

Madanapalle Institute of Technology & Science (MITS), Deemed to be University

Detailed Report on the Visit of Distinguished Guest Mr. Hiroyuki Ishida on 21st September 2026

“Career Opportunities in Japan” Featuring Japanese-Global Entrepreneur

Introduction

MITS Deemed to be University hosted a Career Guidance session titled **"Career Opportunities in Japan: Culture, Tradition and Language,"** by a distinguished Japanese guest to explore pathways for students seeking careers in Japan on **21st September, 2026**.

In Seminar Hall A

The event was graced by the Chief Guest, Mr. Hiroyuki Ishida CEO & Founder of MOSAIQUE Innovation Centre, a global entrepreneur and also a versatile actor. Dr. Ramanathan, Principal of MITS highlighted the university's growing success in Japanese language training and increasing number of students pursuing internships in Japan.



The Chief Guest, Mr. Ishida has over three decades of international business experience, delivered the keynote address. He spoke extensively on Japan's technology-driven transformation following the devastation of the Second World War, illustrating how discipline and innovation rebuilt the nation into a global economic power. Mr. Ishida also introduced students to core aspects of Japanese culture, including punctuality, cleanliness, and silence. Turning to career guidance, Mr. Ishida outlined opportunities across multiple sectors in Japan and emphasized how the language proficiency significantly enhances employability and career growth for international candidates. He also pointed out that 98 of his trainee engineers are living in Japan and placed in good companies.



Adding a vivid cultural dimension to the session, Mr. Ishida demonstrated traditional Katana techniques associated with the Samurai and conducted a live Kimono-draping demonstration, offering students a hands-on glimpse into Japanese heritage. Accompanying Mr. Ishida was Ms. Mohana Das-Japanese Language Instructor provided students with a detailed overview of Japanese language proficiency levels (JLPT levels). She stressed the importance developing conversational Japanese rather than focusing solely on the certifications.

The session concluded with students expressing keen interest in pursuing Japanese language certification and exploring international career prospects, reflecting the growing appeal of Japan as a destination for higher education and employment among MITS students. Dr. P. Ramanathan, Principal, Prof. P. M. Balaji Assistant Director - Industry Relations, Mrs. U. Vijayalakshmi-Associate Director International Relations, Dr. S. Baskaran, HoD of Mechanical Dept participated in the event. Further, the delegation met the leadership team of the university and discussed about the growing opportunities for Indian students in Japan.

Boardroom:

Post lunch session started in the Board room at 2:30 PM, Dr. C. Yuvaraj, the Vice Chancellor (I/c), Dr. D. Pradeep Kumar-Registrar (I/c), Dr. P. Ramanathan-Principal, Deans and Heads of the Departments attended the event. Mr. Ishida was introduced to the leadership team and he gave a brief description of his company and his insights about MITS. Interactions about the Japanese language training, the benefits of language learning, career opportunities in Japan and the immersion process were enabled to the participants. Mr. Ishida and Ms. Mohana Das shared their perspectives about the Japanese language learning and the kind of support they would extend to the students. Mr. Ishida demonstrated traditional Katana techniques associated with the Samurai and added value by explaining more about the Japanese culture and traditions. He felt elated to share a few of his Indian experiences. He invited the MITS faculty and students to his academy and offered the internships and technical training as well.



Felicitation:

With a deep gratitude, Dr. C. Yuvraj, the Vice-Chancellor of MITS presented mementos to the esteemed guests. With a formal vote of thanks, the meeting was concluded.
