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Title	Guest Lecture on “Software Testing Tools” for the students of MCA
Resource Person	Mr. Pinkush Mittal, Regional Sales Manager, BORLAND (A Microfocus company) & Ms. Pooja Sharma, Senior Pre-Sales Consultant, BORLAND (A Microfocus company)
Date	October 10, 2014
Summary	<p>The guest lecture was aimed to make students aware about Software testing, testing tools (especially Borland tools), their working and also scope & opportunities of software testing in IT industry.</p> <p>The speakers graciously started the session by telling the students about importance of Software Testing and its tools. The session was started with scope of testing in past 1960s-1980s and extended with the inevitability of testing in today’s scenario. The students get acquainted with the types of testing tools (especially Microfocus Borland tools) and facets of software testing. The cognizant speakers gave emphasis on the important aspects of testing like: Why software testing is emerging in IT industry, Why Software testing can be chosen as a career opportunity, Why Software Testing is important, How Industry views Software testing today, Types of Testing and Testing Lifecycle, and How to use testing tools and demo of Silk performer 9.0 (A Borland tool).</p> <p>Students asked many questions on testing tools and its relevance with the software like: Pros and cons if software does not get tested well, How Borland testing tools are more efficient than other tools, Difference between performance testing and functional testing, What is the process for creating a test script, and What are the fields in a bug report etc. and speakers gave suitable answers for all the questions.</p>

	<p>The session was extremely informative and interactive for the students and enriched them with the latest updates of the industries and technicalities. Through this session students were able to gather knowledge on various aspects of Software Testing, Industry needs, latest technical updates, and Avenues for future opportunities etc.</p>
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