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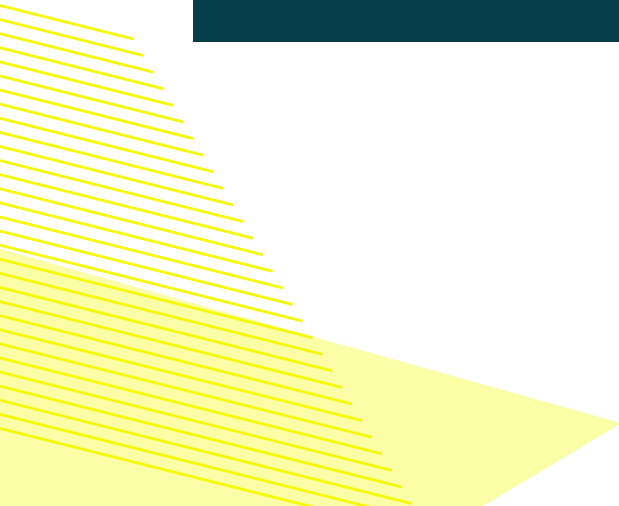
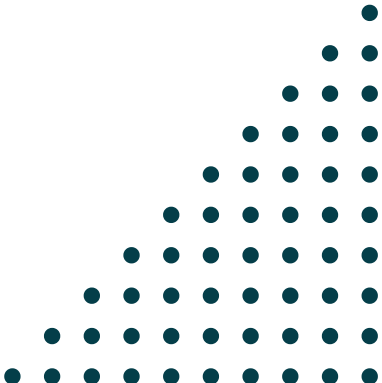




>>> VISION <<<

- To be a Centre of Excellence in technical and management education concurrently focusing on disciplined and integrated development of personality through quality education, sports, cultural and co-curricular activities.
- To promote transformation of students into better human beings, responsible citizens and competent professionals to serve as a valuable resource for industry, work environment and society.

>>> MISSION <<<

- To impart quality technical education, provide state-of-art facilities, achieve high quality in teaching-learning & research and encourage extra & co-curricular activities.
 - To stimulate in students a spirit of inquiry and desire to gain knowledge and skills to meet the changing needs that can enrich their lives.
 - To provide opportunity and resources for developing skills for employability and entrepreneurship, nurturing leadership qualities, imbibing professional ethics and societal commitment.
 - To create an ambiance and nurture conducive environment for dedicated and quality staff to upgrade their knowledge & skills and disseminate the same to students on a sustainable long term basis.
 - To facilitate effective interaction with the industries, alumni and research institutions.
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The following trustees have been elected as Office Bearers for the next term of 3 years in the Sri KET Board meeting held on 14th October 2024.



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INSTITUTIONAL NEWS



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Sir MVIT entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with ICT Academy on 3rd October 2024 and also obtained membership for 2024-2025. Mr. Tibin, Regional Manager of ICT Academy, was present on this occasion. The MoU aims to support skill development and capacity building for students and faculty, as well as foster research initiatives.



Sir MVIT entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with Nokia on 14th October 2024. Ms. Punni, Director at Nokia, was present on this occasion. The aim of the MoU is to enhance industrial relationships, promote cutting-edge technology and support student skill development.



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Ayudha Pooja was celebrated on 10th October 2024 with great enthusiasm and devotion. A central pooja was organized, followed by which separate poojas were organized at various departments. On this auspicious occasion, the college campus was decorated with beautiful rangolis, plantain trees, mango leaves and colorful flowers, creating a stunning ambiance. The event united faculty, staff and students who participated in the rituals with great enthusiasm and passion. The pooja was conducted with traditional prayers and offerings, expressing heartfelt gratitude for the knowledge and resources that empower us to serve our community. Instruments, computers, laboratory tools and books from all departments were brought and pooja was performed. As part of celebrations, Dhandia was also organized and students and faculty members took active part in the event. The event concluded with the distribution of prasadam and sweets, filling the day with joy and blessings.



As part of the Navarathri celebrations, Dandiya performance was organized on 9th October 2024. The event saw enthusiastic participation from students, faculty and staff, who came together to showcase their talent through various forms of Dandiya dance. Adding to the festive atmosphere, the members of the dance club **Laasya** and the theatre club **Ranga Taranga** delivered captivating performances that mesmerized the audience making a vibrant festive atmosphere in the campus.





>>> DEPARTMENT OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE & MACHINE LEARNING

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

Dr. S. Ambareesh received reviewer certificate for reviewing 3 manuscripts for the journal, “Peer-to-Peer Networking and Applications” and 1 manuscript for the journal, “Cloud Computing”, both published by Springer Nature.

EVENTS ORGANIZED



As a part of the course, Social Connect and Responsibility, the department organized a heritage walk to “Pyramid Valley International”, Bengaluru for students of S3 on 4th October 2024. 69 students participated in the event. The event was organized by Ms. Ashwini M. Gorte and accompanied by two faculty members Dr. S. Ambareesh and Dr. Shanta Biradar.

>>> DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY

BOOK CHAPTERS PUBLISHED

R. Halima and Archna Narula. "Continuous Production of Monodisperse Milver Nanoparticles by Droplet-based Microreactor System for Catalysis in Bioethanol Production". Advanced Materials in Engineering Applications. CRC Press, 2024. 59-67.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

- Dr. Mrinalini Menon was invited as a resource person on 5th October 2024 for a Research Methodology session conducted for Ph.D. research scholars at Jain University. Her lecture, titled "Desire to Publish - Ethics on the Backburner?", addressed ethical issues in research publishing. The event witnessed the participation of approximately 100 Ph.D. scholars from science, commerce and arts disciplines.
- Mr. Manjunath R., Assistant Professor in the department, completed his Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering on 3rd October 2024. His thesis, titled "Effect of Different Catalysts on the Biodiesel Production from Waste Sludge Palm Oil," was carried out at MSRIT.



TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Name of the attendee	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Dr. Halima R.	A webinar on “Maximize Downstream Control and Efficiency with In-line Concentration Measurement”	American Chemical Society Virtual Mode	10-09-2024

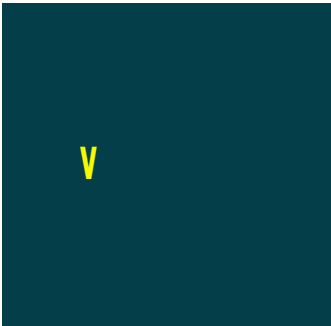
FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

- Dr. Pavan Kumar K. reviewed a paper entitled “Assessment of water use Efficiency and Water Stress Across Thailand’s River Basins: Implications for Sustainable Water Resource Management” for the Journal “Water Policy”, published by IWA.
- Ms. Tamil Selvi N. has qualified GRIHA Evaluator Examination under the Civil Engineering category conducted by GRIHA council.

TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Names of the attendees	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Dr. Shivanna S.	Webinar on “Geosteering Technology”	Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE) ITPB Student Chapter, facilitated by Educave Training Academy Virtual Mode	23-10-2024
Ms. Vyshnavi D. R.	1-Week online Faculty Development Program on “Process Optimization”	Department of Chemical Engineering in association with IChE Students Chapter- SRICT, UPL University of Sustainable Technology, Vataria, Ankleshwar Virtual Mode	14-10-2024 to 18-10-2024
	International Webinar on “Effective Communication Techniques in Research Writing”	Public Relation Society of India, Chennai Chapter Virtual Mode	10-10-2024
Dr. Ravi Kumar H. Dr. Shivanna S. Ms. Anitha J. Ms. Tamil Selvi N.	Webinar on “Understanding Complex, Multi -hazard Risks for Disaster Risk Reduction”	Department of Civil Engineering in association with Office of International Affairs, Presidency University, Bengaluru Virtual Mode	16-10-2024
Ms. Tamil Selvi N.	International 1-Day Workshop on “Sustainable Design Thinking through Nature’s Solutions: Biomimicry”	Department of Civil Engineering in association with ICACI Student Chapter SRM IST, Kattankulathur, Tamil Nadu Virtual Mode	08-10-2024

EVENTS ORGANIZED



The department in association with the Institution’s Innovation Council 7.0, organized a site visit to Recycled Concrete Aggregate Plant at Chikkajala on 4th October 2024. The visit aimed to enhance students’ understanding of sustainable construction practices and the significance of recycling concrete waste into reusable aggregates, promoting both environmental and economic benefits. 43 Students from S3 took part in the visit. The visit was organized by Ms. Anitha J. and Ms. Tamil Selvi N. and Mr. Sriram Mustapure.



The department organized a guest lecture on “Smart Tunnelling” on 28th October 2024 at Sir M. V. Seminar Hall. The resource person of the event was Mr. Pavan K. S., Planner at Western Sydney Airport Metro. This event aimed to familiarize students with the challenges and solutions in modern tunnelling, particularly the role of Tunnel Boring Machines in efficient and safe construction. It also provided insights into large-scale infrastructure projects like Sydney's metro tunnels, highlighting innovative tunnelling techniques and planning. 49 Students of S3 and S4 participated in the event. This event was coordinated by Ms. Ramya N. and Mr. K. V. R. Prasad.

>>> DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

Dr. R. Sivapriyan completed an online short-term course on "Communication Masterclass" conducted by Think School from July to September 2024. He has been appointed as the Technical Program Chair for the forthcoming Springer-collaborated 5th International Conference on “Trends in Material Science and Inventive Materials (ICTMIM 2025),” organized by Rohini College of Engineering and Technology, Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu, which will be held from 7th to 9th April 2025.

TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Name of the attendee	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Ms. P.Kezia Joy Kumari	5-Day International Faculty Development Program on “Project Excellence Guide: Digital Marketing”	MLR Institute of Technology, Dundigal - Hyderabad, SKN Sinhgad College of Engineering – Maharashtra, Dhaanish Ahmed Institute of Technology, Coimbatore – Tamil Nadu, and Sri Vasavi Institute of Engineering and Technology – Andhra Pradesh in Collaboration with ExcelR Edtech Pvt. Ltd. Virtual mode	21-10-2024 to 25-10-2024
	International Webinar on “Effective Communication Techniques in Research Writing”	Public Relation Society of India and Inti International University of Malaysia Virtual mode	10-10-2024

>>> DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

Belgaonkar, V.V., Triveni, C.L. and **Sundaraguru, R.,** “Free Space Optical Communication using OQPSK in the Presence of Strong Atmospheric Turbulence and LossesM,” Optical and Quantum Electronics, vol. 56, no. 1669, Oct. 2024. doi:10.1007/s11082-024-07591-1

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

- Dr. Vijayashri V. Belgaonkar reviewed a manuscript for the IEEE International Conference on “Networks, Multimedia, and Information Technology,” organized by NMIT, Bengaluru, on 9th and 10th August 2024.
- Dr. Mangala Gowri S. G. was invited as the Chief Guest at Cambridge Institute of Technology, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru, for the inauguration of the new IEEE Robotics and Automation Society on 9th October 2024.

TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Name of the attendee	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Dr. Sasmita Mohapatra	Faculty Development Programme on “Emerging Trends and Applications in 5G/6G Systems”	Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bengaluru.	23-09-2024 to 28-09-2024

DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS & TELECOMMUNICATION ENGINEERING

TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Names of the attendees	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Dr. E. Kavitha	IETE ISF Conclave	IETE Bengaluru Section	26-10-2024
Ms. Akila P.	5-Day Faculty Development Program on “Empowering Academic Excellence : Elevating Skills through Technology-Enabled Teaching Learning and Research”	Department of Commerce, Vidyavardhaka Sangha and VVS First Grade College, Bengaluru Virtual Mode	21-10-2024 to 25-10-2024

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

- Abhishek Kumar Jha of S3 participated in the IIFT article writing competition on “Navigating the Challenges Faced by MSMEs in Engaging in International Trade,” securing Rank 12 among 312 participants in October 2024. He also participated in the JAM competition organized by the Alekhya Literary Club and secured 3rd position on 30th October 2024.
- Rajeev Tiwari of S3 participated in Startup Mela 4.0 to share his startup idea at St. Joseph's University, Bengaluru on 28th October 2024.

DEPARTMENT OF IOT & CYBERSECURITY INCLUDING BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

Dr. Savita Choudhary was invited as a guest speaker for the Student Induction Programme at Aditya College of Engineering and Technology on 8th October 2024.

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

- Sathvik A. R., Naksha R., Ramakrishna of S5 participated in RBI@90 National Online Quiz 2024 on 21st October 2024.
- Mayur Agarwal of S3 participated in TATA Crucible Campus Quiz 2024, organized by the Tata Group.

DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

Mr. Nataraja M. defended his final Ph.D. thesis entitled “Development and Property Evaluation of Al-Alloy Reinforced with ZrO₂ Particulates Based Metal Matrix Composites by Disintegrated Metal Deposition Technique” on 18th October 2024, under the guidance of Dr. G. Balakumar.

EVENTS ORGANIZED



The department organized an industrial visit to the Science Gallery, Bengaluru, on 23rd October 2024. This visit aimed to provide students with exposure to scientific exhibits and technological advancements, enhancing their understanding of principles across various scientific fields through hands-on, interactive learning experiences. 38 students from S1 participated in this event, which was coordinated by Mr. Chandrashekar B.

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS



Surya K. C. of S7 completed a 600-km cycle ride on 8th October 2024, from Palampur to the Kargil War Memorial in Drass. The ride was a tribute to Captain Vikram Batra's life and legacy.

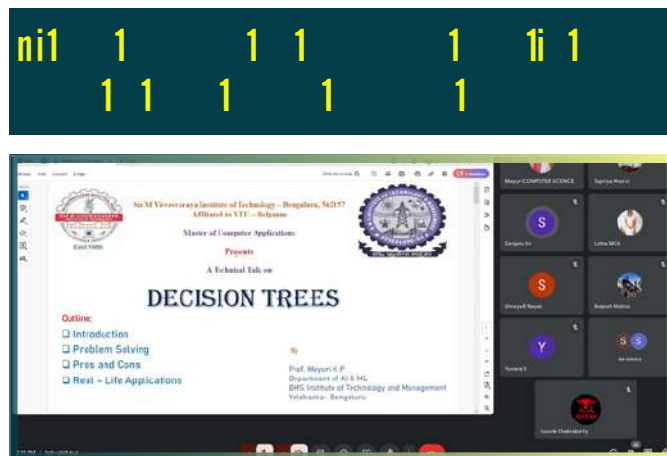
DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Name of the attendee	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Mr. Vasantha S.	Faculty Development Program on “Deep Learning and Image Processing”	R.R. Institute of Technology, Bengaluru in association with MEVI Technologies LLP, Bengaluru Virtual Mode	21-10-2024 to 27-10-2024

EVENTS ORGANIZED

The department organized a 1- Day seminar on “Decision Tree -A Visual Guide to Data Driven Decision Making” on 19th October 2024. The resource person of the event was Ms. Mayuri., Assistant Professor, Department of AI & ML, BMS Institute of Technology and Management, Bengaluru. This program was aimed to provide attendees with analytic skills on data driven decision making. 45 students from S2 participated in the event. The program helped students in acquiring an understanding of the decision tree approach to choose the best decision out of the possible decisions to solve real-time problems. This event was coordinated by Dr. Ch. Vanipriya and Ms. Latha R.



DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

Ajatashatru Samal, **Priyanka Sharma**, Shreevamshi Naveen, Chethan Kumar K., Poornima U. Kotehal, Thirulogasundaram V. P., “Exploring the Role of HR Analytics in Enhancing Talent Acquisition Strategies”, South Eastern European Journal of Public Health, Special Vol: XXIII, No.3, 2024, doi:10.70135.vi.1357.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- Malini, B. R., **G. K. Prashanth**, H. N. Jayasimha, P. A. Prashanth, Srilatha Rao and H. S. Lalithamba. "Green Synthesis of Undoped and Ag-doped NiO Nanoparticles: Evaluation and their Synergetic Effect on Antimicrobial, Anticancer, and Antioxidant Activities." Inorganic Chemistry Communications 170 (2024): 113155. DOI: 10.1016/j.inoche.2024.113155
- Gadewar, Manoj Manikrao, **G. K. Prashanth**, Srilatha Rao, H. S. Lalithamba, N. P. Bhagya, A. S. Sowmyashree, K. Shwetha, and Hemantkumar N. Akolkar. "Optimized Green Synthesis of Biocompatible Ag Nanostructures using Artemisia Indica Leaf Extract: a Promising Avenue for Biomedical Applications." Transition Metal Chemistry (2024): 1-14. DOI: 10.1007/s11243-024-00608-4

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

- Dr. G.K. Prashanth reviewed two manuscripts: one for Bulgarian Chemical Communications and another for ChemistrySelect (Wiley).

DEPARTEMENT OF MATHEMATICS

TECHNICAL EVENTS ATTENDED

Name of the attendee	Title of the event	Organizers details	Dates
Dr. S. Sreelakshmi	International Faculty Development Program on “Higher Education in an AI Centered World”	Faculty of Management & Commerce in association with Centre of Excellence - Centre for Sustainability and Business - PES University, Bengaluru Virtual Mode	17-09-2024
	3-Day workshop on “Research Methodology”	IQAC & DARE, Annamalai University Virtual Mode	19-10-2024 to 21-10-2024

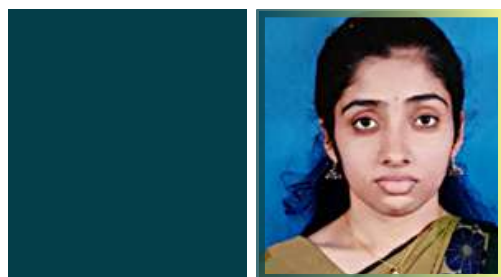
DEPARTEMENT OF PHYSICS

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS & RECOGNITION

- Dr. Shivananda C. S. reviewed manuscripts for the journals, including Royal Society Open Science by Royal Society of Chemistry Publishing, Physica Scripta by IOP Science Publisher, Mycology: An International Journal of Fungal Biology by Taylor & Francis Publisher and Essential Chem by Taylor & Francis Publisher. He was invited as a Special Delegate and Technical Session Chair for the National Level Symposium on “Materials for Sustainability 2024,” held on 9th October 2024, organized by the departments of Physics and Chemistry, Poornaprana College (Autonomous), Udupi.



DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES



Ms. Sandhya V. joined as an Assistant Professor in Kannada on 14th October 2024. She holds a Post Graduate degree in Kannada from Bangalore University and completed her B.Ed. from Mysore University. She cleared the UGC-NET for Kannada Assistant Professorship. She has 6 years of teaching experience.

INTER-DEPARTMENT NEWS

PATENTS PUBLISHED

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- **Dr. Pradeepa S., Dr. Rashmi K. V.,** Dr. Srilatha Rao, Dr. Bhagya N. P., Dr. H. S. Lalithamba, and **Dr. Prashanth G. K.,** “Antifungal Treatment for Concrete Surfaces using Zinc Oxide: A Sustainable Approach to Mitigate the Fungal Growth.” Application No. 202441072124, 4th October 2024, Indian.

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- Dr. Sampath Kumar L., Dr. Madhu Kumar K. and Dr. Sasikumar N. “Advanced Method for fabricating CaCO₃-ZnO Nanocomposites: Precise Synthesis and Enhanced Properties” Application number: 202441048238, 6th September 2024, Indian.
- **Nataraja M., Dr. Kiran Kumar M., Dr. Sasikumar N., Dr. Madhu Kumar K.,** Dr. Manjunath K. “Aluminum Alloy Based Composition Checking Device.” Application Number 419355-001, 7th June 2024, India.

STUDENTS’ ACHIEVEMENTS

- Priyanshu Tiwari, Dhananjay Kumar of S5, AI&ML along with N. Ram Srujan Raj of S1, CSE and Rishabh Raj of S3, ISE won 1st Prize (₹10,000) for the event “Hackons”, a Hackathon conducted on 8th October 2024 at Jain University, Bengaluru.



PLACEMENTS NEWS

Sl. No.	Name (Full Name)	Branch	Company	Pay Package in Rupees
1	NANCY OINAM	CSE	MU SIGMA	5,00,000/-
2	SANSKAR KASHYAP	CSE		
3	MOHAMMAD SAMEER J	ISE		
4	MANINDER KAUR	ISE		
5	ABHISHEK KUMAR	ECE		
6	K. UDAY KETHAN	EEE		
7	KHIVAN AVTAR	EEE		
8	MD. ANAS	CSE	Consilio Consulting Services	8,00,000/-
9	VIVEK	CSE		
10	DIVYANSHU PRINCE	CSE		
11	SANOBAR A	CSE		
12	ARCHIT GUPTA	CSE		
13	BRINDA BALAKRISHNMA VUPPALAPATTI	CSE		
14	VAISHNAVI	CSE		
15	SATHVIK N. G.	CSE		

Sl. No.	Name (Full Name)	Branch	Company	Pay Package in Rupees
16	PRAVEEN KUMAR	CSE	Consilio Consulting Services	8,00,000/-
17	PRAJWAL GOUTHAM M P	ISE		
18	ACHYUTH K. T.	ISE		
19	SANSKAR SHARMA	ISE		
20	TALIYA HAKIM	ISE		
21	AMAN SHARMA	ISE		
22	RAHUL KUMAR	ISE		
23	ANUSHKA SINGH	ISE		
24	SURABHI RAMAMOORTHY	ISE		
25	SHRUTIK CHANDAVARI	ECE		
26	NISHMITHA PINTO	ECE		
27	G. S. CHINMAYI	ECE		
28	ABHISHEK SRIVASTAVA	ECE		
29	VIKSHITHA V.	ECE		

SPORTS NEWS

- Aravind S. Anand of S3, ETE and Ningappa Laxman D. of S3, AIML, represented VTU in the South Zone Inter-University Kabaddi Men's Tournament 2024-25, held from 30th October to 3rd November 2024 at SRM University, Chennai.
- Raina Arsheen of S3, ETE, participated in the VTU team selection trials for Badminton for the year 2024-25, held at PESCE, Mandya.
- Tejas Mourya L. V. of S7, EEE, Ambrish R. of S5, CV participated in the VTU team selection trials for Kabaddi for the year 2024-25, held at CIT, Gubbi.



The Basketball Men's team was the 2nd Runners-Up in the VTU Bengaluru North Division Inter-Collegiate Basketball Tournament 2024-25, held at BMSIT College, on 16th and 17th October 2024.



The Kabaddi team was the Runners-Up in the VTU State-level Kabaddi Tournament 2024-25, held at Channabasaveshwara Institute of Technology, Gubbi, on 23rd and 24th October 2024.

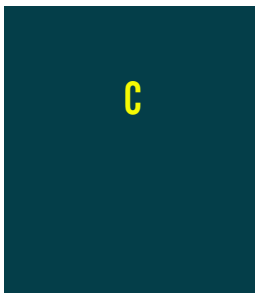


The Kabaddi Men's team was the winner in the VTU Bengaluru North Division Inter-Collegiate Kabaddi Tournament 2024-25, held at SJCIT College on 21st and 22nd October 2024.

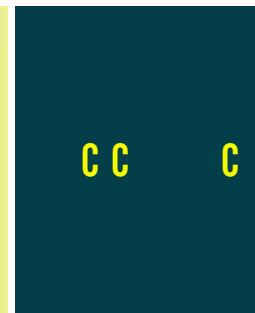
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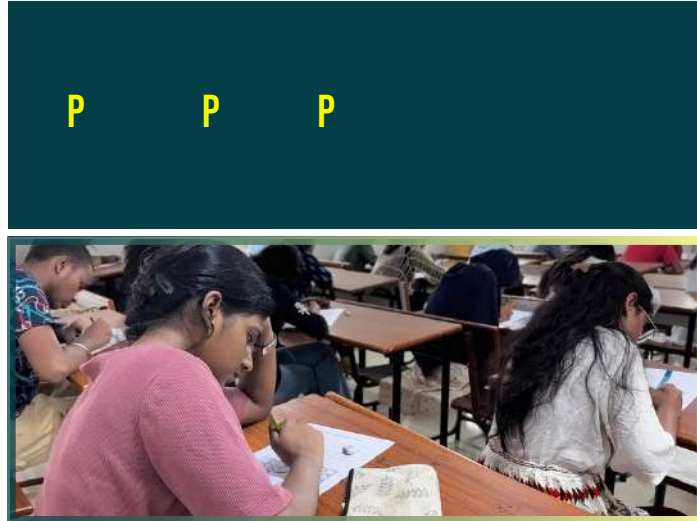
Sunaada-the music club organized a Modern Devotional Music Competition for students on 9th October 2024 at Faraday Seminar Hall to celebrate Dasara. The objective of this program was to celebrate diverse musical talents through devotional performances. The event saw an enthusiastic participation of 11 students. The competition was judged by Dr. G.K. Prashanth, Head of the Department of Chemistry and Mr. ChandraShekar B., Assistant Professor, Mechanical Engineering. Ms. Adya Ashok from S3 of Computer Science Engineering Department secured first prize, Ms. Shreya G. Kulkarni from S5 of Biotechnology Department secured second prize, Ms. Nayana Bhat from S1 of Electronics and communication Engineering Department secured third prize. The event was coordinated by Ms. Ramya N., the Mentor of Music club.



On 30th October 2024, the **Nisarga** and **Spandana** clubs jointly organized an impactful awareness program on organic farming in Bettahalusuru village. The event saw enthusiastic participation from over 80 students, who were eager to contribute to spreading knowledge about sustainable agricultural practices. The objective of the event was to educate the community about the various aspects of organic farming, including its uses, applications and benefits. The event was coordinated by Dr. Rashmi K.V., mentor of the **Spandana** Club and Ms. Bhavya S., mentor of the **Nisarga** Club. Through this initiative, the clubs aim to promote environmental sustainability and encourage the adoption of eco-friendly practices in agriculture.



Alekhya-Literary Club organized a JAM (Just A Minute) event on 31st October 2024 at Sir M. V. Seminar Hall. This event aimed to identify talented individuals and support their skill development journey. The event saw an enthusiastic participation of 20 Students from S1. The program provided a platform for students to showcase their communication and presentation abilities. Ms. Reena Sonigrah, Well-being Consultant served as the judge for the event, bringing her expertise to evaluate the participants. The event was coordinated by Ms. Tamil Selvi N., the mentor of Literary club.



The **Math** Club organized "The Ultimate Sudoku Showdown" on 30th October 2024 at the Science Block. The exciting event attracted Sudoku enthusiasts and successfully identified the best Sudoku masters at Sir MVIT. The event provided a platform for participants to showcase their skills, focusing on their speed and accuracy. Overall, it was a resounding success, celebrating the joy of tackling challenging puzzles together. A total of 76 participants and 13 volunteers were part of the event, which was coordinated by Ms. Malashri S., the **Math** Club mentor.



The **Glug** and **TechHub** clubs organized an event, "Idea Presentation," for S1 students from all branches on 9th October 2024. The event had three themes: creating websites and apps focused on communication, data visualization and social causes. 9 teams, comprising 120 students, participated, and their projects were evaluated based on code clarity, UI/UX, implementation, DSA, idea quality and documentation. The event was coordinated by the secretary and joint secretary of both clubs under the guidance of Dr. Soumya Patil, Glug coordinator, and Ms. Sneha Bharti, TechHub coordinator.



On 9th October 2024, **Ranga Taranga** - the theatre club, presented a captivating skit on the auspicious occasion of Navaratri, celebrating the strength and forgiveness of women. 17 talented students brought to life the legendary tale of "Mahishasura Mardini," showcasing a glimpse of India's rich culture and tradition. Under the guidance of Mr. Vishwas U. M., Mentor and Event Coordinator, the club delivered a memorable performance that highlighted the triumph of good over evil and the empowerment of women.





Mr. Prithvi S., Mr. Prajwal T.M., Prashanth V.V. and Mr. Manjunath of the 2020-2024 batch (Civil) visited the campus on 3rd October 2024.



Mr. Froid Paily of the 1996-2000 batch (Civil) working as Deputy Project Director, Contracts in Megawide Construction (Singapore) Pvt. Ltd., visited the campus on 4th October 2024 and met the Principal and the faculty of the department of Civil Engineering .



Mr. Prem M. J. of the 2001-2005 batch (ISE), working as Director (Enterprise Architecture) at Consilio LLC, Bengaluru, visited the campus, as part of campus recruitment drive on 16th October 2024. He also met Principal, Prof. Rakesh S.G., in his office .



Mr. Chandan Prakash, working as Operations, Compliance and Sales Associate, Wonksknow Ltd., Bengaluru, Mr. Aujwalya Jyotizit, working as Associate Manager, Accenture, Bengaluru, Mr. Shreyas Venkatesh, working as Senior Network Engineer, Hughes Network Systems, USA and Mr. Prajwal Manurajan, working as Product Developer, Wonksknow Ltd., Bengaluru, all from 2011-2015 batch (ETE) visited the campus on 17th October 2024.



Mr. Prajwal Naik of the 2016-2020 batch (Civil), working as Senior Associate, Strategic Partnerships & Business Growth at We Work India, Bengaluru, visited the campus on 22nd October 2024.



Mr. Arush Bhatia of the 2015-2019 batch (ECE), working as Consultant at EY, Bengaluru, visited the campus on 23rd October 2024.

Mr. Darshan C. N. and Ms. Chaithra V.N., both from 2020-2024 batch (Civil) and working as Junior Traffic Engineers in Datacorp Traffic Pvt. Ltd., visited the campus on 28th October 2024.

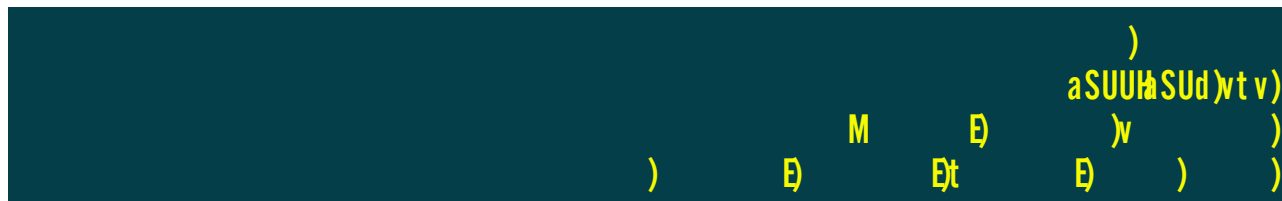


Tejas R., an Alumnus of MCA (2022 Batch) presented a paper titled "An AI-Based System for Generating News Videos with Support for Indian Local Dialects," during International Conference on Data Mining and Information Security (ICDMIS 2024), organized by Eminent College of Management and Technology (ECMT) in collaboration with UNIVERSITAS AL ASYARIAH MANDAR, INDONESIA, on 7th and 8th October 2024.



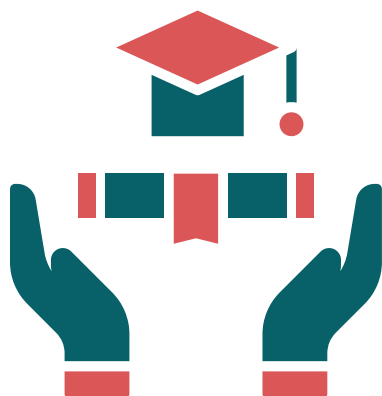
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Reflecting on my journey through the corridors of Sir M. Visvesvaraya Institute of Technology, brings back a kaleidoscope of memories, friendships and life lessons. Those four years at the institute, immersed in the pursuit of a degree in Computer Science Engineering, were some of the most formative and cherished years of my life. Sir MVIT, with its vibrant campus, supportive faculty and enriching co-curricular activities, became more than just an Institution to me—it was a home, a place of growth and a hub of unforgettable experiences. The Computer Science department, led by dedicated faculty, instilled a passion for lifelong learning. Their mentorship went beyond academics, fostering innovation and resilience. College is not only about academics; it's about exploring who you are, finding new passions and experiencing the thrill of expression. For me, that outlet was the theatre group called GAP (Getting Across to People). GAP became a second family, a place where like-minded students could gather to share ideas, express emotions and showcase talents. Whether it was preparing for an annual fest performance or a casual street play, GAP gave me the opportunity to step outside my comfort zone, grow as a performer, and see the world from new perspectives. The friendships I formed through GAP were built on creativity, trust and countless rehearsals late into the night. These friends and experiences helped me become more confident, expressive and grounded. Hostel life was, without a doubt, one of the highlights of my time at Sir MVIT. Living on campus meant that the boundaries between academics, leisure and friendships blurred beautifully. Life in the hostel was a constant hustle and bustle—a mix of late-night study sessions, impromptu movie marathons, midnight birthday celebrations and hours spent discussing dreams and ambitions over cups of chai. The hostel was more than just a place to sleep; it was a community of friends who became family. I learned so much about adaptability, independence and the joy of shared living. The memories of laughing till our stomachs hurt, struggling with the infamous mess food, and pulling all-nighters before exams are etched in my heart forever. Looking back, Sir MVIT gave me far more than a degree in Computer Science. It gave me an environment to learn, teachers who guided me, friends who stood by me and experiences that will always be part of who I am. Sir MVIT taught me resilience, collaboration and the value of community. I will always carry this Institution's name with pride and gratitude.



I truly believe in what Rahul Dravid once said: 'You can take a Chinese bamboo seed and plant it in the ground, water and nurture the seed, and nothing happens for the first year. There's no visible growth. In fact, there's no visible growth for five years. But in the fifth year, something extraordinary happens. The bamboo plant grows 90 feet in just six weeks. Some say the plant grew in 6 weeks But I say it grew in 5 years and 6 weeks...'

I'm proud to say I grew my roots firmly and strongly in Sir MVIT while pursuing my BE in ECE which was fundamental for my career sprout later. Thanks to my teachers Dr. Pichamuttu, Prof. Phanindar Ravi, Prof. Shashibhushan, Prof. Natraj, Ms. Pavitha and many other past and present faculty, including the non-teaching staff. I am forever grateful for them being a part of my growth, helping me build a strong foundation to thrive just like the bamboo.



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