



Client: Commissionerate of Employment

and Training

Project Type: Web Application

Client Vertical: Govt./PSU

Technology Used: ASP.NET / MS SQL Server

Client Overview

About Client: The Commissionerate of Employment & Training, CET is working under the Department of Labor and Employment, Government of Gujarat. It was formed in 1971, by merging the Employment Wing, functioning under the Labor Commissionerate, and the Vocational Training Scheme which was under the Directorate of Technical Education.

The major objective of CET is to provide Vocational Training and Employment Services to the youth of Gujarat. To achieve these objectives the CET runs a variety of long & short term training programs in Industrial Training Institutes/Centers in the State. It also registers the youth who are looking for employment, and provides placement services to them. They also maintain a list of the prospective employers.

Requirement Overview: Commissionerate of Employment and Training department wanted to develop a solution to evaluate the performance of and the facilities provided by the different ITI / ITC institutes located across India. The performance of the institute would be evaluated by the department officers or by hired peoples.

There are approximately 723 ITI / ITC institutes (including the government, grant-in-aid, self finance, and other technical schools) across India. The client required

a stable and secure system that could efficiently manage the large amount of information coming in from all these institutes and then evaluate the performance; it should also manage the different user roles and access rights granted by CET.

Client required following key functionality as a part of the system:

- Information that is available at institute level should be made available in the centralized database
- Five user roles need to be implemented:
 Administrator, Institute, Head Office, Nodal Inspector and Hired Employee for Inspection. The administrator should be given the rights to access the back end and define the roles for the other users
- Data of one institute must be isolated from the other institute. Only some data such as basic institute information, their course and accommodation information etc. should be available and shared with other institutes
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- The system should be able to rate the performance of the instructional staff for the particular institute as well as between the among the different institutes based on set parameters.
- Based on the information and ratings provided by inspector the overall performance should be calculated
- The system should display various types of reports for the different modules that are present in the system. Following are the brief list of reports that the system must be implemented:
 - **a. Institute Reports:** Reports & Charts regarding the institute admission, performance, activity, standards, health-safety-hygiene awareness etc.
 - **b. Training Reports:** It would include Raw material, Training delivery, Internal inspections, Attendance reports and charts
 - c. Resource Reports: Various resources available for particular institute and their utilization, power consumption,

Proposed Solution:

Based on the client requirements, Silver Touch proposed developing a system based on .NET framework using MS SQL as a backend database. The solution facilitated customizations for modules, forms, user roles and report generation. For chart functionality Microsoft Chart Report was included.

The solution implemented a functionality to evaluate the performance of the institute based on the information and ranking submitted by inspector. Institute would be able to get the information on how to improve the performance and will be able to compare their ratings with the other institute ratings.

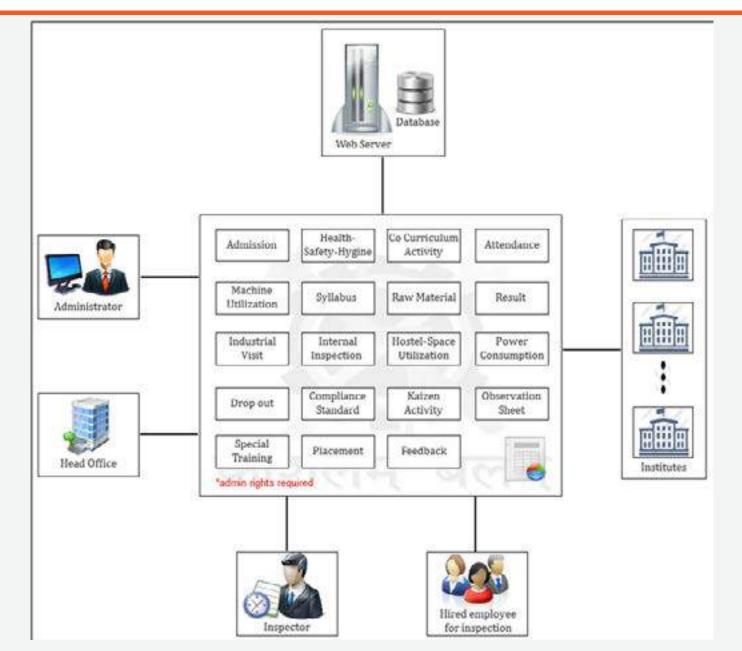
The solution also implemented functionality to keep certain information secure within the institutes, ensuring only a certain amount of information will be accessible to the institutes.

The information provided by the institute would be verified by the Inspector, The solution has also considered conflict situation in ratings.

Benefits:

- 1.All institute related information that helps evaluate the performance are stored in the centralized database offering convenience and accessibility
- 2. Easy to comprehend data is available
- 3. Transparency in performance tracking process thus giving out precise results
- 4. Easy to track low rated institutes and offer measures to improve their performance
- 5. Easy to track the utilization of critical machine which is available in high cost
- 6. Utilization of space as well as placement activity can be tracked at a central level

Application Architecture:



Project Description:

Client required a solution wherein the information for ITI / ITC to be stored in a single / central location. The scattered information available from the different institutes is now available at central level. Different forms (for individual institutes) and masters (for all the institutes) have been created.

Individual institute provides the information by filling up the different type of forms according to access rights given by Administrator. Once the information is submitted it is accessible to the central department through the application.

The central department has the access to all the information and reports. The solution covers all the client requirements and contains following major modules:

1) Admission:

This module includes information regarding number of applications segregated by Gender / Qualification / Caste/Category wise, and registration fees. Individual institute or central department (if necessary) will enter required information.

2) Health-Safety-Hygiene:

Every institute will provide their Health-Safety-Hygiene information at regular intervals. At the time of the scheduled inspection, the inspector will cross check the information entered. In case both the values differ, it will affect respective institute's ratings

3) Co Curriculum Activity:

There are pre-defined activities that are organized by each institute. On the basis of this activity, the institute ratings are defined. Data are entered by each institute and it is verified at central level.

4) Attendance:

Every institute feeds their attendance data into the application on regular basis. The attendance is fed for a particular batch of the course offered by the institute.

5) Machine Utilization:

Machine utilization (both for simple and critical machines) is filled at institute level. Some of the machines are very critical (with high cost) that are monitored for their utilization. Working and non-working condition of the machine is entered on regular basis and related reports are also generated from the system.

6) Power Consumption:

In this module each institute enters power consumption in KWH (kilowatt-hour) format. The report with chart are generated which shows the power consumption against required norms.

7) Training Delivery:

This module consists of batch wise syllabus delivered by the instructor. The syllabus to be covered for each week is decided right at the beginning of the course, and it is reviewed to check the status of the course progress. Reports are available for complete analysis.

8) Raw Material:

Course-wise material consumption is fixed at central level and it is monitored using this module. Whenever any material is consumed it is entered into the system. Trainee who is consuming the material enters these details. Comprehensive reports are generated from these data.

9) Result:

Result information is entered at institute level and it is monitored at the institute as well as central level.

The chart and report pertaining to students' results show the number of students who have passed the exam.

10) Drop Out:

Whenever any student is leaving the institute or changing their trade, information including reason is captured into the system. This information is then used to get reports and analysis of reason-wise drop-out for various Batches, Trades, Institutes, State and Regions.

11) Kaizen Activity:

Any special activity performed at institute level is recorded and shared at central level making it accessible for the individual institutes. Each institute has access to the entire Kaizen Activity data. This type of activity may increase the overall ratings of the institute.

12) Placement, Space and Hostel:

Institute wise yearly campus placement is fed by each institute to the database and it is monitored at the central level. Space utilization at institute level is recorded and required reports are generated by the application. Various details of the hostel is recorded and maintained by each institute having hostel facility.

13) Industry Institute Interaction:

This module contains the information related to industrial interactions that occurs at institute level. The interactions include meetings, job training, special lectures, joint projects in the specific industry etc. The system also generates institute-wise reports.

14) Special Skill and Training Need:

Extra skills or training needs for each inspector is recorded by Institute. Extra Skills are then used as per the requirement by the same or different institute and training is planned.

15) Observation:

Observation reports for a particular institute are used to identify the institute's rating as well as the average rating for particular module. Two types of reports are provided:

- 1) Observation Sheet Detailed information with remarks/suggestion
- 2) Observation Chart Visual representation of institute and average rating

Objectives

- 1.Effectively manage the information of all the ITI / ITC institutes at central level
- 2. To make the information at the central level accessible to the institutes, inspectors and departments
- 3.To develop a system that offers transparency in performance calculation, and help to evaluate the performance of the institutes
- 4.To come up with a central system that give techniques to improve the performance of the institutes which are ranked poor for their performance

Project Approaches/Activates

The Project was divided into various phases to achieve the best results in less time with optimal utilization of available features, capabilities and new enhancements.

Phase I:System requirement Study Document and Re-estimation

Phase II: Preparation of Wireframes of the entire site

Phase III: Designing

Phase IV: Development & Design Integration

Phase V: Testing

Phase VI:Deployment and provide documentation

Technology

Development Platform

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Languages	ASP.Net, C# 4.0
Database	MS SQL Server 2008
Web Server/Hosting Platform	IIS 7.0
Operating System (Development)	Windows 7

Deployment Platform

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Duration:

Project Man Hours: 2500 Hours
 Project Life Cycle: 8 Months

Results Achieved

- 1. A performance evaluation system at the central level was established based on certain fixed and a few variable parameters, thus offering transparency and convenience to institutes and inspectors
- 2. Report analysis and insights are easily availed, thus helping in improving the performance of the institutes
- 3. Overall scoring of the institutes can be improved by the Kaizen activity
- 4. Easy to identify the course that achieves low attendance or shows low performance
- 5. Drop-out analysis is now easily carried out with the help of data available in the system

Screen Shots

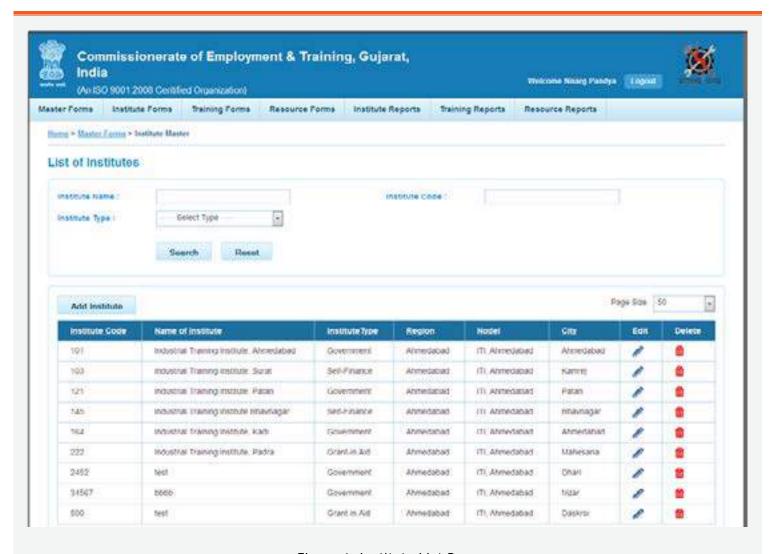


Figure 1: Institute List Page

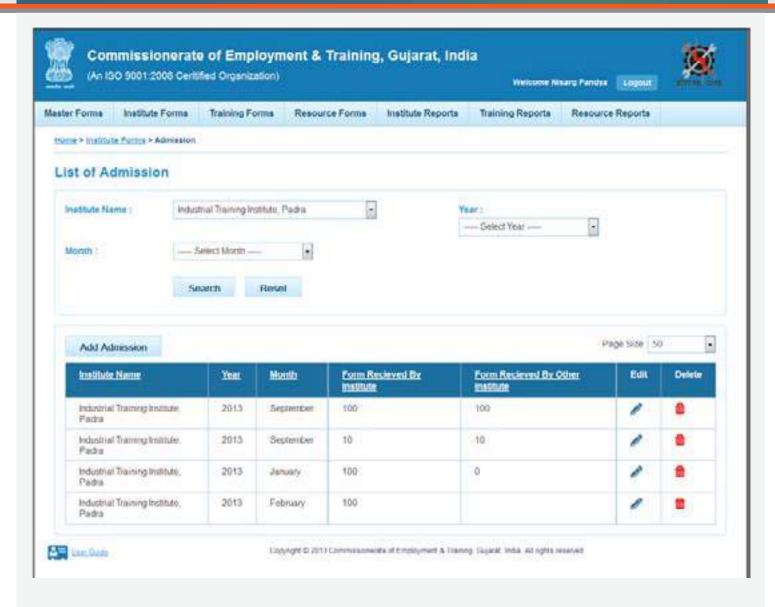


Figure 2: Institute wise Admission List Page

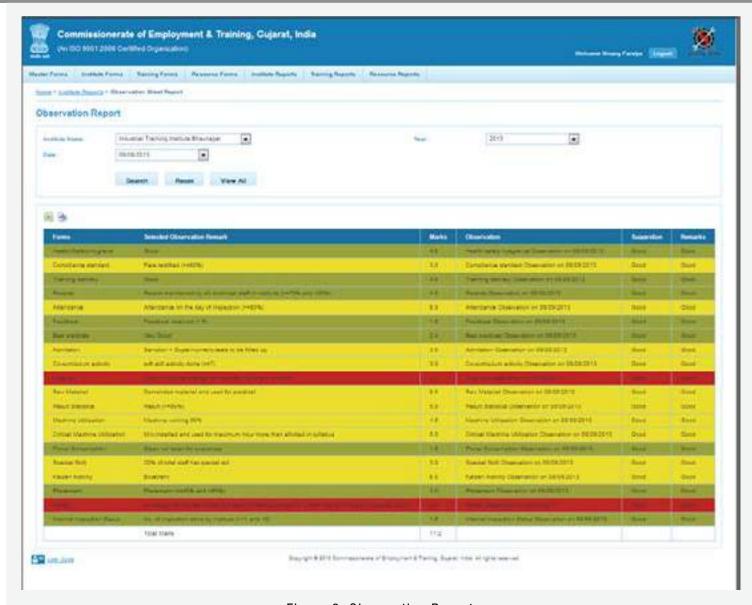


Figure 3: Observation Report

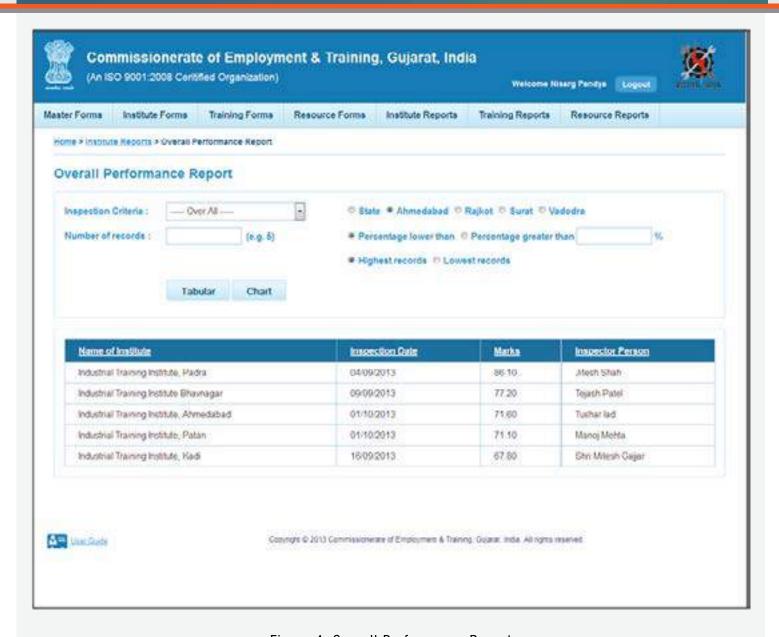


Figure 4: Overall Performance Report



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