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Glimpse of the RCPSDC Skill Meet at Baddi, Himachal Pradesh

The Skill Meet organised by RCPSDC at Baddi (Himachal Pradesh) brought the benefits of the Government's Skilling initiatives into sharp relief. It was overwhelming to see a large number of industries in the Rubber and Plastic sector respond to our invitation to join the meet and understand the benefits of skilling and upskilling their workforce through a range of schemes rolled out by the Government.

Baddi is Himachal Pradesh's largest industrial township and has emerged as a major manufacturing hub for a range of industries. For the benefits of skill training to

reach the length and breadth of the country, RCPSDC has endeavoured to organise skill meets in tier 2 and tier 3 towns. The Skill Meet at Baddi was a step in that direction.

The skill meet at Baddi was undertaken in collaboration with the Prerna Group. It was encouraging to see the HR heads and Managing directors of the Rubber and plastic industries participating in the event.

The event commenced with a brief introduction of the Rubber, Chemical and Petrochemical Skill Development Council.

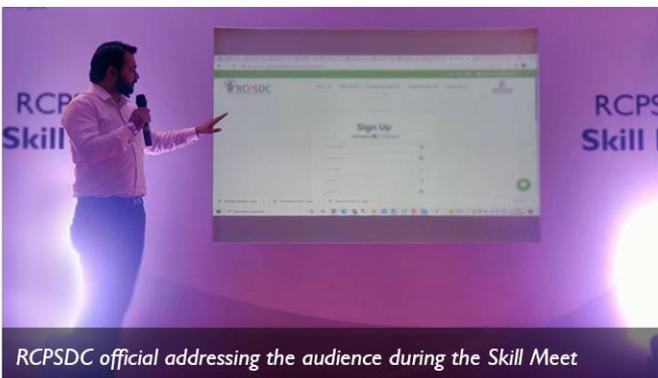
National Apprenticeship Program Scheme (NAPS) has emerged as a huge win-win for the industry and the trainees alike. Best practices on Sourcing of candidates under the apprenticeship scheme were discussed at length. Ms Feba Metin Abraham from the Apprenticeship division at NSDC explained the benefits of the scheme to the industries present.

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) program, another innovative scheme launched by the Government also came under discussion.



RCPSDC Team with NSDC & Prerna Group Representatives

RCPSDC also introduced its Placement Portal which is rendering unique services in the form of a platform to the companies in the Rubber, Chemical and Plastic sectors to communicate about the industries' vacancies and help prospective employees find relevant opportunities to make a career in the sectors concerned.



RCPSDC official addressing the audience during the Skill Meet

As a unique opportunity for the benefit of all the industries present at the event, the Skill Meet provided on the spot registration for NAPS and placement support.

It was overwhelming to witness the sterling presence of special guests including Mr Girdharilal, Apprenticeship Advisor, Director General of Training (DGET), Mr Mukesh Jain, President, MSME - Baddi and Mr Alok Kumar Sahu, Director & Head from Central Institute of Petrochemicals Engineering & Technology (CIPET).

RCPSDC thanks all the stakeholders including DGET, NSDC, CIPET and local industries for making the Skill Meet highly successful.

## RCPSDC job fair in Punjab witnesses encouraging response from the Rubber Industry

The job fair held by the Rubber, Chemical and Petrochemical Skill Development Council (RCPSDC) for jobs in the Rubber sector in the state of Punjab witnessed an encouraging response from the candidates who turned up in large numbers. The job fair was held at Jalandhar, the Rubber hub of Punjab.



Students receiving offer letter from Dolfin Tyres & Tubes Ltd

Prominent rubber product manufacturers from the state participated in the job fair. These included Ralson Tyres, Metro Tyres and Dolfin Rubbers Ltd. The job roles for which most candidates applied included those of Rubber Mill Operator, Machine Helpers, Trainees etc. Eventually, 30 candidates received offer letters at the job fair.

“This was the first job fair held in a long time as Covid induced disruptions didn’t allow much scope of physical interaction in the last two years. It was gratifying to witness a bustling job fair after a long time. The fact that leading rubber products/ tyre manufacturers from the state positively responded to our invitation and participated in the job fair made it all the more worthwhile”.

*Dr Ashrita Tripathi, Head – Training and QA at RCPSDC*



Group Picture of students who attended the Job Fair



RCPSDC official felicitated at the Job Fair

Notwithstanding economic slowdown and global disruptions, the Rubber and Tyre sector in India has shown much resilience. Both domestic production and exports have witnessed healthy growth. As the Rubber sector is looking to Financial Year 2022-23 with new expectations, RCPSDC is committed to increase competitiveness through a sharper focus on the skill training in the sector, added Dr Tripathi.

## Candidate's Testimonial

### Jagroop Singh

*Trainee- Rubber Mill Operator*

My name is Jagroop Singh and I am from Gurdaspur, Punjab. There are five members in my family and while growing up, we had a tough time & had to struggle a lot for basic necessities as my family belongs to a Below Poverty Line category. My father is a farmer and the sole bread earner of our family. I have completed my education till 12th and was working as a trainee Mill Operator in Doha, Qatar before joining the RCPSDC training course for Rubber Mill Operator. Due to the long distance from my family, I started looking for a job opportunity in India and meanwhile got to know about the training course for Rubber Mill Operator. I wished to pursue my career in the same sector, therefore, to upgrade my skills & knowledge I got enrolled for the training program of Rubber Mill Operator. I received the information about the RCPSDC Job Fair through my training centre- Shri Siddhivinayak Education Society.

At the job fair, I got hired at the Dolfin Tyres & Tubes for the position of Trainee Mill Operator at the package of 1,32,000 p.a. I am really thankful to RCPSDC for conducting the Job fair in our city and extend my gratitude to Dolfin Tyres & Tubes for recruiting me. I hold high regard for the efforts of NSDC & RCPSDC and urge the youth of our nation to enrol for the skilling training programs.



## Know Our Team



Ms Surabhi Soodan  
Cluster Manager-North  
India

I've been associated with RCPSDC as a Cluster Manager for North India. I have been working tirelessly to build and upgrade RCPSDC in this region, which will help to boost economic activities and create more jobs in the Rubber, Chemical & Petrochemical verticals. I'm passionate about magnifying the talent ecosystem's credibility, trustworthiness, resilience and Industry beliefs through skilling projects in North India.

I've had the good fortune to engage with a variety of stakeholders, including top State Government officials, industry, academia, private partners, and others, which has provided me with a rich professional experience, particularly when it comes to working for the advancement of society. I'm enjoying my current position at RCPSDC and looking forward to significant experiences and long association in the skilling arena.

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