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**A Report on Interaction with Alumni on
Journey after Graduation**

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Alumni:
Mr. Akbar Doctor

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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 Electronics & Communication department on 18th December 2019. The purpose of the interaction was to address the UG students to know life after graduation. The session was initiated to narrate the expectations of industries from a graduate and thus discover the inner potential of student to develop their career as well as to take the industry to the new horizons.

About The Alumni

The alumni guest was Mr. Akbar Doctor currently working as Principle Engineer at Fresenius Medical Care North America. He is an Alumni of Electronics and Communication Department, SCET passed out in 2008 batch. Mr. Akbar completed his Masters in Bio-Medical Electrical Engineering from Hochschule Furtwangen University, Germany in the year 2010. He has even worked with L&T Mysore as a senior software engineer. Currently, he is even an interim manager for sustaining department at Fresenius Medical Care North America

During Interaction

It has been seen that human expectations are often based on wanting things to be in a certain way. When such expectations are NOT met, it can cause worry, anger, frustration and a host of other extreme negative emotions. On the other hand, if the expectations are met, it brings happiness, loads of smiles, certain contentment, and a host of other emotional highs. Mr. Akbar started the session with his feeling of pursuing medical after his school but was not able get through. He added that “You cannot always make your passion your profession, sometimes you have to accept things.” So, he happily pursued engineering.

Mr. Akbar showcased the requirement and an endless expectation of human. He narrated to add more value to ones world than ever dreamed possible by giving tools and strategies that one can immediately use to improve one’s life. He narrated various turning points in his life that helped him to reach his goal. After completion of B.E. Akbar Doctor found a job in an engineering company named CotMac in the field of Automation and PLC. At the same times, many of his colleagues were planning for U.S. for further studies. He could not afford such abroad education, but one of his friends suggested him for Germany as it provides free education even to international students. So he planned for Germany and was successful to get into one of the universities in Germany

Akabr added that the main difference in the education system of Germany and India was the way of teaching and examination. Indian education system focused on theoretical more, whereas in Germany, practicality and application to industries was focused more; also the examination system in Germany was open-book, one was given a real-life problem, which he/she has to solve using the knowledge given by the professors. So, the marks depend upon problem solving skills and application skills of the student.

Akbar solved the queries of the students enthusiastically. The session was very interesting. His journey from SCET was really inspirational. The main thing which he embarked is that to be a good engineer, one needs to have joy in learning engineering. Also the application of the knowledge is also necessary. One needs to give complete devotion to this field, find where one is good and work on it. One has to face struggle, and in this 4 years of engineering, one has to develop such skills, which can be easily absorbed in the market.

Few glimpse of the session:



