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# ALUMNI JOURNEY

## Harsh Patel

**Department of Environmental Science & Technology**
**BATCH 2022-2026**

My journey at UPL University of Sustainable Technology has been a truly enriching and memorable experience. My four years in the Department of Environmental Science & Technology provided me with strong technical knowledge, practical exposure, and the confidence to begin my professional career. The faculty members played a very important role in shaping my career. Their constant guidance, encouragement, and practical approach to teaching helped me strengthen my technical skills and develop a professional mindset. Their mentorship motivated me to learn beyond the classroom and understand the real-world challenges of environmental management and sustainability. The university's emphasis on practical learning, industrial exposure, sustainability, and skill development prepared me well for the transition from academics to industry. The opportunities and experiences I received at UPL University have given me a strong foundation for my career. Today, I am working as a Graduate Engineer Trainee – Environment & Sustainability at Epigral Limited, Dahej. I am grateful to my faculty members, mentors, friends, and the university for their valuable support and for helping shape me into a confident environmental professional. I am proud to be an alumnus of UPL University of Sustainable Technology and will always value the knowledge, guidance, and experiences I gained here.



# ALUMNI JOURNEY

## Chinmay Mistry

### Department of Chemical Engineering
### BATCH 2020-2024

My academic journey began in 2020 when I enrolled in the Chemical Engineering program at SRICT, UPL University of Sustainable Technology. Over the course of my undergraduate studies, I encountered various challenges that played a significant role in shaping my personality. These experiences taught me valuable life lessons such as discipline, patience, resilience, and perseverance. Rather than being discouraged, I used these challenges as opportunities to grow, which made me more focused, confident, and determined about my future goals. During my time as a Chemical Engineering student, I not only gained technical knowledge but also developed essential soft skills such as leadership, time management, and teamwork. Managing academic responsibilities, assignments, and projects helped me become more organized and efficient. The university's strong emphasis on peer learning initiatives played a crucial role in my development, as it encouraged collaborative learning and helped me build the confidence to express my ideas and present myself effectively in front of others. Academically, subjects such as heat transfer, mass transfer, fluid mechanics, and chemical reaction engineering provided me with a strong foundation and helped me understand how theoretical concepts are applied in real-world industrial processes. This strengthened my interest in the diverse applications of Chemical Engineering across industries such as chemicals, petrochemicals, energy, food processing, and environmental engineering. The institute's focus on practical exposure through industrial visits, expert lectures, and real-world learning opportunities further enhanced my understanding of industry practices. In addition to academics, I actively participated in various events such as the Annual Fest and Sci-Technovation, where I had the opportunity to demonstrate my leadership abilities by taking responsibility as head of a specific department. These experiences strengthened my leadership, coordination, and decision-making skills. I strongly believe that education is not just about acquiring knowledge but also about developing character, confidence, and practical skills. My journey at UPL University has played a significant role in shaping me into a well-rounded individual, ready to take on real-world challenges. Currently I am pursuing MBA in Operations and supply chain management from MIT WPU.



# ALUMNI JOURNEY

## Meet Patel

### Department of Computer Engineering
### BATCH 2022-2026

Hello Everyone!
Greetings to all.

I am Meet Patel, an alumnus of the Department of Computer Engineering at UPL University of Sustainable Technology. My engineering journey has been a remarkable experience of learning, growth, and self-discovery. Over the past four years, I have built a strong foundation in programming, software development, and data analytics while continuously enhancing my technical and interpersonal skills. During my academic journey, I completed an internship in Application Development, where I gained hands-on experience in developing software applications, understanding the software development lifecycle, and working in a professional environment. This internship strengthened my technical knowledge and improved my problem-solving, communication, and teamwork abilities. For my final-year project, I developed a Student Information Dashboard using Data Analytics and Power BI. The project focused on analyzing college student data, including enrollment details, departments, schools, scholarship records, placement statistics, and other academic information. By transforming raw data into interactive dashboards and meaningful visualizations, the project provided valuable insights that could support better decision-making and institutional planning. My time at the university has taught me the importance of dedication, continuous learning, and collaboration. I am sincerely grateful to all my professors, mentors, and friends for their constant guidance and encouragement throughout this journey. The knowledge, experiences, and memories I have gained at UPL University will always remain a strong foundation for my future. As I begin my professional career, I look forward to applying my skills, embracing new challenges, and contributing to innovative solutions in the field of technology while making my alma mater proud.



# ALUMNI JOURNEY

## Kailas Johare

### Department of Chemical Technology
### BATCH 2022-2026

Myself, Kailas Johare , a proud student of UPL University from 2022 Batch. My journey at SRICT as a student of Chemical Technology (Dyes and Pigment Technology) from 2022–2026 has been an important chapter in my personal and professional development. The institute offered an enriching environment where classroom concepts were consistently connected with practical applications and industrial requirements. The curriculum, laboratory work, hands-on learning, and industry exposure helped me develop a strong understanding of chemical technology while building the confidence to approach real-world challenges. The constant guidance and encouragement of the faculty members further strengthened my technical abilities and motivated me to pursue professional excellence. One of the most valuable aspects of my experience at SRICT was the opportunity to develop skills beyond academics. The institute encouraged discipline, teamwork, problem-solving, and continuous learning qualities that have proved equally important in my professional journey. The practical knowledge and industry-oriented approach I gained during my studies helped me transition smoothly from academics to the workplace. I am proud to share that I secured an opportunity with Subhasri Pigments, Ankleshwar, even before completing my final semester. Today, I am working with the organization as a Technical Officer, where I am applying the knowledge and skills developed during my time at SRICT. I am sincerely thankful to the faculty and the entire SRICT community for providing me with the knowledge, exposure, and confidence required to take the first step toward a successful career. My experience at the institute has truly shaped my professional outlook and prepared me for continuous growth. I encourage current students to actively participate in practical learning, make full use of the facilities and opportunities provided by the institute, and remain curious throughout their academic journey. With dedication, consistency, and the right attitude, the foundation built at SRICT can become a strong stepping stone toward a rewarding career.



# ALUMNI JOURNEY

## Sparsh Prasad

**Department of Mechanical Engineering**
**BATCH 2017-2021**

!! Wish You All, A Happy 80th Independence Year!!

Sparsh Prasad, B.E. Mechanical Engineer (2017–2021) from Shroff S R Rotary Institute of Chemical Technology. My undergraduate journey gave me a strong foundation in engineering, analytical thinking and problem-solving, while also encouraging me to explore opportunities beyond my core discipline. After graduation, I gained industry exposure through an internship in Risk Analytics for the Banking and Financial Services sector, where I developed practical skills in SQL and Microsoft Excel. In July 2021, I started my professional career as a Salesforce Developer at Perigreen Software (formerly Intforce Software). Over the years, I have developed expertise in Salesforce Administration, Apex, Lightning Web Components (LWC), Integrations, Agentforce and Marketing Cloud. To strengthen my professional capabilities, I have continuously upgraded my skills through Salesforce certifications, including Salesforce Certified Platform App Builder and Marketing Cloud Account Engagement Specialist. Looking back, my journey from Mechanical Engineering to Salesforce technology has been an exciting transition. My education helped develop my analytical and problem-solving abilities, while my professional experience taught me the importance of continuous learning, adaptability and embracing new opportunities. I am grateful to my institute and faculty members for the foundation that has supported my career journey.



# ALUMNI JOURNEY

## Diya K. Ghodasara

**Department of B.Sc. Microbiology**
**BATCH 2025-2026**

My journey at UPL University was truly enriching and laid a strong foundation for my career in microbiology. The supportive faculty, hands-on practical learning, and encouraging academic environment helped me develop strong technical skills, confidence, and a passion for microbiology. The practical laboratory sessions and industrial exposure were among the most memorable parts of my undergraduate journey. These experiences strengthened my laboratory skills and gave me valuable insight into the real-world applications of microbiology. Currently, I am pursuing M.Sc. Microbiology at Charotar University of Science and Technology (CHARUSAT), where I am expanding my knowledge and research skills to achieve my career goals. I am grateful to the Department of Microbiology at UPL University for providing me with the knowledge and opportunities that continue to inspire my academic and professional journey.

# Spot Light- Alumni Achievements



## Ms. Khushi Bhutani

We congratulate Ms. Khushi Bhutani alumni Computer Engineering - Batch 2021 for her promotion to Associate Data Scientist at UPL Ltd, Jhaghadia, Gujarat.



## Mr. Ankit Khare

We congratulate Mr. Ankit Khare alumni Environmental Science and Technology - Batch 2012 for his new position as South Gujarat Cluster Manager - Environment & Sustainability at Pidilite Industries Limited

Congrats!

# WHATS HAPPENING IN CAMPUS?












**UPL University of Sustainable Technology (UUST) celebrated the 80th Independence Day with great enthusiasm, patriotic spirit, and a strong commitment towards the vision of "Viksit Bharat 2047," with the theme "Yuva Shakti for Viksit Bharat 2047."**

# WHATS HAPPENING IN CAMPUS?






Students from EST have represented our University at 40th National Convention on "Fostering Green Energy and Environmental Sustainability for India : Vikshit Bharat 2047" at The Institute of Engineers (India) in Bhopal from August 1st to 2nd, 2026.







The Department of Chemistry, SRICT–Institute of Science and Research, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, under the aegis of IQAC, successfully organized the One Week Online Short-Term Training Programme (STTP) on "Leveraging Technology through Advanced Materials for Sustainable Future (LTAMSF-2026)" from 27th July to 1st August 2026.

# WHATS HAPPENING IN CAMPUS?




We are delighted to congratulate the students of the Department of Computer Engineering, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, for their outstanding participation in the Startup Showdown 2026 – National Startup Pitching Competition, organized by Avantika University in association with Edugild Innovation Foundation, Unstop, and the Entrepreneurship Cell (E-Cell).

Under the aegis of 1 GCTR NCC Unit, the NCC Sub-Unit of UPL University of Sustainable Technology organized a Tree Plantation Drive under the campaign "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" at the University campus.





The खेल Club of the Department of Chemistry, SRICT – Institute of Science & Research, UPL University successfully organized an exciting Chess Competition on dated 22-07-2026, 01:30 PM-02:30 PM to promote strategic thinking, concentration, decision-making, and sportsmanship among students.

# WHATS HAPPENING IN CAMPUS?



| Sr. No. | Jumbled Letters | Answer |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | GYOXEN | Oxygen |
| 2 | DUSMOI | Sodium |
| 3 | BARCON | Carbon |
| 4 | LICOHCREN | Chlorine |
| 5 | MLIUCAC | Calcium |
| 6 | ONIR | Iron |
| 7 | NENOGRTI | Nitrogen |
| 8 | ILICONS | Silicon |
| 9 | COPRPE | Copper |
| 10 | FLUSUR | Sulfur |
| 11 | HDROGEYN | Hydrogen |
| 12 | HELUIM | Helium |
| 13 | AGMSIUENM | Magnesium |
| 14 | PHOSPROHUS | Phosphorus |
| 15 | TOPASSIUM | Potassium |
| 16 | ROMBINE | Bromine |
| 17 | FLUORINE | Fluorine |
| 18 | MANGANESE | Manganese |

UPL University is delighted to host the inaugural session of NextGen Academia Connect, an industry–academia initiative by UPL Ltd and Superform under the NextGen talent ecosystem, focused on creating meaningful early-career exposure and enabling students to learn directly from industry professionals.



The Department of Chemistry, SRICT–Institute of Science and Research, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, under the विज्ञान-Club, successfully organized an Element Anagram Puzzle Activity on 28 July 2026.



The SRICT – Institute of Science & Research, Department of Chemistry, Pathyetar Club organized a Patriotic Poster Competition on 13th August 2026 to celebrate the spirit of patriotism and commemorate India's Independence Day. The theme of the competition was "Freedom in Every Stroke." Students were encouraged to express their love for the nation through creative and meaningful hand-drawn posters.

# WHATS HAPPENING IN CAMPUS?




The UPL University, Department of Mechanical Engineering organized *Installation Ceremony of ISHRAE Chapter on 18 August 2026 at SH–1,The ceremony marked the formal installation of the new student chapter team for the Society Year 2026–27, with Mr. Mrugesh Karia serving as the Installation Officer, President Mr. Kashyap Bhutani, Mr.Ankit Makwana were grace the occasion.

The Department of Chemical Engineering, under the banner of the IIChE Student Chapter in association with the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), successfully organized a session on "Safety & Hazards Management in Chemical Industries" on 14th August 2026 for the students of Semester 3, Chemical Engineering.





The Department of Chemical Engineering, under the banner of the IIChE Student Chapter in association with the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), successfully organized an outreach initiative on 14th August 2026 at Sengpur Primary School, Sengpur, Valia, Ankleshwar, to promote computer literacy among school students.

# WHATS HAPPENING IN CAMPUS?



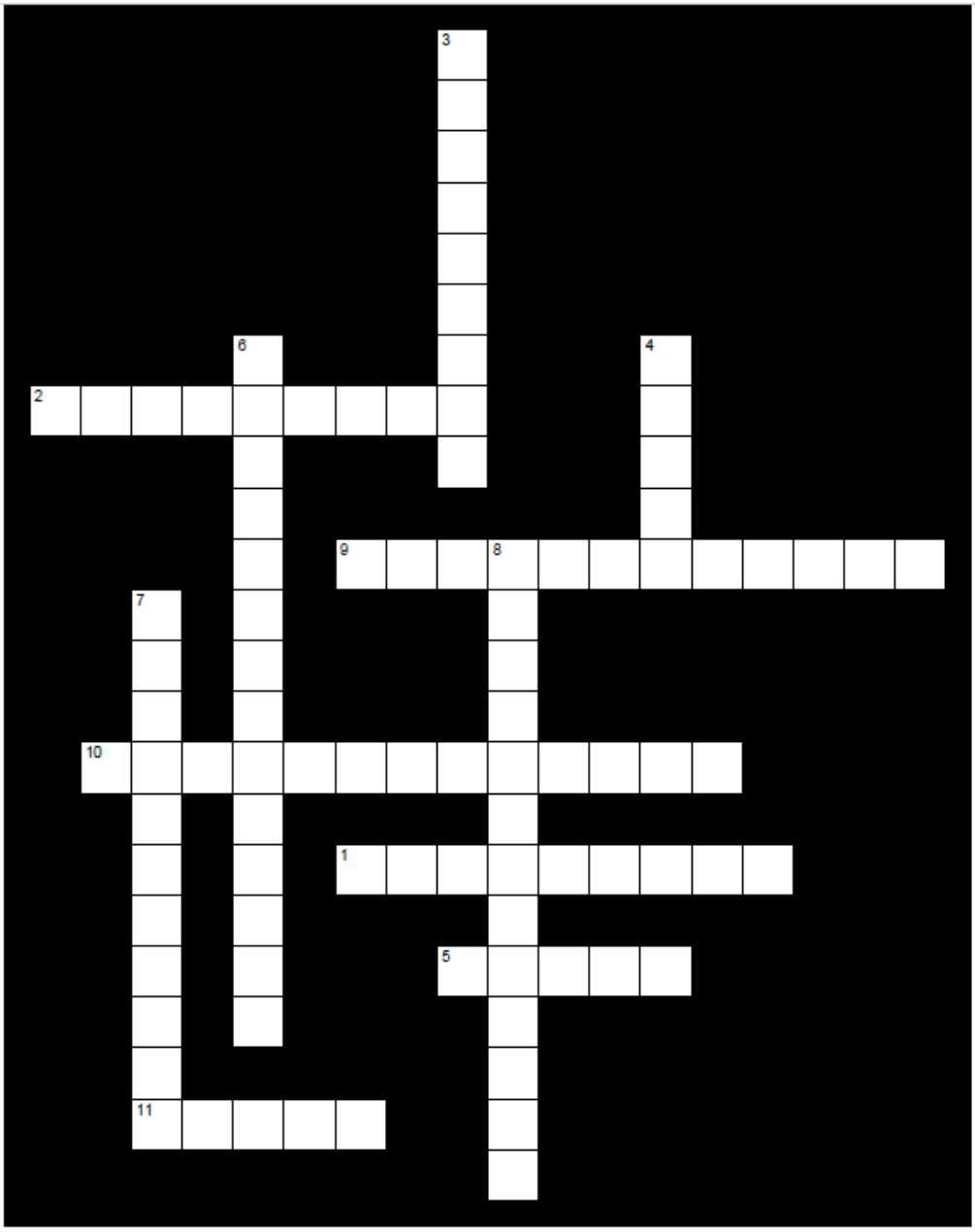

The Department of Chemical Engineering, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, under the banner of the IIChE Student Chapter, in association with the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), successfully organised the Eco Reboot Event on 21st August 2026.




The Department of Chemical Engineering, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, under the banner of the IIChE Student Chapter, in association with the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), successfully organised an AI Workshop for Chemical Engineering students on 19th August 2026.



An Alumni Interaction Session was organized for Diploma Chemical Engineering students under the banner of the Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers (IIChE) on 31st August 2026. The session featured distinguished alumni, Mr. Pranay Boradhara and Mr. Sanket Patel, who interacted with the students and shared valuable insights from their academic and professional experiences.



## ACROSS

1. Gases or pollutants released into the atmosphere. (9 letters)
2. Introduction of harmful substances into the environment. (9 letters)
5. Essential natural resource needed by all living organisms. (5 letters)
9. Variety of living organisms in an area. (12 letters)
10. Long-term rise in Earth's average temperature. (13 letters)
11. Unwanted or excessive sound that can harm people and wildlife. (5 letters)

## DOWN

3. Converting waste into reusable material. (9 letters)
4. Unwanted material discarded after use. (5 letters)
6. Meeting present needs without compromising future generations. (14 letters)
7. Removal of fertile topsoil by wind or water. (11 letters)
8. Large-scale removal of forests. (13 letters)

# From the Editors Desk

In this month we celebrate 80th Independance day (15th August), Onam & Rakshabandhan

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.

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



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