



## GRE Champs



Time: 7 PM

Date: 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2016

Venue: TP Class Room

The craze of going for MS abroad has surprisingly increased in the past few years and BITS Goa is no different. So, satisfying public demand, BITS Alumni Affairs Division (AAD) of Goa Campus had organized 'GRE CHAMPS' a panel discussion by 4 BITSians who left their mark on GRE exam. The event was held in the Tele-presence room on Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> October 2016. It was conducted to help GRE aspirants of the college, guiding them through the complicated process of preparation for GRE.

BITSGians who cracked GRE with flying colors and came forward to help out the aspirants selflessly were

- Anmol Sahoo
- Priyanshi Vadalia
- Dharinee Bhandari and
- Rishabh Sethunathan

They shared their experience regarding the preparation of GRE. The event had 2 Q&A sessions. The first one had the basic questions prepared by AAD while the speakers had a stream of questions flowing to them by the audience in the second one. While the speakers answered every query with utmost sincerity and seriousness, they too had some light hearted moments with the students.

The event was a full house comprising most of the second and third yearites. Discussion ranged from perfect time for starting preparation to selecting universities of your choice. Strategies for tackling different sections of the paper, dilemmas regarding coaching, GRE score and filling of admission application for different universities were discussed. Speakers advised the gathering to have a strong command on academic part by maintaining decent CGPAs and doing projects in the college under professors in the college itself. There was also a comprehensive discussion on Post-GRE exam.

Common notion gathered by the answers of the speakers was that a good & robust vocabulary is a must for the exam. They also laid emphasis on giving as much mock tests as possible and student should evaluate themselves as early as possible regarding the exam and then work on their specific fields. They also urged the students to choose their universities and course of choice beforehand to avoid any discrepancies and confusion while filling your choices right after the exam. One of the most important suggestions given was to have a cool and a vigilant mind on the day of exam.

The event concluded with students interacting with the speakers on their curiosities and doubts. Speakers too answered each and every query of GRE aspirants and bid adieu giving them their best wishes for their future endeavors.

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