

DWARAKA DOSS GOVERDHAN DOSS VAISHNAV COLLEGE
DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY

Report on Biotechnology Alumni Association meet
on “Career Guidance in Higher Education” held on February 29, 2020

Event name : Biotechnology Alumni Association meet on “Career Guidance in Higher Education”
Date : 29th February, 2020
Venue : D G Vaishnav College
Organizers : Department of Biotechnology

No. of staff participants : 3

No. of student participants : 50

Detailed report of the program:

The Department of Biotechnology, D G Vaishnav College organized alumni Biotechnology Alumni Association meet on “**Career Guidance in Higher Education**” on 29th February, 2020. The gathering was welcomed by Dr. R. Uma, Head, Department of Biotechnology. Three of our alumni namely, Mr. B. Henry Pearllouis, Research Scholar, Research Scholar, Entomoinformatics and Insect molecular biology lab, Department of Genetic engineering, SRM Institute of Technology, Kattankulathur, Tamil Nadu 603203, Mr. K. Pavithran, Research scholar, Genetic Engineering lab, Department of Genetic Engineering, SRM institute of Science and Technology, Kattankulathur, Tamil Nadu 603203 and Ms. R. Gayathri, Project Assistant, Anna University Taramani Campus, CSIR Road, Taramani, Chennai - 600 113, Tamil Nadu, India discussed about the various opportunities available in higher education in the field of biotechnology. The alumni also made point on the importance of competitive examination conducted by National testing agencies all over India. They insisted the students to attend various academic programs like conferences, seminars, symposiums and also to enroll in various training programmes to enhance their practical skills. The alumni also shared various opportunities for biotechnology students in Knowledge process outsourcing (KPO). Many of the

enthusiastic final year undergraduate and postgraduate students interacted with all the three alumni and discussed more information regarding the higher studies and other opportunities related to Biotechnology. Around 50 students of final year undergraduate and postgraduate students (both I M.Sc. and II M.Sc.,) were benefitted. The event was concluded with a vote of thanks by department association President, Mr. R.Mounesh.

Outcomes of the program/event:

- The alumni association meet provided an active interaction of the current students with the alumni.
- The alumni association meet provided a wide knowledge and importance of higher studies in the field of biotechnology.
- Alumni also provided various inputs and basic requisites needed to pursue research as a career option.

Photos :



Welcome speech by Dr. R. Uma, Head, Dept. of Bitoechnology



Alumni interaction with final year Undergraduates and Postgraduates