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Report of Seminar/ Workshop/Social Outreach/ Conference/ Visit/ Trekking/ Guest Lecture/IVs

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| Title | A session on career counselling |
| Date of Event(s) | 29-01-2020 |
| Department / Association | Department of Science / Desalite skill development cell in association with EUREKA |
| Venue | Online |
| Number of Participants | 52 |
| Target Audience | Bsc final year students |

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| Resource Person(s) with qualification | Maruthi C V, M.Sc in Physics. |
| Books (if published) | No |

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| Place of visit/ details of Industrial visit place (if applicable): | No |
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REPORT OF THE EVENT:

Counselling is a broad term. In general, it is the process of assisting a person by providing moral support, guidance and exploring solutions for the problems being faced in a number of fields.

Students' *career development* is a lifelong process that, whether they know it or not, actually it starts when they are born! There are a number of factors that influence one's career development, including their interests, abilities, values, personality, background, and circumstances. *Career Counselling* is a process that will help students to know and understand themselves and the world of work in order to make career, educational, and life decisions

Career development is more than just deciding on a major and what jobs they want to get when they graduate. It really is a lifelong process, meaning that throughout a students' life they will change, situations will change, and they will continually have to make career and life decisions. The goal of Career Counseling is to not only help students to make the decisions she need to make now, but to give them the knowledge and skills they need to make future career and life decisions.

On this thought, a session conducted on 'career counselling' for the final year B.Sc. students of SFS College on 29th of January 2020 at 1 pm. Mr. Maruthi C V was the resource person for the event. With a rich and diverse experience in career counselling Mr. Maruthi has been conducting workshops for students.

The session began with a small introduction on career counselling. It was followed by an interaction with the students where the facilitator discussed about the importance of career counselling. Then he went on to explain in detail about the various opportunities available for the students and how to make decisions related to career.

He explained the following important points.

Students will find many career opportunities in Private as well as public sectors.

Students can apply for many government jobs in which MSc Courses are required as eligibility criteria.

Students can find a job in ISRO, DRDO, VSSC, SSPL, and other research centres.

Students can get high Paid Jobs within the finest and reputed profession.

After the completion of the B.Sc. degree there are various options available for the science students, they can go for master degree in Science i.e. M.Sc., go in a research area and can even look for professional job oriented courses. Often, in some reputed universities or colleges in India and abroad the students are recruited directly by big MNC's after their completion of the course.

B.Sc. graduates have a wide variety of options available in terms of topics, subjects, & field. They have an option to pursue a post-graduation degree in their respective field. Students can also join non-science master degree courses such as animation, management, journalism, computer technology, etc after the completion of B.Sc. degree.

After the completion of the B.Sc. course, students can work in various areas which include both science & non-science fields.

The job opportunities available for the students are not only great in terms of salary package, but also a satisfying job experience.

There are various opportunities available for the students after B.Sc. the students can go in a research field, in some colleges the students are recruited directly by the big organizations at a very good salary package, some professional B.Sc. courses like animation and IT open the door of animation and IT industry for the graduates, the other professional B.Sc. field also have vast career opportunities.

Apart from the research jobs, students can also work or get jobs in Marketing, Business & Other technical fields. Science graduates also recruited in the bank sector to work as customer service executives. Students can also find employment in government sectors.

Job Profiles

- Research Scientist
- Scientific Assistant
- Research analyst
- Teachers
- Technical writer/Editor
- Lecturers
- Chemist
- Enumerators
- Researcher
- Biostatistician
- Clinical Research Manager
- Consultant

Employment Areas for B graduates

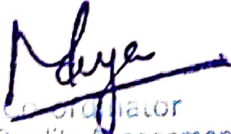
- Educational Institutes
- Space Research Institutes
- Hospitals
- Health Care Providers
- Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology Industry
- Chemical Industry
- Environmental Management and Conservation
- Forensic Crime Research
- Research Firms
- Testing Laboratories
- Geological Survey Departments
- Wastewater Plants
- Aquariums
- Forest Services
- Oil Industry

Details of the resource person : Maruthi C V

Assistant professor in the department of Science. With a profound knowledge on working with students, he mentors students and guides them while taking important career related decisions.

Outcome of the event :

Students were able to assess their own inclinations and were able to make well informed career related decisions based on their potentials and available opportunities.



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