



Guest Session on 'Data Science Session by Portlearn'

The session on data science was held on 14 Feb 2020 by Port Learn was indeed a highly informative and much needed session in current times when big data is prevalent. The speaker for the session was ArjunBadhan from Port Learn. Data scientist with 9 years of experience in machine learning, analytics, data mining, predictive & forecast analysis, data modelling, text mining, strategy consulting and improvement management in domains such as marketing, sales, human resources, telecom, finance, information technology and business process outsourcing. Certified Data Scientist from Columbia Engineering & XLRI, Jamshedpur and Certified Six Sigma Black Belt from American Society of Quality having expertise with Python, R, SQL, Minitab, Power BI, Advanced Excel, and VBA. Port Learn is a technology driven educational institute that has immense expertise in transforming careers across industries such as analytics and AI, business analysis and core technology. They guarantee to provide knowledge to apply technology to real world data science problems and gain an in depth understanding of emerging technologies, statistical analysis, and computational techniques with the help of tailor-made curriculum.

The session started with talking about what is data. The session progressed with an interactive discussion on importance of data analytics and its significance in current times. Further into the session, the speaker emphasized on the differences between a data scientist and a data analyst, while speaking on the important software knowledge required by these data experts. The session was followed by a Q & A round where students asked their queries related to the topic. The Q & A round was followed by a break and then a short discussion on how to use computer tools to efficiently use and organize data.