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Webinar on Opportunities for Higher Studies Abroad

The Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering Department of FAMT organized a valuable webinar on 'Opportunities for Higher Studies Abroad for Engineering Students'. This webinar was conducted in collaboration with JAMBOREE Education Pune on Thursday, 12 October.

Objective:

The primary focus of the webinar was to:

- ❖ Create awareness about the multitude of opportunities available abroad for engineering students.
- ❖ Illuminate the pathway towards career development awareness.

Speaker Profile:

Mr. Rajarshi Banerjee, brought a wealth of experience to the table. With an MBA from Pune University and a BE from Bharati Vidyapeeth COE, he has undertaken various roles within the education sector. As the Business Development Manager of Jamboree Education Pvt. Ltd., Mr Banerjee has trained, and career counseled over 1200 students. His multifunctional experience in the education industry and extensive seminars across varied subjects enriched the students' learning experience.

Key points of the webinar:

- An overview of study abroad options specifically tailored for engineering students.
- Insights into course options and their correlated future careers.
- A detailed explanation of scholarship opportunities.
- Clarity on university admissions criteria.
- An introduction to entry exams such as GMAT and GRE.
- An engaging question and answer session where students had the chance to interact directly with Mr. Banerjee.

The event was coordinated by the faculty coordinator, Mr S S Athalye, under the guidance and motivation by the Head of the Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering Department, Dr S V Chougule.

Department students actively participated and interacted with resource person.

Recording View

Study Abroad Destinations

Canada	UK + rest of Europe	Singapore & Hong Kong	Australia & New Zealand
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flexibility • Job opportunities • Friendly PR policies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prestigious colleges (Oxford, Cambridge, etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economical • Friendly PR policies • Close to India 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Friendly PR policies
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Almost 6-10 good colleges • Admissions criteria has maximum focus on academics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Language knowledge required in several countries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited number of good colleges • Stiff competition for admissions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Few good colleges

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Scholarships

Financial Aid
It's a mix of grants, scholarships, loans and on-campus jobs

Graduate Assistantships

- Teaching
- Research
- Very often combined with fee waivers
- Most students end up getting some sort of assistantship after the first semester

Scholarships and Fellowships offered by Universities

- Scholarships are handed out based on merit
- Most universities give 100% scholarships to PhD students

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What other things do universities look at ?

- Academic grades (Bachelors degree and beyond)
 - Poor academic grades can be compensated with a high GRE/GMAT score
- Extra-Curricular Activities
 - Universities use your involvement in ECAs as an indication of your overall development and ability to succeed in different activities.
 - Extremely important for MBA admissions
 - Comparatively less important for MS & PhD admissions

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A glimpse from the webinar showcasing detailed slides on Higher Studies Abroad For Engineering Students