Goa University
Goa Business School
In Collaboration with
Career Counselling Cell
Directorate of Student Placements and Alumni Affairs (DSPAR)

Activity Report on
AI Driven Career Readiness Skills
by Satkaam Foundation on 30th January 2026

1.	Title of the Event:	AI-Driven Career Readiness Skills
2.	Date and Time	30th January 2026 from 10.00 AM to 4:30 PM
3.	Mode of conduct	Auditorium, School of Chemical Sciences, Goa University.
4.	School	Goa Business School in collaboration with Career Counselling Cell of the Directorate of Student Placements and Alumni Relations
5.	Details of the Event	Satkaam Foundation (SATKAAM) is a Non-profit initiative started and run by working industry professionals with the goal of bridging the gap between the industry, Universities/colleges, and the knowledge and skills a student can learn and imbibe which the industry values, along with the necessary academic knowledge he/she is getting from their teachers. A one day Student Workshop on AI Driven Career Readiness Skills was organized by Goa Business School, Goa University, in collaboration with the Career Counselling Cell of Directorate of Student Placement and Alumni Relations and Satkaam Foundation, India.

		The workshop was open to all the students of Goa University and its affiliated colleges, as well as faculty members and research scholars.
		The resource persons for the program were:
		● Mr. Abhijit Bhide, Co-Founder, Satkaam; Independent Consultant; Ex-Chief Product Officer, Shoptimize
		● Mr. Kartik Srinivasan, Tech Architect; Ex-Chief Architect, STSM–IBM; MaaS360
		The program was coordinated by Mr. Hanumant H. Redkar, Ms. Clifa Mascarenhas, and Mr. Dnyandev Khadapkar, Assistant Professors, GBS. The conveners were Sr. Prof. Purva Hegde Desai, Dean, GBS, and Dr. Rupesh Patre, Director, DSPAR, Dr. Arvind N. Haldankar, Chairman of Career Counselling Cell of DSPAR.
6.	**Number of faculty attended**	8
7.	**The number of students who attended**	223
8.	**The Objective of the Event/Activity/ Program**	The objective of this student oriented workshop was to gain understanding and training on the following pointers: ● Role of Al ● Understanding Companies ● Critical Thinking ● Articulation ● Communication Skills ● Soft Skills ● Interview Preparation ● Resume Writing ● Time Management ● Career Planning

9.	Description of the Event/Activity/ Program	The workshop commenced with a warm welcome to the distinguished guests by Durva Mhamal, MSc(I) student followed by a welcome address by Sr. Prof Purva Hegde Desai, Dean, Goa Business School and Dr. Arvind N. Haldankar, Chairman, Career Counselling Cell of Directorate of Student Placement and Alumni Relations
		This workshop on AI Driven Career Readiness Skills was interactively started by resource persons Mr. Abhijit Bhide and Mr. Karthik Srinivasan. A key theme discussed during the sessions was the purpose of the computing revolution, with special emphasis on the role of semiconductors as the backbone of modern computing and technological advancement. Students were encouraged to understand how foundational technologies drive innovation across industries.
		Strong emphasis was placed on critical thinking as a core skill for students. The speakers introduced the ABCDEF framework, highlighting how Assumptions, Bias, and Correlation can influence Decision-making and problem interpretation. Through engaging examples, including the "Hero–Splendor" case, students were guided on how flawed assumptions can lead to incorrect conclusions.
		Mr. Karthik Srinivasan elaborated on the effective use of four essential skills, particularly focusing on how Artificial Intelligence can be leveraged as a tool rather than a shortcut. He also explained the importance of understanding input–output relationships while solving problems, enabling students to structure solutions logically and systematically.
		Mr. Abhijit Bhide emphasized the importance of articulation and inquisitiveness, encouraging students to ask the right questions, communicate ideas clearly, and remain curious learners. These skills were linked directly to improved problem-solving ability and professional growth.
		The sessions consistently tied back to concepts discussed in previous interactions, helping students see continuity in learning. Techniques for leveraging existing knowledge, tools, and frameworks were demonstrated to show how small improvements can lead to significant outcomes.
		Overall, the sessions reinforced that critical thinking, problem-solving, inquisitiveness, and structured use of AI are indispensable skills for students preparing for industry and future technological challenges.

		The workshop concluded with training on effective time management and how effectively we can utilize our time to do the task in mind. Some industry accepted methods for time management were highlighted, some of them are: Pareto Principle (80/20 Rule), Pomodoro Technique, Time Blocking, Urgent v/s Important (Eisenhower Matrix), Eat that frog, Relative Prioritization, 1-3-5 Rule, 2-Minute Rule, etc. In conclusion, Shri. Ramrao Wagh, Vice Dean (Academics), Goa Business School presented a token of appreciation to the guests followed by a vote of thanks. Overall, this workshop was fruitful to both students as well as faculty members who attended it.
10.	**Benefits or Outcomes of the Program Conducted**	**The key benefits were:** • Students gained understanding of types of interviews, interview facing skills, hands on sessions on how to answer interviews, researching about a company before appearing for an interview in that company, etc. • Students gained understanding on various categories of career, managing career, time management, financial management, etc. • Overall students gained knowledge about corporate and corporate skills which can help them to prepare for their interviews and corporate readiness.
12.	**Enclosures with Report**	Flyer, Photos, Attendance sheet

Name with signature of the coordinator(s):

Hanumant Redkar

Clifa Mascarenhas

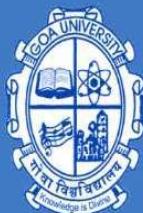Dnyandev Khadapkar

Designation: Assistant Professors, GBS

Signature:

Dean

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for
A One-Day Workshop on

AI-Driven Career Readiness Skills

FOR ALL STUDENTS OF GOA UNIVERSITY

Key Takeaways

- Role of AI
- Understanding Companies
- Critical Thinking
- Articulation
- Communication Skills
- Soft Skills
- Interview Preparation
- Resume Writing
- Time Management
- Career Planning

Register Here

Register before 29/01/2026 - 5 PM

Speakers

Abhijit Bhide
Co-Founder, Satkaam; Independant Consultant;
Ex-Chief Product Officer, Shoptimize [in]

Rahul Bhide
Co-Founder, Satkaam; Independent Executive, Ex-India
Things Head and All Things Product, Mindbody [in]

Kartik Srinivasan
Tech Architect; Ex-Chief Architect, STSM - IBM,
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Dean, GBS

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Director, DSPAR

Dr. Arvind Haldankar
Chairman, CCC

January 30, 2026
From 10 AM - 4 PM

Chemistry Auditorium
Goa University

The session is Specially Designed for Students for Career Guidance and Industry Readiness

Note: Tea & Snacks and Lunch will be provided to the participants

Photo Gallery

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Attendance Sheet

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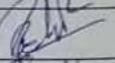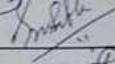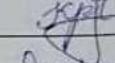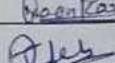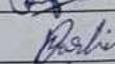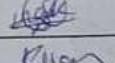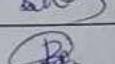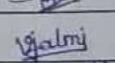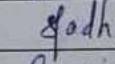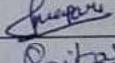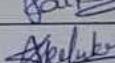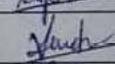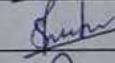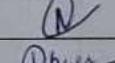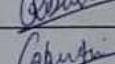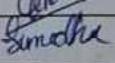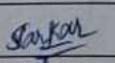
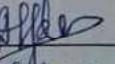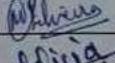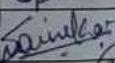| Sr. No.	Name of the Student	Name of the Programme	Signature
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3	Adriella Vaz	Msc I part-4	Aridla.
4.	Prabhanyan Halwegar	Msc I (part-3)	
5.	Sahil Gaonkar	MSC I (part-3)	Gaonkar
6	Shripad Chodankar	MSC I (Part-3)	
7.	Unnat Umurye	MSC I (Part-3)	
8.	Sangan Ibrampurkar	MSC I (Part-3)	
9.	Harsh palyekar	MSC I (Part-3)	
10.	Pradnya Goral	Msc II (chemistry)	
11.	Madhusmita Das	Msc Internship (chemistry)	
12	Joshle Colaco	MSC physics II	
13	Ranjita Patil	Mss Physics II	
14	Shreya N Naik	Msc PHYSICS II	Naik
15	Shreya Pagui	MCA II	
16	Maurya Monte	MSC Physics	
17	Sr. Cleris Fernandes	Msc Physics II	
18	Prajakta P Chari	MSc chemistry (II)	
19	Trima Fernandes	Msc chemistry (II)	
20	Ekanti Metha	Msc chemistry (II)	
21	Parshuram Gaonkar	PhD Chemistry	
22	Ria Colaco	PhD Chemistry	Rcolaco
23	Crecia Oliveira	PhD Chemistry	
24.	Kajal N. Salgaokar	PhD chemistry	
25.	Vishant Gaonkar	PhD Chemistry	
26	Mayur M. Jalmi	Msc chemistry	Jalmi
27	Sakshi Shashikant Naik	Msc II chemistry	
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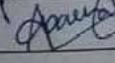Hall: SCS Auditorium   Date:30/01/2026

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32	Mahima Gaonkar.	M.Sc. Chemistry Part II	
33	Jenifar Roy	English literature II	
34	Aeschylus Martins	English literature II	
35	Pranjal Gawde	MSc. Chemistry Part II	
36	Saisha Naik	MSc. Chemistry Part II	
37	Sharvari Borkar	MSc. Chemistry Part II	
38	Riddhi Naik	MSc. Chemistry Part II	
39	Vanshita Jalmi	MSc. Chemistry Part II	
40.	Shreya Jadhav	MSc Biotechnology I	
41	Shubhangi Mapari	MSc Biotechnology I	
42.	Shreya Raikar	MSc Biotechnology I	
43.	Anusha Pelankar	MSc Biotechnology I	
44.	Vidhi Pandya	MSc Biotechnology I	
45.	Shubha Manerkar	MSc Biotechnology I	
46.	Nidhi Govekar	MSc Biotechnology I	
47.	Purush Desai	MSc Biotechnology I	
48.	Gaurav Arawattigi	MSc Biotechnology I	
49.	Sumedha Chakma	MBA Part I	
50	Saloni Varkar	MBA Part I	
51	Analia Theha Fernandes	MBA Part I	
52	Myola Silveira	MBA Part 1	
53	Felicia Mascarenhas	MBA Part 1	
54	Quintina Gonsalves	MBA Part I	
55.	Saniya Mainekar	MBA Part I	
56.	Aparna V.	MA Economics (part II)	

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60	Tarani Naparuar	MSc AI - Part II	Taran
61	Akanksha Bitodkar	MSc Chemistry (Part II)	Bitodkar
62	Shrutika Fadte	MSc chemistry (Part II)	Fadte
63	Richa Bandodker	MSc Chemistry (Part II)	Bandodker
64	Simon Benjamin	MA Economics (Part 2)	Simon
65	Janhavi Naik	MSc Data Science (Part 1)	Jnaik
66	Esha Velip	M.A Economics (P-I)	Velip
67	Disha Naik	MSc Data Science (Part 1)	DN
68	Shruti Surlakar	MCA (part 2)	Surlakar
69	Shubham Gawas	MSc Physics	Gawas
70	Dattadeep Shetgaonkar	MSc Data Science (Part I)	Shetgaonkar
71	Rakshita Rama Kurbal	MSc Data Science (Part II)	Kurbal
72	Anjali Desai	MSc Data Science (part 3)	Anjali
73	Nayrah Sheikh	MSc I Chemistry	Nee
74	Chaturthi Naik	MSc AI Part 2	Naik
75	Sakshi Vajrekar	MSc AI Part 1	
76	Saniya Sawal	MSc AI Part 1	Sawal
77	Prachi Gaonkar	MSc AI Part 1	Prachi
78	Sakshi Gaonkar	MSc AI Part 1	Gaonkar
79	Pavitra Dawalai	MSc Data Science (Part II)	Dewdi
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81	Manushri Natekar	MSc Microbiology P.1	Natekar
82	Anita Gaonkar	MSc Microbiology [P.I]	Gaonkar
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89.	Ritasha Vast	M.A Economics	Plast
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91.	Ziyad Shaikh	MSCI-Data science	qiraum
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93.	Vaibhav Sadashiv Naik	MSc. Artificial Intelligence	Naik
94	Aryon Kavthonkar	MSc Mathematics	Akavthankar
95	Milisha Almeida	Msc Data Science	Almeida
96	Shrayani Desai	MSc Data Science	Desai
97	Sakshi Vijapure	MSc Data Science	Vijapure
98	Sehal Bhonsle	MScI Data Science	Bhosle
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100	Arya Sankhalkar	MSC I Data Science	Arya
101	Anusha Shirroiker	MSC II Organic Chemistry	A.
102	Diveash A. Nagvekar	MSC. Part II Botany	AN
103	Sanjeev Revodkar	M.Sc. Part II Chemistry	
104	Kinshu Jha	M.Sc Part II Chemistry	Ku
105	Laxman Paryelsar	M.Sc. Part II chemistry	U
106	Avinesh VP	MSc AI Part 2	AJ
107	Sarvadhnya Patil	MSCI Part - 3	Patil
108	Atharv Gawas	MScI Part - 3	Atharv