Report On Two-day Short Duration Training Programme- "Igniting Minds"

Date: 17-18 Nov 2014**Time:** 09:00 – 17:30 h **Venue:** Seminar Room, College of FPT&BE, AAU, Anand

Facilitator: Ms. Radha, Head - Content Services SMART Series Bangalore

Participants: Total 61 students of B. Tech (Food Processing Technology) (30 students from 3rd year and 31 students from 4th year)

The two-day short duration training programme – 'Igniting Minds' was started with one to one interaction between the facilitator and individual students, which was followed by a brief inaugural session. At the outset, Dr. M N Brahmbhatt, Director of Students' Welfare, AAU, Anand welcome all in his welcome address and Dean &Principal, College of FPTBE presented a floral welcome to Dr. N C Patel, the Hon. Vice Chancellor, AAU, Anand and the facilitator of the programme, Ms. Radha, Head - Content Services SMART Series Bangalore. Then, Ms. Radha briefly stated an overview of the training programme and Hon. Vice Chancellor in his address stated the importance of such programme for overall development of students as professional and as a human being.

First day's training programme covered various topics, such as, "setting up SMART GOALS and ways to achieve them", "Building up effective listening and communication skills", "building up confidence" and "time management" using power point presentation and questionnaire mode.

Second day's all the sessions included various activity based modules to cover the topics such as "team work and collaboration", "decision making" and "self-motivation and winning behaviors".

At the end of day two, a valedictory session was organized where four students given their feedback and the facilitator also shared her experience. The points discussed in the session are as follows:

- Students mentioned that the programme was very useful for enhancement of their communication skills and positive attitudes, building up their personalities and dealing with people, friends, peers, colleagues, co-workers in industry etc.
- Students also thanked university authority for arranging such programme free of cost.
- Students have also mentioned that first day's programme was little bit monotonous due to the use of only power point as medium of training and suggested for mix of both activity and power point in both the days.
- They also wished to have such programmes of longer durations (3-4 days) in future.
- The facilitator mentioned the vibrancy and energy of the group. She also appreciated the free interaction among different batches of students. She mentioned that there is a huge scope of improvement in the communication and other soft skills of the students. She advised all the students to read extra-academic materials at least for 15 minutes a day. She assured her availability on e-mail to each student for any future need.









List of the students participated in the Two-days Short Duration Training Programme "Igniting Minds" Date: 17-18 Nov 2014 Time: 09:00 – 17:30 h Venue: Seminar Room, College of FPT&BE, AAU, Anand

Sr.	3 rd Year B Tech. (FPT)	Sr.	4 th Year B Tech. (FPT)
No.		No.	
1	Basit Ali ICAR	1	AntalaBenishaRamanikbhai
2	ChaudhariRohitbhaiRameshbhai	2	ChavdaRavikumarGopalbhai
3	ChochaPareshKarabhai	3	Desai DevanshBharatbhai
4	Dave ArpitabenMukeshbhai	4	DobariyaJatinkumarNitinbhai
5	Dave RachitMaheshkumar	5	HarshePrutha Deepak
6	Dhobi ArpitabenHarikrushan	6	JadavChandaniMansukhbhai
7	GadhiyaKhushalibenVitthalbhai	7	KuralkarParthSanjaybhai
8	JadavNimeshkumarNatvarbhai	8	MakaniKishankumarMahendrabhai
9	MacwanAmeeJitendra	9	ManvendraSingn (Icar)
10	MacwanAvaneeJitendra	10	ParmarBijalbenKiritkumar
11	MacwanPratibhaRajnikant	11	Patel TinkalkumariBipinkumar
12	MistryVishakhabenKishorbhai	12	PrachiRajendraUmale
13	Nagar SheetalMukeshbhai	13	PrajapatiVinodchandraJayrambhai
14	Patel KetankumarRavajibhai	14	Rakesh Kumar (Icar)
15	Patel MeetkumarNaginbhai	15	Ram GeetaMandabhai
16	PatelShivaniMayur	16	RanaKinjalbenParbhubhai
17	PathanSalehabanuAnavarkhan	17	SaiyedFaiyazahmedWarasali
18	RajenderChauhan ICAR	18	Tank MayuribenMansukhbhai
19	SaiyadAkhtarhusainYakubali	19	VankarKishankumarLebabhai
20	SutharUrvibenHarshadbhai	20	CharaniyaPinkalBabubhai
21	VaghelaJignashabenDipakray	21	SolankiRavirajDayalal
22	VaghelaReenaMaganbhai	22	Tank HiteshkumarMansukhlal
23	VasaniPoojabenPankajkumar	23	VajaVidhiGirishchandra
24	Bloch NilofarSafeemahmed	24	VasoyaJayvantkumarVinodbhai
25	ChauhanDivyeshkumarDineshbhai	25	Bhadauria Vishal Devsingh
26	LadaniYagnikkumarParshotambhai	26	KugashiyaRakeshKumarVirabhai
27	ShingalaAshishkumarJamanbhai	27	NakumAmitKalubhai
28	Shir Suresh Devabhai	28	Rodrigues Rodney Mark
29	Rathod Dhara K ishorb hai	29	VyasDhrutibenShyamkumar
30	Patel Abhishek Ramanbhai	30	Sunil Kumar Chavda
		31	HirenKavaiya