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Title	Skills building Orientation - <i>IBM Skill India</i>
Date of Event(s)	30-07-2021
Department / Association / Cell / Committee	Placement Cell & Faculty Enrichment Committee
Venue (Mention the platform if it is Online)	Google meet
Number of Participants	
Target Audience	PG and UG Teaching faculty, SFS College

Resource Person(s) with qualification	Ms. Sherwari Training partner of IBM CSR Box
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Place of visit/ details of Industrial visit place (if applicable):	Nil
Event Coordinator	Mrs. Sonia Ashok, Mr. Karthik & Faculty Enrichment committee members

Objective: To learn more about the features of IBM Skills Build, all the courses available on the platform, and the latest updates.

Everyone should have the chance to succeed. IBM Skills helps students, professionals, job seekers and small businesses build critical skills through free online courses, programs, and badge credentials created in partnership with governments, NGOs and schools from all over the world.

Skills Build is a free access digital learning platform that focuses on industry-relevant skill development in students and jobseekers above the age of 18 years. On successful completion of learning activities, the students can earn IBM certified badges and certificates that can be uploaded directly on LinkedIn or stated on the CV.

The session was conducted by Ms. Sherwari training partner IBM, CSR box. The session was conducted for all teaching faculties of both PG and UG.

The platform consists of 7500+ learning activities which can be accessed for free once you register on the platform through CSRBOX. It focuses on making students industry ready and helps in improving their professional skills, soft skills and personal skills. They also give training on writing resume, how to face interview, how to search for jobs etc.

They also conduct many interactive virtual programmes. Beyond certificates for some courses

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even badges will be provided. Reports will be generated on weekly, and monthly basis in order to see the progress of students.

The certificates would be unique for each user and credibility of the course also would be mentioned.

Ms. Sherwari explained how to login to skills build platform and how to register for courses, she told that it is better to always login with google.

Ms. Sherwari mentioned that basic certificate course for even one minute could be completed by students for certification. She also mentioned that it is recommended to opt for longer duration courses for getting badges.

In all the courses job opportunities and skills required for that particular course would be displayed on the website so that it becomes easy for students to choose the right course.

Ms. Sherwari also showed a sample of the certificate and badges to the participants. She also mentioned that if students are opting for more than one and long duration courses then they can add that course to queue so that they need not search every time when they login. She also mentioned that all the courses are absolutely free of cost.

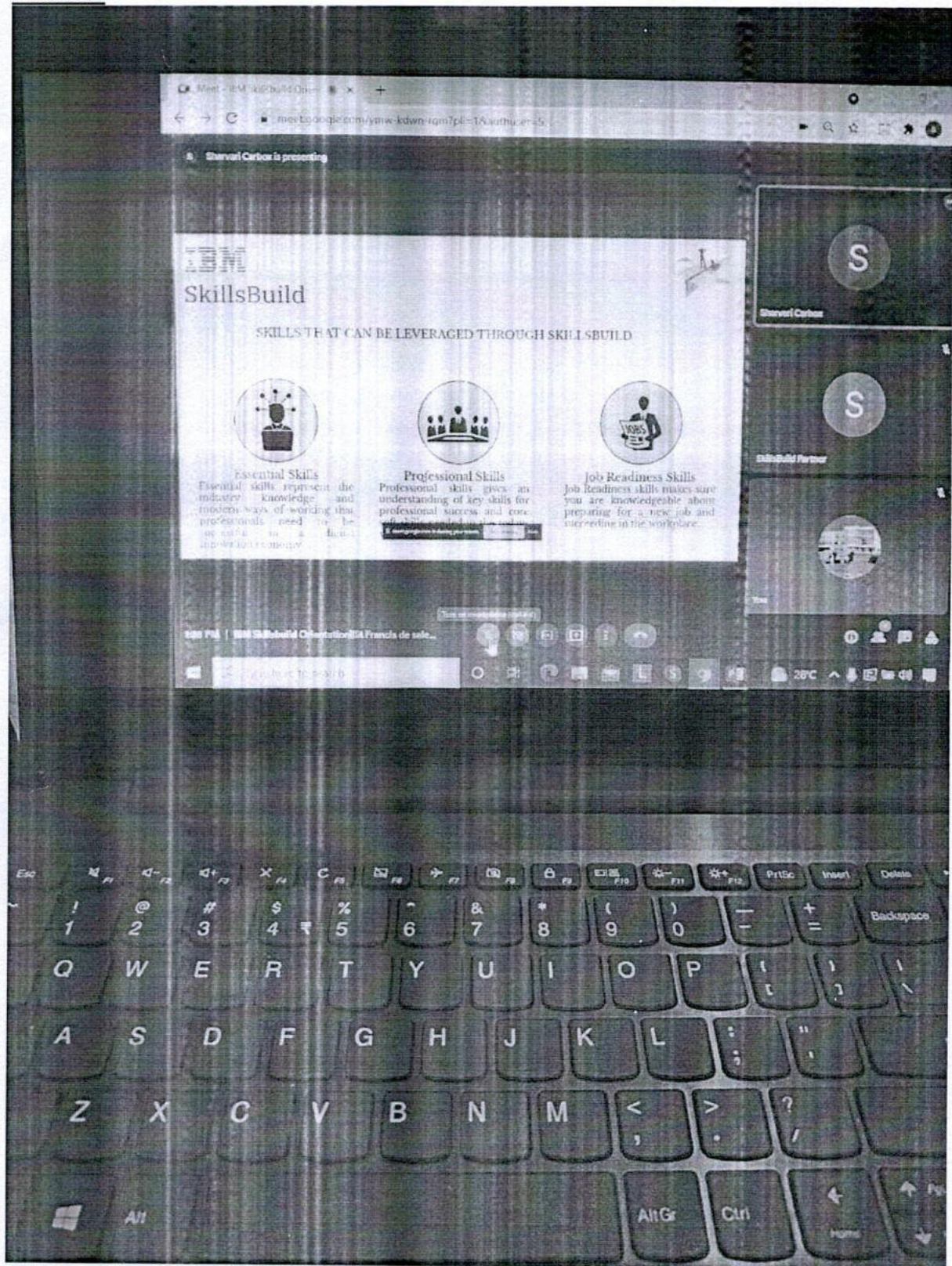
There was also a question answer session, Ms. Sherwari answered all the questions and doubts that were asked by faculty members.

The session was concluded by Mrs. Sonia Ashok by Thanking the resource person for explaining about all the benefits that a student would get by enrolling into the courses offered by IBM Skill India.

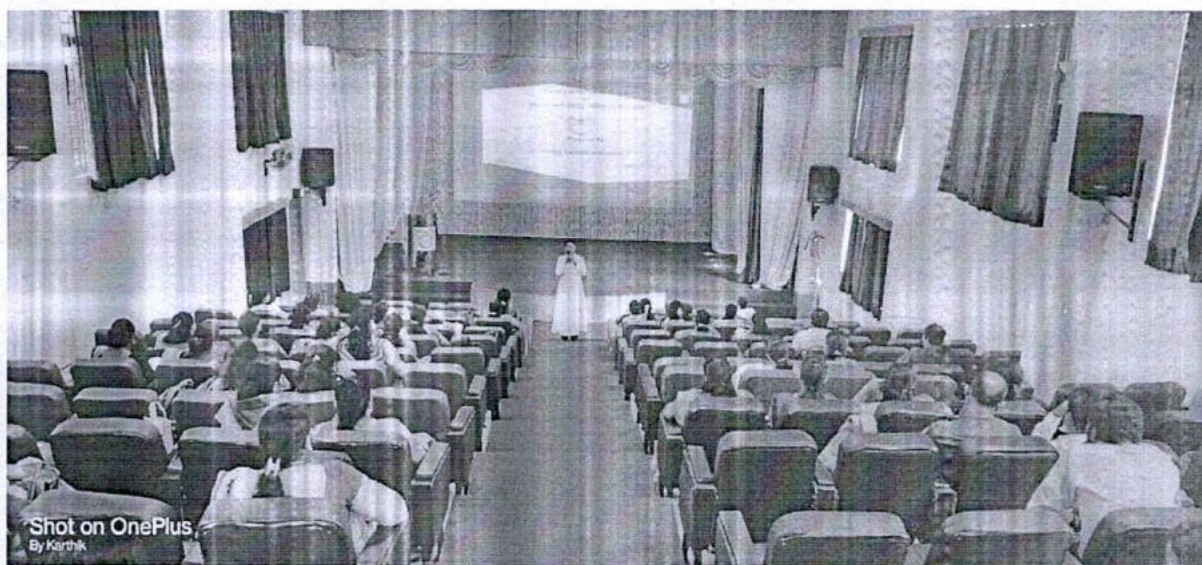
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