

We often forget that Engineering is a lot about being creative. What does alumnus Abhinav Gupta of MMU Mullana has to say about an Engineer's responsibility today?

The conversation with Abhinav took an interesting turn when the B.Tech alumnus of MMU Mullana brought forth the erstwhile popular belief- "Engineers are Nation builders."

In the endeavor to make insane money and to climb one rung of the ladder to the other, today's engineers are often seen to be missing the point, but Abhinav knows where real satisfaction lies.

"Engineers have to be innovative in their thinking because it sets them apart from technicians. They should have technical knowledge to make human life better. We are also the building blocks of our country's global prestige and growth. That's why you need to have a National responsibility – if you grow, the Nation grows," says Abhinav passionately while preparing himself to walk us down the memory lane.

Currently working with SBI, he has always believed in miracles. "During my studies I realized that many brilliant engineering minds in India are hurdled because of financial issues. Hence I decided to put my engineering skills and social responsibility together and joined the banking sector to make these miracles happen."

When Abhinav had joined the B.Tech. at MMU Mullana, he was fresh from school. A lot had to be learnt. The journey from "an irresponsible teenager to a responsible member of the society" couldn't possibly happen overnight. There were things to absorb, analyze, comprehend and learn. For him, the transformation journey began from day one at the institute. "Learning is a two way process and MMU Mullana gives its 100% to overall development of students. As a student your learning is not confined to your domain. Everything from annual fests to NSS camps, it developed my personality and made me socially responsible."

The University had drawn Abhinav's attention for the impressive faculty and infrastructure it provides to students. Adding to that is MMU Mullana's incredible placement record as well.

Looking back on his initial days at the institute, Abhinav remembers an awkward teenager who lacked in confidence. But personality development classes organized by the institute helped him come into his own. “MMU doesn’t only focus on academics but also gives us different opportunities to develop our leadership skills and personality. My faculty members always supported me, made me an innovative engineer and imbibed moral values too,” he adds.

Abhinav also reminds his juniors that life on the campus was a breeze while the outside world is a struggle. For him the campus gave moments that have led to lifelong memories and he wishes to relive them soon. “Utilize your time on the campus productively because it’s an ocean of opportunities to add to your knowledge base. Make sure you participate in different events because it will boost your social skills and keep you abreast with the best,” is his parting shot.