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Dr. A Rathinam

Director, Directorate of Alumni Affairs

Dear SRM Family,

In the tapestry of time, each of you is a vibrant thread, weaving stories of triumph and transformation. Your achievements, whether on the forefront of industries or in the quiet corners of communities, resonate as echoes of SRM University's ethos – Learn, Leap and Lead.

Our Alumni Affairs serves as a bridge that transcends years and miles, connecting the past, present, and future of SRM. Your success stories light the way, illuminating the path for our students, reminding them that greatness is not an abstraction, but a tangible reality waiting to be seized

Your achievements are the bedrock of our legacy, and your continued involvement with SRM strengthens the very foundation on which future successes will be built. Through this newsletter, we hope to inspire, inform, and ignite the same fire within our alumni community and student community alike.

Thank you for being the heartbeat of SRM's success story. Here's to the journey ahead, filled with new beginnings, shared wisdom, and boundless possibilities.

Warm Regards,
Dr. A Rathinam
Director,
Directorate of Alumni Affairs,
SRM University

Our Vision & Mission

Vision

Develop a Fully Connected, Strong, SRM Community

Mission

Advance SRM Institute of Science and Technology by promoting alumni relationship fostering commitment among students enabling student-alumni interactions



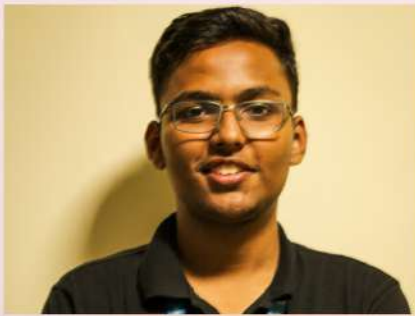
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Chapter meetup

Introduction

Alumni Chapter meet-ups organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs are highly anticipated and joyous reunions, bringing together graduates of SRM Institute of Science and Technology from different corners of the world. These special gatherings serve as a delightful amalgamation of nostalgia, friendship, and professional growth, providing a unique platform for alumni to cherish their college memories, rekindle old bonds, and celebrate their post-graduation achievements. Throughout the years, these chapter meet-ups have become a cherished tradition, epitomising the strong sense of community and unity that binds all SRM alumni together. With each edition, the Directorate orchestrates a seamless event that transcends mere formalities, fostering genuine connections among alumni from various courses, batches, and fields of expertise.

These gatherings are a testament to the enduring commitment of the Directorate in nurturing and preserving the bonds with alumni, as they continue to make their mark in diverse industries across the globe. With a diverse array of attendees, including entrepreneurs, corporate professionals, researchers, and educators, chapter meet-ups offer an unparalleled opportunity for meaningful interactions, knowledge sharing, and collaborative ideation. One of the most heartening aspects of these meet-ups is the strong spirit of camaraderie displayed by SRM alumni. Sharing their individual journeys, successes, and challenges, they inspire and motivate each other, forging lasting connections beyond the boundaries of time and distance. Additionally, chapter meet-ups enable alumni to stay updated with the latest developments in their respective fields, fostering a culture of continuous learning and professional growth.

As alumni revisit their alma mater, they are greeted with warmth and fondness, taking them back to the days when they roamed the campus as students. The Directorate thoughtfully arranges campus tours, giving alumni an opportunity to relive precious moments and witness the growth and progress of their beloved institution. These chapter meet-ups are not just events; they are vibrant celebrations of SRM's legacy, where past and present converge in a spirit of unity, achievement, and gratitude. By nurturing a strong and connected alumni network, the Directorate ensures that SRM's impact extends far beyond the campus, making a profound difference in the lives of its graduates and the communities they serve. With each meet-up, the SRM family grows stronger, bound by shared memories, aspirations, and a commitment to creating a better future for themselves and the world.

SINGAPORE CHAPTER MEETUP



Our alumni have left an indelible mark on the global stage, and this meet up was a testament to their achievements. From groundbreaking research to innovative startups, our graduates are shaping the world in diverse domains. The event showcased some exemplary success stories, reflecting the far-reaching impact of SRM alumni on society.

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs at SRM Institute of Science and Technology organised the SRM Chapter Meet Singapore on September 17, 2022. The international alumni meet up held in Singapore brought together graduates from various parts of the world, representing diverse disciplines and professions.



This alumni meet up was also an occasion to strengthen the bond with the SRM Institute of Science and Technology. Our esteemed Chancellor, Dr. T.R. Paarivendhar, graced the event with his presence. His vision and guidance have played a pivotal role in shaping SRM's reputation as a leading institution of higher learning.

The success of the international alumni meetup has inspired us to plan more such gatherings in different global hubs. We envision fostering a robust and connected global alumni community where SRM graduates can continue to support and inspire one another.

BANGALORE

CHAPTER

MEETUP

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs at SRM Institute of Science and Technology organised the Bangalore Alumni Chapter Meet-up on April 9th, 2022. With over 100 participants including the student team and other esteemed guests, this event witnessed a heartwarming gathering of graduates from different batches and disciplines.

It was a joyous reunion of our esteemed graduates, rekindling old memories and forging new connections. Providing an excellent platform to celebrate the achievements of our alumni. Many of our graduates have excelled in their respective fields, making significant contributions to society and emerging as leaders in various industries.



Many of our graduates are driving innovation and creating startups that are impacting various sectors. As we bid adieu to Bangalore, we carry with us the warmth and camaraderie shared during this memorable reunion. Let's stay connected and continue to make a difference, both individually and as a unified SRM family

DELHI CHAPTER MEETUP

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs once again showcased their dedication to fostering strong connections among alumni by organizing the Annual Alumni Meet at Le Meridien, Gurgaon on 26th March 2022. These events are much-awaited occasions for former students, as the Directorate consistently conducts them every year, providing alumni with a golden opportunity to relive their college days and reconnect with old friends and classmates. The Alumni Meet is a cherished tradition that holds immense importance for the alumni community, and this year's event was no exception.



Some alumni proudly shared their entrepreneurial journeys, while others represented top companies, offering potential job opportunities for current SRM students in the near future. The event saw esteemed personalities like Mr. Arpit Bajpai, Director of the Department of Commerce, and other prominent alumni, such as Mr. Rahul Sameer, Mr. Kartik Mittal, and Mr. Aman Srivatsava, accepting the role of Executive Committee members for the Alumni chapter.



Their willingness to contribute and strengthen the alumni network highlighted the camaraderie among SRM graduates. As the night unfolded, alumni networked enthusiastically, forming close-knit groups to stay connected and maintain the bond forged at the Alumni Meet. The success of this event has been widely talked about among the alumni community, and the positive word-of-mouth is expected to draw even more attendees in future gatherings.

The excitement was palpable among the alumni, with attendees spanning from the 2006 batch onwards. For many, it was the first time they had a chance to gather in Delhi for such an event. As they gathered in the elegant ambiance of Le Meridien, the air was filled with nostalgia and excitement to share their life experiences since graduation. The diversity of attendees was striking, with alumni hailing from various streams of engineering and working in different corporate domains. This unique mix added richness to the event, fostering meaningful interactions and exchanges of knowledge and ideas.



The Annual Alumni Meet at Delhi was a resounding success, leaving a lasting impression on all who attended. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs deserves praise for its unwavering efforts in organizing such events every year, enriching the lives of alumni and strengthening the SRM brand. These gatherings are not just reunions; they are opportunities for alumni to celebrate their achievements, relive their college days, and create lasting memories that will continue to inspire and connect them for years to come.

HYDERABAD CHAPTER MEETUP

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs once again demonstrated their commitment to strengthening the bond between alumni by organizing the Annual Alumni Meet at Radisson Hotel, Gachibowli, Hyderabad, on 10th February 2022. These gatherings have become an eagerly awaited tradition, as the Directorate diligently conducts them every year, offering alumni a golden chance to revisit their college days and reconnect with cherished friends and classmates.



This diverse mix facilitated meaningful interactions and fruitful exchanges of knowledge and ideas. Some alumni proudly announced their entrepreneurial ventures and expressed their willingness to hire talent from SRM, fostering stronger ties between the institution and industry players like Street Lamp Games and Skill Shark Edutech. Additionally, two alumni-led startups, Unschool and Climber, actively participated in the event and expressed their intent to hire talent from SRM. This acknowledgment reflects the growing prominence of SRM graduates in the industry.



The event created a perfect networking environment, prompting the attendees to form close-knit groups to stay connected and enhance the sense of camaraderie nurtured at the Alumni Meet. This sense of unity and shared experiences further strengthened the SRM brand and its impact in the professional world. The success of the Annual Alumni Meet in Hyderabad garnered high praise among the attendees, who enthusiastically shared their experiences with other alumni.

The Alumni Meet holds immense significance for the alumni community, providing a platform to relive precious memories and forge new connections. The event witnessed a remarkable turnout, with more than half of the alumni attending hailing from batches before 2017. For many, this was their first Alumni Meet experience in Hyderabad, and the excitement was palpable as they shared their post-college journeys and experiences. The diversity of attendees was impressive, with alumni representing various engineering streams and working in different corporate sectors.



The positive feedback is expected to attract even more participants to future gatherings, solidifying the event's reputation as an enriching and inspiring platform for SRM alumni. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs deserves commendation for its unwavering efforts in organising such events every year. These Alumni Meets are not just reunions but valuable opportunities for alumni to celebrate their achievements, cherish their college memories, and create lasting connections that will continue to uplift and inspire them for years to come.

SRM Alumni Felicitation Ceremony

Mr. Ravi Kundru

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, SRMIST functions with the objective of bringing together the gems of the University. We aim to provide a platform for discussion and deliberation and bring together esteemed alumni from diverse backgrounds to elucidate their ground-breaking journey. We are extremely honoured to invite you to the SRM Alumni Felicitation Ceremony of Mr. Ravi Kunduru. Mr. Ravi Kunduru, Founder and President of Ventech Solutions and one of our Alumni, has been ranked as one of the "Best CEOs of 2021" for small and midsize companies by comparably, which is an annual ranking based on employee feedback.



Mr. Kunduru has been interested in entrepreneurship since he was a teenager, and he founded his first company when he was 19 years old. Ventech Solutions, his eighth company, has grown from a college start-up in 1994 to a multi-million dollar company in just a couple of years thanks to his dedication, perseverance, and visionary leadership.



Alumni Felicitation Program

In a significant collaboration between the Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the Department of Genetic Engineering, the "Alumni Felicitation Program" was successfully organized. Esteemed alumni who were felicitated during the event included Dr. Advaita Reddy (B.Tech 2004-2008), an Assistant Professor at Rutgers Cancer Institute; Dr. Janani Dakshinamoorthy, the Founder and Geneticist at GeneAura Pvt Ltd, Chennai; and Ms. Ruparoshni, who is currently pursuing an MS in Molecular Sciences at the University of Heidelberg, Germany.



A DAY WITH MR. PRITHVI

Mr. Prithvi Sekar, an esteemed alumnus of the Department of Management Studies, SRMIST, Vadapalani Campus (Batch 2015-17), visited the campus on 2nd June 2022. With his exceptional achievements, including representing India in the 2013, 2017, and 2021 Deaflympics, Mr. Sekar has brought great honor to the Department and SRMIST. Notably, he secured a bronze medal in Tennis doubles in 2017 and won 2 bronze medals and 1 silver medal in the Tennis category at the Deaflympics 2021. He was felicitated by esteemed dignitaries and delivered a motivating speech to the students.



LAMP Fellowship Induction Program

Speaker Details: Mr. Gautam Ganesh, Legislative Assistant at the Office of Dr. Shashi Tharoor (Mechanical - 2018)

Date: 3rd January 2022 Time: 5 pm

Platform: Zoom (Link will be sent to registered students)

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, SRM, brings to you our Lamp Fellowship Induction 2022- The Legislative Assistants to Members of Parliament (LAMP) Fellowship is a fantastic way for graduate students to learn about the legislative process and public policy. This induction serves as your golden ticket to the world of Indian Polity and policy. It's an opportunity to work under the guidance of an extraordinary Member of Parliament.

LAMP Fellows are mentored by a Member of Parliament (MP) and work full-time with the assigned MP during a given year, starting from the Monsoon session of Parliament till the end of the Budget session. The applications for LAMP Fellowship 2022-23 are open from the second week of December 2021 and registration ends on 09th January 2022.

Kindly find the link to register for the Lamp Fellowship Induction, where the speaker will give you detailed information about the program and also clear all the queries.




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LAMP FELLOWSHIP INDUCTION 2022 - 23

An exciting opportunity to work with and be mentored
by a Member of Parliament



Date: 03/01/22
Time: 5 P. M.

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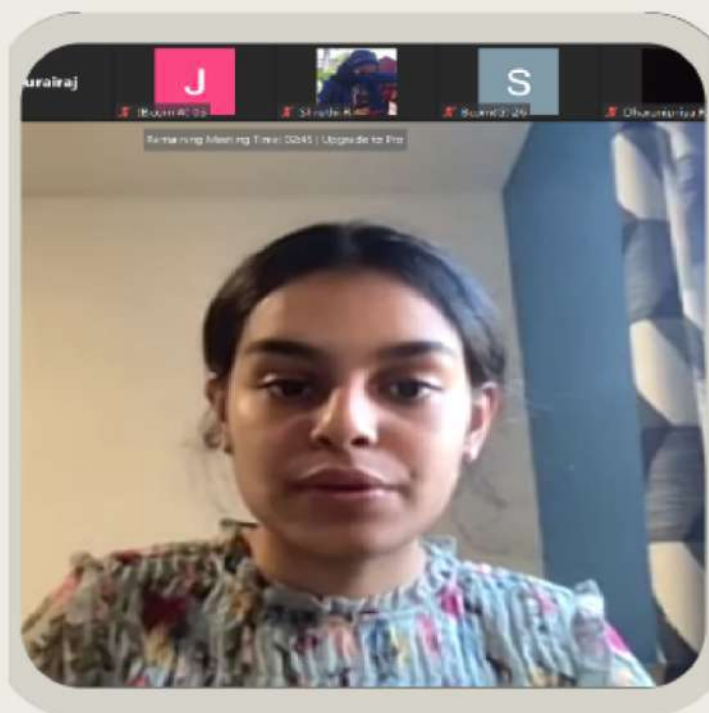
ALUMNI TALK

AUDIT AND REGULATORY CLEARANCE.

SRM College of Pharmacy, in association with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, conducted a physical alumni lecture on "Audit and Regulatory Clearance - Pharmacy Industry Perspectives" on March 9, 2022 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at SRM College of Pharmacy's Dhanvantari Hall, Second Floor. Mr.A.Dhas Prakash, Team Leader, Vivimed Life Sciences (Strides Enterprises), Chennai, was our College's old M.Pharm (Batch 2010-11) alumni who gave the lecture. He described the numerous national and international regulatory agencies that participate in pharmaceutical audits, as well as the different types of audits and the preparation and procedures that go into them.



ACADEMIC AVENUE IN HIGHER EDUCATION



Alumni talk had been scheduled on 9th April 2022 at 2 PM through zoom. Our alumni started the session with teaching methods in the UK and how it is different from Indian teaching methods. She shares her experience as an international student and she explores the opportunities abroad to develop her career and personal growth. She clears up the structure of the master's program abroad, it is a two-year program. She demonstrates the situation of students who went on an education loan and how they can manage themselves after completing the first year by securing a job in the second year, and it helps to repay the education loan.

JUMP START YOUR CAREER IN RESEARCH

SRM Institute of Science and Technology (SRMIST) organized an engaging alumni interaction session with Mr. Navaneetha Krishnan B, a notable alumni of the Department of Automobile Engineering, on 16th March 2022. Mr. S. Kiran, Assistant Professor and Alumni Coordinator, introduced Mr. Navaneetha Krishnan B, while Dr. R. Rajendran, Head of the department, highlighted the department's activities and new courses aligned with industry trends. Mr. Navaneetha Krishnan B, a 2019 graduate of SRMIST, showcased his exceptional skills in reconditioning and restoring old engines during his student days. Currently pursuing M.Sc. (By research) at the School of Mechanical Engineering, University Sains Malaysia, he shared his research experiences with third-year students. He discussed launching a research career, writing research papers, and publishing in reputable journals. Mr. Navaneetha Krishnan B also guided students interested in higher studies, providing valuable advice on applications, statement of purpose, and securing admissions abroad. He emphasized the importance of academic excellence and encouraged students to achieve commendable results. The session concluded with the vote of thanks from Mr. S. Kiran, expressing gratitude to Mr. Navaneetha Krishnan B for his inspiring presence and insightful guidance.



“Alumni Talk Roadmap to Placement Guidance”

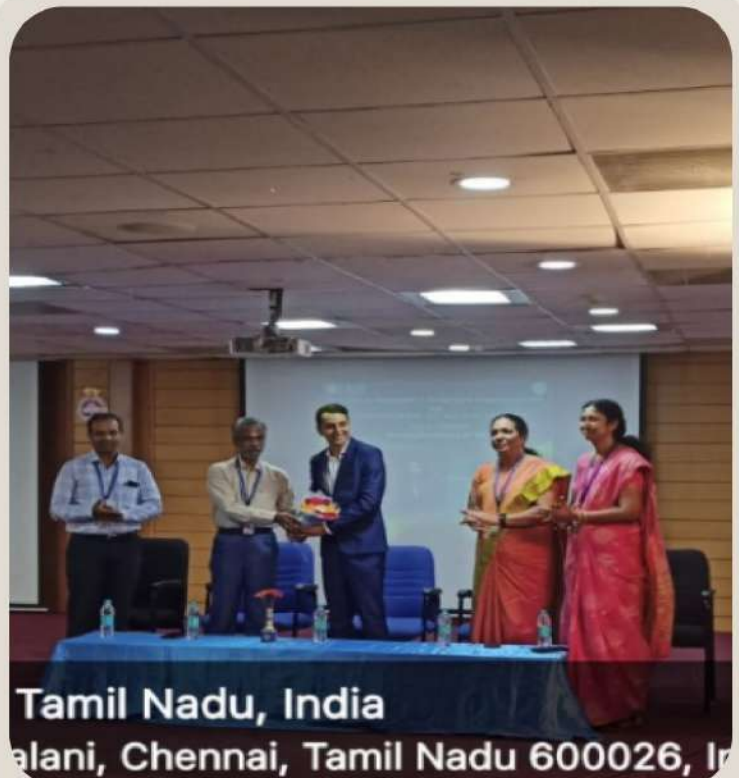
The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Computational Intelligence and School of Computing at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, organised the event "Roadmap to Placement Guidance." We had Ms. Lujwanthy SR, who is a 2014 graduate from SRM IST. She is currently the Salesforce CRM manager at EY GDS LLP. We also had Mr. Shivam Muthu Krishnan G, who is currently working as a Senior consultant at L&T Infotech. He also graduated from SRM IST in 2014.



ALUMNI TALK

ALUMNI TALK SESSION

In support to sustainable development growth SDG - 3 (Ensure Healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages) the Alumni talk session on "REVERSING DISEASE BY DIET" by Mr. Nikhil Choudary, Bio-Technology (Batch 2005 -2009) was organized on 16-06-2022. The first year students of ECE, CSE and Mechanical Engineering branches were the participants. Heads of the department, faculty members from various departments also attended the session. The Alumni Speaker Mr. Nikhil Choudhry holds master's degree in Dietician from IGNOU after his graduation. And he has held various positions as a Nutritionist in corporate companies, defense forces, social organizations, educational institutions etc. Also he is a passionate speaker, author, serial entrepreneur and investor.



ADVANTAGE OF Ph.D IN EUROPE

The Alumni talk by Ms. Arsha Thampi, a Doctoral Student at Leibniz Institute for Solid State and Materials Research, IFW Dresden, Germany, focused on "Research Opportunities in Europe." The event, attended by 77 participants comprising faculty members, research scholars, and

students, highlighted the advantages of pursuing a PhD in Europe, including individual and structured PhD programs, funding opportunities, and career development programs. Ms. Thampi shared her own research interests in Electron Optics and Mapping of Magnetization Dynamics. The talk concluded with an engaging question and answer session, providing valuable insights for aspiring researchers. The event was appreciated for its motivational impact and received gratitude from Jaivardhan Sinha, with acknowledgement of support from SRMIST management and the Department of Physics and Nanotechnology.



EXPLORING RESEARCH AND EDUCATION IN GERMANY

The Department of Genetic Engineering, in collaboration with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, organized an insightful alumni talk on higher education and research opportunities in Germany. Ms. Pragati, a distinguished alumna from the B.Tech batch of 2013-2017 and currently a doctoral researcher at the Max Delbrück Center for Molecular Medicine in Berlin, Germany, shared her valuable experiences and expertise. She provided comprehensive guidance on grants, eligibility criteria, and universities for pursuing higher education and research in Germany. The event, attended by 120 participants including students, scholars, and faculty, concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Usha, the Alumni Coordinator.

FOCUS TOWARDS PHYSIOPRENEURSHIP

SRM College of Physiotherapy, in collaboration with Directorate of Alumni Affairs, organized a guest lecture on "Focus towards Physiopreneurship." The event, held on 25th June 2022 at Mini Hall – II, Dr. T. P. Ganesan Auditorium, SRMIST, Kattankulathur Campus, featured Dr. Rameshbabu, Senior Physiotherapist and Founder of Sri Venkateshwara Physiotherapy Clinics. The lecture aimed to empower students, interns, and alumni interested in establishing their own clinics. The session, attended by around 100 members including alumni, interns, final-year undergraduate and postgraduate students, concluded successfully with the support of the management of SRMIST.

"Metacognition in Occupational Therapy"

The Alumni Talk was conducted on July 22, 2022, and was organised by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, SRM Institute of Science and Technology, in association with the SRM School of Occupational Therapy. The event was on the theme of 'Metacognition in Occupational Therapy' by Mr. Olatunji Solomon Ola. He is a Lecturer and Occupational Therapist at the Department of OT, Girne American University, and the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus. He emphasised various aspects of metacognition, its deficits, and the practical solutions that can be provided as an occupational therapist. The session was unique and one of its kind, with lots of knowledge and forecasts.

Journey from a Biotechnology Engineer to a Product

The Department of Biotechnology, along with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, conducted an Alumni talk on July 28, 2022. We had Ms. Harsha Rao, who holds a degree in Biotechnology from SRM IST, in 2018. She works as a product manager at Bio-Rad Laboratories. She gave an overview of her internships and the skills she earned over the course of her studies. She also explained her role as a product manager and what work is like after biotechnology.

ALUMNI TALK

ACING THE INTERVIEW

SRMIST Kattankulathur organized an insightful Alumni Talk on "Acing the Interview" on 27th August. The session featured two esteemed alumni speakers, Mr. Shubham Dehankar and Mr. Shubham Kumar, who shared their valuable experiences and tips on acing interviews and placement processes. They emphasized the significance of soft and hard skills, the right attitude, and mindset during placements. Both speakers discussed resume preparation, group discussions, and technical interviews, providing coding strategies and methods to crack challenging questions. The session bridged the gap between academic and industry expectations, boosting students' confidence for successful placements.

SCOPE OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

The Department of Civil Engineering at Kattankulathur Campus organized an insightful alumni talk titled "Scope of Environmental Management Technologies in Civil Engineering" on 29th August 2022. The distinguished speaker, Mr. Umang K Shah, a 2017 B.Tech Civil Engineering graduate and Business Development Director at Envision Environmental Services, delved into the significance of sustainable practices and the integration of environmental management technologies in the field. The interactive session provided valuable knowledge to students and faculty, inspiring them to contribute to environmentally responsible solutions in civil engineering.

RECENT TRENDS IN THE TECHNOLOGY SPACE

On September 27, 2022, the Directorate of Alumni Affair organised an engaging event with Mr. Raj Kamal. He was the Technical Architect Manager at Accenture after completing his degree from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2009. He gave an engaging talk on the topic of recent trends in the technology space. Insights were given on the importance of gaining the skills required by software and IT companies

The Innovation Management – Busting of Stress

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Mechatronics Engineering at SRM Institute of Science and Technology, organised an Alumni Talk on the topic of "Busting the Stress". This event was conducted on September 30, 2022. The speaker, Ms. Leah Joylin, holds a Bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering with the 2019 batch. She focused on how to relieve stress and handle anxiety

What Strengths do you bring to Placement Interviews

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Computer Technologies at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni talk on October 12, 2022. Ms. Bhavana Sundar spoke on the topic "What strengths do you bring to placement interviews?" She is a data engineering specialist and has worked on various GE projects. She passed out of the SRM Institute in 2021.

Navigating through Tech Conferences, Clubs and ML!

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the department of Data Science and Business Systems at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni talk on October 27th, 2022. Ms. Niharika Krishnan spoke on her journey from undergrad to her current career path. She finished her bachelor's in computer science with IT from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in the 2019 batch. He is now a teaching assistant at New York University, USA.

Bridging the Challenges for a Career in Public Health

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the School of Public Health at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology conducted an alumni talk on November 7, 2022. Dr. Sureshkumar Kamalakannan spoke on the topic of "Bridging the Challenges for a Career in Public Health". He received a master's degree in public health from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2009. He currently works as an associate professor at Northumbria University, UK, and PHFI.

Instrumentation and career Opportunities Students Interacted

Department of Electronics & Instrumentation Engineering and the Directorate Alumni Affair jointly organized the Alumni Talk Series-04, scheduled for November 16, 2022. Our alumnus, Mr. Balachandar, works as a senior engineer in Saipem/Snamprogetti, Saudi Arabia. He shared his company experience and explained the importance of instrumentation and career opportunities. Students interacted with him and gained more knowledge about the instrumentation.



SRM GLOBAL MEET'22



Alumni meet-ups in universities hold great significance as they serve as a bridge connecting the past, present, and future. These gatherings provide a valuable platform for former students to reconnect, reminisce, and share their diverse experiences since graduation. Alumni meet-ups foster a sense of belonging as they bring together individuals who share a common educational background and create a strong network of support. These events offer opportunities for mentoring, professional development, and collaboration, enabling current students to benefit from the wisdom and insights of alumni. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs organized this global meet-up to celebrate the memorable alumni meet-ups held in the year 2022, showcasing the enduring bonds and collective achievements that define our college community.

Ms. Neelam Shivare, holds a degree in aerospace from SRM IST in 2014. She spoke about values that would really help them in their lives like to listen more - listen to your heart, your teachers and your elders. Never forget who helped you when you were nothing. And most importantly develop your curiosity, keep reading. Mr. Sathappan, who graduated in 2015 with a degree in Aerospace Engineering. He talked about becoming a quality engineer. He urged the students to change the course of their lives if the path they're on doesn't resonate with them. He motivated the students to take charge of their career by figuring out your target research, career, study and where you want to go and Find the right university. Consider building the skills the recruiter is looking for and building your resume in that aspect. Mr. Manish Rohith is a 2016 graduate in the field of design and Vis.Com. He talked about his journey, his sacrifices, and his motivation. He motivated the students to follow their interests. Research and learn skills on your own from different resources

We had a number of notable alumni present for the event. Dr. C.P. Nirmala completed her BSc in Nursing in 2003 from SRM College of Nursing. She talked about the mental issues faced by students: anxiety, depression, substance abuse, etc. She focused on the virtues of self-discipline, self-control, and setting new goals for yourself. Mr. Chandan Jaiswal, an ITC graduate from SRMIST in the year 2012. He spoke about choosing the right career path, creating your career goals, and focusing on and achieving your goals. He also talked about what a typical day at a startup looks like and the pros and cons of working at one. Mr. Himanshu Mudgal, graduated with a B.Tech degree in automobile in 2014. He talked about the room for expansion in the automobile industry in India, the shift to electronic vehicles, and why India is still not doing that.

SRM GLOBAL MEET'22



Mr. Vishnu Raj is a mechanical engineering graduate from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2012. Residing in Singapore, he is currently working as a technical person for Data Robot. He introduced a term called 'PEDI,' where P stands for passion, E stands for economics, D stands for discipline, and I stands for internship. These terms are important to achieve a goal. Ms. Tanimah Mahadevan is a BTech graduate in Computer Science Engineering from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology. Residing in New Zealand, she is currently working at Warner Bros. She emphasized the idea that learning becomes more interesting as you grow and become keener on any particular field, and one should have the right attitude to seek out and learn something new.

We had additional guests on day two of the event. We had a number of successful people. IPS Vikraman Vasudeva holds a bachelor's in computer science from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology. He graduated in 2005. He focused on the point that a person's goal and aim can change at any time and that a person can dream about and become interested in anything, not just his subject. He then said that if you have your eyes set on anything, achieve it. Mr. Sundar Rajan graduated with a bachelor's degree in EEE from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2005. He is in the IT sector of a bank. He gave us a glimpse into fintech, and he termed "principal thinking" as the best thing one should follow as it helps one to remember things and improve and develop our creative skills. He rightly said, 'Dream but don't imprison yourself,' as time needs to be cherished too.

Mr. Rahul Punyani received a B.Tech. degree in computer science from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2016. He is currently working as a full-stack engineer at Booking.com in the Netherlands. He discussed some programming languages that are very useful for full-stack development. He further said that one should not underestimate oneself and should not take oneself for granted instead of working on yourself and your skills to improve them. Alumni reunions at universities are remarkable occasions that bring together graduates from various generations to celebrate their shared experiences, accomplishments, and enduring connections to their alma mater. These reunions serve as a testament to the rich legacy and transformative impact of our university. As alumni return to campus, they engage in insightful talks and discussions, sharing their professional journeys, lessons learned, and invaluable insights with current students. The alumni reunions provide a unique platform for mentorship, networking, and inspiration, fostering a sense of pride, community, and continuity.

SRM Silver Jubilee Alumni Reunion '95 '96 '97

"The sweetness of reunion reignites long-lost memories, reminding us of the profound impact SRM University has on our lives." – Prof. C. Muthamizhchelvan, Vice Chancellor, SRM University Dr. T. P. Ganesan Auditorium at SRM University was filled with joy and nostalgia as alumni from the batches of 1995, 1996, and 1997 gathered for a remarkable Silver Jubilee Alumni Reunion on July 30th, 2022. Organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, this event brought together well-established alumni from India and abroad, creating an unforgettable atmosphere filled with laughter and cherished memories. Distinguished guests, including the Vice Chancellor, Registrar, and esteemed faculty members, graced the occasion, emphasizing the importance of alumni engagement and highlighting the strength of the university's network.

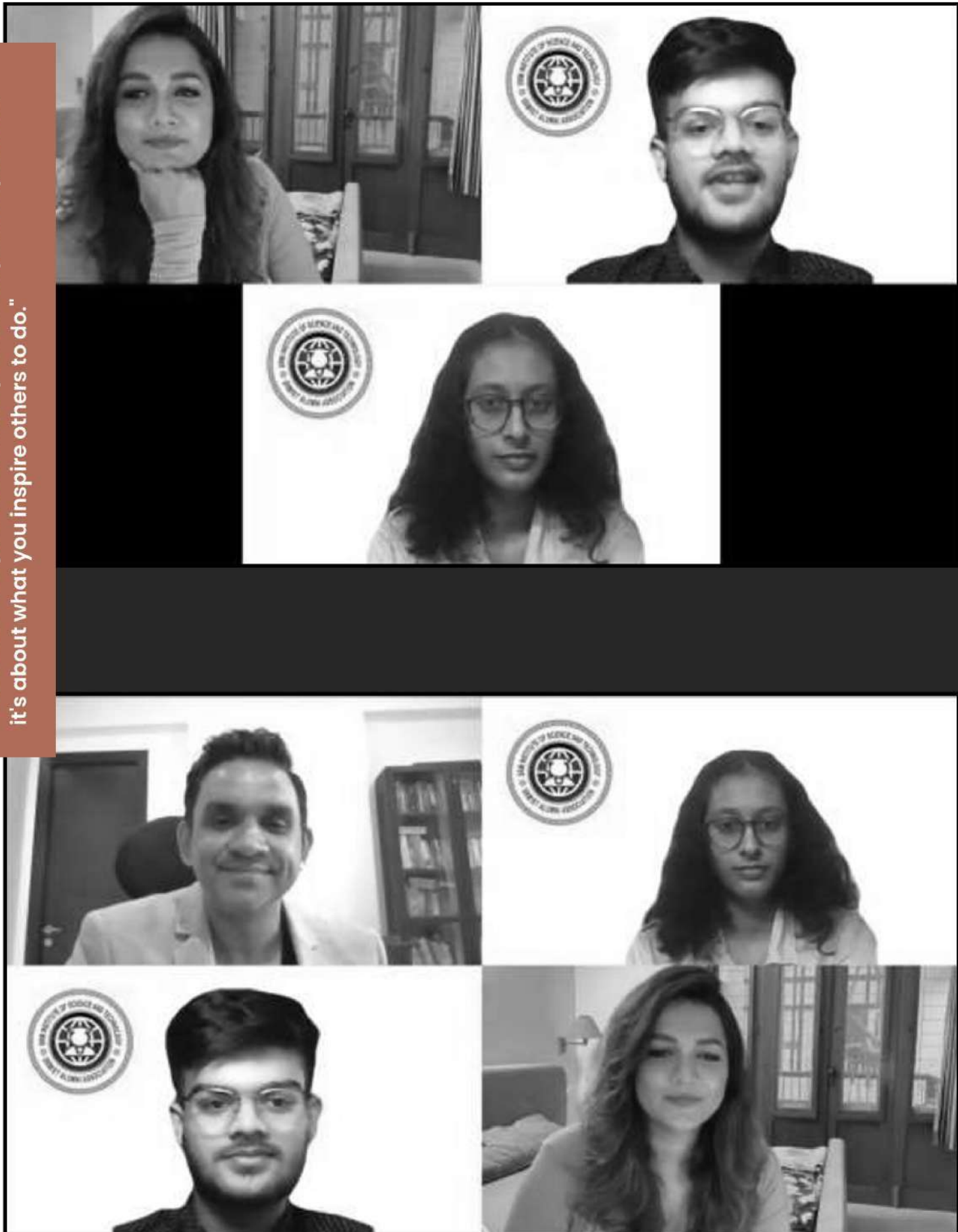
Dr. A. Rathinam, Director of the Directorate for Alumni Affairs, delivered a warm welcome address, acknowledging the alumni's contributions and highlighting the various activities and events organized by the Alumni Association to reconnect alumni worldwide. Dr. R. Venkataramni, former Director of Alumni Affairs, delivered a special address, commending the association for its excellent management of alumni activities. He encouraged all alumni to register their details on the alumni portal, aiming to create a comprehensive database that can be shared with current students and faculty. Prof. R. Nagarajan, a senior Management professor, took the alumni on a nostalgic trip down memory lane, evoking fond recollections of their college days. He also requested a moment of silence to honor the late Dr. T. P. Ganesan, a key figure who contributed significantly to the growth of SRMIST. In his Presidential address, Prof. C. Muthamizhchelvan, Vice Chancellor, expressed deep gratitude for the university's greatest asset—its students and encouraged the alumni to support the institution in any way they could.

The event reached its comedic pinnacle with an engaging performance by Mr. Aadhavan, a popular VJ and SRM alumnus, followed by talent showcases and musical performances by enthusiastic alumni. The reunion concluded with a group photo session for each batch, capturing the camaraderie and unity among the alumni. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs ensured the seamless organization of the event, leaving a lasting impression on all attendees. This Silver Jubilee Alumni Reunion was more than just an event—it was a cherished memory for all who attended. It showcased the enduring bonds forged during their time at SRM University and demonstrated the Alumni Association's commitment to fostering lifelong connections. The reunion served as a testament to the university's dedication to nurturing a vibrant and engaged alumni community, which continues to make a positive impact on society.





"Success is not just about what you accomplish in your life,
it's about what you inspire others to do."



SRM SUCCESS STORIES 2.0

The 2nd edition of SRM Success Stories, aptly named SRM Success Stories 2.0, was held on the 22nd and 23rd of January 2022, organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs at SRM Institute of Science and Technology. This inspiring event served as a platform for alumni and current students to come together, share experiences, and gain valuable insights.

The first day of the two-day event, which commenced at 5 pm on the 22nd of January 2022, witnessed a remarkable turnout of enthusiastic students eager to learn from the distinguished speakers. The lineup of speakers for the day included Mr. Ashok Ramachandran and Ms. Ambika Gupta, both accomplished alumni who have achieved significant milestones in their respective fields.

Mr. Ashok Ramachandran, a 2008 graduate of SRMIST, captivated the audience with his incredible journey from a LinkedIn influencer to being recognized as one of the recipients of the prestigious Economic Times 40 Under Forty honor in 2019. Currently serving as the CEO & President of Schindler India and holding esteemed positions in Schindler Vietnam and Schindler Malaysia, he shared invaluable insights on the significance of effective communication skills, networking, humility, and personality development. His session highlighted the importance of such qualities in preparing oneself for a successful future.

Next on stage was Ms. Ambika Gupta, an extraordinary entrepreneur and a distinguished Luxe Event Designer. Her numerous accolades include being a TEDxSpeaker, ET Now Young Women Achiever 2020, and featuring among the Top 50 Women in Chennai 2021 by MGM Healthcare. Graduating with a bioengineering degree from SRMIST, she embarked on a remarkable journey that led her to become the founder and creative director of A-Cube Project. Ms. Gupta shared her inspiring transformation from a biotech student to an event management expert, offering valuable insights and lessons learned along the way.

The event provided students with an opportunity to connect with alumni who serve as a constant source of inspiration. The interactive and informative sessions facilitated by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs enable students to gain knowledge, build networks, and prepare themselves for future endeavors.

SRM Success Stories 2.0 was a resounding success, empowering students and reinforcing the belief that success is not solely measured by personal achievements but also by the ability to inspire others to pursue greatness.

SRM Success Stories 2.0

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The SRM Success Stories 2.0 event took place on the 22nd and 23rd of January 2022, organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs at SRM Institute of Science and Technology. The event aimed to bring together alumni and current students for a gathering of inspiration and insights.

On the second day of the event, two accomplished alumni, Mr. Nagarjuna Rajavarapu and Ms. Neha Choudhary, shared their remarkable journeys with the audience.

Mr. Nagarjuna Rajavarapu, a 2018 graduate of SRM University, delivered a captivating session as a Business Analyst at Google. With over 5 years of experience in data science, he provided valuable insights on making data-driven decisions and pursuing dreams with unwavering determination. His talk resonated with the attendees and encouraged them to overcome challenges on their path to success.

SUCCESS STORIES

DIRECTORATE OF ALUMNI AFFAIRS

Presents

SRM SUCCESS STORIES 2.0



Nagarjuna Rajavarapu

Business Analyst, Google
B.Tech, ECE
2014 - 2018

Automotive Engineer,
Mercedes - Benz R & D
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Ms. Neha Choudhary, another esteemed alumna, shared her journey as a graduate in electronics and communication engineering. Currently working at Mercedes-Benz Research and Development India, she captivated the audience with her expertise in the automotive industry. Her session motivated students to pursue their passions and highlighted the possibilities of achieving greatness in their chosen fields.

“SRM Success Stories 2.0 left a lasting impact on all the participants, providing them with a sense of direction and motivation. The event fostered a spirit of collaboration and mentorship, allowing students to learn from the experiences of successful alumni. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs will continue to organize such impactful events, empowering students and building a strong network of inspiration and support

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4F Fabulous Fridays for Future

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs organized the inaugural session of the "Fabulous Fridays for Future Series" (4F) on 4th February 2022 at 5:30 pm. The purpose of this new platform is to cultivate a culture of lifelong and holistic learning, inviting speakers from various domains, fields, expertise, and countries to deliver inspiring and motivating sessions, including hands-on demonstrations. The guest speaker for the event was Ms. Surabhi Agrawal, an esteemed alumna of the B.Tech CSE batch of 2019. Ms. Surbhi, currently working as a Management Trainee at PhonePe, delivered an enlightening

session on the topic of "Essentials of Public Speaking and Time Management for Effective Learning." Drawing from her own experiences and expertise, she emphasized the significance of these skills in enhancing the learning process. Public speaking is a crucial skill that empowers individuals to effectively express their ideas and engage with others. Surbhi highlighted its importance, stating, "Public

speaking is not just about conveying information; it is about influencing, inspiring, and connecting with the audience. It plays a vital role in effective learning by fostering communication, building confidence, and facilitating knowledge exchange." Furthermore, Surbhi emphasized the significance of time management for effective learning. She explained how managing time efficiently enables individuals to prioritize tasks, maintain focus, and achieve their learning goals. She quoted, "Time management is the key to unlocking productive and meaningful learning experiences. By effectively managing our time, we can optimize our efforts, stay organized, and make the most out of our educational pursuits." The session received an overwhelming response from the participants, who gained valuable insights and practical tips for improving their public speaking skills and time management techniques. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs will continue to organize such enlightening sessions under the 4F series, fostering a culture of continuous learning and personal growth



4F

4F~ Demystifying College Life

The 4F – Fabulous Friday for Future, organized by SRMIST, KTR – College of Engineering & Technology and the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, took place on 8th April 2022 at Mini Hall-1, TP Ganesan Auditorium. The event aimed to provide valuable insights and guidance to students by featuring two distinguished alumni speakers: Mr. Kushal Bohra and Mr. Varun Krishnan. The event kicked off at 5:15 PM with an enthusiastic welcome from Mrs. Radha Ravindran, Assistant Director of the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, who expressed her gratitude to the esteemed guests and the audience. In recognition of their accomplishments, mementos were awarded to the respected alumni. Mr. Varun Krishnan, an alumnus of SRMIST from the 2011 Automobile Batch and Co-Founder of Grad Square (India), shared his experiences and wisdom on making the most out of one's time on campus. He took the audience on a journey through his own campus life, highlighting the direct and indirect impacts that those experiences had on his career. Mr. Krishnan emphasized the importance of being proactive, working diligently during college, and seizing opportunities. Next, Mr. Kushal Bohra, an alumnus of SRMIST from the 2011 Mechanical Batch and Co-Founder of Grad Square (India), took the stage. He delivered a captivating talk focusing on essential aspects of personal and professional growth. Mr. Bohra emphasized the value of time, encouraging students to pursue their passions, define ambitious goals, and develop problem-solving skills. He also highlighted the importance of fostering an entrepreneurial spirit and seizing opportunities to make a lasting impact. Like Mr. Krishnan, Mr. Bohra provided insightful information about Grad Square and its role in supporting students' career aspirations. Following the engaging presentations, an interactive Q&A session commenced, allowing the audience to actively participate in meaningful discussions with the speakers. The session provided an excellent opportunity for students, especially the freshers, to clarify their doubts and seek advice from the experienced alumni. The 4F – Fabulous Friday for Future event served as a platform for students to learn from accomplished alumni, gain valuable insights into professional growth, and establish connections with industry experts. The event not only fostered a sense of pride and inspiration but also reinforced the strong bond between the alumni and the institution. It encouraged students to make the most of their time on campus, pursue their passions with determination, and develop the skills necessary to thrive in their chosen fields.



4F

4F-Fabulous Fridays for Future- “Personal Finance”

The 4F-Fabulous Fridays for Future, organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, set the show on the road and consisted of an engaging discussion featuring eminent panelists on "Personal Finance" on December 23, 2022. Personal finance is a crucial aspect of a student's life, setting the foundation for financial well-being and independence. As students navigate their academic journey, understanding and managing personal finances becomes essential for long-term success. This event focuses on the significance of personal finance for students, providing practical insights, tips, and strategies to help them make informed financial decisions. Mr. Adhiraj Pandey is a B.Tech. graduate in mechanical engineering from the year 2017. He holds a master's in business administration from T.A.P.A.I. Management Institute. He was a former analyst at Cognizant and is currently working as a corporate analyst at JP Morgan Chase & Co. He began by presenting his views on personal finance. Mr. Saksham Agrawal, a zealous entrepreneur who is the founder of surelocal, He did his bachelor's in pharmacy from SRM University, and he later continued to pursue his master's in business administration from Liverpool John Moores University. He was a former assistant manager at Cipla. He discussed continuing the learning and earning process. If you stop learning, you cannot earn more. He also shared his views on early retirement. According to him, a person should fix his or her retirement age according to their income. It is not necessary that a person retire at the age of 60. If you earn a sufficient and satisfactory amount of money, you can retire before age 60. So plan accordingly and fix your retirement age. Later, he shed some light on the term CIBIL score, which is a score that shows your lending capability or bank loan capacity. So, maintain a good CIBIL score for higher chances of your loan getting approved by banks or financiers



4F

4F-Fabulous Fridays for Future

Not everything that can be counted counts, and not everything that counts can be counted. Marketing and data analytics have become inseparable in today's business landscape. With the ever-increasing availability of data, marketers can harness its power to gain valuable insights, make data-driven decisions, and create targeted campaigns that resonate with their audiences. This event explores the dynamic intersection of marketing and data analytics, showcasing the transformative impact it has on businesses. Through a series of alumni talks, we delve into topics such as customer segmentation, predictive modeling, marketing automation, and the ethical considerations surrounding data usage. Join us as we explore the cutting-edge strategies and innovative approaches that drive success in the ever-evolving world of marketing through the lens of data analytics. It also dives deep into data analytics and teaches how to count the uncountable. Marketing is not consistent and is always different in a changing environment. To understand the grip of future marketing, join us in this session. The 4F-Fabulous Fridays for Future, organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, took place on a crisp note about marketing and data analytics on December 30, 2022. Mr. Sarvak Verma is a data engineer with in-depth knowledge of developing real-time, streaming, and batch data pipelines. He is currently working at Bank of America. He graduated from SRMIST in 2022 with a degree in B.Tech. CSE. Mr. Akshay Kumar is the founder and CEO of The Tech Destiny. He is a visionary who loves what he does. In 2021, he graduated from SRMIST with a B.Tech. in information technology.



SRM LEADERSHIP SUMMIT



The SRM Leadership Summit, organized by SRMIST, KTR - College of Engineering & Technology and the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, spanned over two days, with day two featuring a panel of esteemed alumni speakers: Mr. Vineet Neeraj, Dr. Ashwath V, Mr. Vipul Saini, Ms. Yashika Khater, Mr. Satanik Roy, and Dr. Ram Samsani. The event took place on 30th April 2022 at Mini Hall-2, TP Ganesan Auditorium. The second day of the summit commenced at 10:50 AM with a warm welcome to the distinguished alumni, followed by the presentation of awards in their honor. Each speaker shared their insights and experiences, providing valuable knowledge to the audience. Mr. Vineet Neeraj, an alumnus of the 2009 IT Batch and Co-founder of Kobster Investment, spoke on the topic of fundraising for startups and entrepreneurship. He delved into the various aspects of fundraising, including market sizing, ambition, timing, and compliance. Additionally, Mr. Neeraj fondly reminisced about his time at SRMIST, evoking a sense of nostalgia. Dr. Ashwath V, an alumnus of the 2018 BDS Batch and Founder & CEO of The Ash Company, shared his journey as a dental professional. He highlighted the influence of SRMIST on his personal and professional growth, emphasizing the exposure he received during his time at college.



Dr. Ashwath V also shed light on his current work at the SRM Health Care Clinic and his achievements in publications, awards, and specializations. Mr. Vipul Saini, an alumnus of the 2009 Mechanical Batch and Senior Manager at Kotak Mahindra Bank, discussed business strategy. He shared his campus journey, internship experiences, and patented innovations. Mr. Saini imparted valuable insights into connecting with consumers and even mentioned his book, which garnered recognition from Harvard. Ms. Yashika Khater, an alumnus of the 2013 Biotechnology Batch and Crypto Educator, captivated the audience with her talk on crypto, NFTs, and the metaverse. She shared her experiences at SRMIST and MIT-Harvard, as well as her teaching experiences in Himachal Pradesh. Ms. Khater engaged the audience by showcasing her YouTube content and discussing various crypto-related topics.d between the institution and its graduates.

Mr. Satanik Roy, an alumnus of the 2017 Mechanical Batch and Co-founder of HyperXchange, recounted his entrepreneurial journey. He shared the story behind his startup, HyperXchange, and provided examples of successful startups. Mr. Roy interacted with the audience, encouraging their participation through questions and advice. Dr. Ram Samsani, an alumnus of the 2019 Electronics & Communication Batch and Senior Manager at Square Yards, shared his college and career journey. He spoke about his time at SRMIST, his kickboxing experiences, and his participation in a student exchange program. Dr. Samsani actively engaged with the audience, encouraging interaction and offering valuable insights. The event concluded on a high note, with over 250 participants in attendance. The SRM Leadership Summit proved to be a tremendous success, providing a platform for alumni to share their knowledge and experiences, inspire the audience, and strengthen the bond between the institution and its graduates.



FOM – BBA ALUMNI REUNION

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in association with the College of Management, organized the Campus Comeback-BBA. The event was a great opportunity for the alumni to gather and enjoy remembering their college days. The event was held on August 27th, 2022, and brought together the batch of 2014–17. There were multiple participants present. We had a total of thirty seven alumni members present, along with other SRM College of Management faculties.



The event was filled with memorable stories and speeches along with many cultural dances. Each of the alumni shared their stories, from SRM to the success they are today. The alumni present were Mr.Mohana Sundaram T, Mr.Dhamodharan, Mr.Abhishek Bose, Mr.Bobba Tarun, Mr.Androse Jackson, Mr.Harshil Singh, Ms.Monalisa, Mr.Dhanasekaran, Mr.David Rakesh, Mr.Kishore, Mr.Vibhav, Ms. S. Preethi, Mr.Harrish M, Mr.Yogesh, Mr.David Jebez, Mr.Naveen Prabha, Mr.Sudarshan, Mr.DS Arul Arjun, Mr.Kamesh K, Mr.Aravind Kumar A, Ms.Lakshmi D, Mr.Harrish Naidu, Mr.Lokesh Saha, Mr.Prakash, and Mr.Balaji



SRM SCHOOL OF LAW REUNION



The SRM School of Law, in collaboration with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, organized a successful Alumni Meet 2022 on October 8th at the prestigious T.P Ganesan Auditorium (Mini Hall 1). The event aimed to foster a stronger connection between the alumni and the department while creating a positive and vibrant alumni network. Esteemed guests in attendance included Chief Guest Adv. M. Karthikeyan, Senior Central Govt Panel Counsel, Govt of India, High Court Judicature at Madras, Prof. T. Mythili, Additional Registrar of SRMIST, Prof. A. Rathinam, Director of Alumni Affairs, Ms. Radha Ravindran, Assistant Director of Alumni Affairs, as well as faculty members and staff from both the Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the SRM School of Law.

The event also welcomed 95 enthusiastic alumni and 20 students from the department. Ms. Bhavani, Assistant Professor, warmly welcomed the dignitaries, alumni, teachers, staff members, and volunteers. Prof. Mythili, Additional Registrar of SRMIST, graced the event as the Guest of Honor, while Prof. C.A. Gurudath, Dean of SRM School of Law, delivered a thought-provoking presidential address. Prof. A. Rathinam, Director of Alumni Affairs, felicitated the gathering and shared valuable insights about the role and activities of Alumni Affairs. The highlight of the event was the special address by the Chief Guest, Adv. M. Karthikeyan, who captivated the audience with his talk on "Career Prospects."



'REMINISCENCE 2022, -DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL REUNION

In commemoration of 15 glorious years of SRM Kattankulathur Dental College and Hospital (SRMKDC), the much-anticipated Alumni Meet, aptly named "REMINISCENCE 2022," took place at the prestigious T.P. Ganesan Auditorium, SRM Institute of Science and Technology (SRMIST). The event, held on October 15th, served as a platform to celebrate the remarkable journey of SRMKDC since its establishment in 2007. Dr. Mythili, Additional Registrar of SRMIST, graced the occasion as the esteemed guest of honor. The event was presided over by Dr. Rathinam, Alumni Director, and Mrs. Radha Ravindran. To ensure the success of the event, Dean SRMKDC, Associate Dean SRMKDC, and Alumni coordinators, along with dedicated faculty members, UG and PG students, and non-teaching staff, were present to support and contribute to the event.



The day was filled with a range of engaging activities and events. Alumni talks were given by five distinguished alumni, who shared their experiences and insights. A mesmerizing music band performance and an inaugural dance added a touch of entertainment to the proceedings. To commemorate the 15 years of SRMKDC's success, a special ceremony was held for the planting of saplings and the unveiling of a commemorative plaque by the alumni. The alumni were given the opportunity to embark on a nostalgic college tour, capturing the changes and growth that had taken place since their time as students. A photo session allowed for cherished memories to be captured and shared.

The event attracted a remarkable gathering of approximately 600 people, who added to the joyous and memorable atmosphere. The program concluded at 3:30 pm, leaving everyone with cherished memories to cherish for years to come. The SRM Kattankulathur Dental College Alumni Meet 2022 truly celebrated the 15 years of excellence and served as a testament to the strong bond shared by the alumni community. The event successfully brought together alumni, faculty, students, and staff in a joyous and nostalgic celebration, highlighting the remarkable achievements of SRMKDC.

BDES- ALUMNI REUNION

The Bachelor of Design in Architecture (BDES) programme is an exciting and comprehensive journey that prepares students to shape the built environment. This interdisciplinary programme blends creativity, innovation, and technical expertise to develop aspiring architects who can envision and design spaces that inspire. Through a combination of studio-based projects, theoretical coursework, and hands-on experiences, BDES students gain a deep understanding of architectural principles, design processes, sustainable practices, and the integration of technology in architecture. In order to celebrate the past batches of design students and showcase their current achievements and ideas, the Directorate of Alumni Affairs conducted the event "SRM Connect-22" on December 3, 2022.



This event highlights the accomplishments, projects, and achievements of our talented BDES students in the year 2022, showcasing their innovative ideas and contributions to the field of architecture. Some of the alumni present were: Mr. Anish Cherian presented his firm, Studio Cutter, which has separately explored his love for wood and art over the years. They have tried building and refurbishing furniture, wood carving, whittling, wood finishing, etc., and are currently blending their skills to create unique pieces of wall art, shelving, and furniture. Mr. Karthik is a 2014 batch BDes graduate from SRM IST.

He presented his firm, Southern Decors, specializing in personalized home interior and commercial interior designs, a combination of traditional and contemporary outlooks associated with customers' requirements, and also believes that the right handcraft of design, people, material, and methodology gives it a perfect output. . Mr. Ramu Sundaram is a 2016 batch BDes graduate from SRM IST. He presented his firm, SRISTI-BUILDERS AND DEVELOPERS. Ms. Abirami is a 2018 batch BDes graduate from SRM IST. She spoke about her firm, Pencil & Monk, an interior design studio. Students were inspired by their presentation and their experiences in the classroom. They learned about the different work environments in different areas. Students were given an insight into the principles, elements, and importance of design and how to express the design.

"ALUMNI MEET 2022" VDP Campus

Alumni meet-ups in universities hold great significance as they serve as a bridge connecting the past, present, and future. These gatherings provide a valuable platform for former students to reconnect, reminisce, and share their diverse experiences since graduation. Alumni meet-ups foster a sense of belonging, as they bring together individuals who share a common educational background and create a strong network of support.



These events offer opportunities for mentoring, professional development, and collaboration, enabling current students to benefit from the wisdom and insights of alumni. Meeting old friends who traveled in different directions and sharing the life experiences with them make this coming back an unforgettable event. The Alumni Association of SRM CET VDP organized "Alumni Meet 2022" on December 17, 2022. Coming back to a place that shaped the trajectory of one's own life is a priceless and unexplainable experience.

This event celebrates the memorable alumni meet-ups held throughout the year 2022 on the Vadapalani campus, showcasing the enduring bonds and collective achievements that define our college community. The felicitation address was given by Ms. Harini Ravi, a correspondent enlightened about the importance of networking. The presidential address was given by Dr. Ravi Pachamoothoo, Pro Chancellor, Administration, SRM. All the dignitaries on the stage, along with the heads of various departments, released the alumni souvenir "The Book of Events" by compiling their contributions to the college. Mr. Nandha Kumar, Director of Communications, addressed the gathering energetically, insisting on being happy and staying connected for the coming years of alumni meetings.

SRM LEADERSHIP TALK



The SRM Leadership Talk, organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, took place on September 23, 2022, at Mini Hall 2. The event brought together distinguished alumni speakers Umesh Kumar, Kuppuraj Mahendiran, and Sarvana Manikandan, who shared their invaluable experiences and wisdom with an eager audience. Esteemed faculty members, including the director and assistant director of the DAA, were also in attendance, making it a highly significant gathering. Dr. A. Rathinam, Director of the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, delivered an opening address, highlighting the importance of learning from alumni who have achieved remarkable success in their respective fields. Umesh Kumar took the stage and shared his nostalgic college memories, expressing appreciation for personal growth and emphasizing the value of reading and exercise as assets. With his extensive experience working in 14 countries, he stressed the significance of measuring day-to-day actions for personal and academic growth.



Kuppuraj Mahendiran, in a heartfelt manner, expressed his happiness in reconnecting with teachers and old colleagues. He discussed his research opportunities and the challenges he faced while pursuing studies at Wegigen University. He shared his entrepreneurial journey, highlighting innovative ideas and the importance of respecting the decisions made along the way. Sarvana Manikandan emphasized the crucial role played by non-teaching staff members throughout his academic journey. He expressed gratitude to those who supported him and stressed the importance of leadership in leading a team effectively.

The audience gained insights into the significance of teamwork and the impact it can have on achieving success. The event continued with an interactive Q&A session, where attendees had the opportunity to pose questions to the speakers. The session concluded with a vote of thanks from Kushagra Singh, the mentor of the Directorate of Alumni Affairs team. The SRM Leadership Talk was a resounding success, with over 300 attendees actively engaging in the event. The valuable insights shared by the alumni speakers left a lasting impact on all those present, inspiring them to strive for excellence and embrace leadership opportunities in their own journeys.





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Inauguration of CSH Alumni Chapter – Vadapalani

Report on Alumni Chapter Inauguration:

It gives us immanence pleasure to present the inaugural report of alumni chapter 2022, Held on 9th march at SRMIST, CSH, Vadapalani campus (formerly known as SRM University). It was an incredible of alumni students, faculty and staff members at the Vadapalani Campus of Chennai.

We, the Alumni chapter would like to thank the chief guest Dr. A. Rathinam, Director, Alumni Affairs, SRMIST, KTR for gracing the occasion, Dr. S. Ramachandran, Deputy Director, SRM Group, Madam Radha Ravindran, Alumni Affairs, SRMIST, KTR for giving us an opportunity to host the event. We would like to thank Dr.K.R.Ananthapadmanaban, Dean CS&H, SRMIST, Dr. C.V. Jayakumar, Dean E&T, Head of Departments. Senior Faculties, Departmental Faculty, Coordinators for their continuous support and guidance.

We also like to thank the Alumni Student and the Resource Persons Mr. Vikas Jangra B.B.A., Independent Creative Director under the topic "Making a Career in the Creative Industry". He highlighted the basic requirement is communication and to develop their skills. Mr. V. Kesavan – B.Sc., Talent Acquisition Partner, and Wiz Freight Logitech Solution spoke under the topic "My Journey to the Corporate with Talent Acquisition". His golden words are "faculties made him come up in corporate and succeed".

The session was concluded with the vote of thanks by Dr. V. Prabakaran, coordinator of Alumni Chapter, Vadapalani. A hi-tea was arranged for the gathering. The entire event has been adequately covered with an active photographer clicking photos. The same will be posted shortly.

MENTORING SESSION



GRAPHIC DESIGN AND INDUSTRY

The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, in association with the Young Journalists Association and Directorate of Alumni Affairs, organized the "Graphic Design & Industry" session on 29th August 2022. Ms. Malavika Madhavi, the Creative Lead at NKT, Chennai, shared her experiences and expertise in the graphic design industry. She discussed essential skills and insights into the industry, inspiring research scholars and students to pursue careers in graphic design. The session proved highly informative, with active participation from faculty and students, asking insightful questions.

The Mentorship Programme commenced at 11:00 a.m. on 13th June 2022, with active participation from around 50 students of the II Year B.Arch batch. Esteemed alumni speakers, Ar. Krishna Kishore and Ar. Karthik Hariharan, founders of KSQUARE Architects and alumni of Batch 2008, shared their valuable insights. The session provided an opportunity for students to engage with practicing architects in smaller breakout rooms. Key topics discussed included time management for submissions, applying for internships, essential skills for internships, and the significance of conceptualization in design projects.

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE THE MENTORSHIP PROGRAMME



Occupational therapy Management of Upper limb trauma conditions

SRM College of Occupational Therapy In association with Directorate of Alumni Affairs, SRMIST organized the Workshop On "Occupational therapy Management of Upper limb trauma conditions" on 11 January 2022.

The outcome and the summary of the workshop are:

- 4.5 hours long duration
- Highly practical, realistic, clinical knowledge sharing
- Motivational and inspiring for the students to emulate.
- focused on being confident, self-reliant, resilient, adaptive
- helped to how to create the sense of satisfaction and •accomplishments
- Importance of human touch
- ensured to avoid misconceptions in the field
- Motivated the importance of ortho, chronic, acute emergency •hospital needs, mental health apart from the pediatrics
- Importance of documentation and how is it to be effective and• •minute aspects of interdepartmental aspects.
- instilled the leadership qualities, team building needs being humble
- reiterated the limitations and constraints that not to be violated
- relevance of Quality of professional skills, going the extra miles •Long term OT scenarios after 10 years
- 45 mins long QA session
- Students' feedback was excellent and they were very happy.
- Impact of health professionals in Society and how to handle a pandemic



Git-Wiser (Basics to GitHub)

SRMIST, CET-Gen-Y Events Team, an entity of Team Gen-Y under the Department of School of Computing and Directorate of Alumni Affairs (DAA) is organizing a Git-Wiser, a 2-hour informative workshop that dives into the basics of GitHub on 20 January 2022 Thursday from 06:00 PM IST with experts in the field.



The speaker for the event is: Mr. Sanjay KV, SDE at L&T (SRM 2018)

Alumni Talk Report – "Workshop on Patent Introduction and its Commercialization"

The event organized by department of Data science and Business Systems focused on expanding the meaning of the term "Patent". Where and how to find the sources through which the process of patent drafting could be made easy for the beginners is one of the objective of the workshop. The participants were given hands on session in how to use the government repository to verify the novelty of their ideas.

Participants from various department of the home institution as well as research fellows were the ones who got benefited out this event. Some of the Undergraduate students also showed interest in this workshop by making their presence and the queries of the participants were patiently addressed by the resource person.





WORKSHOP ON QUANTUM COMPUTING WQC-2022

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in association with the Department of Computing Technologies at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, organised a workshop. The three-day event began on August 3, 2022, with a WORKSHOP ON QUANTUM COMPUTING. There were multiple participants present. We had alumni members present, along with other SRM national and international students and faculties. Quantum computing is a rapidly-emerging technology that harnesses the laws of quantum mechanics to solve problems too complex for classical computers. The event had discussions on the real-world implementation of quantum computing and how it has changed our lives. Another key point was on various algorithms and concepts in the area of quantum computing, with hands-on understanding of important concepts related to quantum computing using polarizers, operators, measurement in quantum mechanics, the Bloch sphere, entanglement, and Bell states.

They also spoke about working on real-world projects with the mentors and demonstrating the skill sets that those industries around the world are looking for, identifying skill gaps, and demonstrating the knowledge that learners should acquire in order to design exciting applications that solve real-world problems.

ALUMNI WORKSHOP – SIDE CHANNEL ATTACKS

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs conducted an engaging Alumni Workshop titled "Side Channel Attacks" as part of the Distinguished International Lecture Series on 23rd August 2022, from 1.30 PM to 2.30 PM. The esteemed speaker, Mr. Sivanesh Ashok, an alumnus of the batch 2016-2020 and Bug Bounty Hunter at Google VRP, shared valuable knowledge about side channel attacks. The event, conducted in offline mode, received positive feedback from participants and was highly beneficial in enhancing their understanding of cybersecurity.



PENETRATION TESTING WITH KALI LINUX

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Computer Science, hosted the "Distinguished International Lecture Series" on 10th September 2022. The event featured Mr. Geogen George, an esteemed SRM alumnus from Batch 2012, now a Lecturer at the University of Technology and Applied Science, Oman. The engaging lecture on "Penetration Testing" lasted for 5 hours and was conducted online. Participants found the session highly useful and informative, gaining valuable insights into the field.



Technical WEBINAR

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CONSTRUCTION OF UNDERGROUND METRO STATION

SRMIST, CET- Department of Civil Engineering, in collaboration with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs (DAA), is hosting an Online Technical webinar on "CONSTRUCTION OF UNDERGROUND METRO STATION" on March 7, 2022, Monday, from 02:00 PM to 03:00 PM IST. Distinguished alumnus, Mr. A. Arun, M.Tech (CEM), Manager of Planning at Nippon Koie India Ltd. and General Consultant for the Chennai Metro Rail Project (PG 2007-2009 Batch), will be among the panel of speakers.

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THE JOURNEY FROM BIOTECH TO CORPORATE

The Department of Biotechnology, in collaboration with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, organized a webinar titled "The Journey from Biotech to Corporate" on 30th May 2022. The session featured a presentation by Ms. Sukanya Dey, Senior Marketing Executive at HCL Technology, who discussed different paths to securing a corporate job. Participants actively engaged in a fruitful discussion, followed by a Q&A session. The event concluded with a Vote of Thanks by Dr. Rupachandra S, Professor of Biotechnology, and received a positive response.

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Alumni Webinar Alumni Talk Report



The Department of Aerospace Engineering, along with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, conducted an Alumni talk on August 10, 2022, from 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM. Our alumna, Ms. Isha Mohan Sharma, a graduate from SRM IST, is an analogue astronaut in Lunar Analogue Mission Perseus 2022. She touched on the different aspects of a space analogue mission, including the design, planning, and execution phases. She also spoke about the current ongoing research on Psychological, somatological, Human-Robot Interaction, and Max Force. The daily tasks and significance of habitat maintenance for successful mission completion and emergency preparedness were discussed.

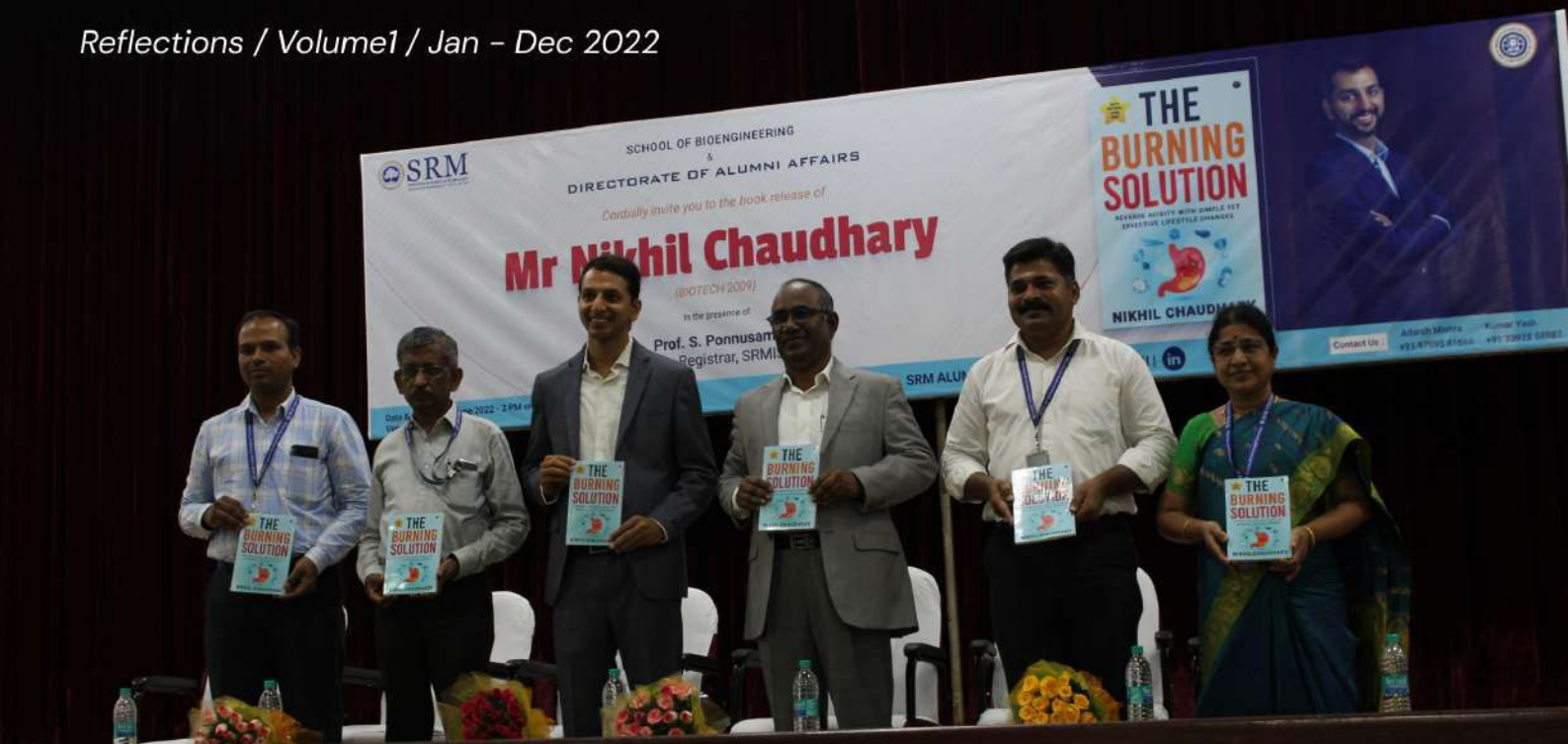
ONLINE INTERNATIONAL ALUMNI SUMMIT

The Department of Biotechnology, in collaboration with the Director of SRM Alumni Affairs, successfully conducted an interactive webinar on "International Alumni Conclave on higher studies" on 10th June 2022 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. The event featured esteemed speakers, Ms. Surbhi Sood and Mr. Sudhanshu Shekhar, both Ph.D. Scholars at Purdue University and alumni of SRMIST. They shared valuable insights on higher study opportunities, scholarships, and government programs, enlightening the participants about the various avenues available for pursuing advanced education abroad.



AIRLINE MANAGEMENT AND CAREER PROSPECTS IN AVIATION

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Aerospace Engineering at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni interaction on October 7, 2022. The topic of the presentation was Airline Management and Career Prospects in Aviation, led by Mr. Lokesh Panthri. He holds a degree in aerospace engineering (the 2011 batch) from the SRM IST. He works as a cargo county manager at Qatar Airways in the Philippines.



BOOK RELEASE

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the School of Bioengineering, organized a prestigious book launch event titled "The Burning Solutions." On June 16, 2022, at Mini Hall 1, KTR Campus, the event commenced at 2:10 p.m. with a warm welcome extended to the audience. Esteemed guest Prof. S. Ponnusamy graced the occasion by lighting the lamp, symbolizing the enlightenment brought forth by knowledge. Prof. A. Rathinam, Director of the Directorate for Alumni Affairs, delivered a cordial welcome address, introducing the speaker and sharing insightful thoughts on the book and upcoming events. Prof. Vairamani M., Dean ESB, delivered a special address, emphasizing the boundless potential of young minds and inspiring students to work diligently towards their goals. The Presidential address was delivered by Prof. S. Ponnusamy,

the Registrar, who shared his perspective on health and nutrition and encouraged the audience to consider writing their own book, fostering a culture of intellectual exploration. A highlight of the event was the book launch and token of appreciation presented to Mr. Nikhil, an esteemed individual whose address took the audience on a nostalgic journey through his college years. The session culminated with Mrs. Radha Ravindran, Assistant Director of the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, delivering a heartfelt vote of thanks on behalf of the organizers, expressing gratitude to all participants for their active involvement. The event concluded on a patriotic note, with the harmonious rendition of the National Anthem, evoking a sense of unity and pride amongst over 300 attendees. "The Burning Solutions" book launch event, meticulously organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the School of Bioengineering, created an enriching platform for dialogue and knowledge sharing. It left a profound impact on the audience, fostering a deeper understanding of health and wellness. The event's resounding success showcased the unwavering commitment of DAA to empower its alumni and current students with valuable insights and meaningful connections.



Guest LECTURE

"Expert Lecture on Opportunities in Space Technologies"

The Department of Mechanical Engineering, SRM SAE Collegiate Club, and the Directorate of Alumni Affairs at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology organised the event on "Opportunities In Space Technologies." The event was held on August 17, 2022, and was addressed by our esteemed guest, Mrs.Kavitha Thankaian. She graduated in the year 2000 from SRM IST. She currently works as the Ground Stations Support Engineer at European Space Operations Centre at Darmstadt, Germany.



COTE

PROGRAM

Recent Advancements in Occupational Therapy for Alual conditions

A Continuing Occupational Therapy Education (COTE) programme was organised by SRM College of Occupational Therapy in association with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs on July 20, 2022. The event was on the theme "Recent Advancements in Occupational Therapy for Neurological Conditions" at Mini Hall 2 in T.P. Ganesan Auditorium, SRM Institute of Science and Technology. We had Mrs. Smily Jesu Priya Victor Paulraj, an alumna of SRM COT, working as a senior lecturer at King Saud bin Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia, and Mr. Jeyachandran Vetrayan, also an alumnus of SRM COT, working as a senior lecturer at King Saud bin Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia.



Alumni INTERACTION

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN AEROSPACE INDUSTRY

The Alumni Conclave on "Career Opportunities in Aerospace Industry" was successfully conducted on 18th June 2022 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. The event targeted students, graduates, jobseekers, research scholars, and faculty members. Esteemed speakers, Mr. Aman Johri (CEO - Jatayu Unmanned Systems), Mr. Sathappan. G (Project Lead - Manufacturing Engineer at Rolls-Royce), and Mr. Lokesh Panthri (Cargo Country Manager at Qatar Airways) shared valuable insights. The participants actively engaged with the speakers, seeking suggestions on higher education institutions and exploring career prospects in the aerospace industry.



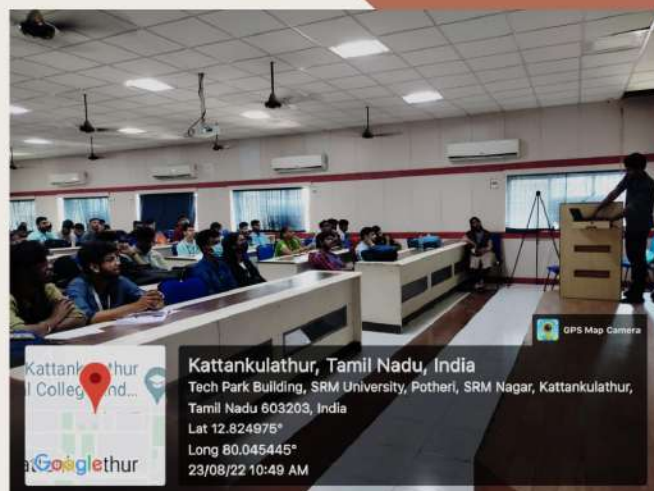
INTRODUCTION TO THERMOPLASTICS IN AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY

The directorate of Alumni affairs organised a session on "Introduction to Thermoplastics in the Automotive Industry" on September 12, 2022, in the SRM Institute of Science and Technology. Mr. Karthik Sharma is a B.Tech. graduate in the Automobile Engineering branch. He graduated in 2020. He is currently working as a design engineer at Dukane Intelligent Assembly Solutions India Pvt. Ltd. in Chennai. He gave an introduction to thermoplastics in the automotive industry and their role in the environment.

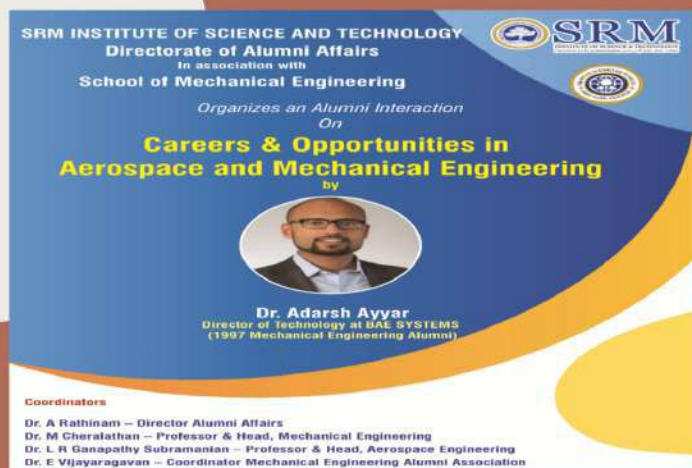


SOLVING INTRACTABLE PROBLEMS

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs organized an enlightening session titled "Solving Intractable Problems with Constraint" as part of the Distinguished International Lecture Series on 23rd August 2022, from 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM. The esteemed speaker, Mr. Gautham Venkatraman, an alumnus of the batch 2016-2020 and currently a student at TU Delft, shared valuable insights on tackling complex problems with constraints. The event, conducted in offline mode, received positive feedback from p



CAREERS AND OPPORTUNITIES IN AEROSPACE



The Directorate of Alumni Affairs (DAA) and the School of Mechanical Engineering successfully conducted an Alumni Interaction on "Careers and Opportunities in Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering." The event featured Dr. Adarsh Ayyar, an esteemed alumnus from the 1997 Mechanical batch and currently the Director of Technology at BAE Systems, USA. The insightful session took place on 21st September 2022 at 10:45 AM in G D Naidu Hall, Mechanical B Block. Attendees gained valuable knowledge about potential career paths and opportunities in the aerospace and mechanical engineering fields.

Role of Mechanical Engineering & FEA in Industrial Perspective IES IN AEROSPACE INDUSTRY

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni interaction on October 7, 2022. The talk was on the topic of the role of mechanical and FEA from an industrial perspective, led by Mr. Joseph Malvin Raj. He has a bachelor's in mechanical engineering (the batch of 2008) from the SRM IST and a M.E. (CAD). He works as a Deputy Manager (R&D) at Alkraf Technologies.



currently pursuing his Master's in Computer Science at TU Kaiserslautern, and along with his studies, he is a research assistant at the Deep Learning Lab at DFKI (MindGarage). Ms. Aditi has a masters in informatics student at the Technical University of Munich. She is passionate about machine learning and data analytics and is currently working at Siemens as a Data and Business Intelligence work student. She received her bachelor's degree in computer science and engineering from India in 2020.



ALUMNI INTERACTION

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology conducted an alumni interaction session on November 17, 2022. Mr. Kinshuk Saxena received a BTech degree in Mechanical Engineering from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2015. He currently works as the first officer at Indigo.



ALUMNI INTERACTION

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology conducted an alumni talk session on November 9, 2022. We had Rahul Ranjan Verma, who is an Mtech student in CAD and graduated from SRM IST in the year 2019. He works as a multi-body dynamics engineer at Tata Technologies Limited. We also had Mr.Gokulakrishnan Muniyandi, who is a mechanical engineering graduate from SRM IST, in 2016. He works as a supplier quality engineer at Medtronic, USA.



Alumni Interaction with PG Students

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology conducted an alumni interaction session on November 25, 2022. Mr. Raghavendra B. M. received a BTech degree in Mechanical Engineering from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in 2016. He also holds a M.Sc. degree in metallurgical engineering and is currently working as a simulation engineer at TVARIT GmbH.

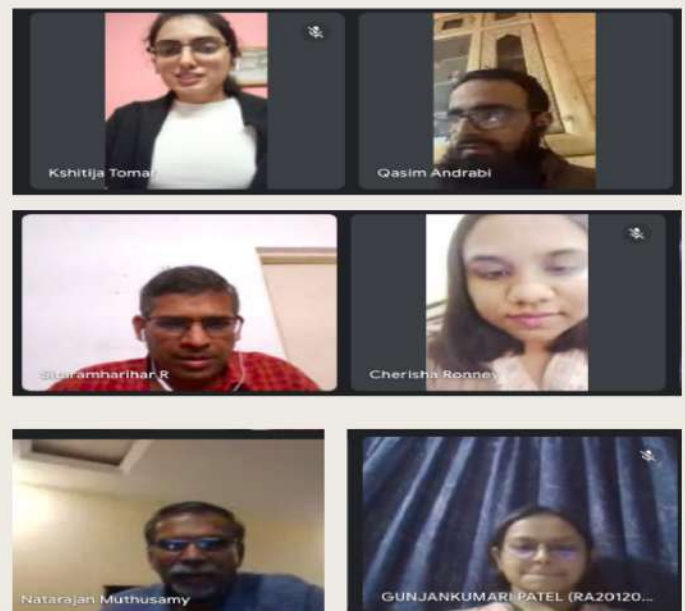


CAREER GUIDANCE SESSION FOR SRM ALUMNI

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Genetic Engineering at SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted a career guidance session for SRM alumni with Dr. Muthusamy Natarajan on December 19th and 20th, 2022. He is a professor of medicine and associate director of academic affairs at Ohio State University, Ohio, US. Dr. Munsamy provided valuable information regarding higher education opportunities abroad and gave details on how to apply for higher studies at his host institution. He also mentioned raising awareness in society about rare diseases.

“WHAT STRENGTHS DO YOU BRING TO PLACEMENT”

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Computing Technologies of the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni talk with Mr. Kishore Jagan Jothikumar on December 15, 2022. He spoke on the topic of "What Strengths Do You Bring to Placement?". He earned his BTech degree in CSE from the SRM IST in 2017. He is currently working as a search language specialist at Qualitest, supporting Google.





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ALUMNI CONNECT

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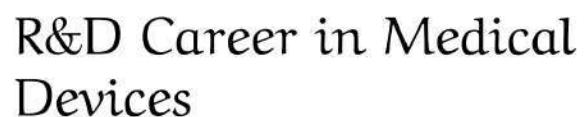
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Mr. P Vijay Sai, an alumnus of B.Tech (BME 2014-18) and M.Tech 2018-20, delivered a talk focused on R&D career opportunities and challenges in the field of Medical Devices. As a Junior Embedded Tester at HCL Technologies, he provided valuable insights on this topic to 2nd and 3rd-year B.Tech BME students. The talk was held on February 18, 2022, from 10 am to 11.00 am, via the Zoom platform.



MY EXPERIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH

The SRM Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the School of Bioengineering, organized an insightful talk by Dr. Varsha Sharma, an esteemed alumna from the PhD and M.Tech batch of 2014-16. The talk, titled "My experience in Biomedical Research," took place on March 16, 2022, from

SRM School of Bioengineering. The event welcomed 2nd-year M.Tech students, totaling around 85-90 participants, who learn from Dr. Varsha Sharma's extensive knowledge and of biomedical research. The event facilitated valuable for all attendees.

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"Automotive Wiring System and Fault Diagnostics"

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the department of automobile engineering at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an Entrepreneur Alumni Connect on October 29th, 2022. Mr.S. Sithanandhan spoke on his journey from undergrad to his current career path in the automobile industry. He finished his bachelor's in automotive engineering from the SRM Institute of Science and Technology in the 2022 batch. He is now the managing director at Mirai Garage.

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ENTREPRENEUR ALUMNI CONNECT

The "Entrepreneur Alumni Connect 2022" event, organized jointly by the Department of Chemical Engineering and the Directorate of Alumni Affairs at SRMIST, Kattankulathur campus, was held on 1st and 2nd September 2022. Esteemed alumni, Mr. Dinesh Naag Nalla (B.Tech. Chemical Engineering 2015, M.S.), Mr. R. Sakthi Balan (B.Tech. Chemical Engineering 2018), Mr. T. Gopinath (B.Tech. Chemical Engineering 2005), and Mr. Nalin Khandelwal (B.Tech. Chemical Engineering 2018, P.G. Dip. Perfumery and Cosmetics Management), who have achieved significant success in the chemical industry, were the guest speakers. They shared their entrepreneurial journeys and experiences, inspiring current students with their valuable insights. The event provided a platform for students to connect with successful alumni and gain valuable guidance for their future careers in the chemical engineering domain.



ALUMNI CONNECT



JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN BIOMEDICAL FIELD

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Biomedical Engineering at SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni talk with Mr. Rohit M. and Ms. Natasha Datta on December 19, 2022. They spoke on the topic of "Job Opportunities in the Biomedical Field." They earned their BTech degree from SRM-IST in 2009. Mr. Rohit M. currently works as a senior engineering manager at Medtronic. Ms. Natasha Datta currently works as a software engineering advisor and Pega senior architect at Cigna.



ADVANCEMENT IN ENGINEERING

The Department of Biomedical Engineering, in collaboration with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs, conducted the Alumni Connect event on December 19, 2022. The speakers, Mr. Rohit M. and Ms. Natasha Datta, spoke on the topic "Advancements in Biomedical Engineering." They are both B.Tech. graduates from SRMIST and are currently working in the field of Biomedical Engineering. Mr. Rohit M. is a senior engineering manager at Medtronic, and Ms. Natasha Datta is a software engineering advisor and Pega senior architect at Cigna.



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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN VLSI DESIGN

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Confluence of Alumnites

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Computer Applications in association with LiveWire at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted a Confluence of Alumni on October 10, 2022. The topic of the presentation was led by Mr. Steven Wang, Ms. Sangeerthana Kandasamy, Mr. Arpit Raghav, Mr. Prevailer Ndubueze, and Ms. Michelle George. After his undergrad at SRM IST, Mr. Steven Wang worked as a Manufacturing Excellence Project Engineer at TSMC. Ms. Sangeerthana Kandasamy works as a business analyst at Finserv in the UK. Mr. Arpit Raghav, a data analyst at D2 Rails in England, concentrated on the set of abilities needed for a data analyst. Mr. Prevailer Ndubueze works as a senior application and database security analyst at First Bank of Nigeria. Ms. Michelle George is a senior associate at Goldman Sachs in Bengaluru.



PANEL DISCUSSION

“A Day with Our Alumni”

The Computing Technologies department recently organized a dynamic alumni discussion aimed at enhancing the curriculum. The event featured esteemed alumni, including Mr. Venkata Krishnan (1995), Subha Vani Priyadarshini (1996), Valarmathi

(1999), Hari Babu V (2011), Ganeshkumaran Natarajan (2011), Kiruthika (2011), Manjit (2011), Srikanth Vadduri (2011), Nishit Hada (2019), Apratim Tripathi (2019), Ritik Jain (2019), Utkarsh Khanna (2019), Ayush Chowdry (2019), Varun Tandon (2020), Shivam Saraswat (2020), Kashish Mukheja (2020), Sampanna Purshottam Bhutada (2020), Sanreet Balaji (2020), Pragati Singh (2020), Surya Teja (2020), Aayush Tripathi (2020), and Sourav Singh (2020). During the discussion, these alumni shared valuable



suggestions to improve the curriculum, including the importance of analytical tools like MS Excel, R, Python, Tableau, and Power BI, the inclusion of cloud computing, practical sessions, and project-based learning. Their insights will undoubtedly contribute to refining the educational experience and preparing students for the dynamic IT industry

“Alumni: The roots that anchor our institution's ever-growing tree of success.”



PANEL DISCUSSION

Alumni Panel Discussion on “Emotional Intelligence and the future of nursing”

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in association with the SRM College of Nursing at the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, organised an alumni panel discussion. The event held on June 24, 2022, was on "Emotional Intelligence and the Future of Nursing.". There were multiple participants present. We had 10 alumni members present, along with other SRM CON national and international students and faculties. In the ever-evolving landscape of healthcare, emotional intelligence (EI) emerges as a crucial factor in shaping the future of nursing. By understanding and managing their own emotions and empathetically connecting with patients, nurses with high EI enhance patient-centred care, improve communication, and foster positive outcomes. This newsletter delves into the significance of emotional intelligence in nursing practise and its implications for the transformative future of healthcare. This event informed the students about the work they would be doing and the expectations they would have to meet.

"Alumni: Where memories
meet the future, forever
connected by education."



PANEL DISCUSSION

The way for Research Excellence: Industry Perspective

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs, in collaboration with the Department of Computing Technologies of the SRM Institute of Science and Technology, conducted an alumni talk with Mr. Hari Babu, Mr. Ayush Tripathi, Mr. Kishore Jegan, and Ms. Lekha on December 17, 2022. They spoke on the topic of "The Way for Research Excellence: An Industry Perspective." Mr. Hari Babu earned his degree in CSE from SRM-IST in 2009. He currently works as an assistant professor at the Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India. Mr. Ayush Tripathi earned his degree in CSE from SRM-IST in 2020. He currently works as a senior software engineer at Oracle Center. Mr. Kishore Jegan earned his BTech degree in CSE from the SRM IST in 2017. He is currently working as a search language specialist at Qualitest, supporting Google. Ms. Lekha earned her degree in CSE from SRM-IST in 2017. She currently works as a software development engineer at Amazon.

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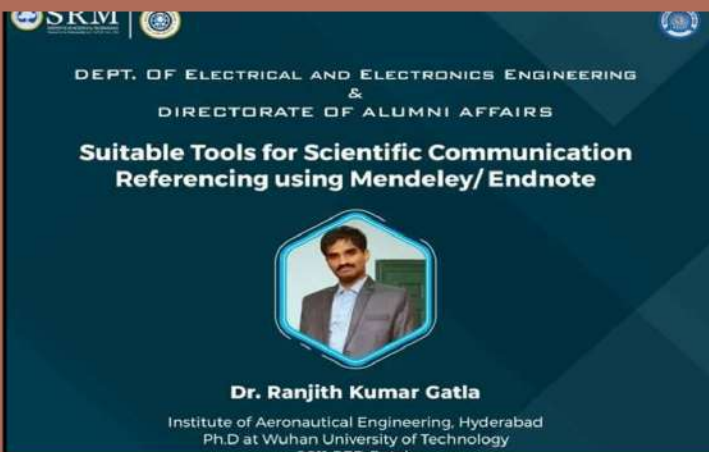
The poster is for a panel discussion titled "THE WAY FOR RESEARCH EXCELLENCE: INDUSTRY PERSPECTIVE". It is organized by the Department of Computing Technologies, School of Computing, College of Engineering and Technology, Kattankulathur, in collaboration with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs. The event is presented by SRM Institute of Science and Technology, School of Computing, CTECH, and the Institution's Innovation Council. The date is 17th December 2022, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. The moderator is Hari Babu V, Associate Faculty at the Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India. The panelists are Mr. Ayush Tripathi (Senior Software Engineer at Oracle Center, Bangalore), Mr. Kishore Jegan Jothi Kumar (Search Language Specialist at Qualitest, Austin, Texas, USA), and Ms. Lekha Karthikeyan (Software Development Engineer at Amazon). The poster also includes a link to the Zoom meeting, a meeting ID, and a password. The organizing committee consists of Dr. M. Pooja Latha (Professor & HOD) and Dr. A. Rathnam (Director - Alumni Affairs). The alumni team includes Mrs. J. Jayapradha, Dr. M. Uma Devi, Dr. V. Deeban Chakravarthy, Dr. J. Selvin Paul Peter, and Dr. R. Subash.



CONCLAVE

Suitable Tools For Scientific Communication Referencing Using Mendeley / Endnote

The Alumni Chapter of the Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering in association with the Directorate of Alumni Affairs and IIC is organizing a Research Conclave to instill knowledge in the field of scientific communication tools and the Art of Mastering in Mendeley referencing. The speaker for the event is: Dr. Ranjith Kumar Gatla (2011 PED Batch)



International Alumni Conclave Meet

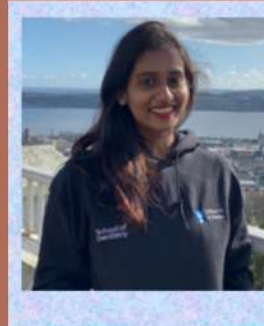
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Higher Education Opportunities

The Directorate of Alumni Affairs and the Department of Genetic Engineering collaborated to host an Alumni Conclave on higher education opportunities in India and abroad. The event featured esteemed speakers including Nikilesh Vijayan, a B.Tech and PhD alumnus from SRM and IISER Thiruvananthapuram, Pavithra Suresh, a B.Tech and PhD alumnus from SRM and Tzu Chi University, and Roshan K.N, a recent B.Tech alumnus from SRM who graduated from Glasgow University, Switzerland. Attendees gained valuable insights into pursuing higher education pathways.

Topic : Opportunities after BDS in UK

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Endodontist



Placement, Higher Studies or Entrepreneurship

The conclave on "What's Next? Higher Studies, Placement or Entrepreneurship" was organized by the Directorate of Alumni Affairs. The event, held on 28th June 2022 from 9:50 AM to 11:00 AM, had 77 participants in attendance. The purpose was to assist students in making informed decisions after completing their B.Tech undergraduate program. Esteemed alumni, Mr. Srinivas M, Mr. Gokul Kumar, Mr. Vignesh M S, and Mr. Sarath Babu, shared their valuable insights on postgraduate studies, entrepreneurship, and career options. The conclave proved to be instrumental in guiding the attendees towards their future paths. A vote of thanks was extended to the alumni and faculty coordinators for their contributions to this successful event.



International Alumni Conclave

SRM Kattankulathur Dental College and Hospital, under the Department of Dentistry, organized an International Alumni Conclave on 10th July 2022. The online event featured esteemed alumni, including Dr. Krithika Thava Balachandran, an MDS graduate in Endodontics from the year 2015. Currently, she holds the position of Research Scholar at City University of London, UK. Dr. Krithika provided valuable insights into career opportunities after BDS in the UK, particularly focusing on pursuing master's degrees and diploma courses offered by the UK government. The presentation, held from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm, proved immensely beneficial to undergraduate students aspiring to pursue their higher education abroad.



International Alumni Conclave

The Department of Biotechnology organized an Alumni Talk on 6th May 2022, featuring distinguished alumni speakers Ms. Sanjana Balaji, Mr. Madan Mohan, and Ms. Rituparna Goswami. With their expertise as PhD Scholars in cancer research and biotechnology, they provided valuable firsthand insights and shared their career journeys. The event, conducted online, proved highly beneficial to the attendees, offering valuable knowledge, inspiration, and guidance for those interested in pursuing similar paths in the field of biotechnology and cancer research.





Embrace 1.0

A vibrant and supportive student body is the backbone of an enduring alumni community. As our college alumni reunite and reminisce during meet-ups, it is essential to recognise the reciprocal relationship between students and alumni. Students who actively engage with and support alumni foster a sense of gratitude, unity, and continuity. This newsletter underscores the significance of a student body that takes care of the alumni, nurturing lifelong connections and strengthening our college's legacy. The Directorate of Alumni Affairs was established in September 2017 to look after the alumni needs for the entire University. The major objectives of the Directorate are to enhance the coordination between SRM University and its alumni, to improve the interaction of alumni with students and faculty members, to establish alumni chapters in India and abroad, to maintain the database of alumni, and to look after the interests of SRM alumni.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Dr.T.P.Ganesan



In loving memory of a true leader whose guidance and wisdom will forever resonate in our work.

His vision encompassed research's vital role in addressing societal challenges, bridging academia and industry through collaborations. As a mentor, his humility and concern for the SRM Community garnered deep respect.

His legacy endures in the achievements of students and alumni, continuing his vision of positive change. In our grief, we find solace in his lasting impact and spirit within our institution and hearts.

Let's honor his memory by upholding his values – commitment to excellence, a thirst for knowledge, and a dedication to transforming lives.

With heavy hearts, we remember Dr. T.P.Ganesan, the Pro Vice Chancellor of Planning and Development at SRM Institute of Science and Technology. His unwavering vision and transformative leadership have profoundly impacted our institution and countless lives.

Dr. Ganesan's tenure was marked by a pursuit of excellence in education and research, propelling SRMIST to global recognition. His passion for student empowerment fostered inclusive learning environments, pushing education beyond classrooms into practical applications.

OUR OFFICE TEAM



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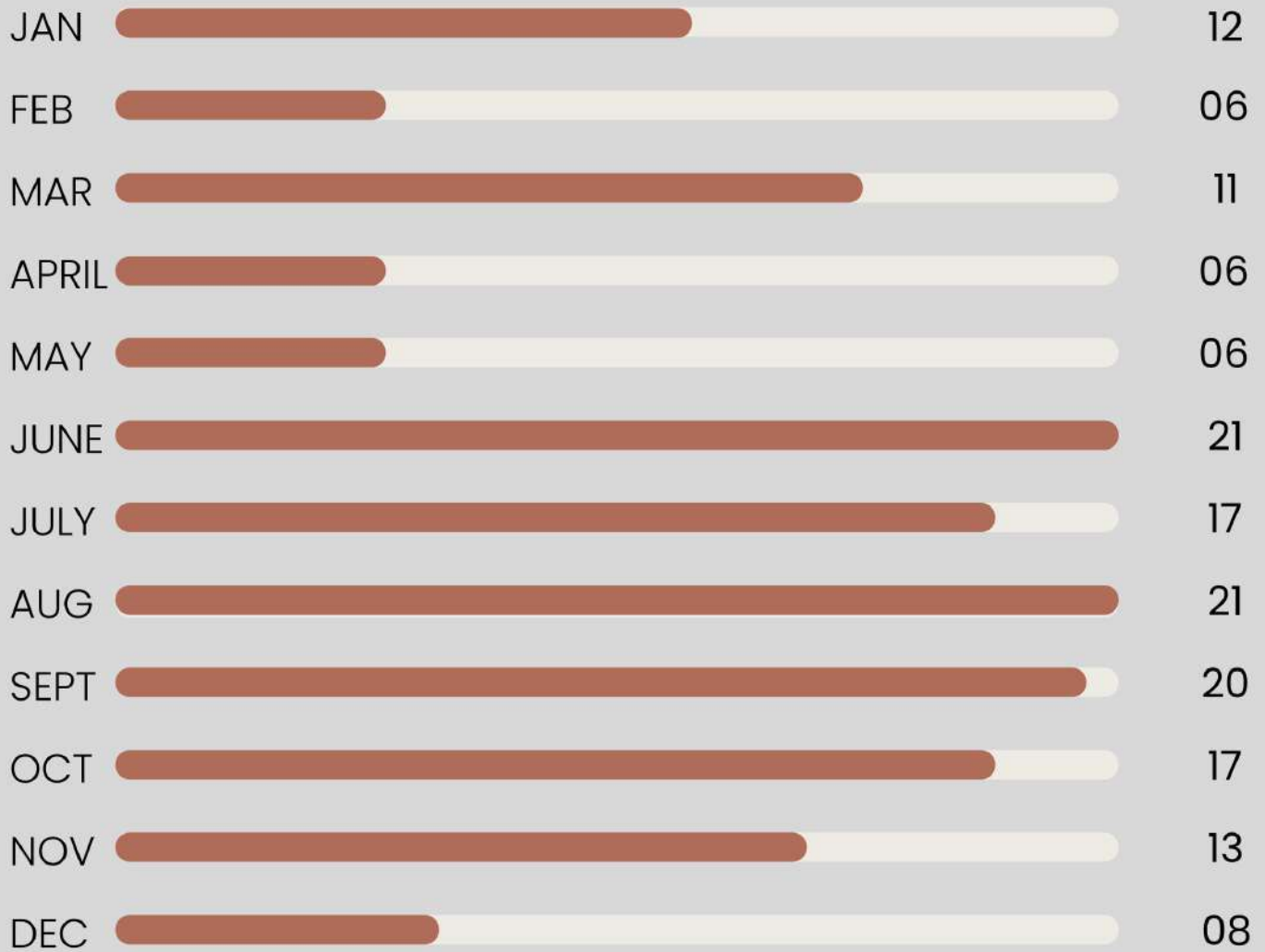


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OUR STUDENT TEAM



Alumni Events Conducted - 2022



Total Alumni Engaged

1,844+

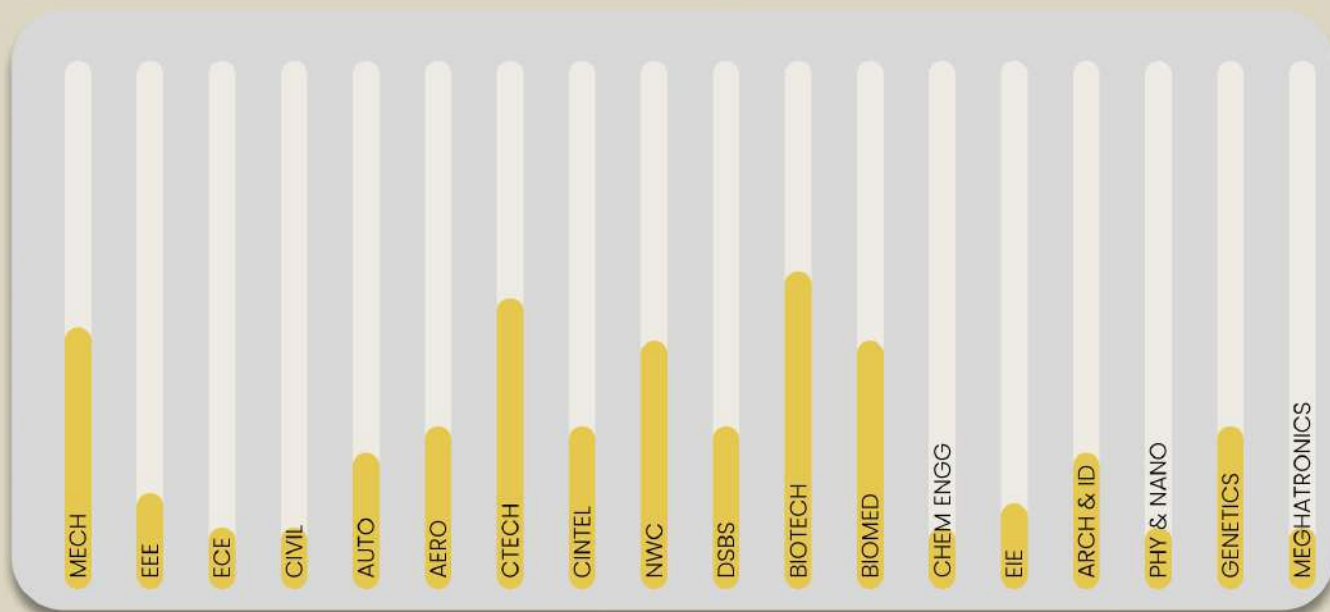
Total Students Beneficiary

18,607+

"We encourage more events to foster community, growth, and connection."

Event Portfolio - Department wise

E&T - KTR



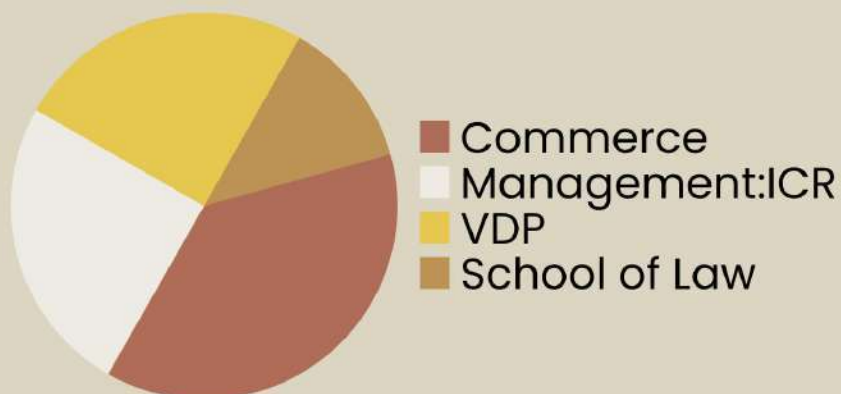
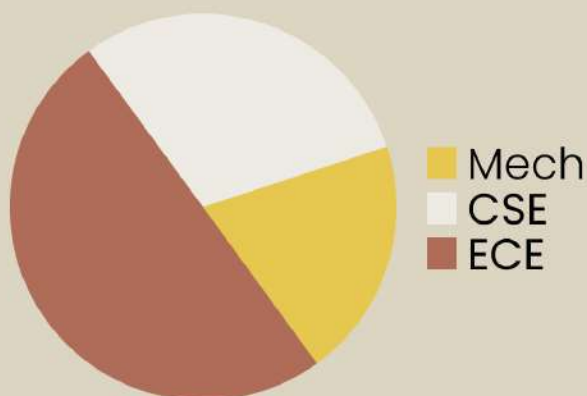
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