

INDUCTION PROGRAMME (PART-II)

For All First Year Students

Venue: Seminar Hall Date: 06.01.2014 to 10.01.2014

Programme Co-ordinators: Mr. Arindam Chatterjee, Ms. Nidhi Singh, Ms. Leena Sarkar Bhaduri, Dr. Subhashis Biswas

Organizing Committee Members: Mr. Partha Bhattacharya (IT), Ms. Shreyoshi Chatterjee, Mr. Raju Dutta

2nd Induction programme was organised by Narula Institute of Technology for the incoming 1st year students , 2014 , from 6th – 10th January, 2014. This programme was a sequel of the 1st induction programme organised for same set of students in August , 2013. The theme of the programme this time around was “Empowering students towards professional accomplishment”. The programme was organised keeping in mind to train students about various challenges they may face upon entering the professional career. Eminent personalities form wide array of expertise delivered lectures and conducted sessions to give the students a glimpse of what they can expect in the life after college.



6th January, 2014

The programme was inaugurated with a “lighting the lamp” ceremony. Prof Dr. Debojyoti Mitra, Principal, Narula Institute of Technology, Dr. S. M. Chatterjee, Chairman of B. O.G., JIS Group, Prof. Dr. Asit Guha, Director, JIS Group and head of the departments from various departments and faculties were present at the occasion. After the welcome address Principal Dr. Debojyoti Mitra, Dr. S . M. Chatterjee has delivered the keynote address to the

audience, and stressed upon the importance of increasing knowledge-base during college education.

Speakers on 6th January, 2014

Name of Speaker	Discussion topics
Prof. Malayendu Saha, Vice Chairman, Westbengal State Council for Higher Education	Need of accounting knowledge for every student. How to manage time, knowledge of cost management, everyday example of cost and time management
Dr. Sasmita Samanta , Registrar & Director-admission, KIIT University	Educational resources for students, how to excel in education with values; need of discipline in student life
Dr. S. P. Mathur, Registrar, IT-BHU	Human Resource and Development in student life; Engineering courses need to have strong emphasis on human R & D
Prof. Amlan Chakraborty, HOD, EE, NiT	How to prepare yourself for professional career; From his vast experience in various professional fields, necessities for being a true professional is highlighted; need for mentorship
Mr. Kushal Kumar Banerjee, TCS	35 years of experience in software industry; How to survive in software industry; The various scopes engineers have in software industry

7th January 2013

Name of Speakers	Discussion topics
Dr. Anish Deb, Professor, Applied Physics, Calcutta University	Discussed what practical approach students should adopt when appearing for job interview and how knowledge can be applied during interview process; examples shared from his own experience

Mr. Gautam Chakraborty, Ex. Sr. GM-HR, Haldia Petrochemicals Ltd.	Getting ready for corporate life; Develop personal growth by growing attitude, talent, values; an interactive session with students about their likes and dislikes and how that can be incorporated into building character.
Mr. Sudip Chattopadhyay, Asstt. Professor, SMS – Narula Institute of Technology	The bridge between you and your industry; How a person should acclimatise with the industry and how freshers should behave in a company
Ms. Leena Sarkar Bhaduri, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of English, NiT	Development of communication skills; Ability to communicate properly is the principle criteria for being a good professional
Prof. N. R. Bandopadhyay, School of Materials Science and Engineering, BESU	Paradigm shift and various other changes in technology over last few decades; An engineer's view on global warming and how to incorporate scientific knowledge in professional life



8th January, 2014

The day started with an activity by the students. The students were divided into groups of 10, and were asked to give a 5 minute presentation on what they have learned from the 1st two days of induction programme. All the students were given 10 minutes time to prepare. It was heartening to see that the students presented their thoughts on professional empowerment

effectively. After the presentation by students , Ms. Leena Sarkar Bhaduri discussed the various aspects of the presentations by students, and mentioned the areas where they can improve.

After the initial session, lectures by eminent speakers continued throughout the day as follows:

Name of Speakers	Discussion Topics
Mr. Debjit Chakrabarty, Associate Director, IT Advisory, KPMG	How to become a top professional like GM, CEO in a company; interactive session involving group discussions; insight into the actual work of IT industry for launching a software, solving problems, developing relation with clients
Mr. Pratik Kr. Majumdar, Eriksson Global	Stress upon product development; discussed differences between product development by various companies, what engineers need to know for joining different companies
Dr. Anil Krishna Kar, Fellow member-American Society of Civil Engineers	Discussed need for knowledge outside text books; discussed from the view point of Civil engineers, what is needed to survive in industry; innovative thinking, hard work; interdisciplinary learning involving physics, chemistry, material science
Mr. Ayan Chowdhury, Motivational Expert	Interactive session; motivated students about being competent, how to become ready for industry, and what industry needs in an engineer; Activities throughout the session
Colonel P.S. Sandhu, Registrar, NIT , Durgapur	Development of leadership qualities in an individual; how to become a leader, and how to cope up with various situations being a leader;



9th January, 2014

Name of Speakers	Discussion topics
Mr. Arpan Ray, Sr. Project Manager, Indian Institute of Psychometry	Discussed about recruiters requirement in fresh graduates; discussion about student's ability to understand the recruiters mindset; psychometry and personality development
Ms. Poulami Bhar, Psychological Counsellor, NiT	Begins the session with a memory test; circulated a worksheet of stress inventory checklist; discussed how to counter stress mentally and physically; relaxing activity with music
Prof. Dr. S. N. Kulkarni, Vice Chancellor, Dhauladhar Hills University, VP, Intl. Accreditation Organization, Houston, USA	Showed motivational videos to discuss about success mantra; Interactive sessions discussion persistence about any task; encouragement for being bold
Dr. A. B. Samaddar, Director, NIT -Sikkim	Discussed about sustainability in life; how to incorporate study and career in sustainability

Prof. Arun Kr Bhattacharya, Ex-Professor & Head, ME, Jadavpur University	Perspectives of an engineer; discussion from a student's view point; knowledge should be the primary objective of every engineer
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10th January, 2014

Name of Speakers	Discussion Topics
Dr. Alope Bhattacharya, Ex-GM, CMC Ltd.	Discussion on rationality and professionalism; Being rational makes a person good professional;
Ms. Nidhi Sing, Administrative Officer, NiT	Discussion on being positive; positive frame of mind is the key to success in any situation in life; Discussion on self belief, how to increase self belief in everyday life of a student
Mr. Supriya Coomer, Company Secretary &	Discussion about corporate governance;

<p>Vice President – Legal and Administration, Exide Industries Ltd.</p>	<p>Discussion of different aspects in corporate structure; relationship between different stratas of an organisation; discussion on roles and responsibilities of different post holders including directors of a company</p>
<p>Mr. S. Sen Majumder, Electricity Board</p>	<p>Discussion on technology and governance; approach that should be adopted by the engineers to be a part of technological development around the society</p>



Dr. Subhashis Biswas provided vote-of-thanks at the end of afternoon session on 12th January, 2014, in presence of Principal Dr. Debojyoti Mitra, recognising efforts from all office staff members, students and faculty members for making this programme a grand

success. A brief photo session with the students concluded the 5-day long programme with a positive note.

