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A Report on One Day Professional Development Programme titled
"Series-I: Transforming Students into Industry Professionals"
Organized by Department of Computer Science & Engineering
In Association with ISTE, MITS
on 20.02.2026

Event Organized by: Dr. R. Sudhakar, Associate Professor, Department of CSE & Dr. G. Arunkumar, Associate Professor, Department of CSE.

Resource Person Details: Mr. B. Venkat Reddy, Senior Technical Manager, Rooman Technologies, Bengaluru; Mr. Rakshit Shetty, Director, Rooman Technologies, Bengaluru

Venue: Seminar Hall B

Time: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Report Received on 28.02.2026

Mode of Conduct: Offline

Event Overview:

The Department of Computer Science & Engineering, in association with ISTE, organized a A One Day Professional Development Program on **"Series-I: Transforming Students into Industry Professionals"** The event aimed to create awareness about early preparation, industry expectations, skill enhancement, and confidence building.

Opening Remarks and Welcome Note

The event began with a welcome address by **Dr. G. Arunkumar**, Associate Professor from the Department of CSE, who provided a brief overview of the event proceedings. He welcomed the resource person who graced the event and introduced her to the participants. The Head of the Department, Computer Science and Engineering Dr. M. Sreedevi addressed the gathering by explaining the importance of aptitude preparation, technical skills, communication, resume building, and interview strategies.

Key Note/ Resource Person Address

The Resource Person of the event Mr. Rakshit Shetty, Director, Rooman Technologies, Bengaluru delivered the keynote address. who has extensive experience in recruitment processes, corporate training, and career mentoring. The resource person shared real-time industry insights and recruitment trends

The **Series-I Professional Development Program** focused on guiding students to bridge the gap between academics and industry expectations. The session highlighted the following key areas:

1. Understanding Industry Expectations
The speaker explained what industries look for in fresh graduates, including:
- Strong fundamentals in core subjects
- Practical and application-oriented knowledge
- Professional attitude and work ethics
- Adaptability and continuous learning mindset

Students were guided on how to align their academic learning with industry requirements.

2. Career Roadmap for Students
A clear and structured roadmap was discussed to help students plan their career journey:
Early Years (First & Second Year):
- Build strong basics in core subjects
- Develop programming and analytical skills
- Improve communication and teamwork abilities
- Explore industry-oriented tools and technologies

Final Years (Third & Fourth Year):
- Gain hands-on experience through projects and internships
- Focus on industry-relevant certifications
- Prepare for technical and HR interviews
- Build a strong professional profile

3. Skill Development for Industry Readiness
Students were encouraged to enhance the following skills:
- Technical and programming skills
- Problem-solving and analytical thinking
- Communication and interpersonal skills
- Teamwork and leadership abilities
- Time management and professionalism

Real-world examples were shared to help students understand workplace scenarios.

4. Professional Profile & Interview Readiness
Key guidance was provided on:
- Creating an effective and professional resume
- Showcasing projects, internships, and skills clearly
- Building a strong LinkedIn profile
- Preparing for common technical and HR interview questions
- Developing confidence and professional etiquette

Practical tips were shared to help students perform better in interviews.

5. Interactive Session
An interactive Q&A session was conducted where students discussed:
- How to prepare for industry roles
- Choosing the right career path
- Importance of skills over marks
- Balancing academics and skill development
- Opportunities in industry, entrepreneurship, and higher studies

The session successfully motivated students to take a proactive approach toward becoming industry-ready professionals.

Conclusion:
The session was concluded by **Dr. R. Sudakar, Associate Professor**, who delivered the vote of thanks. he thanked the resource person for delivering the 'One Day Professional Development Program' and the Head of the Department **Dr. M. Sreedevi**, and the management for giving the opportunity to initiate the event.