

Report

Department of Computer Science & Engineering, National Institute of Technology (NIT) Raipur organized Industry Expert Talk on "Cyber Unsafe" by Dr. Gaurav Gupta, Director/Scientist, Cyber Security Group, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Govt. of India, New Delhi, India, under Industry Institute Collaboration Cell of NIT Raipur in collaboration with State Forensic Science Laboratory (SFSL) Raipur.

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering, National Institute of Technology Raipur, organized an Industry Expert Talk on "Cyber Unsafe" on 30th October 2025 in the F-40 classroom under the Industry Institute Collaboration Cell (IICC) of NIT Raipur, in collaboration with the State Forensic Science Laboratory (SFSL), Raipur. Across India, the month of October is observed as Cyber Security Awareness Month. In line with this national initiative, NIT Raipur proudly celebrated the occasion through this insightful expert talk. The institute also shares a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with SFSL Raipur, and this session was jointly organized as part of that collaborative engagement. The speaker for this event was Dr. Gaurav Gupta, Director/Scientist, Cyber Security Group, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Govt. of India. Dr Gaurav Gupta is the first Indian to earn a doctorate in the field of digital forensics. He was bestowed with the Young Scientist Award of the Indian Science Congress in 2010 by the Man of Science, Dr A.P.J. Abdul Kalam. He has been a mentor and guide to many research students and interns and 23 years of experience. He has a rich experience 24 years. He is currently Director with the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India. He is the author of bestseller book "Cyber Unsafe" available on amazon.

The event witnessed active participation from around 140 attendees, including B.Tech. (CSE) students from the 3rd, and 5th semester, Ph.D. research scholars, and 12 personnel from SFSL Raipur. The session was also attended by Dr. Dilip Singh Sisodia, Head of the Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Dr. Nitesh K. Bharadwaj (Coordinator, IICC, Department of CSE), Dr. Madhukrishna Priyadarsini, Sr. Sonal Yadav, Dr. Rupesh Kumar Dewangan, Dr. Tirath Prasad Sahu, Dr. Toshan Meenpal, Dr. Deepak Singh, Dr. Jitendra Kumar Rout, and other faculty members from the institute.

The program commenced with the welcomed of the Speaker followed by felicitation of the speaker and HoD CSE with saplings. The speaker provided deep insight into the necessity, wide scope and awareness of Cyber Security and Digital Forensics in the present world full of Cyber Crimes. The speaker provided valuable insights from his extensive experience in the field of Cyber Security and Digital Forensics, offering students practical guidance on how to stay cyber-aware and cautious while sharing personal information. He also highlighted important do's and don'ts, along with useful tips and tricks to help participants stay cyber-safe in today's digital world.

The event concluded successfully by addressing the queries from the audience followed by vote of thanks by Dr. Nitesh K Bharadwaj (Coordinator, IICC, Department of CSE). Finally, the session ended with the felicitation of Dr. Gupta with a memento.

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