

Applied Mechanics Department L.D.College of Engineering

Webinar on

"Site Practices & Construction Management"

Under the aegis of

The Institution of Engineers (INDIA)

Students' Chapter, Civil Engineering Department, LDCE

23rd October 2020, Friday, 11.30 a.m to 1.15 p.m

Webinar Report

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Preamble

The Department of Applied Mechanics organized a Webinar on Site Practices and Construction Management under the aegis of The Institution of Engineers (INDIA), Students' Chapter, Civil Engineering Department LDCE on 23rd October 2020 (Friday) at 11.30 a.m. for both Under graduate & Post graduate students of Civil Engineering and its faculty members.

Mr.Pranay Kumar, Business Head Project Management Consultancy and Cost Management Practice, Mott MacDonald, India was roped in as the Expert Speaker. Mr.Pranay Kumar is a civil engineer from prestigious IIT – Delhi and also a Chartered Financial Analyst and Business Management Graduate. He has over 31 years of experience in Industry and Infrastructure sector. He has developed expertise in providing crucial inputs on broad spectrum of areas in project development cycle, from project conceptualisation, planning, commissioning to operations, through his expertise blending technical, commercial and management skills.

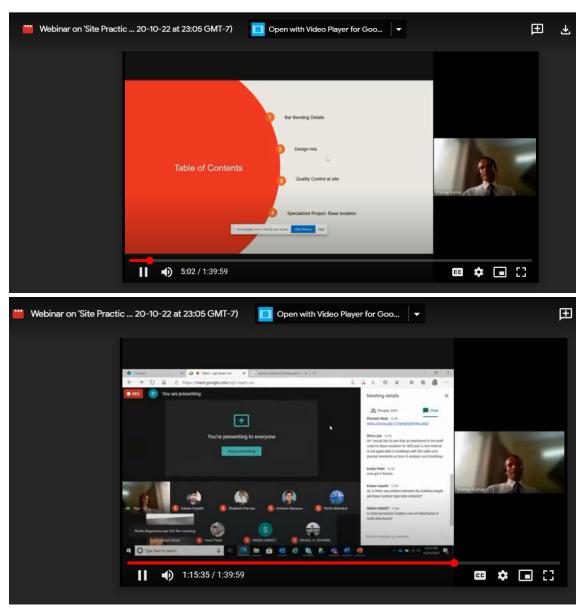
The Webinar was organized with the following objectives which also formed the course content of the Webinar delivered:

- Enhancing awareness among future engineers about the importance of following Good Construction Practices.
- Providing knowledge on the Bar Bending Schedules, Importance & nature of detailing, Quantity Estimation.
- Appraising students about the important measures and steps to ensure Quality Control at Site.
- Providing crucial insights on the subject through showcasing of real life case studies.
- Enabling students to tackle the situations on site in case of variance in the ingredients of the concrete mix proportions.

Mr.Pranay Kumar very effectively explained the concepts pertaining to the importance of detailing and preparation of the Bar bending schedules. He also described in detail of the Base Isolation Technique and gave a fascinating overview of the upcoming projects in India based on this technique. He inspired the students about the importance of honing up their fundamentals, their skill set in report writing, communication. He cited the importance of working on field in

order to actually understand the site conditions and take prudent decisions based on the circumstances. Mr.Pranay Kumar had an elaborate interaction with the students and faculty members during the Q&A round where he answered every single question that was posed to him and through his answers he tried to make the audience get abreast with all the latest developments taking place in the field of Structural engineering.

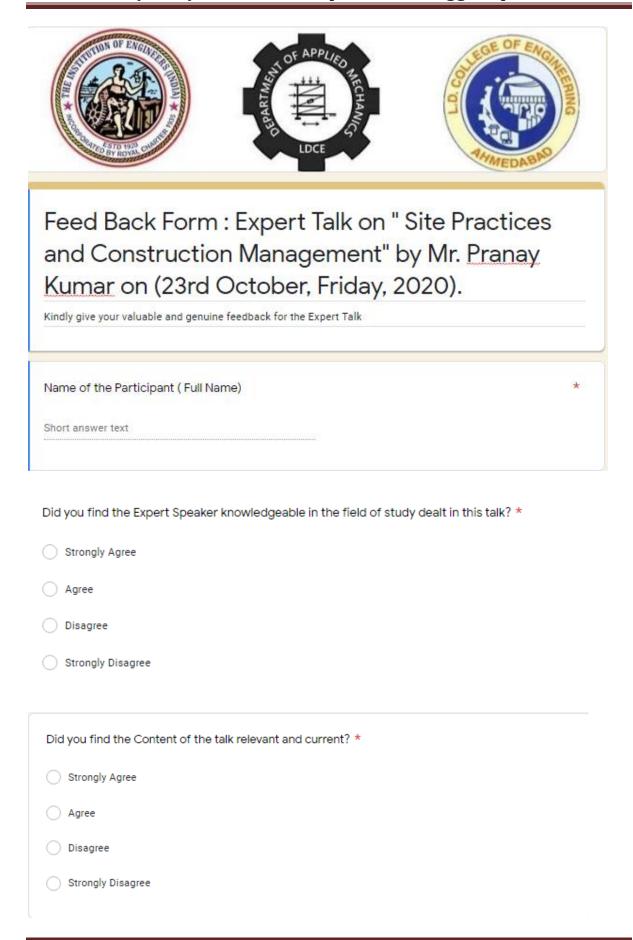
The Feedback of the Webinar was duly collected from all the attendees.



Mr. Pranay Kumar interacting with the Audience

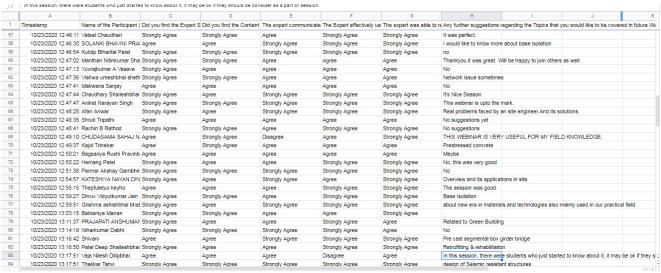


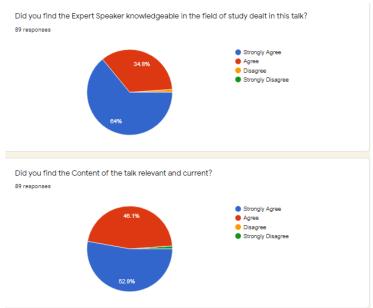
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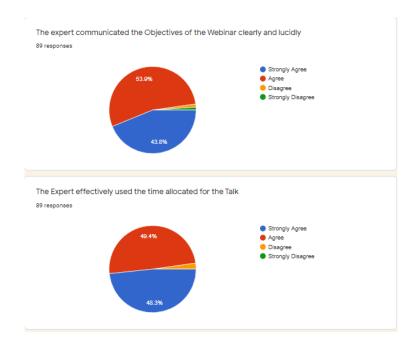


The expert communicated the Objectives of the Webinar clearly and lucidly *	
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The Expert effectively used the time allocated for the Talk *	
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The expert was able to reply coherently to the questions posed after the talk during the Q&A session.	*
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Any further suggestions regarding the Topics that you would like to be covered in future Webinars?	*
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Feed Back Form







Feed Back Responses

Overall the webinar was very informative and made an invaluable addition to the stock of knowledge of its audience. Mr.Pranay Kumar was the most appropriate speaker for the topic as he has almost an experience of over 31 years in Industry and Infrastructure sector. All the students were able to understand the importance of good Site Practices and of various aspects related to it.