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"Human Resource Management: Opportunities and Challenges"

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Summary:

The department of Humanities & Management Science of MMM University of Technology, Gorakhpur had organized an expert lecture by Mr Pawan Pandey Senior Executive Human Resource of NTPC India. Mr. Pawan said that for any organization the most valuable resource is the Human Resource. Effective management of this resource only can make organization function properly. The event was headed by HOD Dr. Sudhir Narayan Singh. Dr. Ravi Gupta, Dr. Kehkasha Khan and Dr. Javed Alam were also present in the event. And 70 students also participated.

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'AUTOMATION CAN'T REPLACE MANPOWER FULLY'

GORAKHPUR: The era of automation and digitisation did not pose a serious threat to future requirement of manpower in corporate organisations as machines could not completely replace humans, NTPC HR executive Pawan Pandey told students in Madan Mohan Malviya University of Technology on Saturday. Pandey was delivering a guest lecture to MBA students in humanities and management science department of the university. The topic of the lecture was human resource: opportunity and challenges.

Pandey said humans had the unique ability of decision-making and intellect, compared to technology, like artificial intelligence, which had its own limitations and drawbacks. The basic difference between machine and man was that behaviour of the former could be predictable but

not of the latter.

Pawan, an alumnus of DDU university, who has 10 years of corporate experience, shared many examples from his career on how HR work was full of challenges and pointed out that the field of industrial relations

was the toughest.

Giving tips to students in the interactive session that lasted for one hour, he said that time management was as important as developing potential and retaining it for securing jobs and sur-viving in the high competition era. Citing examples of people who achieved success despite coming from rural or backward areas, Pawan said students should never underestimate their potential and should shed the perception that they could not make it to the list of achievers as they were from a small city like Gorakhpur.

To a query put up by a student, he said that the basic function of HR was the same in both PSUs and private sector but approach to address issues was different. Head of the department Dr Sudhir Narayan Singh, Dr Ravi Gupta, Dr Javed Alam, Dr Kahkashan and Dr Bharti Shuida were also present.

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