

## **Report on Expert Lecture: "From LD to Shark Tank: Unveiling the Startup Secrets with Alumni Entrepreneur" by Mihir Mehta**

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Date: September 14, 2023

Time: 3:15 PM to 5:00 PM

Venue: Visvkarma Hall, L. D. College of Engineering

Participants: 310 students, 10 faculties

Guest Speaker: Mihir Mehta, Co-founder of Urbannaps

Welcome Address: Prof. Vithanani, Prof. Mihir Thakker, and Principal Major (Dr.) Sanghvi

Vote of Thanks: Prof. Chirag Thakker

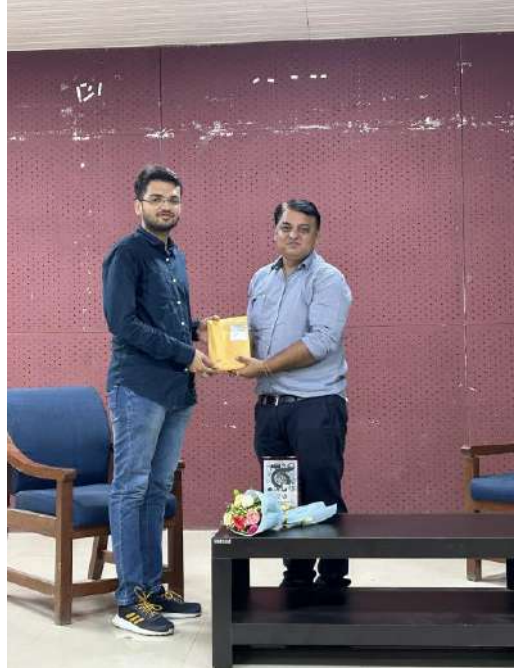
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Introduction

On September 14, 2023, L. D. College of Engineering had the privilege of hosting an expert lecture by Mr. Mihir Mehta, the Co-founder of Urbannaps. The event, titled "From LD to Shark Tank: Unveiling the Startup Secrets with Alumni Entrepreneur," was held in Visvkarma Hall and witnessed active participation from 310 students and 10 faculty members.



## Session Details

The event commenced at 3:15 PM and was graced by a warm welcome from Prof. Vithanani, Prof. Mihir Thakker, and Principal Major (Dr.) Sanghvi. Their introductory remarks set the stage for an insightful and inspiring lecture.

Mihir Mehta took the stage and shared his entrepreneurial journey, which started as a student at L. D. College of Engineering. He narrated his experiences, challenges, and successes that

eventually led him to the prestigious television show "Shark Tank." Mihir's story resonated with the audience, providing a unique perspective on the path from academia to entrepreneurship.

### **Question and Answer Session**

Following the lecture, a lively question and answer session was conducted, allowing the students and faculty to engage with Mihir Mehta directly. This session was particularly enlightening, as it allowed for a deeper exploration of the challenges and opportunities in the startup world. Mihir's candid responses to the questions provided valuable insights to the eager audience.

### **Acknowledgment**

The event's success was attributed not only to the enthusiastic audience but also to the diligent work of the coordinators. Prof. Tejas Shah and Prof. Fedrik Macwan, the event coordinators, ensured the event's smooth execution. The student coordinators, listed above, were instrumental in organizing and managing the logistics.

Prof. Chirag Thakker delivered a heartfelt vote of thanks to Mihir Mehta for his time and invaluable insights. He also expressed gratitude to all the participants and coordinators for making the event a resounding success.

### **Conclusion**

The expert lecture by Mihir Mehta was a memorable and enlightening experience for all who attended. His journey from being a student at L. D. College of Engineering to a successful entrepreneur on Shark Tank was a source of inspiration for the students. The event served as a reminder that with determination and innovation, one can achieve remarkable success. It also showcased the symbiotic relationship between academia and the business world, emphasizing the importance of nurturing entrepreneurial spirit.

This event will undoubtedly have a lasting impact on the students and faculty of L. D. College of Engineering, motivating them to pursue their own entrepreneurial dreams and embrace the startup world with confidence and passion. It exemplified the institution's commitment to providing holistic education and fostering innovation.

In closing, we extend our gratitude to Mihir Mehta for sharing his valuable experiences and insights, and to all the participants and coordinators for their enthusiasm and hard work in making this event a resounding success.