A Report on One Day Webinar
"NeoPAT Online Orientation: Skill Assessment and Career Readiness"
Organized by Department of Computer Science & Engineering
on 30.12.2025

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Resource Person Details: Mr. L. Sabhapathi, Associate Programme – Manager , NeoPAT - Bengaluru

Time: 6:00 PM to 7: 30 PM

Mode of Conduct: Online

Meeting Link :

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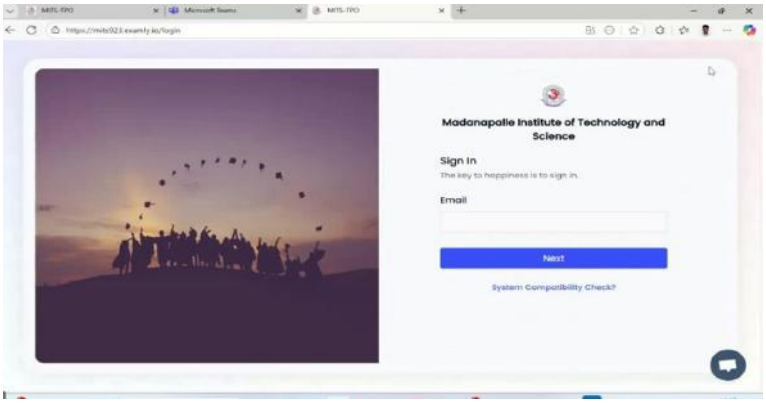
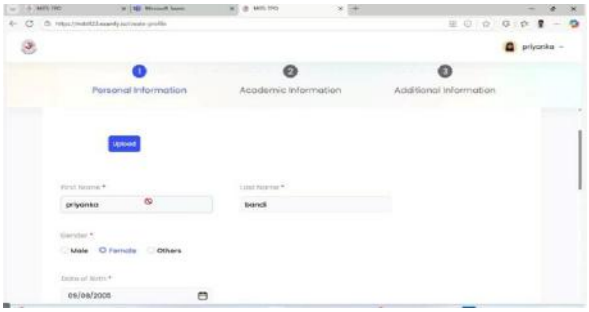
Report on Event :

The **Department of Computer Science & Engineering** organized an online webinar titled **"NeoPAT Online Orientation: Skill Assessment and Career Readiness"** for **II-Year CSE students (2028 batch)** on **30 December 2025**. A total of **450 enthusiastic students** actively participated in the event.

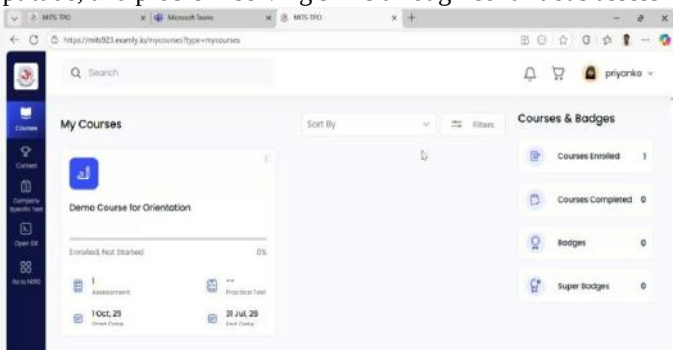
The inaugural session commenced at **6:15 PM** with an introduction to the webinar, highlighting the need and importance of the NeoPAT assessment tool in enhancing students' employability skills.



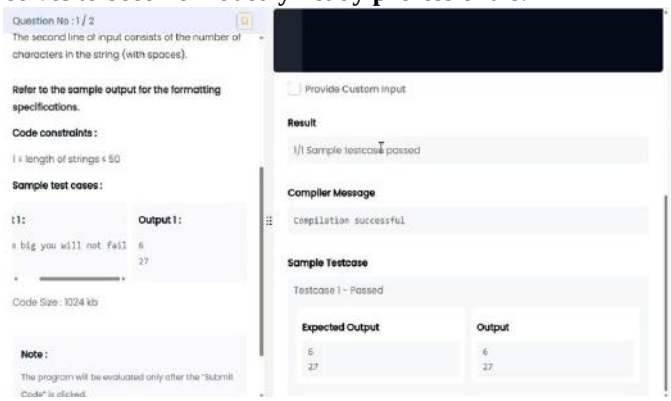
The welcome address was delivered by **Dr. R. Sudhakar**, Associate Professor, Department of CSE, who emphasized the growing significance of **online assessment platforms** in today's competitive academic and professional environment.



The **Dean – School of Computing, Dr. Chandra Prakash Gupta**, delivered the opening remarks, highlighting the importance of the NeoPAT assessment platform in today's competitive global environment. He spoke about the growing competition in the professional world and emphasized the need for students to systematically prepare for placements by strengthening their technical, aptitude, and problem-solving skills through continuous assessment and practice.

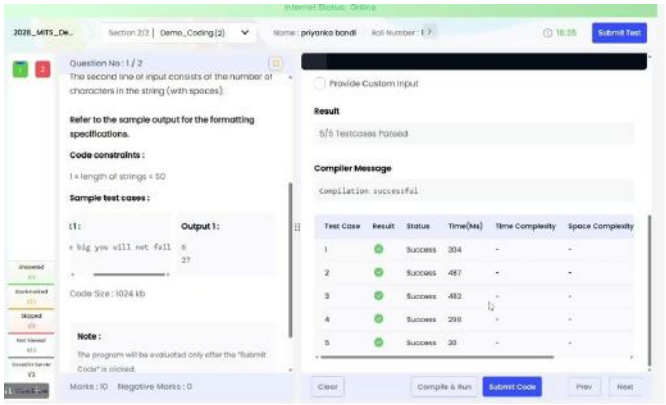


The **Head of the Department – CSE**, **Dr. M. SreeDevi**, delivered the key address, encouraging students to **strengthen their coding skills** and prepare themselves to become **industry-ready professionals**.



Following this, **Dr. G. Arunkumar**, Associate Professor, Department of CSE, introduced the **resource person** and spoke about the **importance of coding skills** and how skill-based training plays a vital role during placement drives.

The resource person, **Mr. L. Sabhapathi**, Associate Programme Manager, **NeoPAT – Bengaluru**, delivered the inaugural address. He inspired the students by sharing insights on **overcoming coding challenges during student life** and emphasized the importance of **coding assessment tools** in evaluating technical proficiency.



Technical session

Following the inauguration, **Mr. L. Sabhapathi** conducted an in-depth technical session explaining the **NeoPAT platform** in detail, covering various aspects based on students' understanding levels. He began by demonstrating **how to create a NeoPAT login** and access the platform using the **IP address**. Login credentials were shared with the students, and they were guided step-by-step through the login process.

He further explained **how assessments are scheduled** and discussed the different types of assessments available on NeoPAT, including:

- Verbal Skills
- Aptitude Skills
- Coding Assessments

He also highlighted that coding assessments can be conducted using multiple programming languages such as **Python, C, C++, and Java**.

Additionally, the resource person demonstrated:

- How to **write and run code** after completion
- The concept of **test cases and hidden test cases**
- Techniques to **pass all test cases without errors**
- The importance of **time management** during coding tests
- The difference between **partial submission** and **final submission** of code

He concluded the session by explaining **how to view assessment scorecards**, access **session-wise marks**, and analyse performance using the **NeoPAT dashboard**.

Question & Answer Session

The **Question-and-Answer session** lasted for more than **40 minutes**, during which **20–25 students** actively raised queries related to:

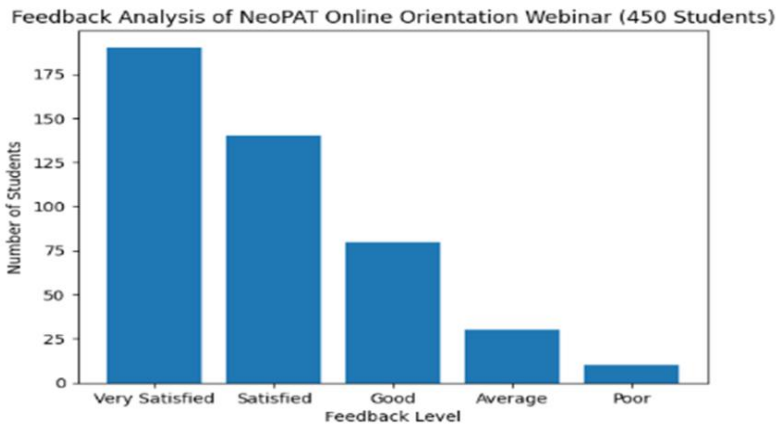
- NeoPAT login issues
- Test-taking procedures
- Clearing test cases
- Time management strategies
- Accessibility concerns
- Writing tests without passwords

The resource person patiently addressed all questions in a **positive and encouraging manner**, ensuring clarity and confidence among the participants.

Vote of Thanks

The webinar concluded with a **Vote of Thanks** proposed by **Dr. G. Arunkumar**, Webinar Coordinator and Associate Professor, Department of CSE. He expressed sincere gratitude to the **Management, Principal, Dean–SOC, Head of the Department (CSE), Resource Person, faculty members**, and all participants for their valuable support and active involvement, which contributed to the successful organization of the webinar.

Outcomes of the Webinar

1. **Enhanced Platform Awareness**: Students gained a clear understanding of the NeoPAT platform, including login procedures, dashboard navigation, and overall system functionality.
2. **Improved Assessment Readiness**: Participants became familiar with various assessment types such as verbal, aptitude, and coding tests, enabling better preparation for future evaluations.
3. **Strengthened Coding Test Confidence**: The webinar helped students understand coding assessments, supported programming languages, test cases, and submission methods, thereby boosting their confidence in technical tests.
4. **Effective Time and Test Management Skills**: Students learned practical strategies for managing time during online assessments and differentiating between partial and final code submissions.
5. **Performance Tracking and Self-Evaluation**: Students learned how to view scorecards, analyse session-wise marks, and monitor their progress using the NeoPAT dashboard for continuous improvement.

Student Feedback About Webinar: