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ALUMNI JOURNEY

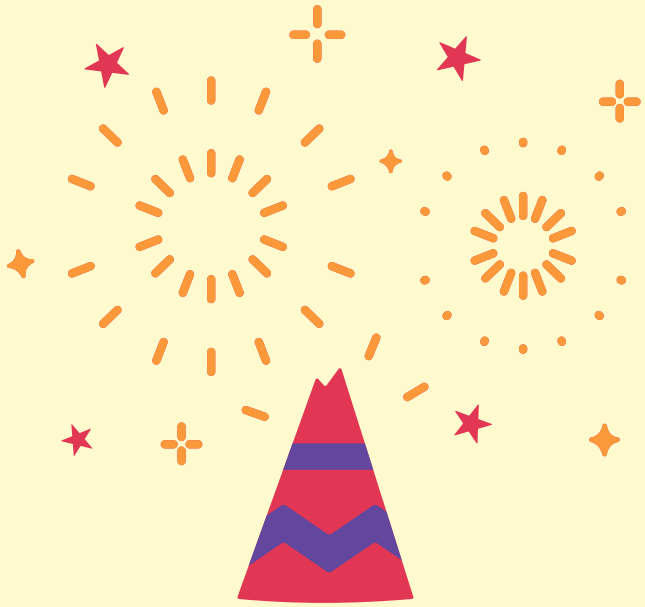
As an alumni of SRICT, I am Jaihind Pagdhare, a D2D student of Chemical Technology from Batch 2019 to 2023. I understand the importance of sharing my experience, which will help the students and future students of our college. I'm from Mumbai, Maharashtra.

I would like to share my amazing experience! College gave me bundles of endless opportunities. The state-of-the-art labs provided a hands-on learning experience, and the vibrant atmosphere fostered growth. With the help of my department, I got an internship at GRP Ltd. in R&D. Currently, I work as an executive technical sales representative at Nishigandha Polymers Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai.

About UPL Hostel, there is a lot to say, but I can't explain it in words. The hostel memories will stay with me forever.

My special thanks to the Chemical Technology Department for always guiding us in each and every stage.





JAYHIND PAGDHARE
CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY (2019 - 2023)
COMPANY NAME - GRP Ltd.

ALUMNI JOURNEY

Hello Readers,

I am delighted to share a glimpse of my journey from being a Chemical Engineering student at SRICT's 2015-19 batch to becoming a 'Product Supply Manager' at P&G.

In my current Job, I make sure that products like Ariel, Tide, Pantene, Head & Shoulders, Gillette, Oral B, Olay, Ambi Pur and Vicks are available on shelves when you visit a nearby store.

My path led me through enriching experiences, including working as a Supply Planner at UPL before pursuing an MBA at IIM Mumbai (Formerly NITIE, Mumbai).

These steps were pivotal in shaping my career, equipping me with the right skills to keep progressing.

Looking back, my time at SRICT laid a strong foundation. The amount of support, guidance and motivation given by the department, administration and Panjwani Sir himself was what made a difference for me during my time at SRICT.

I proudly carry the title of an SRICT alum, cherishing the memories of those days be it playing gully cricket with my friends at the Helipad, enjoying Dhirubhai's 'Cheese Mysore Dosa', estimating Anna's monthly revenue or bunking lectures to play TT.

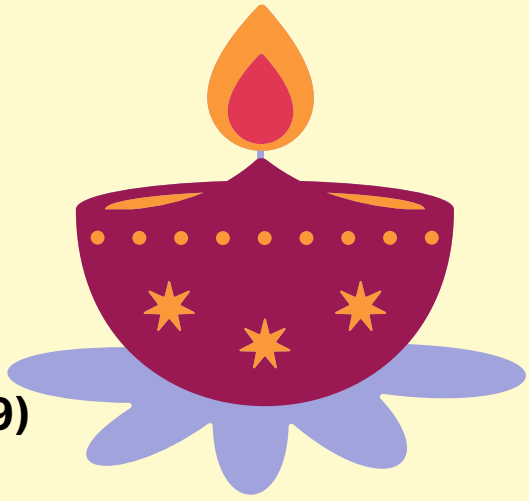
The rigorous course structure be it academic, co-curricular, extra-curricular and other initiatives like PLI, 5S, etc provided the groundwork and a strong foundation for my subsequent accomplishments.

Today, as I navigate the dynamic landscape of my professional career, I reflect on how each chapter of my journey has contributed to where I stand now. The learnings, challenges, and triumphs have sculpted my professional persona.

I extend my gratitude to all who have been a part of my journey.



YASH GOEL
CHEMICAL ENGINEERING (2015-2019)



ALUMNI JOURNEY

!! Greetings of the Day!!
My name is Krushnapalsinh Mahida, Alumni of SRICT and student of mechanical engineering from 2016-2020. I have completed graduation with a CGPA of 8.73.

I always remember my college days during which we had new friends and the memory full of fun, joy, sincerness, exam days and preparation for exam, study, submissions and all. I am really proud of my faculties and mentors for guiding me all the ways and their supports to enrich my career in the field.

After my graduation, I did my apprentice in GNFC (Gujarat Narmada Valley Fertilizers Co.) for a period of 1 year and 4 months. Then after I had been selected in Indofil Industries Ltd., Dahej, and there served for 1 month as Graduate Engineer Trainee. From May-2022, I have been working with L&T Technology Services Ltd., Vadodara.

Overall, from my college days to professional life, there are many support systems that they have grown me with all sense of roles, responsibilities and important skills which will enrich my career ahead.

I hearty thanks to SRICT management, faculties, staffs and all my dear friends for inculcating values and shaping my career well.





KRUSHNAPALSINH MAHIDA
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING (2016-2020)
COMPANY NAME - L&T TECHNOLOGY SERVICES Ltd.

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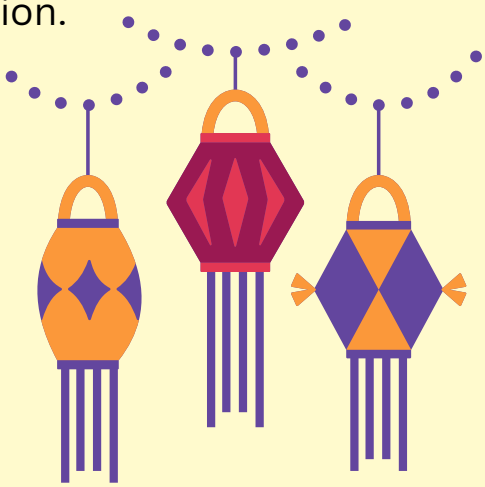
I have had the privilege of studying at UPL University of Sustainable Technology, and I can confidently say that it has been a remarkable journey. The university's commitment to academic excellence and sustainable practices is truly commendable.

The faculty at UPL University is not only knowledgeable but also highly supportive. Their guidance and encouragement have been instrumental in my academic and personal growth. The university's focus on practical, hands-on learning has provided me with valuable skills and insights that I can apply in my career as a chemist at Sajjan India Limited.

Moreover, the vibrant and diverse campus environment at UPL University has enriched my overall educational experience. The emphasis on sustainability in both the curriculum and campus operations aligns perfectly with my career goals and the values I hold dear.

I would like to express my heartfelt appreciation for UPL University and the impact it has had on my life and career. It has provided me with an excellent foundation and a strong sense of purpose as I continue to work in the field of chemistry. Thank you, UPL University, for your unwavering support and dedication to sustainable education.





DHRUV M . KASWALA
SRICT-ISR (2021-2023)
COMAPANY NAME- SAJJAN INDIA LIMITED

ALUMNI JOURNEY

Hello Readers ,

As I reflect upon my journey through the corridors of S R Shroff Rotary Institute of Chemical Technology, I can't help but marvel at the transformative experience that has shaped my engineering career. The institute, with its rich legacy and commitment to excellence, has been more than just an alma mater; it has been a nurturing ground for skills, knowledge, and personal growth.

The journey began with the immersive learning experiences within the classrooms and laboratories, where the foundation of my technical knowledge was laid. The lab sessions were not just about experiments; they were about understanding and applying theoretical concepts to real-world scenarios. The institute's emphasis on hands-on learning provided me with a solid understanding of the subject matter.

One of the standout aspects of my time at institute was the incorporation of the 5S system into our learning environment. This system, focusing on Sort, Set in order, Shine, Standardize, and Sustain, instilled a sense of discipline and organization in both academic and personal aspects of life. It was not just about tidying up physical spaces but also about organizing thoughts and approaches to problem-solving—a skill that has proven invaluable in my professional journey.

Moreover, my college provided a platform to explore and excel beyond the conventional curriculum. The opportunity to qualify for NPTEL courses broadened my horizons, exposing me to cutting-edge developments in various fields. Pursuing certifications in Data Science and Artificial Intelligence through NPTEL not only enhanced my technical expertise but also positioned me at the forefront of the rapidly evolving technological landscape.

As I stepped into the professional realm, armed with the knowledge and skills acquired at S R Shroff Rotary institute of chemical technology , the doors to opportunities swung wide open. Joining TATA Consultancy Services marked the beginning of a new chapter in my career. The robust foundation laid during my college years, coupled with the certifications in Data Science and Artificial Intelligence, equipped me to tackle complex challenges in the corporate world.



TEJAS
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
COMPANY NAME-TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES

ALUMNI JOURNEY

Hello everyone,

I, Saloni Patel, a former student of the Environmental Science and Technology department. Currently I am working at Gujarat Insecticides Limited, Ankleshwar. My experience at SRICT has taught me one fundamental thing – life is unpredictable. It might be good, it might be bad, it might be weird, and it might not interest you, but expect anything to happen. We have seen SRICT transformation from a college to a fully fledged successful university and I feel so proud that I am a part of it. People might try to motivate you by saying that you study only through your school years and chill during college life, but that isn't true. SRICT taught the important lesson of life that learning never ends. In every nook and corner of the college, you'd find a peaceful spot full of natural surroundings, whose value you will only realize once you graduate from your campus.



SALONI PATEL
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (2016-2020)
COMPANY NAME- GUJARAT INSECTICIDES Ltd.

SPOTLIGHT

GDSC UPL University Students Excel at AWS Community Day Vadodara 2023

Department of Computer Engineering is delighted to share the remarkable participation of UPL University of Sustainable Technology students at the **AWS Community Day Vadodara 2023**.

Mustakim Adat, Aditya Bacchav, Siddhesh Nimkar,Devraj (DE CO Sem.3), Abdullah Chaudhary (DE CO Sem. 5) and Prem Mistry (BE CO Sem 5) wholeheartedly immersed themselves in the world of AWS.











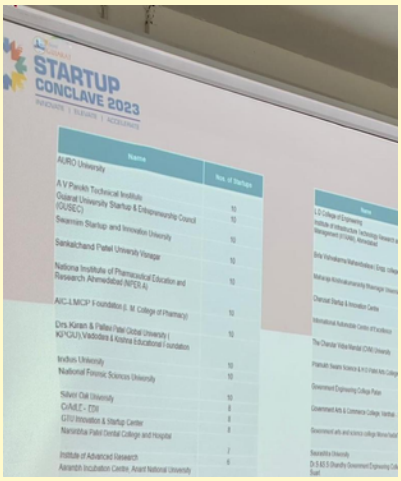


Their active involvement in diverse sessions, interaction with industry professionals from AWS and esteemed MNCs, exemplifies their dedication. As esteemed members of "**GDSC UPL University**", their presence showcased the institution's commitment to fostering talent. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to these students for making a remarkable impact! 🚀

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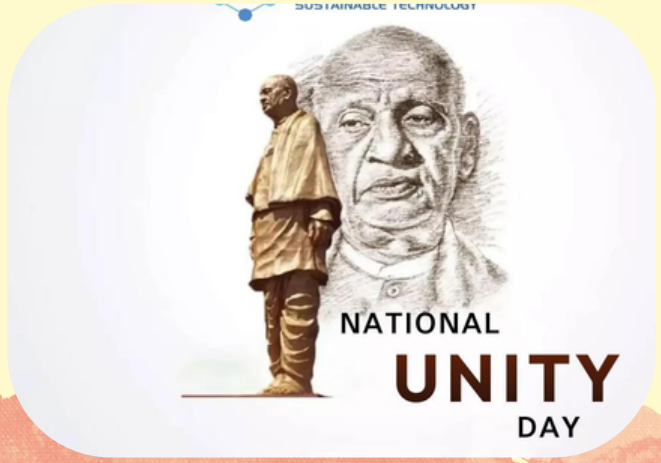
A meeting held on 01/11/2023 at **Office of Commissionerate- Govt.of Gujarat Gandhinagar** in the august presence of Shri Banchha Nidhi Pani, IAS-Commissioner Technical Education Govt.of Gujarat inorder ensure the success of the Startup Conclave Expo and to discuss the progress and participation status.Prominent activities such as the New India Vibrant Hackathon 2023, Investor RISE - Startup Pitching, and the Startup Conclave Expo, alongside informative plenary sessions were discussed along with number of Start ups going to participate from different corners of Gujarat.







Mr.Uddyalok Chakraborty-Lecturer Dept.of Computer Engineering & IT attended the said meeting on 01/10/2023 on behalf of **SSIP Cell of UPL University of Sustainable Technology**.



ALUMNI'S EVENT

"Leading with Wisdom: Expert Talks for Success"

The **Department of Computer Engineering**, UPL University of Sustainable Technology organized an expert lecture on "**Convert your passion into profession**" for Diploma 3rd semester of students on 02/11/2023.
Lecture was delivered by Mr. Jay Rajgor, Business execution Head and official Partner of "FLYBIZ CONSULTANCY PVT LTD", Surat.



He spoke on how to convert your passion into profession and also motivated the students to set their goals high. The students and faculty members well appreciated the session.

ALUMNI'S EVENT

Conversations with Experts: Learn, Grow, Succeed"

The **Department of Electrical Engineering** of UPL University of Sustainable Technology organized Expert Lecture on "**Role of Electrical Engineer in Maintenance**" for 5th Semester BE & 3rd semester DE Electrical Engineering students on 03/11/23. Expert lecture was delivered by Mr. Tejash chaudhari Assistant system engineer - TCS. He briefed the students about electric safety, preventive maintenance, Testing of induction motor and transformer in Industries especially Chemical Industries. The Expert Lecture was well appreciated by the students who enthusiastically attended the session and cleared their doubts.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CAMPUS

"Sharing Life: Our Successful Blood Donation Camp"

The Department of **Environmental Science** & **Technology**, **SRICT** & **Department of Chemistry**, **SRICT- ISR** at UPL University of Sustainable Technology jointly organized "**RAKT- KUNDALI-2023**"- **A Blood Donation Camp** (under IQAC) at UPL University of Sustainable Technology in association with Kumarpal Gandhi Blood Bank, Ankleshwar on 1st November 2023.





In this camp, the students and staff of various Departments of the university showed their commitment towards social responsibility with a very encouraging response in blood donation activity.

UPL University - always a leader in its duty towards the society, to support the public welfare activities by donating 70 units of blood to Kumarpal Gandhi Blood Centre, Ankleshwar.





WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CAMPUS

A training workshop on **Basic Life Support and First Aid** & **Fire Safety**" was organised for **NCC cadets** by NCC subunit of university in collaboration with UPL Ltd. Total 80 participants including NCC cadets of University and members from UPL Ltd. security team participated in the said workshop. Mr. Shankar Narayan, (renowned trainer from HSE India and ex- Indian Air Force) volunteered for the training workshop and spent the entire day with the participants. Mr. Shankar Narayan delivered the sessions on "Basic First Aid" and "Fire Safety Preparedness" with passion and finesse. Mr. Shankar Narayan also motivated the NCC cadets and provided the much-needed impetus and inputs on the schemes through which the NCC Cadets could qualify for the Army, Navy and Air Force streams. The workshop concluded with a vote of thanks and gratitude for Mr. Shankar Narayan. UPL University appreciates the efforts put by Mr. Manish Singh Datta, Head of Security of UPL Ltd., to make this training workshop a grand success.







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On the auspicious occasion of Diwali, the Alumni Association of UPL University of Sustainable Technology wishes everyone a "Very Happy Diwali".

This month we had organized "Blood Donation Camp"

Looking forward to stay connected
Send your article before 15th of every month on **setu@upluniversity.ac.in**

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