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Date:- 9th August 2023

Report on Alumni talk- 9th August, 2023

Name of the Event: Connect Back to Campus

Date of the Event: 9th August, 2023

Time: 3 pm onwards

Venue/ Location: Online talk arranged at Library Hall, DYPBBI

Total number of student attendees: 52

Total number of Faculty attendees: 05

Total number of Attendees: 57

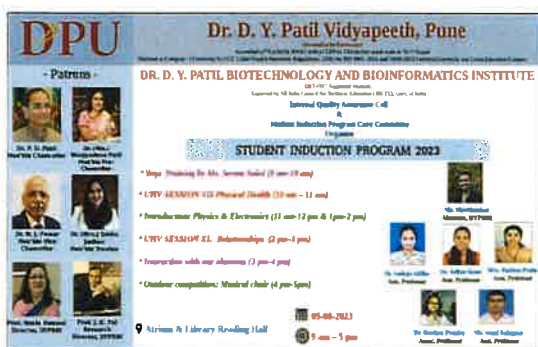
Objectives:

1. To build long term relation with all the ex-students and the present students of Institute
2. To cater the professional needs of students by sharing their knowledge and expertise.

Dr. D. Y. Patil Biotechnology and Bioinformatics Institute, Pune hosted an online Alumni talk through the platform of Student Induction Program activity on 9th August, 2023 between 3 pm to 4:00 pm. The main focus of the program was to expose the current students of the Institute towards getting practical knowledge and guidance in their professional journey. Mr. Shivshankar Menon, who is one of the distinguished Alumnus of B. Tech. Biotechnology (2014-2018) and currently working as a Waste & Environment Assurance Coordinator in Amazon Melbourne, Australia.

The session began with the introduction of the speaker by Dr. Ashwini Puntambekar, Member, Alumni and Placement Committee, DYPBBI. Mr. Shivshankar began the talk by sharing some of his student life experiences with the present students. He said that the Institute has a very good infrastructure and well equipped labs wherein he gained a lot of practical hand expertise. He said that he participated in various co-curricular and extracurricular activities that helped him in building up his overall development. Shivshankar added on that all the teachers at the Institute were kind to help him in all ways whenever he approached them. Regarding the curriculum, he said that it covers all the major subjects and also happily expressed that it was completed in time throughout his student days tenure. Shivshankar also told the students the importance of mock competitive exams which are taken at the Institute. He said that these exams helped him a lot. As an advice to the present junior students, Shivshankar asked the students to be open

and approach their teachers. He also answered the queries of students. The fresher students were satisfied and pleased over the Alumnus interaction. The program was coordinated by Dr. Ashwini Puntambekar.



Flyer for the Program



Dr. Ashwini Puntambekar introducing the speaker



Mr. Shivshankar answering to the student queries

Outcome:

The session created a valuable platform for the students to connecting with the Alumnus and also exploring the various opportunities.

Dr. Ashwini N. Puntambekar
Event Organizer

Dr. Soumya Basu
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Committee

Prof. Neelu Nawani
Director

