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**Event:** Demystifying the Mini Project - a seminar by T.E. student Abhishek Bapat

**Name of College:** A. P. Shah Institute of Technology, Kasarvadavli, Ghodbunder Road, Thane (Maharashtra)

**Association:** AIML Student Association

**Date:** 15/09/2023

**Time:** 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM

**Target Audience:** S.E. and T.E. students from CSE: AI & ML department

**Faculty Accompanied: -**

1. Prof. Vijesh Nair - With his years of expertise in teaching, he was able to give valuable insights into keeping the viewers engaged and giving a powerful presentation to an audience of students.

**Introduction: -**

The Mini Project can be overwhelming for students who have little to no experience in making projects and/or working with people. However, the Mini Project is potentially the most useful addition to the curriculum that allows students to get hands-on experience with the latest technology in the industry as they start getting creative with their ideas and create, i.e., *ENGINEER*, something unique. The students must be made aware of its importance and, thus, this Engineer's Day – 2023 we have arranged a seminar hosted by T.E. student, Mr. Abhishek Bapat from CSE: AI & ML department to break down and *demystify* the Mini Project for colleagues and juniors alike.

**Event Details: -**

A presentation on Mini Project included discussions on topics such as how to select the right topic, evaluate the resources at hand and requirements of the project, and comparing topics to best fit your inspiration, motivation, and skill level. It was followed by an emphasis on



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having an “X-factor” that makes your project stand out. The presentation concluded by acknowledging and solving general problems faced by the speaker as a T.E. student in his journey, and introducing the students to other components of the mini project like writing the project report, making captivating and concise presentations, GitHub for collaboration, and finally leveraging these project experiences by adding them to their resume/portfolio.

**Event Winners: -**

This event was not a competition and so there were no winners.

**Conclusion: -**

This event was very interactive because, by the end, S.E. students were eager to have their doubts regarding their own Mini Project solved by Mr. Abhishek Bapat as he attended to their queries personally. This seminar also revealed and introduced the new series we have planned: a Mini Project Bootcamp where students will experiment with different languages and development options which they can explore further when working on their mini project.

**Photographs: -**



Participants attending Session



HoD, Dr. Jaya Gupta encouraging students



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Speaker, Mr. Abhishek's talk on the session.



Participants listening to the requisites of the session.

Mr. Vijesh Nair,  
Coordinator,  
AIML Student Association

Dr. Jaya Gupta,  
Head of Department,  
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