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What Alumni Say About Us:

"As a proud alumnus, my university shaped not just my career, but my character—instilling knowledge, values, and lifelong friendships that continue to guide me forward."

—Alumni, Batch of 2016

S.E.T.U. United forever



ALUMNI JOURNEY





Vanza Yash

Department of Chemical Engineering
BATCH 2022-2025

My academic journey began in 2022 when I joined the Chemical Engineering program at SRICT, UPL University of Sustainable Technology. During my academic journey, I faced several challenges that taught me important life lessons such as discipline, patience, and perseverance. Instead of giving up, I used these challenges as motivation to work harder and improve myself. These experiences helped me become more focused, confident, and determined about my future goals. I believe education is not only about gaining knowledge but also about developing character and practical skills. UPL University attracts me because of its quality education, experienced faculty, modern infrastructure, and emphasis on overall student development. I am confident that the learning environment at UPL University will help me enhance my skills and prepare me for real-world challenge. As I learned more about Chemical Engineering, I realized that it plays a crucial role in industries such as chemicals, petrochemicals, pharmaceuticals, energy, polymers, food processing, and environmental engineering. Subjects like heat transfer, mass transfer, fluid mechanics, and chemical reaction engineering showed me how theoretical concepts are directly connected to industrial operations and process optimization. I strongly believe that industry exposure is essential for an engineer. UPL University attracts me because of its emphasis on practical learning, laboratory work, industrial training, and collaboration with industries. The university's focus on internships, industrial visits, and real-world projects will help me understand industrial standards, safety practices, and professional work culture. The institute's focus on practical learning through over 24 industrial visits and 32 expert lectures offered valuable industry exposure. Events like "Think Out of the Box" and "Young Entrepreneurship Connect" enhanced my leadership, teamwork, and event management skills while fostering creativity and industry connections.



ALUMNI JOURNEY





Akshay Rajpurohit

Department of Mechanical Engineering
BATCH 2019-2023

I am Akshay Rajpurohit, a proud alumnus of Shroff S.R. Rotary Institute of Chemical Technology, where I completed my B.E. in Mechanical Engineering (2019–2023). My time at the institute helped me build a strong technical foundation along with practical understanding of industrial processes and equipment. The continuous support from faculty and exposure to laboratory work played an important role in shaping my technical skills. After graduating in February 2023, I started my professional career as a Maintenance Engineer at BEIL Infrastructure Limited, Ankleshwar. In my current role, I am primarily involved in pump repair, along with preventive and corrective maintenance activities to ensure smooth and efficient plant operations. This experience has provided me with valuable hands-on exposure to industrial equipment and maintenance practices. It has also strengthened my problem-solving abilities, teamwork, and decision-making skills in real-time situations. Looking ahead, I aim to further enhance my expertise in maintenance and plant operations while continuously learning and growing in my professional journey. I am grateful to my institute for providing a strong platform and guiding me towards a successful career.



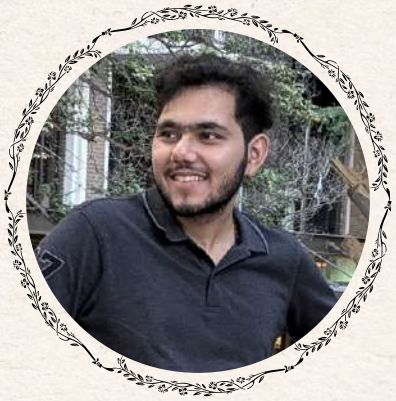
ALUMNI JOURNEY



Sarvesh Tripathi

Department of Electrical Engineering
BATCH 2020-2023

As an alumnus of UPL University of Sustainable Technology (Electrical Engineering, Class of 2020), I am privileged to reflect on a journey that has profoundly shaped my personal and professional development. During my academic journey, I undertook a summer internship at the UPL Energy Cell, where I gained valuable hands-on experience in energy audits and power analysis across leading industries, including Solvay, Sajjan India, and UPL. My final internship further enhanced my expertise in automation, power systems, control engineering, and applied technical problem-solving. Beyond academics, I actively contributed to technical fests and sports events, where I cultivated a strong inclination toward leadership and event management. These experiences significantly enhanced my organizational, communication, and team leadership capabilities. I commenced my professional career as an Engineer at Macro Polymers Pvt. Ltd., securing this opportunity during my final semester. Presently, I serve as an Assistant Manager at Procmart, a multinational organization, where I lead Power and Utilities projects across Gujarat, Maharashtra, and Madhya Pradesh. I am deeply appreciative of the Training and Placement Centre for its consistent efforts in facilitating career opportunities and industry exposure. The university's emphasis on quality education, technical excellence, communication skills, and financial support through scholarships has been pivotal in my success. I extend my sincere gratitude to Dr. Praful Chudasama, Mr. Ankur Gheewala, and Mr. Krunal Shah for their exemplary mentorship and unwavering guidance throughout my academic tenure. Their support was instrumental in strengthening my technical acumen and professional outlook. I take immense pride in being part of the UPL University community. The opportunities, guidance, and support I received have laid a strong foundation for my professional journey. I once again extend my heartfelt thanks to my mentors and the institution for their enduring support and encouragement.



ALUMNI JOURNEY



Tikul Bhatt

Department of Computer Engineering
BATCH 2021-2025

Hi everyone,

I'm Tikul Bhatt from the 2021–2025 batch (B.E. Computer Engineering), and my journey at UPL University of Sustainable Technology has truly been a memorable one. When I first joined, I wasn't entirely sure what to expect—but over time, this place became more than just a university. It became a space where I grew both academically and personally. From late-night assignments and to take part in hackathon, to last-minute exam prep and random campus moments, every experience shaped me in some way. The Computer Engineering program gave me a strong technical foundation, but more importantly, it taught me how to think critically and solve real-world problems. I'd also like to thank the faculty—their guidance, support, and constant encouragement really made a difference, even if it sometimes came in the form of pushing us out of our comfort zones. What I'll miss the most is the overall vibe—the friends, the small moments, the pressure before deadlines, and the sense of achievement after getting through it all. These four years taught me resilience, teamwork, and the importance of staying curious. Currently, I'm pursuing my Master's in Engineering Data Science and AI at the University of Houston, USA. To the juniors: make the most of your time here. Explore, learn, connect, and don't stress too much—you'll figure things out along the way. I am grateful for everything this journey has given me. I would always be grateful for the environment of campus, which gave me tough learnings that will help me in my life.



ALUMNI JOURNEY



Rittal Rathod

Department of Chemical Technology
BATCH 2017-2021

I am Rittal Rathod, a proud alumnus of Shroff SR Rotary Institute of Chemical Technology (SRICT). I graduated in 2021 with a specialization in Dyes & Pigment Technology from the Chemical Technology Department. After completing my degree, I joined Astik Dyestuff Pvt. Ltd. through campus placement as an Analytical and R&D Officer. My journey from a student to a professional has been greatly enriched by the knowledge and skills I gained during my time at SRICT. I am sincerely grateful to all the dedicated and knowledgeable faculty members, especially those from the Chemical Technology Department, whose guidance and continuous support played a crucial role in shaping my career. The department provided an excellent learning environment along with valuable industrial exposure, including visits to various dyes and pigment industries and internship opportunities in reputed organizations. These experiences significantly strengthened our practical understanding and prepared us for professional careers. I fondly cherish the time spent with my batch mates and the invaluable academic environment provided by SRICT. I encourage current students to remain dedicated to learning, stay motivated, and confidently pursue their aspirations. Overall, being a part of the Dyes and Pigment department at SRICT was truly a rewarding and memorable experience.



ALUMNI JOURNEY



Chetan Petkar

Department of Environmental Science & Technology
BATCH 2020-2024

My name is Chetan Petkar, and I am a proud alumnus of Shroff SR Rotary Institute of Chemical Technology, where I completed my graduation in Environmental Science & Technology in 2024. For me, this institute is not just a place of education—it is where I truly found my direction, built my confidence, and shaped my identity. When I first stepped into the campus, I was full of curiosity but also uncertainty about my future. Over time, the institute became my second home. The support from faculty, the practical exposure, and the learning environment helped me grow not only academically but also personally. It was here that I developed a deep connection with environmental science and realized the importance of sustainability in today's world. My journey with the institute did not end with my graduation. The bond was so strong that I chose to continue my learning at the same place by pursuing a Post Graduate Diploma in Environmental Compliance & Sustainability in 2025. By then, the institute had evolved into UPL University of Sustainable Technology, marking a new chapter of growth and vision. Being a part of this transition made me feel even more connected, as if I was growing along with the institute itself. This program gave me deeper insights into environmental regulations, compliance systems, and sustainable industrial practices, preparing me for real-world challenges. Currently, I am working as an Executive – Environment at Superform Chemistries Limited, Jhagadia. Every day at work, I apply the knowledge and values I gained during my time at the institute. Whether it is ensuring compliance, monitoring environmental systems, or contributing to sustainability initiatives, I carry a part of my institute with me in everything I do. Looking back, my journey has been emotional and deeply fulfilling. The institute has given me more than just a degree—it has given me lifelong memories, mentors who guided me, and a purpose to work towards a better environment. I will always be grateful for this bond, and I hope to make my institute proud through my work and dedication to sustainability.

Spot Light- Alumni Achievements



Dr. Bhavik Mahant

We congratulate Dr. Bhavik Mahant alumni Chemical Engineering Batch 2013 has received the world's prestigious fellowship from European Union called Marie Curie fellowship to work at Denmark Technical University



Whats Happening in Campus?





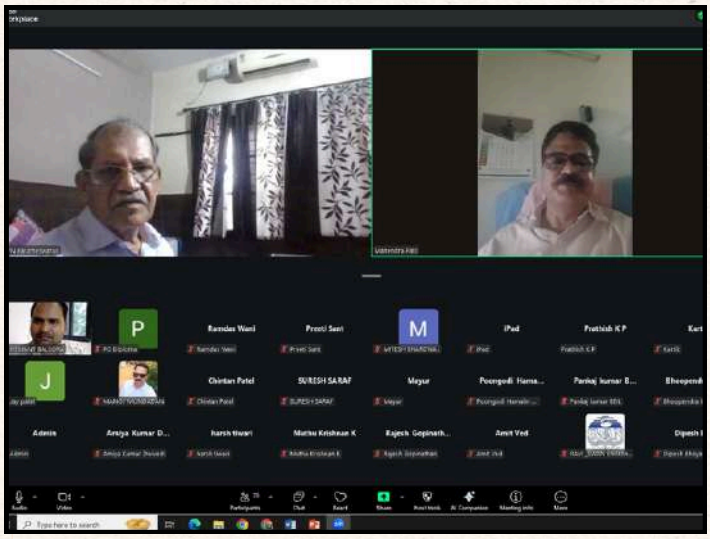




UPL University of Sustainable Technology proudly organized its prestigious academic awards ceremony, **"Abhyutthan–2026,"**on 17th March 2026 to recognize and honour the outstanding academic achievements of its students.The ceremony celebrated the excellent performance of Diploma Engineering students in the Winter–2025 examinations across various branches, including Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Computer Engineering, Environmental Engineering, and Information Technology.

Whats Happening in Campus?





A webinar on "New Solid Waste Management (SWM) Rules 2026 & Its Implementation" was jointly organized by UPL University of Sustainable Technology and the IIChE Ankleshwar Regional Centre. The program commenced with a welcome address by Prof. Shrikant J. Wagh, Provost, UPL University, emphasized the need of the Webinar. The webinar witnessed active involvement of 80 Professionals represented 33 organisations.





The Department of Mechanical Engineering at UPL University of Sustainable Technology successfully organized a high-impact, one-day training program on "Industrial Steam Generation: Hazards, Risk Assessment and Advanced Control Strategies" (ISG:HRA&ACS) on March 11, 2026. Conducted in hybrid mode, the program bridged the gap between academic expertise and industrial application, attracting 17 professional participants from various industries (14 offline and 3 online).

Whats Happening in Campus?





The Department of Chemistry, SRICT-Institute of Science and Research, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, successfully organized the National Seminar "Green & Sustainable Transformations through Contemporary Practices in Modern Chemical Industry" (GST-CPMCI-2026) on 2nd March 2026, Monday in online mode.





We are proud to announce the successful completion of the SIEMENS CNC MILLING Training Program at the Siemens CNC Training Center, Department of Mechanical Engineering, UPL University of Sustainable Technology! On February 27, 2026, 19 dedicated students from our 8th Semester B.E. and 6th Semester D.E. programs wrapped up an intensive hands-on experience. This program wasn't just about theory it was about preparing our students for the future of manufacturing.

Whats Happening in Campus?



"TechnoSpark UUST" Club of the Department of Computer Engineering and Information Technology successfully conducted a “Website Creation and Design Workshop” for B.E. Computer Engineering Sem. 4 students on 05.03.2026. Mr. Awadh along with his student team explained the basic concepts of website development and demonstrated how a website is designed and how it works in real-time.

The Department of Chemical Engineering organized a Lab Audit Competition under the IIChE Student Chapter as part of the Safety Week celebrations on 09/03/2026. The competition aimed to raise awareness among students of laboratory safety, auditing practices, and risk management. Participants demonstrated their understanding of safe laboratory procedures, hazard identification, and proper handling of chemicals and equipment.



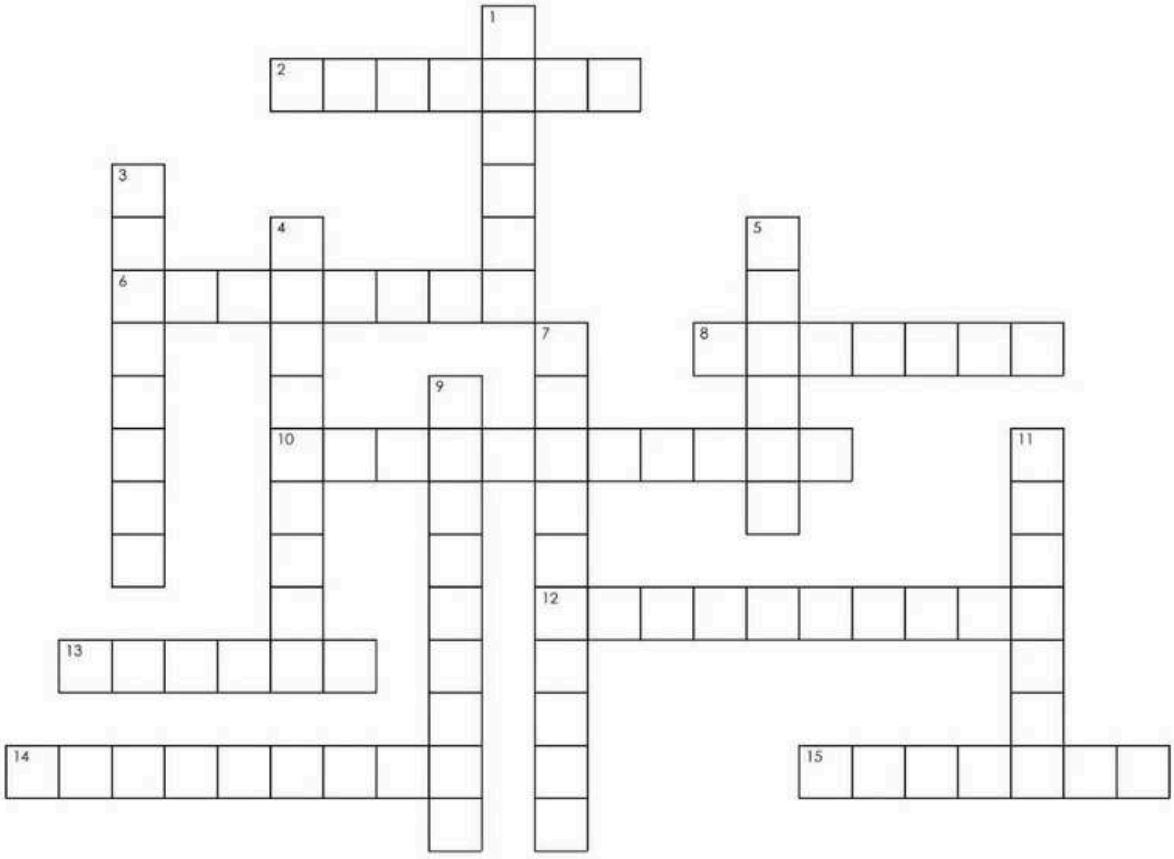


"Students from Computer Engg. & Information Technology Successfully participated in “HackOverflow 4.0 – 2 Days National Level Hackathon organized by Pillai HOC College of Engineering & Technology, Panvel, and Mumbai.”



At University

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Across: →

2. books and quiet
6. class plan and work
8. small class discussion
10. money for good grades
12. homework from teacher
13. paper for finishing
14. teacher at college
15. learner at school

Down: ↓

1. college's big school
3. study and learn morre
4. friend in the class
5. big paper to finish
7. ceremony for finishing
9. sleep place on campus
11. teacher talks in class

From the Editors Desk

In this month we celebrate Holi, Gudi Padwa, Ramnavmi & Mahavir Jayanti.

Request you to please solve the puzzle published in the fun zone section and send it on the below mentioned Email ID. Name of winners will be published in the next edition.

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