

A Report on
Alumni Talk
“Competitive Exams: Expectations vs Reality”

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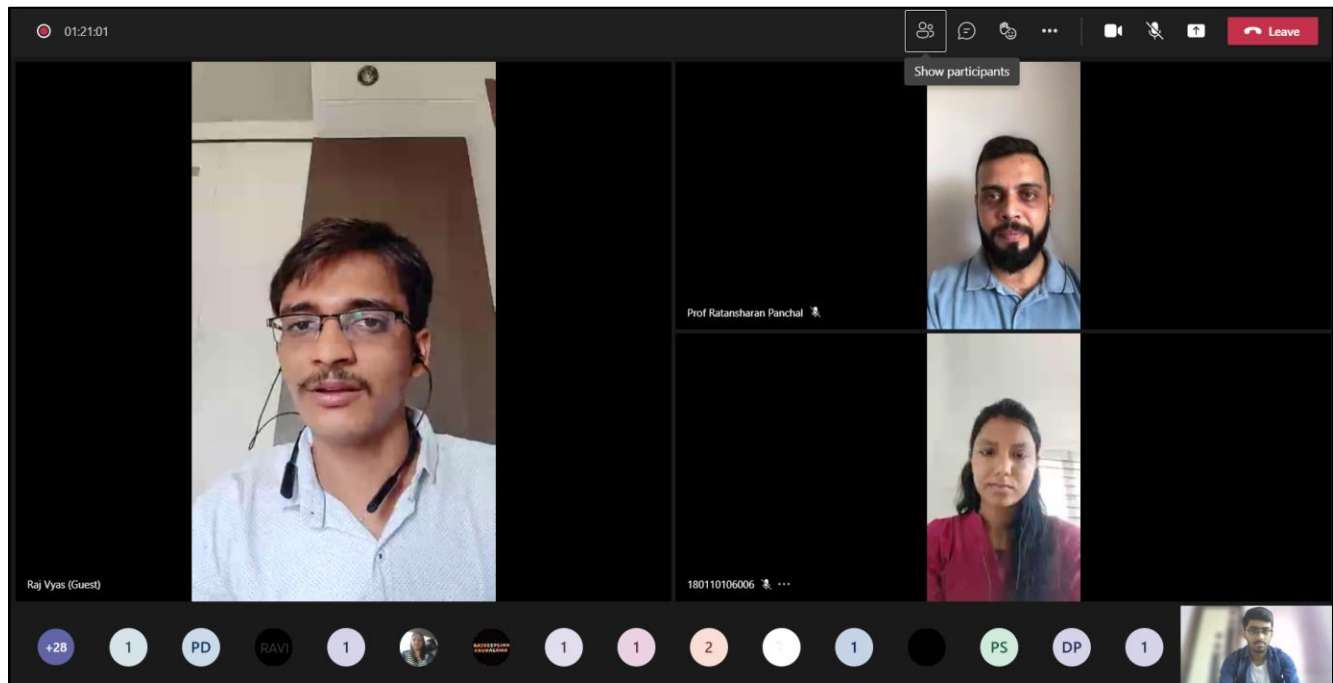
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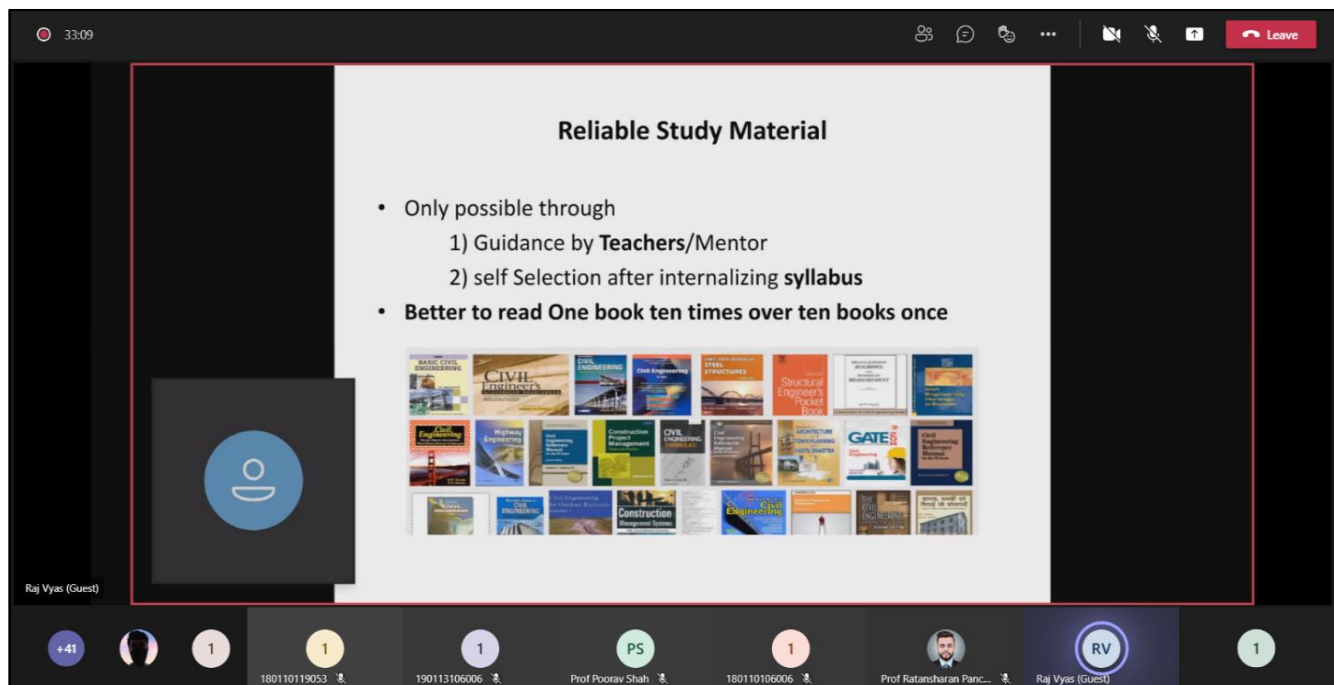
Alumni Talk on Competitive Exams: Expectations vs Reality: An overview:

“Alumni Talk on Competitive Exams: Expectations vs Reality” was a webinar kind of event titled “ALUMNI TALK” which was organized under by **Civil Engineering Department** of **G H PATEL College of Engineering & Technology**. This event was to make the student of all department aware about Government Competitive Exams. It was to improve their thinking and to give them a short but important knowledge about the competitive Exams. A total of 55 participants took active participation in the program.



Description of Event:

The Webinar was organized for Civil department students of all levels. The workshop was conducted by Mr. Raj Vyas, *Alumnus 2014-2018 batch of Civil Engineering, GCET*. All the participants have joined the webinar on time and workshop was started sharply at 11:00 am. The webinar started with a normal introduction of ISTE and then the introduction of faculty was given by Hosts. Raj Sir gave the complete information about competitive exams, share his experience & gave the idea of how to prepare, also how to face the interview.



The screenshot shows a Zoom webinar interface. At the top, the time is 33:09. The main content area displays a slide titled "Reliable Study Material" with the following bullet points:

- Only possible through
 - 1) Guidance by **Teachers/Mentor**
 - 2) self Selection after internalizing **syllabus**
- **Better to read One book ten times over ten books once**

Below the text is a grid of 20 book covers related to civil engineering, including titles like "Basic Civil Engineering", "Civil Engineering", "Structural Engineering", "GATE", and "Construction Management". The Zoom interface at the bottom shows a grid of participants, including "Raj Vyas (Guest)" and "Prof Poojav Shah".

Sir has already given the UPSC Exams 2 times, so he also shared his experience of how he prepared, which books are helpful. Sir also interacted with all participants during Q&A session & solved each student's query.

At the end all the attendees given positive feedback about the workshop. The workshop was free of cost also and we are very much thankful to Mr. Raj Vyas for conducting such an informative, Motivating, and knowledgeable webinar.

Conclusion:

This event was a big clover, and it recorded a whopping entry and was completed with flying colors. This event made and taught the interactions. More knowledge and information were surpassed to participants, and they were overwhelmed with it. Mr. Raj Vyas tried his best to give the best knowledge and information about the topic. Also, all the participants were happy at the end of the webinar by attending this informative webinar.

The workshop helped all the attendees to think about how they can prepare for the competitive exam successfully.

We would like to thank Mr. Raj Vyas, *Speaker* for conducting such an informative and knowledgeable webinar. At last, we would like to thank Prof. Ratansharan Panchal, *Event Coordinator* for helping at each step. We also like to thank our honorable Dr. Khadeeja Priyan, *HOD Civil Engineering*, for always encouraging us to arrange such informative and helpful events.



The poster features the logos of GCET and CVM University at the top. The title 'Alumni Talk' is in red, followed by 'Competitive Exams : Expectations Vs Reality' in bold black. A portrait of Mr. Raj Vyas is on the left. To the right, event details are listed with icons: a calendar for the date '27th June, 2021', a clock for the time '11:00 am - 12:00 pm', and a Teams icon for the platform 'MS Teams'. Below the portrait, his name and title are given, followed by his achievements in UPSC CSE and debate competitions. The bottom section states the event is organized by the Department of Civil Engineering at GCET.

Alumni Talk
Competitive Exams : Expectations Vs Reality



Mr. Raj Vyas
Alumni Civil Engineering
(Batch :- 2014-2018)

 27th June, 2021
 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
 MS Teams

Preparing for UPSC CSE for 3 years (with 2 unsuccessful prelim attempts)
Won 1st runner up prize at debate competition by NGO FirstTimeVoter in 2019 & Won 2nd runner up prize at debate competition by NGO FirstTimeVoter in 2020

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