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Chhotubhai Gopalbhai Patel Institute of Technology, Bardoli

Report on Expert Lecture
***“Your Career, Your Brand – Building Your
Future Before It Starts”***

(Event: Expert lecture)

Date: 08/01/2026

Venue : Manjulla Hall, 3rd Floor, CGPIT, UTU.

Time: 9.00 AM to 11.00 AM

Total No. of Participants:

Name of the Expert: Mr. Aditya Jigneshbhai Chauhan

Event Coordinator: Ms. Helly Mehta, Ms. Payal Patel

Program objective:

The key objectives of organizing the expert lecture were:

- To bridge the gap between academic learning and industry expectations
- To guide students in planning their careers strategically beyond academic achievements
- To introduce students to the concept of personal branding and professional identity
- To motivate students towards self-development, adaptability, and lifelong learning
- To enhance students' awareness regarding ethical and responsible digital presence

Program outline:

- Welcome and Introduction of the Guest Speaker
- Expert Talk on Career Development and Personal Branding
- Discussion on Industry Expectations from Fresh Graduates
- Interactive Question and Answer Session
- Felicitation of the Guest Speaker
- Vote of Thanks and Concluding Remarks

Program outcomes:

After attending the session, students were able to:

- Develop better understanding of career planning and professional growth
- Recognize the importance of soft skills and professional communication
- Gain awareness of digital footprint and responsible online behavior
- Improve confidence regarding employability and workplace readiness
- Demonstrate a positive attitude towards continuous learning and self-improvement

Schedule of Events in a tabular format:

Time	Activity
09.00-09.10 AM	Inaugural Ceremony and introduction of the speakers
09.10 -10.45 PM	Session-1 by Mr. Aditya J. Chauhan
10.45 -10.47 PM	Vote of Thanks and Concluding remarks
10.47 -11.00 PM	Q&A, Valedictory

List of Participants:

Sr.No.	Name of Participant	Stream	Name of Program
1	SAKIB ZAKIRBHAI KHALIFA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
2	SMITKUMAR RAKESHBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
3	YASH Kishorbhai VANPARIYA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
4	MAHIMA ARUN DABHADE	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
5	ARPIT SUBHASHBHAI VALVI	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
6	MANALIKUMARI Hasmukhbhai CHAUDHARI	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
7	ARPITA PRASHANT PATIL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
8	PRIYAM HEMANTKUMAR LAKDAWALA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
9	PRUTHVIRAJ SINH DHARMENDRASINH ATODARIYA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
10	ZEEL Pravinkumar JOSHI	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
11	YUG SUNILKUMAR PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
12	ABHISHEK VINOD BAJAJ	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
13	Jiya Kalpeshbhai Sheth	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
14	Damini Prakash Thawani	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
15	Hetvi Gopalbhai Patel	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
16	ARYAN HITESHBHAI PAREKH	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
17	JASMINI VIJAYBHAI MAHYAVANSHI	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
18	YASH Sanjaybhai TANDEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
19	PARTH KAMLESH DESALE	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering

20	ROSHAN BHARATBHAI SONDAGAR	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
21	NAMASVI VINOD PATIL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
22	ADITYA MAHENDRASINGH PAL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
23	Tirthkumar RAJESHBHAI Kagathara	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
24	VISHAL MUKESHKUMAR DUBAL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
25	ALISHA RAKESH PATIL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
26	Mrudul Sunil Patil	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
27	Mahesh Premchand Kumavat	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
28	HIMANI MITESHKUMAR SOLANKI	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
29	Tejal Ambalal Patel	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
30	Krushni Sharad Patel	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
31	SIYABEN DINESHBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
32	KHUSHI MANISHBHAI CHAVDA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
33	AESHA KETANKUMAR CHAVDA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
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35	Chaitya Shah Shah	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
36	KRUNAL KASHYAP PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
37	ARYAN JAYESH VAGHELA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
38	SHIVANI MAHESHBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
39	Dev Gaurang Lahewala	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
40	Umesh More Nikhil	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
41	URVIBEN KAUSHIKKUMAR PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
42	OM SANJAYBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
43	PRATHAM SACHINBHAI MARFATIA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
44	Manav Vinodbhai Luhar	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
45	PURVA ANIRUDDHA PATIL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering

46	DHARMIK DHARMESHBHAI PURANIK	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
47	MEET THAKORBHAI TAILOR	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
48	Laksh Nitin Dudhe	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
49	Dhruv DHRUV BELADIYA Beladiya	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
50	KRISH MAYUR RANGOONWALA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
51	VANSH MANISHBHAI AHIR	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
52	VINEET RAJENDRAPRASAD MAURYA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
53	NANDNI PANKAJKUMAR KAYASTHA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
54	PRACHI NITINBHAI PRAJAPATI	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
55	ASTHA PARESHBHAI AHIR	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
56	Prince Divyeshkumar patel Patel	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
57	VISHVA GIRISHBHAI MAISURIYA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
58	DEVAM NITESHKUMAR PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
59	DEVANSHIBEN RAJUBHAI PATIL	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
60	Nandani Jayeshbhai Changela	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
61	NIRMAL KIRITBHAI SOJITRA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
62	KAWYA PARIMALSINH PARMAR	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
63	Akruti Pankajsinh Solanki	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
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65	Karan KARAN CHAUDHARI Chaudhari	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
66	HARSH CHETANBHAI SENJALIYA	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
67	KRISHNAKUMARI Yogeshbhai SADHU	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
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76	Hani Anandbhai Patel	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
77	Nirmit Brijeshkumar Chhaparia	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
78	Manthan Dnyaneshwar Pawar	Diploma in Engineering	Computer Engineering
79	KISHAN HIRENBHAI VARA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
80	ADARSH Rajeshbhai VARA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
81	NIKUNJ PRAVINBHAI MANDALIYA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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84	YASHKUMAR MANISHKUMAR MEHTA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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88	AKASHBHAI KESHAVBHAI DEVGANIYA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
89	MOHIT BHAGVANJIBHAI GOHEL	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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91	Nayan Haribhai Jagdale	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
92	Shivam Chirag Desai	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
93	SAUMYA VARSHESHBHAI AMIN	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
94	HARSHIT NILESH PANCHAL	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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99	PRIYAL SURESHBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
100	Harshada Sanjay Patil	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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102	RITESH SANJAYKUMAR GAVALE	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
103	PARTH JITENDRA POPAT	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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115	KARAN VINODBHAI VASOYA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
116	YUGRAJ HASMUKHBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
117	Pooja bakulbhai Patel	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
118	MILAN VIKRAMSINH HADA	Diploma in Engineering	IT Engineering
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140	ADARSH SURAJ PRAKASH TIWARI	Diploma in Engineering	Electrical Engineering
141	AJAY DEVIPRASAD VARMA	Diploma in Engineering	Electrical Engineering
142	RISHI MANISH MISTRY	Diploma in Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
143	MAULIK Jayeshkumar MODH	Diploma in Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
144	MANN HITESHBHAI PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
145	OM DHARMESH SIDDHAPURA	Diploma in Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
146	ARYA MAYANKKUMAR PATEL	Diploma in Engineering	Civil Engineering
147	MAAZ JUBERBHAI VIJAPURA	Diploma in Engineering	Civil Engineering
148	Danish Ansari danish mustafa ANSARI	Diploma in Engineering	Civil Engineering
149	VIJAY RAJUBHAI MISTRY	Diploma in Engineering	Civil Engineering

Details of the Session:

Event Introduction:

The Department of Civil Engineering, CGPIT, UTU successfully organized an Expert Lecture for the final-year Diploma engineering students of Civil, Mechanical, Computer, IT, and Electrical Engineering on the topic “Your Career, Your Brand – Building Your Future Before It Starts.”

The session was delivered by Mr. Aditya Chauhan (popularly known as Aditya Pooji), a corporate professional currently working as a Scrum Master – PMO with a USA-based firm. The program was organized with the objective of providing students with industry-oriented insights related to career planning, employability skills, and the importance of personal branding in today’s competitive professional environment.

The lecture was attended enthusiastically by students and faculty members and proved to be highly interactive, insightful, and motivating.

Objectives:

The session specifically aimed to:

- Help students understand how careers are built step by step
- Emphasize the role of communication, attitude, and adaptability in professional success
- Highlight the importance of digital presence and personal branding for engineers
- Encourage students to take proactive steps for skill development and networking

Significance:

In the current era, engineers are expected to possess a holistic skill set that includes technical expertise, communication skills, ethical conduct, and professional awareness. This expert lecture played a significant role in preparing students for real-world challenges by offering them practical guidance directly from an industry professional.

The session enabled students to:

- Gain clarity about career opportunities and expectations
- Understand how to present themselves professionally in both offline and online platforms
- Develop confidence to face interviews and professional interactions

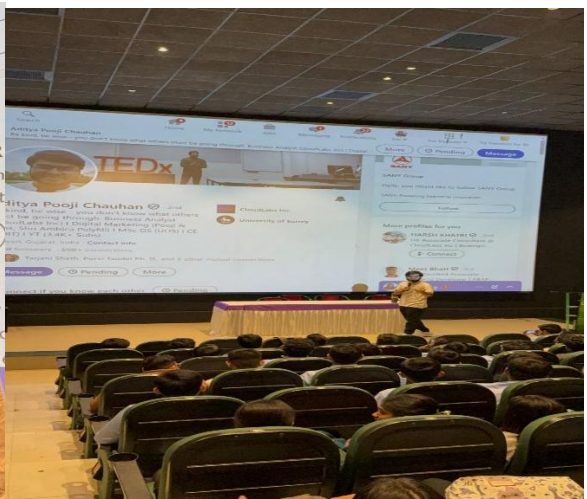
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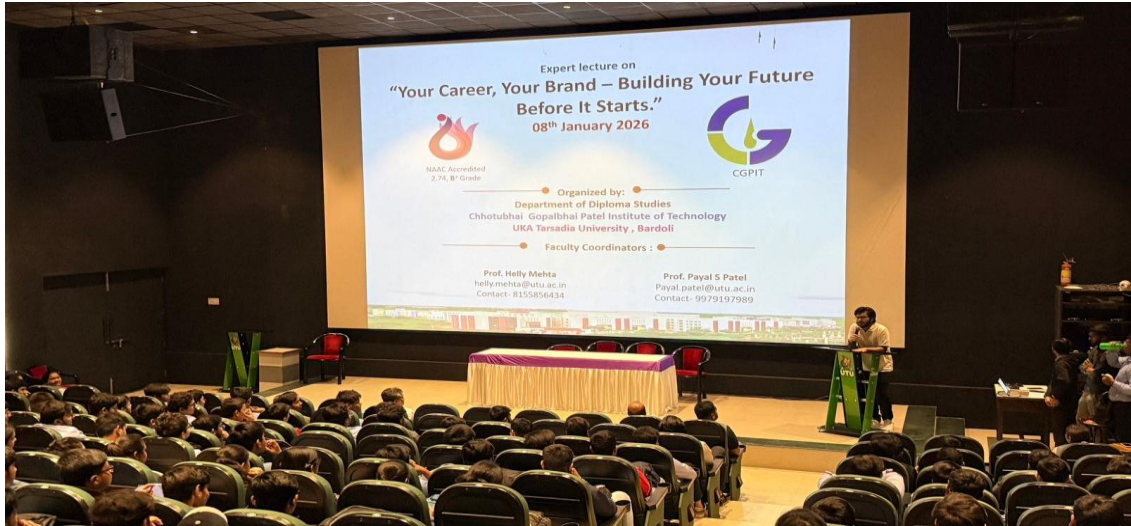
Some of the key discussion points covered by the speaker included:

- Career mindset beyond marks, degrees, and academic performance
- Importance of self-awareness and goal setting
- Basics of personal branding for students with no work experience
- Smart and safe use of social media platforms for career growth
- Industry expectations related to communication, teamwork, and adaptability
- Practical and actionable steps students can start implementing immediately
- Real-life corporate experiences shared by the speaker made the session relatable and engaging for students.

Photo Gallery:







Concluding Remarks

Objectives of the session as per NAAC criteria:

The expert lecture aligned with the following **NAAC objectives**:

- **Student-Centric Learning:** Focus on experiential and outcome-based learning
- **Curricular Enrichment:** Value-added activity complementing academic curriculum
- **Holistic Development:** Development of professional, ethical, and interpersonal skills
- **Student Support and Progression:** Enhancing employability and career readiness

Significance of the session as per NAAC criteria:

As per **NAAC quality indicators**, the session contributed to:

- **Criterion 1:** Curriculum Enrichment through expert interaction
- **Criterion 2:** Innovative teaching–learning practices
- **Criterion 5:** Student mentoring, career guidance, and progression
- **Criterion 7:** Promotion of institutional best practices and values

The activity supported the institute's commitment to academic excellence and holistic student development.

Concluding Remarks

The expert lecture concluded with a high level of student satisfaction and engagement. The session successfully achieved its objectives by equipping students with practical knowledge and motivation to shape their professional journeys with clarity and confidence. The institute expresses its sincere gratitude to **Mr. Aditya Chauhan** for sharing his valuable time, experiences, and insights. Such initiatives reaffirm the institute's dedication to nurturing competent, responsible, and industry-ready engineers.

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