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Share What I Gain

A Report on Interaction with Alumni on
From Roots to Real-World Impact

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Mr Palaksha Raskapoorwala

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Faculty of Electronics and Communication Engineering organized an interactive session under the banner of "Share What I Gain", initiated by SCET Alumni Association for the Students of SCET on 9th January 2025. The purpose of the interaction was to address the UG Students regarding job opportunities, career counseling and personal experiences in the era of development and technology. The interaction was based on improvement in day to day curiosity and problem-solving skills for achieving ones childhood dreams.

About The Alumni

The alumni guest was Mr. Palaksha Raskapoorwala currently pursuing a Master of Science in Data Analytics Engineering at Northeastern University, Boston, 2023 alumnus of Electronics and Communication Engineering Department. Few glimpse of the talk. As a computer vision and deep learning enthusiast, Palaksha has developed expertise in data science, artificial intelligence and machine learning, AR/VR, and embedded systems, coupled with hands-on experience in cloud computing and software development.

During Interaction

Palaksha started the session taking a feedback from students taking their view on career they want to proceed with. He calmly narrated students the expectations of current industry from the fresh graduating engineers. He gave few examples on how the students are nurtured at industry as well as some research organization. He talked with students regarding his journey after graduating from SCET. As per his view, students may get multiple opportunities if one desires to achieve them.

Driven by curiosity and the desire to make a real-world impact, he narrated undergraduate students how he transitioned into the field of data analytics. He also highlighted academic project he took during his journey towards real world. He even discussed with students his journey as a student at SCET and how various activities being organized at EC department SCET helped him to gain knowledge in various domains of engineering He also added that how his work experiences at companies like eInfochips and Mzaalo allowed him to apply machine learning in impactful ways from boosting software efficiency to increasing user engagement.

He inspired students by narrating few incidents regarding how he turned obstacles into stepping stones. We are very thankful to Palaksha Raskapoorwala for sharing his knowledge and valuable time with us. Students participated enthusiastically in the interaction and expected such events more.

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Few glimpse of the session: