

EDUCATIONAL VISIT TO BENNETT UNIVERSITY – A REPORT

An educational visit to **BENNETT UNIVERSITY CAMPUS, GREATER NOIDA** was organised on **06 August 2019 (Tuesday)** for the Artificial Intelligence students of Classes **IX** and Computer Science students of Classes **XI and XII.**

Bennett University Campus is a well-known name when it comes to infrastructure and skilful faculty. As intended, the visit gave insights on Artificial Intelligence and the students of class IX (Artificial Intelligence) and XI – XII (Computer Sc) got an exposure to the latest trends in AI and Computing at University Level. They understood how the Computer Science department at Bennett University is applying these in diverse domains.



Dr Anurag and Dr Tapas lead the session with an interactive discussion with the students. The session started with a discussion on the general

understanding of the term 'Artificial Intelligence'.





of machine learning and deep learning to the students. He, in a very simple language elaborated the difference between Supervised Learning and Unsupervised learning. The students could easily grasp the broad concept about Artificial Intelligence.

Dr Gaurav demonstrated the DJI Mavic drone to the students and its powerful handling

techniques. He also explained the various features of the drone and how it can help in real life problem solving. He also showed how the drone responded when there was an obstacle behind and Dr Gaurav was trying to pull it backwards. It was a great experience to see a drone hover over the students and take data real time.





Dr Tapas showed Nao, the humanoid and discussed its applications. It was a delight seeing a Humanoid replying to queries and dancing to a Bollywood dance number. The students were elated to understand that the Nao was a latest edition in the University and it was programmed by the students themselves as a part of internship.







Students also got a chance to look at the state-of-the-art facilities like AI lab, iMac Lab, and Dell EMC lab. The students liked the concept of 'Hatcheries' the Launchpad for innovations. It is a place specifically designed for incubation of ideas and brainstorming. It has been thoughtfully planned as advisors in different sectors and fields are also stationed there for helping out the students with the queries about their ideas for Start-ups.







The visit was truly an informative one. The students were better oriented towards 'Al' which is the keyword today and in future. They could now better understand that the AI curriculum the school has opted for, in this session is worth studying and the same has validity in Universities across the globe.

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