



Grace Series Talk

Grace Series Talks are Women Empowerment Talks for all Grad and Undergrad Students in Computer Science and Software Engineering

Tuesday, November 17, 2020
7pm – 8pm
Location: MSTeams
Online



Talks to:
***Empower**
***Enrich**
***Inspire**

“Small Steps with Help Towards Growth”

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Neeti Khaitan Gupta is President and CEO of Accelerate Consulting Inc. Accelerate has SBE and HUB certifications and specializes in connecting corporate diversity initiatives with Minority and Women owned Businesses. Ms. Gupta was an Advisor of a Unified Communications Company, AGC Networks and a Board Member of Aegis USA, a call center company. Prior to this, Ms. Gupta was the Chief Relationship Officer for Aegis Communications Group in Irving, Texas, a 60,000 people company, which boasts of a successful exit. She has been in external organizations such as a key executive at the Greater Irving-Las Colinas Chamber of Commerce, Vistage Forum, the Young Entrepreneurs Organization (YEO) and the Dallas Round Table (DRT). A charter member of The Indus Entrepreneurs (TIE), Ms. Gupta sits on the board of the American India Foundation (AIF) Dallas, and the Executive Board of the US India Chamber of Commerce (USICOC). She is a founding member of the South-Central Board of the American TeleServices Association (ATA). Ms. Gupta's non-profit affiliations include, Rainbow Days, Hope's Door, Ekal Foundation, Girl's Inc and Pratham for Education, and Chetna amongst others.

Prior to joining Aegis, Ms. Gupta was the Chief Executive Officer and President of e-Telequest, a call center company in Phoenix, Arizona. She has experience in business development, strategic planning and organizational effectiveness, and played a key role in Qualcomm's entry into the Indian market and had been a keen consultant to the Chinese government on implementations of call centers. She has a bachelor's degree in business administration from Pepperdine University, California.

Ms. Gupta comes from an entrepreneurial family. Her spirit and unique drive were forged in the crucible of despair. She acquired polio at a tender age of 2, one of its side effects left her in a coma and near death for an extended period. Her physicians gave up on her many times. Despite this hardship, she pulled through and persevered. Ms. Gupta has delivered many motivational speeches and has lectured on survivability. She lives in Dallas, Texas with her husband and daughter.



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