Udyam Samman- 2020

(Industry Meet)

Udyam Samman 2020 is an initiative Vidyavardhini's college of Engineering ,Vasai to bridge the gap between industry & academia by bringing professionals from different verticals on a single platform so they can share their valuable experience in terms of skills required for fresher to get into the industry.

Topic for Industry Meet 2020 - Why Aptitude is so important in recruitment process & Role of Cutting-Edge Technology.

Date: 07/02/2020

Time: 10:30 am onwards

Venue: Ground floor Seminar Hall, VCET

Objective of Industry Meet 2020

1) To identify the gap between industry and academia.
2) To create awareness of the current scenario of the industry amongst faculties and students.
3) To identify the shortcomings of the academia, w.r.t placement and training activities.
4) To strengthen the mutual relation between industry and academia.

Description:

Inauguration of Udyam Samman-2020 (Industry meet) was done in the presence of Mr.abc, Chairman of TIMA, followed by his speech. In his speech when he addressed other industry delegates, he mentioned about the significance of Internship/trainings to be provided to engineering students. Also, he whole heartedly declared to continue this relation with Institute to help students gain practical knowledge and bridge the gap between Industry and academia. After the speech of Chief Guest, panel discussion was started wherein industry delegates form different areas were invited on dais to share their views.

Whole session was divided into 2 Phases:

Phase I- Panel Discussion with all the industry delegates together.

Phase II – Discipline specific session for students by the Industry Delegates of respective branch

Phase I

Pannel discussion started with the 1st question

"How we could bridge the gap between college and Industry?"

To which all the panel members shared their views out of which some are mentioned below,

- By having training: Students can go to offices & get trained on various courses.
- By inculcating discipline in them which is required in industry
- By developing string basics
- By Inculcating practical knowledge in students.
- Retention: Students should stay back with industry to work for long time.
- Students should have knowledge beyond text-books.
- Positive approach towards work.
- Students should be versatile & ambitious.
- Every engineering stream in the Institute should make small groups and try to communicate with the Industry.

Next Question on which panel shared their views was:

Why is aptitude and programming important?

Some of the views of Industry delegates are:

- If the student is qualified for a job, aptitude is way from which company can understand students IQ level.
- To check the general concepts and basics of the student.
- Technology is the bread and butter of every company; hence students should know the basics of technology.
- To know the problem-solving ability of the student in restricted time frame.
- General attributes of the student can be tested easily with aptitude tests.
- Programming knowledge will help students to feel comfortable to start with their industry experience.
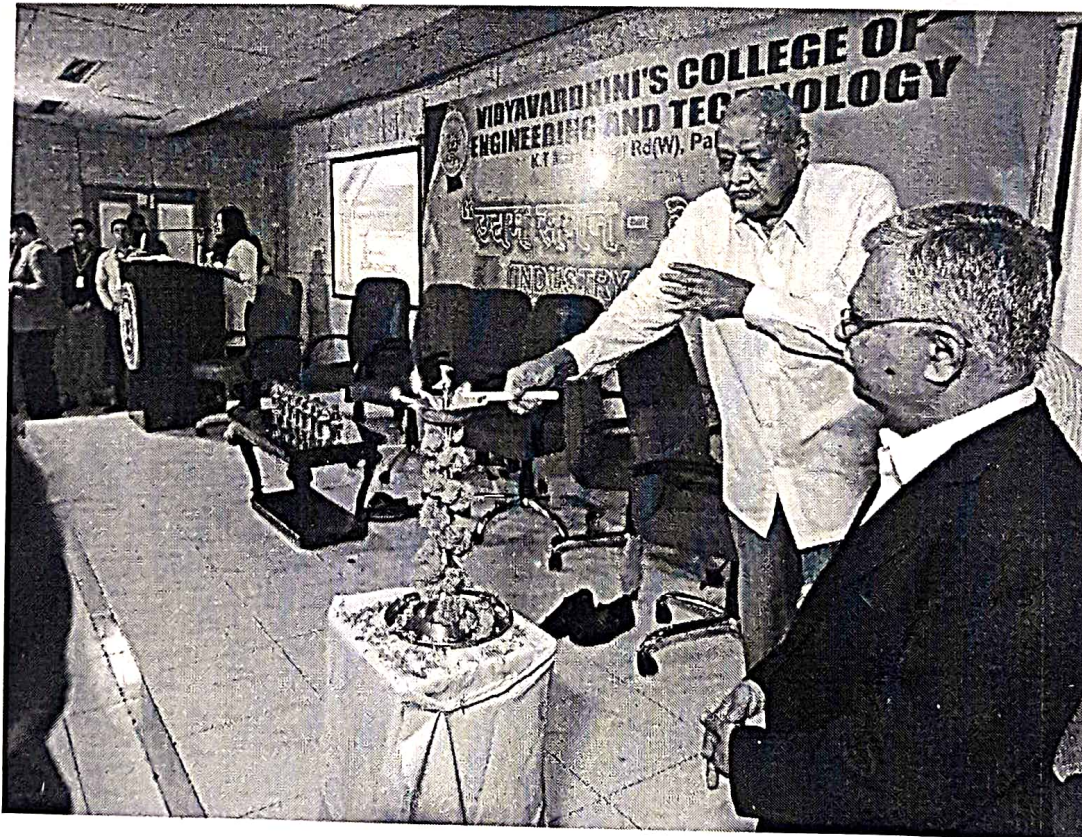
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Next Question on which panel shared their views was:
How to make students aware about employability & professionalism?

Some of the views of Industry delegates are:

- By introducing more and more practical knowledge to all students of different streams.
- This kind of preparation starts from students' level only, students can become professionals by inculcating practical environment.
- Industry and Institute should focus on long lasting relationship, so that could benefit maximum students for industry exposure.
- According to survey 1.5 million engineers pass in India every year but only 7% i.e. about 1 lakh students get relevant job. This scenario should be made aware to the students to make them aware about the current scenario of the industry.
- Make some committees/clubs dedicated to post or publish employment news in the student's groups on regular basis.
- Make students practical oriented instead of theory oriented.

This is how the Industry delegates shared their experience and guided us with their thoughts and views for above mentioned questions.

All the industry delegates were appreciated for their time and support for making this meet a successful one.

After the end of *Phase I*, some of the Industry delegates addressed their respective branch students in *Phase II* i.e. after lunch.

Enclosed herewith are the reports of respective *Phase II* sessions.

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