In today's world, where the survival of the fittest is the norm, it has become imperative to sharpen one's technical skills, and more importantly, one's soft skills. Technical skills can be learnt, applied and measured to an established degree. But the same cannot be said of soft skills. It can be broadly defined as personal attributes that enhance an individual's interactions, job and career prospects. Whether it involves face to face interaction or even indirect correspondence over telephone or e-mail, employees adept at soft skills will achieve both individual as well as organizational success.

Hence soft skills is critical to showcasing one's hard skills; both can be considered to be two sides of the same coin - one without the other has no impact. Modern corporate requirements are such that they look specifically for those candidates who can add value to their organization with their soft skills and the ability to develop and use soft skills which can make the difference.

This requirement of soft skills in a job has made the competition for job acquisition and job sustainability tougher.

For inculcating soft skills in students they have to be provided with trainings as a part of their curriculum. This in turn will help them to improve their complete personality and compatibility therefore enabling them to secure a respectable position in the corporate world.

Aim of such training programs for the engineering or any for that matter any other stream students should be able to:

i) Develop effective communication skills

ii) Develop effective presentation skills.

iii) Sound at business correspondence, etiquettes etc which can produce results.

iv) Become self-confident individuals by mastering inter-personal, team management, and leadership skills.

v) Develop all-round personality with a mature outlook to function effectively in different circumstances.

vi) evaluate the employment market, identify the organizations to get good placement, match the job requirements and skill sets.

vii) Take part effectively in various selection procedures adopted by the recruiters.

In this context soft skills has a crucial role to play.

To enhance or to hone soft skill traits among students some training modules can be made at college level. To conclude, the soft skills program is about enabling and empowerment. With these training programs students’ will have a smooth transition from aspiring students to young successful managers. With this I would like to end my voice profile and convey my thanks for listening to my views and thoughts. If considered, I shall dully present my candidature in person to you. Lastly, I wish a very happy new year to you and lots of success to you and every one who is connected with this noble profession of training teaching youth to build a better tomorrow. Thank You very much.