD of CE &IT Dept., students, faculty members and GISD team to make this event successful.

**Feedback:**

Majority of students reported that they had been finding this workshop very helpful and becoming a CISCO certified professional will show the value of the hands on certification and introduce to new technology topics.

**Moments/PhotoGallery:**



Welcome speech by Prof. Shradha Prajapati



Students & Faculty Attending the Online Session by Mr.Pavan Bhagya



TheExpert Mr.Pavan Bhagya taking the Session



Students Attending the Online Session by Mr.Pavan Bhagya from Bangalore



**GroupPhoto**