## **Online Knowledge Transfer Series**

**Report on Lecture #8 "Social Engineering & Cyber Psychology"** 

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School of Computer and Information Sciences (SOCIS) at IGNOU, New Delhi organized Lecture #8 titled "**Cutting-Edge Practices in Agile & DevOps Methodologies: An Introduction**" on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Mr. Kapil Pandey was the resource person of the day. Kapil Pandey is an accomplished SAP Solution Architect with over 20 years of experience in the IT industry. He possesses a robust educational foundation complemented by extensive practical expertise. His professional journey spans across renowned multinational corporations such as CMS, IBM, and HCLTech, where he has excelled in solution designing, project management, automation, and other critical IT domains.

Prof. Sandeep Singh Rawat, Coordinator (KTS), first expressed his appreciation for the invaluable guidance of our esteemed Honorable Vice Chancellor, Prof. Nageshwar Rao, and the Pro-Vice Chancellor, Prof. Uma Kanjilal, in facilitating this online knowledge transfer series. Further, Prof. Rawat extended a warm welcome to all the participants. The session commenced with Prof. P.V. Suresh, Director - SOCIS providing an introduction to the distinguished resource. Prof. Uma Kanjilal, Pro-Vice Chancellor, IGNOU, spoke to the attendees, emphasizing that the knowledge transfer series would be a significant event in the fields of computer science and information technology. She highlighted its role in promoting and facilitating interactions among students, faculty members, and industry experts.

Mr. Kapil's discussion resolves around the core concepts and advancements in Agile and DevOps methodologies, highlighting their significance in modern software development practices. Furthermore, Mr. Kapil delves into the key topics of agile principles, such as Scrum and Kanban, alongside DevOps practices like infrastructure as code and automated testing. By embracing cutting-edge practices in Agile and DevOps, organizations can streamline their development pipelines, improve product quality, and respond effectively to evolving market demands.

Cutting-Edge Practices in Agile & DevOps Methodologies - An Introduction: Insights from Mr. Kapil Pandey during the session.



A total of 95 participants from various regions of India and abroad actively engaged in the session. The Q&A segment proved to be a valuable opportunity for participants to acquire deeper insights into the subject matter. In closing the event, Prof. Divakar Yadav, SOCIS proposed a vote of thanks. He offered his thanks to our esteemed Honorable Vice Chancellor - Prof. Nageshwar Rao, and Pro-Vice Chancellor - Prof. Uma Kanjilal, for their timely guidance in organizing the online knowledge transfer series. Special thanks was extended to our resource person, Mr. Kapil Pandey, for graciously accepting our invitation and delivering Lecture #8, titled "Cutting-Edge Practices in Agile & DevOps Methodologies: An Introduction". Furthermore, Prof. Divakar expressed appreciation to all participants, as well as faculty members from other schools. The feedback received for the webinar was overwhelmingly positive.

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