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# Seminar on **Cybercrime & Cyber Fraud Awareness**

**3<sup>rd</sup>**  
**JANUARY'24**

03 PM Onwards  BBA Seminar Hall



In association with :

**Suraksha Setu Society, Vadodara Rural Police**

## Cybercrime and Cyber Fraud Awareness Session

<b>ACTIVITY TYPE</b>	<b>Cybercrime and Cyber Fraud Awareness Session</b>		
<b>DATE &amp; TIME</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> January,2024</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>1 Day</b>
<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>No. of participants</b>	<b>100</b>

The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) - *Parul Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research centre in association with Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police Organized Session on Cybercrime and Cyber Fraud Awareness* on the 3<sup>rd</sup> January, 2024 at BBA Seminar Hall, Parul University. 100+ students are attended this session.

### **Objective:**

The primary objective of the cybercrime and cyber fraud awareness session was to educate and empower students with the knowledge and tools necessary to protect themselves from online threats. By partnering with Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police, the event aimed to provide insights into the prevalence of cybercrime and the importance of vigilance in the digital age.

### **Activity Details:**

On January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024, Parul Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research Centre, in collaboration with Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police, organized a comprehensive session aimed at spreading awareness among students regarding cyber fraud. The objective of the session was to equip students with essential knowledge and practical insights to safeguard themselves against online threats. The event witnessed an impressive turnout, with over 100 students actively participating in the session.

The session commenced with an introduction by the organizers, emphasizing the critical importance of cybercrime awareness in today's digital age. Representatives from Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police delivered a detailed presentation, shedding light on the various forms of cybercrime prevalent in the region. Real-life case studies and

examples were shared, illustrating the potential risks and consequences associated with cyber fraud.

Throughout the session, interactive discussions and group activities were conducted to engage participants actively. Attendees had the opportunity to analyze common cyber fraud scenarios and brainstorm preventive measures collaboratively. This interactive approach not only enhanced understanding but also encouraged critical thinking and proactive problem-solving skills among the students.

A dedicated question and answer session allowed students to seek clarification on specific concerns and delve deeper into the intricacies of cybercrime. This segment fostered an open dialogue between students and experts, enabling the exchange of valuable insights and practical tips.

Key takeaways from the session included heightened awareness of online threats, the importance of exercising caution while navigating the digital realm, and the implementation of proactive measures to mitigate risks. Participants learned to recognize red flags indicative of potential cyber fraud, such as suspicious emails, fraudulent websites, and unsolicited requests for personal information.

The collaborative effort between Parul Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research Centre and Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police facilitated a dynamic exchange of knowledge and expertise, enriching the learning experience for all involved. By empowering students with the necessary tools and knowledge, the session aimed to contribute to the creation of a safer online environment for the community at large.

**Outcome:**

**Increased Awareness:** Over 100 students actively participated in the session, demonstrating a heightened interest in understanding cyber threats and fraud.

**Knowledge Dissemination:** Through interactive discussions and presentations, attendees gained insights into various forms of cybercrime, including phishing, identity theft, and online scams.

**Preventive Measures:** Practical tips and preventive measures were shared to help students recognize and avoid falling victim to cyber fraud. This included guidance on



securing personal information, creating strong passwords, and identifying suspicious online behavior.

**Collaborative Learning:** The collaboration between Parul Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research Centre and Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police facilitated a dynamic exchange of ideas and expertise, enriching the learning experience for participants.

**Community Engagement:** The session fostered a sense of community engagement, encouraging students to be proactive in safeguarding themselves and their peers against cyber threats.

## Glimpses of the Event











**Conclusion:** The cybercrime and cyber fraud awareness session organized by Parul Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research Centre in collaboration with Suraksha Setu Vadodara Rural Police served as a valuable platform for educating and empowering students to protect themselves in an increasingly digital world. By fostering awareness, imparting knowledge, and promoting proactive measures, the event contributed to building a safer online community.