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Acing with Alums : Gatecrashing into the Analytics Industry

<u>Date:</u> April, 2023 <u>Location:</u> Online on Google Meet <u>Type of event:</u> Guidance Session <u>Departments involved:</u> Department of Statistics <u>Alumni:</u> Mr. Yash Raina

ABOUT THE SPEAKER:

Yash is currently working at Fractal Analytics and manages Account Delivery and P&L for a leading CPG client. He is a 2009 graduate with nearly 15 years of hands-on experience in Advanced Analytics, Data Science (ML, AI), and Management Consulting, I bring a wealth of expertise to the table. Throughout his career, he has excelled in managing accounts and leading high-performing teams, often comprising over 50 full-time equivalents. He has a proven track record of incubating micro products, building and expanding teams, and effectively supervising vendors to drive optimal outcomes. His industry expertise spans Retail, Consumer Goods, and Manufacturing, with a functional focus on Sales, Marketing, Pricing, Customer Experience (CX), Supply Chain, Operations, and HR. Equipped with a robust toolkit including MS Excel, Base SAS, SAS EG, R Studio, Python, Tableau, and many more, he is adept at leveraging data-driven insights to deliver strategic solutions tailored to the unique needs of each organization.

INTRODUCTION:

Credence, the Placement Cell of the Department of Statistics at the University of Delhi, recently wrapped up another enlightening session of its flagship series "Acing with Alums" with an insightful webinar by Alumnus Mr. Yash Raina. He is a 2009 graduate with over 14 years of experience in Advanced Analytics, Data Science and Management Consulting.

The session started with a presentation on real-world case studies that emphasized applications of various statistical concepts and tools. Sharing insights on interview preparation, he emphasized on storytelling and presenting oneself. Explaining what the companies are looking for in a candidate, he talked about the importance of keeping oneself updated with the current scenario of the industry and having an appetite for learning new things. Session was concluded by an open Q&A session, which allowed students to gain knowledge from his expertise and skillful work.

KEY TAKEAWAYS:

The session highlighted the practical application of statistical tools and concepts using real life case studies. Mr. Raina emphasised on the importance of storytelling and effective self presentation in interview preparation. He elucidated on the qualities that a company looks for in a candidate and about staying updated on the current trends in the company.

ENTHUSIASTIC PARTICIPATION:

Participants had the opportunity to seek clarification, share their perspectives, and delve deeper into specific aspects of the Data Industry. The speakers inspired and guided our students on their career paths.

IMPACT:

Realizing the importance of staying updated about the current trends in the market and equipping oneself with the essential skills to navigate the competitive job market.

CONCLUSION:

The session organized by Credence - The Placement Cell, Department of Statistics at the University of Delhi successfully achieved its objective of providing students with valuable information about The Data Industry, the current job market trends and transformations using modern technologies.

