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**Q:** What are your reflections about SDMIMD since you are an alumni of this institute?

**A:** I always keep on hearing about the conferences that happen at SDMIMD throughout the year and have also received a wonderful feedback about the faculty at this institute.

**Q:** Sir, You mentioned in your lecture that IT industry is saturating, why do you think so?

**A:** There are two things. India as a country adopting IT is different. But getting jobs in Multi-national IT companies is getting difficult that is where it is saturating.

**Q:** How will demonetisation and election of Donald trump affect jobs in India?

**A:** Demonetisation will not affect jobs in any way. I do not think anything wrong is happening but we need to sustain. One has to look at the larger perspectives of the decisions that are made by this government. To talk about Donald trump there are a lot of things that he said but he hasn't done that yet. US wants to remove the bilateral agreement with China to be cancelled but that won't happen and it won't affect India in a big way.

**Q:** How significant is Analytics?

**A:** Analytics is very crucial. I support a company called bumble bee it picks up fish and if you look at the can of bumble bee fish and scan the batch code you will find all the information about the fish. We are also processing for the Australian Railway system, we are doing a ticket monitoring system and we are seeing how people are buying the ticket and how frequently they are buying the tickets. So, you can see how crucial Analytics is.

**Q:** Is India ready for digitization? There are concerns about cyber security.

**A:** Digitization will happen and there are companies which provide cyber security although it's not 100% but I would say it's around 50%.

**Q:** How difficult is it for start-up to implement the new technologies?

**A:** It is not difficult at all. I think start-up will go with a smaller system and once it grows they can adopt to larger systems.