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Islamic University of Science & Technology (IUST) Hosts Expert Talk on Career Opportunities in Food Industries and Innovation as a Career Path

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The Department of Food Technology, in collaboration with Alumni Connect, organized an Expert Talk on *"Career Opportunities in Food Industries and Innovation as a Career Path."* The session was conducted in the online mode and featured distinguished alumnus **Er. Sheikh Mubashir Jeelani**, Senior Manager (R&D – Product Innovation) at Nestlé India, as the guest speaker.

The program aimed to enlighten students about the diverse career avenues available in the food industry and to highlight the role of innovation as a driver of growth in this sector. In his address, Er. Jeelani shared valuable insights from his professional journey, offering practical guidance on industry requirements, skill development, and future trends shaping the food industry.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from B.Tech. Food Technology students, who engaged in interactive discussions with the speaker. The session was highly appreciated for bridging academic knowledge with industrial expertise, thereby inspiring students to explore new opportunities in the field.

The Department expressed gratitude to the University administration, Dean Outreach, faculty members, and technical staff for their support in making the event a success. A formal vote of thanks was extended to the guest speaker for his valuable contribution and continued engagement with his alma mater.

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