

**5.4.1: There is a registered Alumni Association that contributes significantly to the development of the institution through financial and/or other support services.**

The Alumni provide a strong support to our institution. PEC Alumni Association was formally inaugurated in the year of 2007 which had its first batch with an intention to bridge the gap between Alumni and the institution for the mutual benefit. Alumni Association is administered by an Alumni Committee. The alumni association is very active in promoting interactions among the alumni, staff and the management. Besides helping the alumni in all possible ways, it also lends its support to the college to achieve the vision and mission of the institution. Alumni association of the department has been playing a vital role in developing the student's knowledge. Alumni are elected as executive members of this committee to be a part of the running of the Alumni association. They do take active part along with the Faculty office bearers of the Alumni association in conducting the meetings every year. An interaction program between the alumni and the students is being conducted every year. During this program career guidance towards the employability of students are discussed. Apart from various technical skills desired by the employer at different domains, are also discussed for the benefit of the students. The profile of the company in which the alumni's working is also well discussed for helping the students. Alumni contribute to our institution in many ways. They are invited to offer guest lecture, career guidance and counselling to our students so that students are motivated and also exposed to current trends in various fields of Engineering and management. Alumni are invited to our campus to act as Judges for the technical events conducted in our college. Alumni also post their testimonials as to how successful they are in their career which indirectly stimulate our students to emulate them. Alumni also help out the students in getting placements also. They convey the information about the HR requirements in various organizations to our final year students to secure placements.