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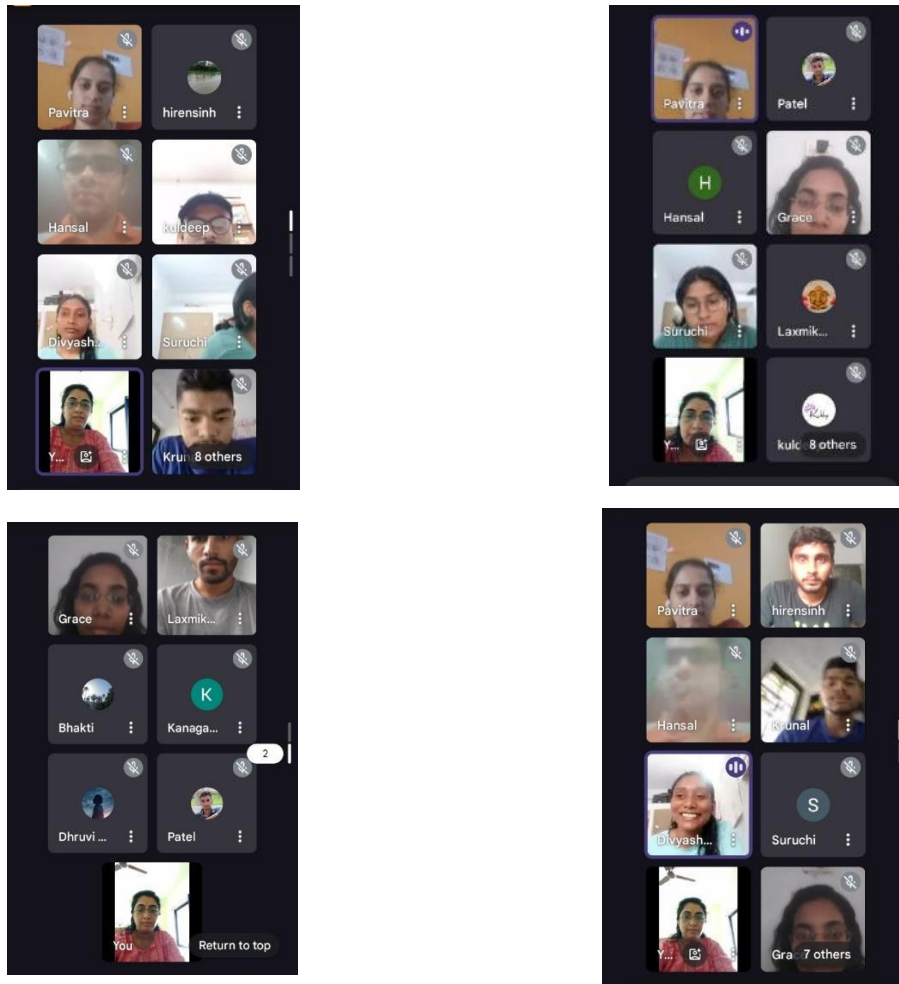


Expert talk on “Career Counselling and Preparation Strategies for Competitive Exams”

An expert talk was organised by College of FPTBE, AAU in association with FPTBE Alumni Association on “**Career Counselling and Preparation Strategies for Competitive Exams**” for the Post Graduate students of College of FPTBE as a part of Industry-Academia Meet on **September 14, 2024** during 10.00 to 12.00 through online platform. Under the guidance of Principal and Dean, Dr. Samit Dutta, Vice President, Dr. S. H. Akbari, Secretary, Dr. Ameer Ravani, FPTBE Alumni Association played an important role in organising this expert talk. **Ms. Pavitra Hegde, alumna of this college (M.Tech: Batch 2019-21)** and currently working as Senior Research Fellow, **DRDO – Defence Food Research Laboratory, Mysore** was invited as an expert who provided excellent inputs to the subject concerned. Ms. Pavitra shared her valuable experiences, offering practical advice on shaping a successful career path in the food technology sector. This session on "Career Guidance" provided students with a roadmap for pursuing careers in both academia and industry, emphasizing the importance of skill development, networking, and self-awareness. Insights into "Job Prospects at DFRL" gave the students an understanding of the various opportunities available within one of India's premier research institutions, along with the skills and qualifications required for these roles.

Additionally, the “Preparation Strategies for Competitive Exams” were particularly helpful for students aspiring to pursue government positions or higher studies. Alumna shared her own experiences, offering tips on time management, exam pattern analysis, and essential resources. The event concluded with an interactive Question & Answer session. Overall, the expert talk was a significant step toward bridging the gap between academic learning and career planning, offering students a clearer perspective on their professional future. The FPTBE Alumni Association continues to

support the college's mission of holistic student development by providing valuable opportunities for alumni-student interaction through such initiatives. At the end, Divyashree M., a PG Student, 3rd semester M.Tech (FT) proposed vote of thanks.



Glimpses of Expert talk on “Career Counselling and Preparation Strategies for Competitive Exams”