

IGNOU CPC

Campus Placement Cell (CPC), IGNOU is organizing Career Counseling and Guiding Sessions on 24th Convocation to be held on Monday, 5th September 2011 at IGNOU Campus, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi. These sessions have been arranged on the said day in Class Room Block, IGNOU Campus during 10.00 AM - 1.30 PM. Since every student passing out of the University would like to know about the employment opportunities available to them and many of them would be coming to receive their degrees on the said date, it would be prudent to provide them Career Counseling and Guidance on the same day.

The following companies are interested to take up the Career Counseling & Guidance Sessions on 5th September 2011.

NIIT India Ltd.

The IGNOU-NIIT partnership has resulted in adopting a bouquet of eight programmes under the Finishing School Initiative. Out of these eight, two programs offer employable skills in the IT domain, one in BPO Skills and the remaining five are Generic, Professional and Soft Skills for all types of work places be it Corporate Office, Back Office or Customer oriented set ups. The Certificate and Modular Courses offered jointly by IGNOU-NIIT are aimed at enhancing the employability of job aspirants in different employment sectors.

VMock India Pvt. Ltd.

Mr. Salil Pande, Head of VMock India Pvt. Ltd is taking personal initiative for the Career Counseling sessions. **Salil graduated as a dean's honors from the University of Chicago with his MBA in Finance, Strategy and Entrepreneurship, high honors from Texas A&M University and B.Tech. from IIT Kanpur.** VMock was founded by him out of his own experience of helping several friends and family members prepare their resumes and stories for job and admission interviews. IGNOU-VMock online platform enables candidates to practice for job interviews and improve via feedback. The objective behind this enabling service is to empower learners to practice, rehearse, retake, repeat and continuously improve and refine their interview skills till

they are confident to excel. The representatives of **VMock** would be discussing the best practices of getting ready for interviews by removing the barriers of time and location to get the best possible feedback.

Aspiring Minds

Aspiring Minds was founded in 2007 by alumnus of **IIT (Delhi) & MIT (USA)** with a vision to introduce scientific assessment methodology to bring together job seekers and campuses across India on a national standardized platform that is recognized by multiple companies. **AMCAT** is a nationally recognized test for job opportunities in top corporates. If the AMCAT score of the student matches with the criteria of the company recognizing AMCAT, the student gets a job interview immediately. Since, different companies have different eligibility criteria, depending upon the sector, job profile etc., hence there is a job for every talented student. The representatives of Aspiring Minds would be conducting the demo sessions of the **AMCAT** test on the said date.

Integrated Learning Solutions Pvt. Ltd.

WHEEBOX Cloud based Platform is one of the Research-based instructional design innovations of Integrated Learning Solution (ILS). **WHEEBOX Learning Platform** is a great learning tool for users and provides students and educators the best means to manage and promote learning. It is a cloud based platform which helps users to achieve better insights into strengths and improvement areas. The user can assess domain skills in the field of **Information Technology, Aptitude Skills, English Communication Skills and Core Engineering and Management Skills**.

Campus and Beyond (A Vocational Training Institute)

Campus Placement Cell, IGNOU is jointly holding workshop on Soft Skills development with Campus and Beyond. Soft skills play a vital role for professional success; they help one to excel in the workplace and their importance cannot be denied in this age of information and knowledge. To address this need, Campus and Beyond is working towards '**Skill-Mapping**' of the students with the objective to educate the students to face the campus recruitment process with full confidence by providing them rigorous training with respect to **Soft Skills, Personality Development, Facing an Interview, Group Discussions etc.**