

SIG Hosts Cognizant Nurture Partner Network (NPN) Geoinformatics Program



The Symbiosis Institute of Geoinformatics (SIG), Pune, is currently hosting the **Cognizant Nurture Partner Network (NPN) Geoinformatics Program**, a three-day industry–academia initiative being conducted from **6th to 8th August 2026**.

The program brings together Cognizant leaders and Subject Matter Experts to engage with Geoinformatics students through technical sessions, industry interactions, and knowledge-sharing activities aimed at enhancing students' industry readiness and employability.



The Cognizant team visiting the campus includes **Mr. Ravi Achalla, Ms. Rashmi Barhate, Mr. Dinesh Attarde, Mr. Samadhan Medge, and Mr. Mohit Modi**, who are interacting with students and sharing their expertise in emerging geospatial technologies and industry practices.



As part of the program, Cognizant is conducting a **15-hour Subject Matter Expert (SME) Connect**, covering topics that are highly relevant to the evolving geospatial and IT industries.

SME Session Highlights

Day 1

- Applications of GIS in Different Industries
- Web GIS Development

Day 2

- Building a Career in IT – GIS
- Web GIS Implementation
- Using Generative AI (GenAI) in IT/GIS

Day 3

- Use Cases of GIS in Mobile Application Development
- Interactive Quiz, Feedback, and Closing Session

The ongoing sessions are providing students with valuable insights into **industry applications of GIS, modern Web GIS technologies, Generative AI, mobile GIS solutions, and career opportunities in the geospatial and IT sectors**. Students are also interacting directly with Cognizant experts, gaining practical exposure to real-world projects, industry expectations, and emerging technology trends.



Through initiatives like the **Cognizant Nurture Partner Network (NPN)**, Symbiosis Institute of Geoinformatics continues to strengthen its industry partnerships and provide

students with experiential learning opportunities that bridge the gap between academia and industry, preparing them for successful careers in the geospatial technology domain.

