



## School of Civil Engineering

# Industry Expert Talk on "Bridges – Design practices in Industry and its Execution" Report

Date of Event: 13-09-2024

Venue: SMVB 208

Academic Year: 2024-25

School of Civil Engineering REVA University, Rukmini Knowledge Park, Kattigenahalli, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064



**REVA University Vision:** REVA University aspires to become an innovative university by developing excellent human resources with leadership qualities, ethical and moral values, research culture and innovative skills through higher education of global standards.

#### **REVA University Mission:**

- To create excellent infrastructure facilities and state-of-the-art laboratories and incubation centres
- To provide student-centric learning environment through innovative pedagogy and education reforms
- To encourage research and entrepreneurship through collaborations and extension activities
- To promote industry-institute partnerships and share knowledge for innovation and development
- To organize society development programs for knowledge enhancement in thrust areas
- To enhance leadership qualities among the youth and enrich personality traits, promote patriotism and moral values

#### **School of Civil Engineering**

**Vision:** To produce young engineers of Caliber, who would be committed to their profession with ethics, will be able to contribute to Civil Engineering and allied fields in optimizing usage of resources globally making the world eco-friendlier to live in.

#### Mission:

- To make the school a centre of excellence for training the undergraduate students.
- To promote involvement of staff and students in research and advanced training.
- To develop good understanding skills in student communities about Civil Engineering, ethical practices, automation design and society need centric teaching and learning and imparting value addition skills.



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#### Mapping of event to CO&PO of course

#### **Course Outcomes:**

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NOTE: **1** : **Slight** (Low), **2:Moderate** (Medium) and **3: Substantial** (High) represents strength of correlation between CO and PO.



## Section:2 **Permission letter**

0 28-08-2024

The Pro-Vice Chancellor (Engineering), School of Civil Engineering, REVA University.

Respected Sir,

Subject: Proposal to organize Industry Expert Talk on "Bridges – Design practices in Industry and its Execution"

With reference to the above subject, the School of Civil Engineering would like to organize Industry expert talk on 13<sup>th</sup> September 2024. An Industry expert Mr. Arvind Kumar Salecha, Structural Designer and Director of Chetan Infratech Consultants Pvt. Ltd., has agreed to present his expertise on the topic "Bridges – Design practices in Industry and its Execution".

Herewith I would like to seek your permission for conduction of the Industry Expert talk for the titled as above.

Regards,

Dr. Mehar Babu Ravula,

Coordinator,

School of Civil Engineering,

Dr. B. Bhavana

Director

School of Civil Engineering

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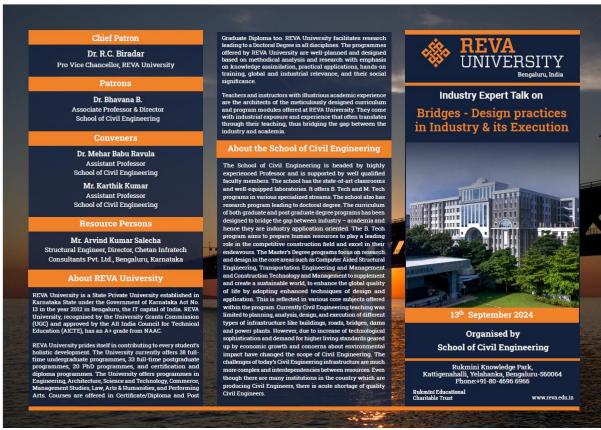
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#### **Banner and Brochure**







#### **About Industry Expert Talk**

The Bridges are considered as the one of best mode of The Bridges are considered as the one of best mode of overcoming the traffic issues at road crossings and also to cross a flowing river or a water body. The design of bridges involves rigorous steps to be followed to arrive at its effective dimensions and reinforcement details. The design practices followed in the industry will be explained by the expert along with various drawing detailing. The execution case studies will be delivered by the expert.

Mr. Arvind Kumar Salecha is a practicing structural engineer and director of Chetan Infratech Consultants Pvt Ltd. He has designed over 23 metro stations 600 bridges and flyovers all over India. He has over 25 years of experience as a structural engineer with expertise in bridge designs. He has Published paper in Journal of Experimental Mechanics, USA. He has presented papers in national seminars and given guest lectures in colleges.

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#### **About the Speaker**

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#### **Brief points about event**

The Industry Expert Talk on "Bridges – Design Practices in Industry and its Execution" is organized on 13-09-2024 at REVA University Campus Sir MV Block at Room number 108. The Industry Expert Mr. Aravind Kumar Salecha, Structural Engineer and Director of Chetan Infratech Consultants Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru, Karnataka, had visited REVA University campus and delivered his expert lecture on Bridges.

The event Industry Expert Talk started with the warm welcome by the organizers Dr. Mehar Babu Ravula, Mr. Karthik Kumar, Assistant Professors of School of Civil Engineering and Dr. B Bhavana madam, the director of School of Civil Engineering. The speaker is introduced to the students with his brief bio-data and the session is handed over to the speaker Mr. Aravind Kumar Salecha. The session went upto one-and-half hour with the Bridges Preliminary survey, detailed survey, practical drawing sheets dispatched to the site and execution controls were clearly elaborated by the speaker. Then the students actively participated and clarified their doubts for about half an hour. The students of B.Tech 7<sup>th</sup> Semester A, B and C section and M.Tech CASE (Computer Aided Structural Engineering) students participated in the session. About 66 students participated in the session along with 5 faculty members of School of Civil Engineering. The session is concluded by complementing the speaker with the bokey and the e-certificate as a token of appreciation.



## Section: 6 Geo tagged photos























#### **Outcome of event**

The following are the Outcomes of the Industry Expert Talk on "Bridges – Design Practices in Industry and its Execution":

- 1. The students are exposed to the industry practices for the design and execution process of bridges.
- 2. The participated students had detailed overview on the various standards maintained by industry for the design of bridges.
- 3. This expert talk has increased the interest towards the design of bridges among the students as it is the hardcore career for the aspiring students.
- 4. Improved awareness on the practices in Bridge execution at site and the techniques to overcome hurdles during construction of bridges.
- 5. This industry expert talk had provided the opportunity for the students to interact with industry expert on bridges and received proper guidance regarding the industrial practices in bridges and its career opportunities.



### Participants list

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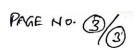
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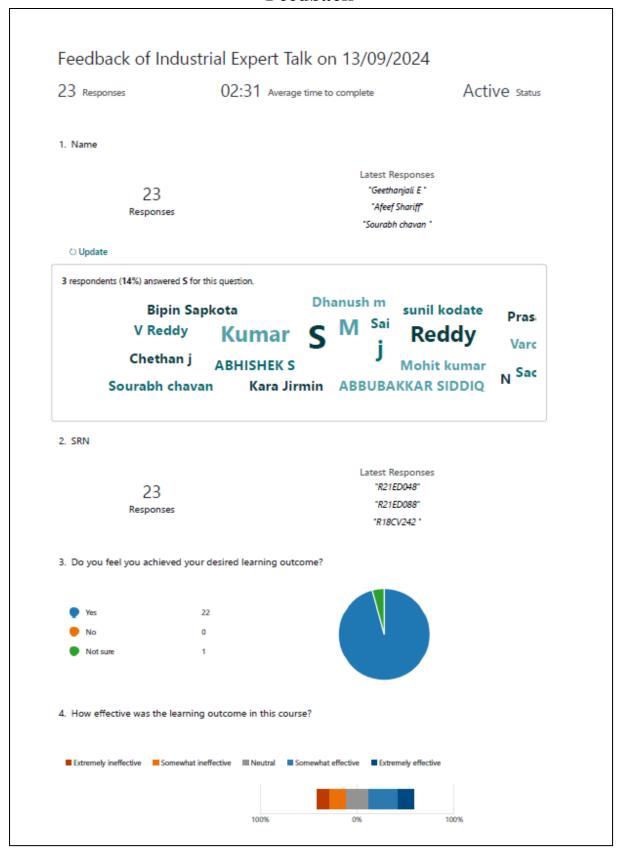
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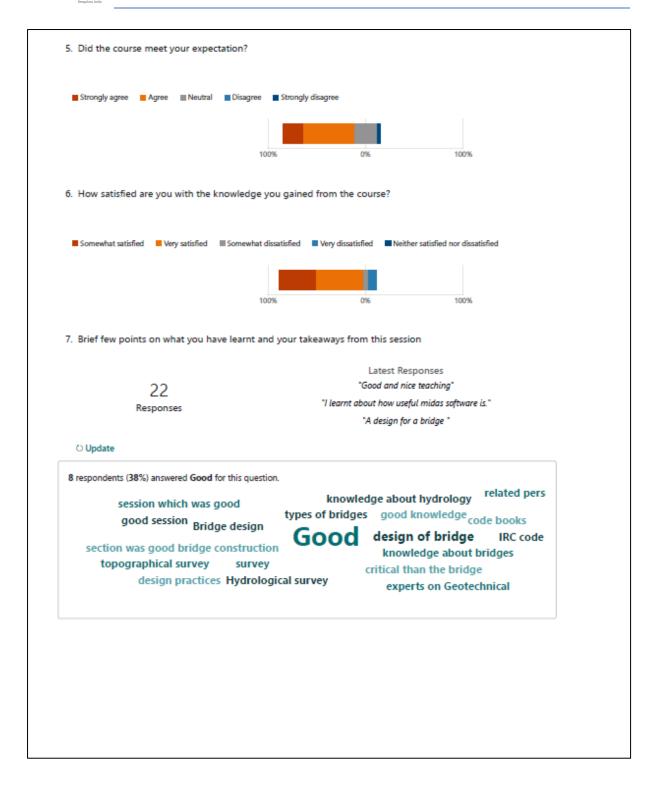
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#### **Feedback**









#### Feedback analysis

The summary of feedback shows that the broader exposure of a Bridge project is presented well to participants including the multidisciplinary specialisations such as Geotechnical, Surveying, Design, drawing sheets and its execution. The responses received for the speaker is excellent and the concepts were well presented. The participants got exposed to various techniques during erection and the various drawing sheets practically dispatched from the designer is being presented well.

The responses indicated the increased interest in the students towards the Bridge Engineering subject. The participation of the students in the talk is very good. The objective of the industry expert talk is rightly achieved. The participants got the details of the bridge slab drawings, prestressing, launching of superstructure and IRC Codes.

