

DATE: 02/08/2021

**Event Coordinator(s)**

- 1. Mr. Naveen Kukreja**
- 2. Prof. Saniya Gonsalves**

**Time & Place:**

**Zoom (4:00- 5:30 pm)**

**Department: Computer Engineering**

**No of participants: 60**

A combined BCE-II guest lecture for the students of COMPS, IT and EXTC departments was organized on 02<sup>nd</sup> August, 2021. This session was organized in collaboration with Career Labs. **Mr. Satish Aanand** was the speaker. The duration of the session was 1½ hour from 4:00-5:30pm.

The aim of the guest lecture was to guide the students on the right path of skill and professional development, which will help them enhance their career prospects. Mr. Satish Aanand, who is a career trainer, helped the students gain clarity on how to prioritize the competitive exams they wish to give. He took polls in order to understand the interests of the students and based on those results he made them aware of the options that they could opt. This piqued the interests of many students making them feel hopeful and positive about what was revealed to them. He made them aware of the lesser known options that could prove very beneficial for various areas of interest. He gave the students an understanding of how a masters or higher education could strengthen their career.

60 students from COMPS were present for this immensely interactive session. Towards the end he also gave the students a gist of the time limits and the type of questions they might encounter in different competitive exams. Thus, students took keen interest to research their options better and choose wisely without external pressure.

**Student Feedback and Benefits:** The overall feedback from the students was encouraging. The lively nature of the session was appreciated.