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Report on

“Report on MITS Collaboration with Bowling Green State University (BGSU)”

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MITS Community Radio 90.8 recently hosted a special session on 17th February 2025 to discuss the collaboration between Madanapalle Institute of Technology and Science (MITS) and Bowling Green State University (BGSU). This session, initiated by RJ Thara, featured interviews with distinguished experts from BGSU who shared insights on academic and technical opportunities for MITS students aspiring to study at BGSU.

The session was graced by the presence of **Dr. C. Yuvaraj, Principal of MITS, Sri. Satish Hegde-Adviser MITS, Mrs. Vijaya Lakhmi U- Senior Manager IRO & Institute Counsellor, Sri. M. Narasimhacharlu, MITS Community Radio Program Manager, Dr. E. Aravindraaj, Technical Coordinator of MITS Community Radio and Technical Assistant Pavan and RJs Rihaka, Sheema, and Nagi Reddy** also actively participated in organizing and executing the event.



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Expert Insights

- **Dr. Wael Mokhtar – Dean, College of Technology, Architecture, and Applied Engineering, Bowling Green State University-USA**

Dr. Wael Mokhtar addressed the recent challenges in the technical domain and provided valuable advice for the aspiring entrepreneurs. He emphasized the importance of hands-on experience in the technical fields and how students can leverage their skills for successful future.

- **Dr. Ram S. Veerapaneni – Interim Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, BGSU**
Dr. Ram S. Veerapaneni provided an overview of Bowling Green State University. He elaborated on BGSU's academic excellence, research facilities, and the diverse learning environment it offers to international students.

- **Can (Jon) Erdogmus – International Student Recruiter and Advisor, BGSU**
Jon Erdogmus highlighted the qualities BGSU looks for in students and stressed that students are a valuable investment for the institution. He also shared insights on the application process and the opportunities available for MITS students at BGSU.





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Discussion on MITS-BGSU Partnership

Smt. U. Vijaya Lakshmi- Senior Manager IRO & Institute Counsellor engaged the distinguished guests with an insightful discussion about the academic climate at MITS, and the benefits of the collaboration. The partnership aims to provide MITS students with global exposure, high-quality education, and a pathway to studying at BGSU.

RJ Thara concluded the session with a vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the esteemed experts for their valuable insights and encouragement provided to the students to explore global educational opportunities through this partnership.

Best Outcomes of the Event

Enhancement of Global Exposure opportunities for MITS Students

The collaboration with BGSU provides MITS students with international academic opportunities, enabling them to experience a diverse and high-quality educational environment.

Career and Research Opportunities

Insights from experts highlighted the significance of research facilities, technical advancements, and career prospects available at BGSU for MITS students.

Guidance on the Application Process

The session provided clarity on the application requirements, selection criteria, and expectations from BGSU, making the admission process smoother for aspiring students.

Emphasis on Hands-on Learning and Entrepreneurship

Dr. Wael Mokhtar's discussion emphasized the importance of practical knowledge and skill development, encouraging students to integrate hands-on experience into their academic journey.



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Stronger Academic Ties Between MITS and Bowling Green State University-USA

The partnership fosters a long-term academic relationship, benefiting MITS students through exchange programs, collaborative research, and mentorship from BGSU faculty.

Motivation for Higher Education Aspirants

The session inspired the students to consider global education opportunities, particularly at BGSU- USA, where they can access world-class education in a supportive learning atmosphere.

Recognition of MITS as a Hub for International Collaborations

The event reinforced MITS's commitment to global academic partnerships, positioning it as an institute that actively connects its students with international universities.

Conclusion

The session successfully shed light on the academic collaboration between MITS and BGSU, offering students an insight into the opportunities awaiting them at Bowling Green State University-USA. The discussions provided valuable guidance on academic, technical, and career-oriented aspects, ensuring that MITS students can be more self-directive about their choices in the field of higher education.

Mapping the Report to Sustainability Goals

1. SDG 4: Quality Education

The partnership provides MITS students with access to high-quality education, research facilities, and international learning experiences at BGSU.

Encourages skill-based learning and hands-on technical education, ensuring students are well-prepared for future careers.



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SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth

Discussions on entrepreneurship and skill development promote innovation, employability, and economic growth.

Guidance from BGSU experts help the students explore global career opportunities and enhance their technical competencies.

SDG 9: Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure

Insights from experts on emerging technologies and research opportunities contribute to innovation-driven education.

Encourages students to engage in research and development, enhancing technical expertise in various engineering and applied sciences fields.

SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities

The session highlighted opportunities for MITS students, promoting equal access to international education irrespective of background.