# SANTANIK UNIVERSIT

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# Sarvajanik College of Engineering & Technology



Student Activities and Welfare Council (SAWC)

## Report on

## "Extempore-2023"

Organized by

## Soft Skill Development Cell Under SAWC

(22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023)

#### **Coordinators**

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#### **Student Coordinators**

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Prof. (Dr.) Mayank Dalal Dean - SAWC, SCET. Prof. (Dr.) Hiren Patel Principal, SCET

Extempore was organized for our institute's B.TECH students through the SAWC Soft Skill Development Cell.

The goal of conducting this event for students was to help them have a better knowledge of the specifics and compete to showcase student's spontaneous speaking skills. The competitive Extempore event was held on September 22, 2023. The additional objective of organizing this event was to help students enhance their public speaking skills, and critical thinking abilities. Furthermore, there are other job advantages and developments available, such as standing out in the workplace, and winning over the audience. It additionally offers the opportunity for individuals to boost their confidence.

The detailed schedule of the event was as follows:

| Sr.<br>No | Participants                           | Event                   | Dates      | Time Duration       | Venue            |
|-----------|--|-------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1         | All Engineering<br>students of<br>SCET | Extempore<br>Main event | 22/09/2023 | 2:30 P.M – 4:30 P.M | N.J.Seminar Hall |

**50 students**, bursting with enthusiasm, eagerly participated and filled the event with their vibrant energy!

The events' jury included:

**Mr. Tanay Bhalani-** He is a full stack developer with experience in technologies like Dot Net, Angular, IOT, CIP protocol, and Agile framework. He is presently employed at Rockwell Automation. He works with Rockwell Automation to create a variety of products using his knowledge.

**Dr. Sapna Desai** is an assistant professor and the head of the English department at Vanita Vishram Women's University.

She holds a Ph.D. and M.Phil. in English from Veer Narmad South Gujarat University, among other academic credentials. She has also successfully finished her M.A., B.Ed., and B.B.A. degrees. She has 12 years of teaching experience. She has participated in numerous regional, national, and worldwide workshops, seminars, conferences, FDPs, and certificate programs. She has also presented research papers in these events. Her research papers have been featured in edited publications of renowned national and international standing as well as in SCOPUS, UGC Care Listed, and Peer Reviewed journals.

Since 2018, she has been member of Institution's Innovation Council Committee (IICC) VNSGU, Surat.

Just imagine the thrill! A dozen captivating topics were unveiled to our eager students a mere hour before the event kicked off, setting the stage for an electrifying whirlwind of preparation and excitement

### Topics given were:

- 1. Traditional education vs online education.
- 2. The impact of technology on job automation.
- 3. The pros and cons of remote work.
- 4. The role of art and culture in society.
- 5. Current state of Journalism in India.
- 6. Has religious tolerance in India decreased?
- 7. Is higher education a necessity for being successful?
- 8. The progression of gender identity in modern times.
- 9. Impact of social media on political discourse.
- 10. The Pros and Cons of Cancel Culture in Modern Society
- 11. Social Media and Mental Health: The Connection and Solutions
- 12. Impact of G20 as a future directive for the world.

Following the preparation period, the participants were required to give a speech on the assigned themes for one to three minutes.

At the conclusion, the judges announced the winners based on a number of factors, including their content, vocal projection, body language, overall self-confidence.

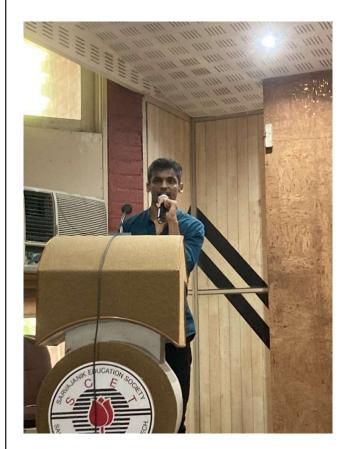
In conclusion, this event helped all the participants visualize and represent something other than their person with enough confidence.

We are extremely grateful to Prof. (Dr.) Mayank Dalal, Dean SAWC and Prof. (Dr.) Hiren Patel, Principal - SCET for providing support and platform to conduct this event.

Following is the list of winners:

| Winner Name       | Position          |  |
|-------------------|-------------------|--|
| Nirvan Arora      | 1 <sup>st</sup>   |  |
| Atharva Godbole   | 2 <sup>nd</sup>   |  |
| Dhanisth Sarawagi | $3^{\mathrm{rd}}$ |  |

## Below shows few glimpses of the event:







Below are few glimpses of jury felicitation:





Here are group pictures with the winners:

