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## MOTIVATIONAL WEBINAR on



Kankana Ghoshal, Ph.D Former Lecturer, Life Science Core Education, UCLA, California

# 'DEVELOPING SOFT SKILLS AT AN EARLY CAREER STAGE LEADS TO GROWTH AND SUCCESS'

July 13, 2021 | 7:30 PM

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**Activity Report** 

Name of Event: Outreach Webinar held on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2021

**Topic** - "Developing soft skills at an early career stage leads to growth and success"

Invited Speaker: Dr. Kankana Ghoshal,

Former Lecturer,

Life Science Core Education

UCLA, California, USA

Date: 13/07/2021

**Time:** 7.30 pm to 9 pm

Webinar Platform: Zoom Cloud Meeting Platform

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of India.

**Number of Participants: 316** 

Summary: The lecture was attended by 316 participants including undergraduate, postgraduate and faculty members of various colleges. The esteemed speaker gave an in-depth understanding of the importance of soft skills for the growth and success in career and how early adoption helps. Soft skills are the personality traits, behaviors, and interpersonal skills that we use to interact with other people. These skills are not usually tied to specific professions, rather they relate to our personalities and, as such, they are highly transferable skills. Although they are less tangible than hard skills, they can still be learnt and developed. Some fundamental soft skills for the workplace include creativity, persuasion, emotional intelligence, and collaboration. Developing such skills at an early career stage definitely leads to growth and success and hence with this very aim of soft skill development among undergraduate students to make them job ready.

The speaker was given the vote of thanks by Smt. Sonali Ray, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany. All the participants had submitted the feedback form and received the participation certificate in due time.

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This is to certify that ABHISHEK BALLAV of SURENDRANATH COLLEGE has participated in the Motivational Webinar on "Developing Soft Skills at an Early Career Stage Leads to Growth and Success"" on July 3<sup>rd,</sup> 2021.

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