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A report
on
Expert talk
Idea to Impact: My Startup Odyssey

(31st January 2025)

For celebration of
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On the Occasion of National Start up Day

EXPERT TALK

IDEA TO IMPACT: MY START UP ODYSSEY

VENUE: NJ SEMINAR HALL

DATE: 31 JAN, 2025

TIME: 09:00 AM TO 11:00 AM

FACULTY CO-ORDINATOR
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MR. YASH TARWADI

FOUNDER OF SOLNCE ENERGY
SCET ALUMNI
BATCH 2018, CHEMICAL

Objective of the Activity:

- **Raise Awareness:** The event aimed to raise awareness among students about the startup ecosystem, the opportunities available, and the potential for innovation and entrepreneurship.
- **Promote Action:** By commemorating National Startup Day, the institute aimed to inspire students to take proactive steps towards their entrepreneurial journey. The talk served as a catalyst, encouraging students to explore their own ideas and consider pursuing them as startups.

Faculty Coordinator of the event: Prof. Anand Upadhyay, Chemical Engineering Department, SCET

Speaker: Mr. Yash Tarwadi, Founder of Solance Energy and SCET Alumni (Batch - 2018)

Date & Time: January 31, 2025, 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Venue: N J Seminar Hall

Target Audience: B.Tech. Undergraduate students

Summary of the Talk:

The event commenced with a warm welcome extended to Mr. Yash Tarwadi by Dr. Srujal Rana, Head of the Chemical Engineering Department, who presented him with a bouquet.

Mr. Tarwadi shared his entrepreneurial journey, from the initial idea to the eventual impact of his startup, Solance Energy. His talk provided valuable insights into the challenges and rewards of building a startup, offering inspiration and practical advice to students interested in innovation and entrepreneurship. The event was particularly relevant given the department's offering of the "Small Scale Innovative Startups for Engineers" elective, providing students with a real-world perspective on the concepts discussed in the course. The talk was well-attended and the students gained valuable knowledge and motivation from Mr. Tarwadi's experience.

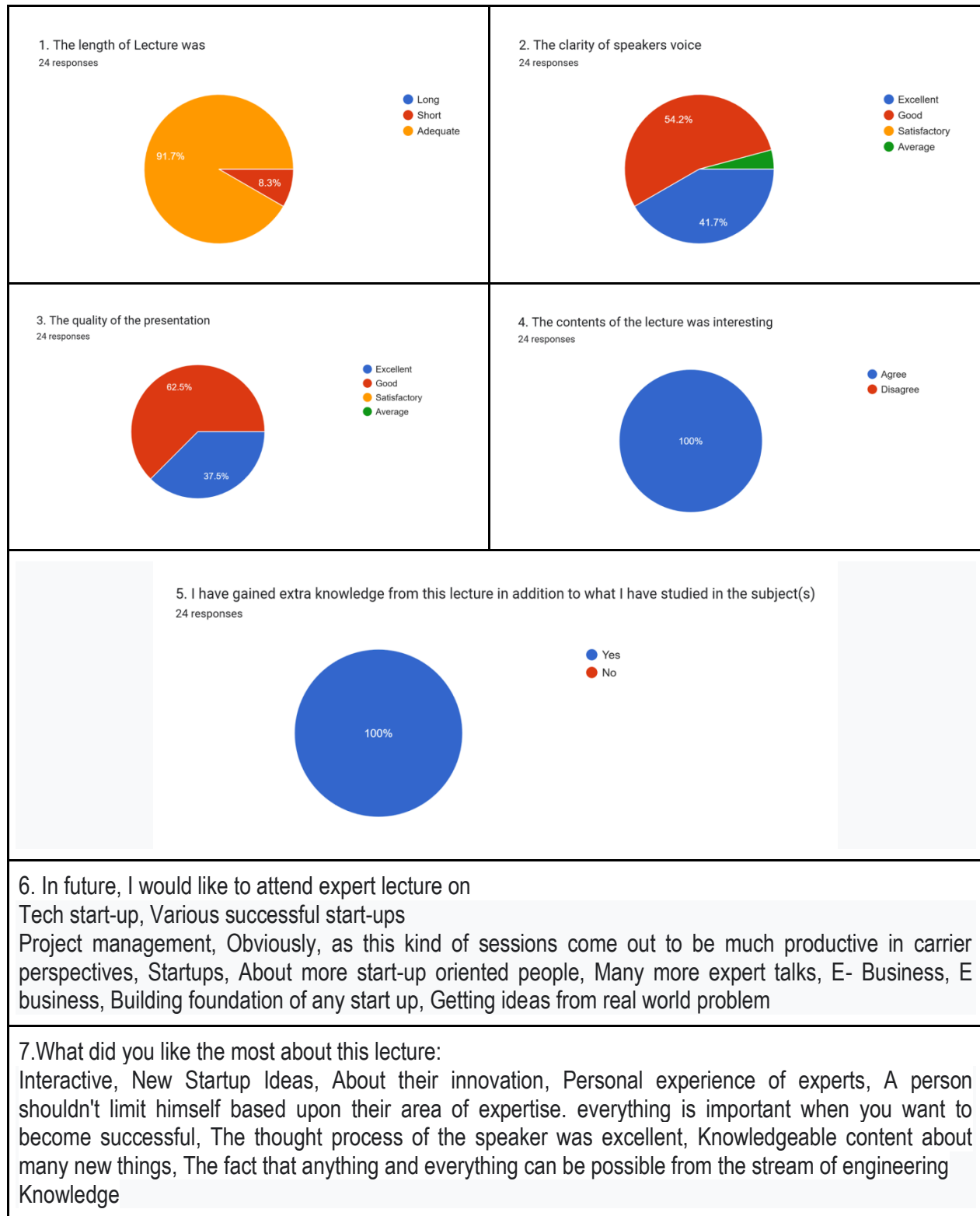
Q&A and Closing:

The expert talk concluded with an engaging question-and-answer session, allowing students to interact directly with Mr. Tarwadi and clarify their doubts. Following the Q&A, Prof. Anand Upadhyay presented Mr. Tarwadi with a token of appreciation on behalf of the department and the participating organizations.

Glimpses of the Event:



Session feedback:



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- Dr.. Srujal Rana, **Head, Chemical Engineering Department, SCET**
- Prof. Rashmita Patel, **Coordinator, IChE Student Chapter, SCET**

Finally we would like to thank all the participants and Volunteers for making this event successful.

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