## Manay Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies

## <u>Women's Day celebration: Brainstorm Career Opportunities in Civil Engineering</u> with Women in the Sector

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The Sustainable Squad, Department of Civil Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Technology, Manav Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies, in association with Gender Sensitizing Cell, organized a Rendezvous with Women Civil Engineers and Students to "Women's Day celebration: Brainstorm Career Opportunities in Civil Engineering with Women in the Sector " on March 10, 2023. The event was attended by 36 students of various institutions, women working professionals from the industry and women faculty members of the department. Mr. Yaman Hooda was the moderator of the event. The event started with a welcome address for all the speakers. The first interaction was started by Ms. Sonali Juneja. Ms Juneja is an alumnus of Batch 2011 – 2015 (B. Tech, Civil Engineering) and currently working as a Project Manager with Cushman & Wakefield (India) Private Limited. Ms. Juneja started her talk by explaining her role as a Construction Manager in the firm and various projects she's currently associated with. Ms. Juneja enlightened the audience the importance of construction management in infrastructure projects, followed by the various job profiles one can apply for after completing PG in Construction Management with UG in Civil Engineering.

The second speaker was Er. Himmi Gupta. Er. Gupta was associated with a US – based Bridge design firm after completing M. Tech in Structural Engineering from University of Florida, The United States of America in 2006. Er. Gupta is currently working as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Civil Engineering, National Institute of Technical Teachers Training & Research, Chandigarh. Er. Gupta discussed the various roles of Structural Engineer. She also gave her thoughts on bridging the gap between the academic knowledge and industrial experience with design – based internships.



