WHAT AFTER GRADUATION: PREPARATION FOR GOVERNMENT JOB OR PRIVATE JOB IN IT SECTOR!!

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SEGMENT: B. Tech (Any stream), BCA, MCA, MSC(IT) - Studying (Final Year)/ Passed out 0-1 Years

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A. HOOK:
- Are you in the final year of B. Tech, BCA, MCA, MSC(IT), and still not able to decide what to do after passing out: preparing for a Govt Job or prepare for a Private Job in the IT Sector?
- This Video will tell you about the pros and cons of both so that you can wisely make the most crucial decision of your career.

B. INTRO:
- We have talked to many experienced professionals both in the Govt sector and in the Private sector. And in this video, we will see that the reality is quite different from what we generally think.
- So let's talk first about Govt jobs; why lakhs of students in India, after passing their hard-earned professional degree, choose to spend their 2-5 years of most precious years of their life, just to prepare for Govt job, risking their career, their innovation, money, dreams of their own and their parents and whatnot.

C. BODY
C1. OPTION1: GOVT JOB IS A DREAM JOB: TRUE OR FALSE?
- Attaining a Govt job is not less than attaining salvation (*MOKSH in Hindi*) in the Indian diaspora especially in North India. They say that Govt jobs are the best jobs in the world, and those who get it, live a life of peace, stability, security, very less work, no pressure, good salary package, innumerable benefits both during and after

job, extra income based on postings (*disclaimer-unverified*), prospects of the girl with huge luggage and package (*disclaimer – no gender bias)* and the list goes endless... it's a dream come true, of course... BUT IF following 2 CONDITIONS ARE TRUE:

· If what is said above still holds true in India of 21st century.

· If you actually are able to clear the exam and get selected in the Govt job.

Let me talk about some real facts:

- As you must be aware that In India, there are various Govt jobs offered by Central and State. The central jobs include Civil Services' Group A jobs (IAS/IPS/IFS), Group B & C jobs. Also, there are PSU (Public Sector Undertaking) jobs offered by companies owned by Govt like NTPC, Indian Oil, ONGC, GAIL, BHEL, CIL, etc. And there are other job opportunities in State Civil Services (PCS), judiciaries, SSC, CGL, Banking (Bank PO), Railways, etc.

- As per statistics, there are approx. 6000 plus engineering colleges in India and around 15 lakh students pass out engineering every year. At a ratio of 30%, around 5 lakh students appear every year and if we consider that in best case 10% is selected, then in next year the applicants become 9.5 lakhs. In a span of 5 years, the number of students appearing for the exam is more than 50 lakhs. So, one can assess the odds of clearing the govt job even if he has the brightest of minds, studies full time, gets the best coaching, and whatnot.

- And believe you me, the Govt jobs are no more secure and pressure-free as they use to be 40 years ago (the time when our parents started their career). PSU like NTPC has started terminating employees on basis of non-performance, Annual Bonus are linked with KPA (Key performance areas), Vigilance has become more proactive especially after Digitization of Govt records and files. Due to this, a govt employee is subjected to work pressure and loss of job during all his tenure leave about minting extra money (if one's conscience even allows it). They are other black linings like the salary grows only @ 3 % there and most govt jobs are transferable which means losing the charm of living with parents, extended family, and friends forever. Not to mention that learnings at the most place are next to Nil and the work

is mostly rudimentary. And that is when you start leaving self-esteem and self-respect; forcing you to live with practically a fake prestige of being in a Govt job.

- Even if you are one of those who really care to make a difference for the nation, the effort by such people is rarely appreciated and recognized because the system as a whole is largely less progressive and aggressive.

- THE LONG DRAWN INDIAN DREAM OF GOVT JOB IS A THING OF PAST NOW: OUR PARENTS MUST HAVE EITHER CHERISHED or ASPIRED FOR ALL THEIR LIFE.

- BUT IN PRESENT INDIA, IT IS JUST A FANTASY MYTHOLOGICAL STORY WITH HARDLY ANY REALITY LEFT IN IT.

- SO, ITS TIME TO OPEN OUR EYES AND FIGURE OUT WHATS THEIR FOR US IN THE 21st Century.

C2. OPTION2: START BUILDING YOURSELF FROM DAY ONE.

Nothing *is more Secure than having self-capability and self-belief!!*

(This is not merely a motivational quote but the essence of the experience of many successful professionals from public and private sectors)

- Once we realize the illusionary element of being in a Govt job, we get open to exploring the real world around us and the opportunity for us to make it better.

- For Engineering and IT students building their career in IT Field (or in their own stream) is undoubtedly the most solid career option, provided that they own their field/subject/area of work and become a Master of It.

- A MNC (Multinational Company) job in the IT field is one such long and reliable option.

- IT (Information Technology) sector is the most booming industrial sector in India since the dawn of this century and presently has reached close to 200 Billion USD (15 lakh Crore in INR) which accounts for 8% of India's total GDP. As per a recent survey, approx 50 lakh plus professionals work in the IT industry in India.

- The average starting package range from 3- 8 LPA and after having experience of 5 years, it shoots to 10-30 LPA.
- Benefits of an MNC job – There is good growth in salary with experience almost @15-30%. They provide global learnings as per industry standards. There are travel opportunities around the world. There is prestige associated with working with top companies of the world be it likes of Microsoft, Google, Facebook, Oracle, SAP, Intel, and many more··· Moreover, presently they are offering a good salary within India only – no need to go abroad unwillingly. And because globally there are many companies and supply is less, at one time the career is virtually secure. Not to mention the above-average lifestyle, having a comfortable sitting job in an AC environment in exotic buildings in the posh area of the most developed cities of the world.
- And the silver lining is that all that can come with low investments and low risks. A decent course in a trending field like Java, ERP, Cloud, testing can lead to a good job of starting a salary of 3-8 LPA with an investment of 50k-1 lakh only.
- The requirements to achieve these skills is just having a logical mind with a willingness to learn.

1. **CALL TO ACTION**

So, as your teacher, as your mentor, your elder brother, and your friends, I always say that we should live this beautiful life every day with hard-work and happiness going together all the time. So, let us leave the archaeological thought process and start exploring which IT Field fascinates you. Do not forget to watch my video on – 'WHY JAVA IS THE BEST CAREER OPTION'. And do ask me whatever questions coming to your mind in the comment box or email us or call us at the below-mentioned number.

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