

VINAYAKA MISSION'S KIRUPANANDA VARIYAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SALEM

Our institution has actively organized and contributed to various Artificial Intelligence–related initiatives during the year 2025–2026, These efforts reflect our continuous commitment to innovation, research excellence, and the advancement of AI-driven technologies.

Organized Events

Sl.No	Category	Name of the Activity	Date	Resource Person / Organizer
1	MOU Activity (Student AI Training)	MOU with Edunet Foundation, Gurgaon, India	14.10.2024	Edunet Foundation

Memorandum of Understanding

This Memorandum of Understanding is entered on 14 day of OCT 2024 ("Effective Date") by and between Edunet Foundation having its office at A-11- 1105, Arcadia South City 2, Gurgaon 122018, India (hereinafter referred to as "Edunet"); and VINAYAKA MISSION'S KIRUPANANDA VARIYAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE, having its address PERIYA SEERAGATADI, SALEM - 636 908 PH: 94438 74292 hereinafter referred to as "Institution")

WHEREAS, Edunet is a non-profit organization with multiple programs, sponsored by government and corporate entities, that are offered free to learners across the education spectrum;

WHEREAS, Institution is a premier institution with the following details:

Established (year):	<u>1987</u>
State:	<u>TAMIL NADU</u>
Recognition, NAAC rating, ranking:	<u>NAAC - 'A' GRADE</u>
Vision:	<u>TO ACHIEVE EXCELLENCE IN THE FIELD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION EVENTUALLY CONTRIBUTING TO OUR NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT</u>

AND WHEREAS, the Parties seek to collaborate with each other to mutually complement their synergies and to jointly work on building capacity of learners through one or more of the programs managed by Edunet.

NOW THEREFORE, this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter called "MOU") witnesses the following:

- Term and termination:** This MOU is valid from the Effective Date till 31st June 2025. It can be extended by further periods, as agreed to by the Parties in writing from time to time. Either Party may terminate this MOU by giving the other a minimum of 30 days' written notice. The MOU will be deemed terminated at the end of the notice period or after completing all ongoing activities so that the beneficiaries (learners and teachers) are not negatively impacted, whichever is later. Neither party will be liable to pay any compensation to the other party in respect of expiry of term of or termination of this MOU.
- Single Point of Contact (SPOC) for program co-ordination:** Both the Parties shall each appoint a suitable person who will serve as a single point of contact (SPOC) on all matters related to program rollout. Individual learners and teachers may be in touch with corresponding trainers, mentors, advisors, and peers during program rollout, but all matters related to the execution of this MOU shall reside with the SPOC in accordance with the terms as agreed between the parties.
- Program Calendar:** The SPOCs from both Parties will work with their respective internal stakeholders to develop a calendar for the program(s) rollout at the start of every year. This calendar will then be synchronized and published for use by everyone.
- Responsibilities of Parties:** The following table outlines the responsibilities of both Edunet and the Institution towards this collaboration.

MOU with Edunet Foundation, Gurgaon, India.

Description	Institution	Edunet
Learner identification and orientation sessions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Institution will identify students who may participate in one or more programs offered by Edunet. 2. A minimum of 60 learners (students in final year only) will be identified by the institution, every year for the duration of this MOU; if required by Edunet Foundation, as recipients of the training program(s). 3. Institution shall manage the logistics related to the orientation sessions. 	Edunet will conduct orientation sessions for learners and educators, at a mutually agreed schedule, to onboard them onto the program(s).
Program Materials	Institution will ensure that all materials received from Edunet Foundation and/or its partners are protected from intellectual property theft. Institution recognises that the Intellectual property in all materials provided are the proprietary of Edunet and/or its partners and that there is no transfer of ownership of the Intellectual Property to the Institution.	Edunet will share all program materials with the institution and/or learners as required. All sharing will be online and/or through electronic media.
Classroom and/or online sessions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Institution will provide all on-the ground support for conduct of sessions by the Edunet team. 2. Institution will publish, on a yearly basis, a program calendar for all its participants. 3. Institution will ensure that program participants enthusiastically participate in chosen programs, with minimum attendance of 60% as agreed between the Parties. 	These sessions may take the form of webinars or mentoring workshops or technology bootcamps or innovation marathons or career readiness workshops that will seek to assist learners in their career goals. These programs will be organized regular as per a regular calendar, published online and will be conducted by Edunet team members or program sponsors or external stakeholders as appropriate.
Interaction with industry experts	Institution will provide all on-the-ground support for conduct of sessions by the Edunet team.	Edunet will bring industry experts to the Institution to drive engagements with students through seminars/webinars/ or project mentorship.
Online platforms for learning and development	Institution will provide online access, without discrimination, to all program participants.	Online platforms for each of the programs of interest to the Institution will be made available to it. Links for these platforms will be made available to the institution in a timely manner.
Assessment and certification	Institution will ensure that assessments carried onsite or offline are proctored and professionally managed.	Edunet will conduct assessments, as required, for its programs prior to certification by Edunet and/or its partners and sponsors.

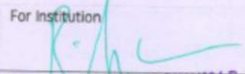
MOU with Edunet Foundation, Gurgaon, India.

Career Services Support (CSS) (Note: CSS is provided by Edunet Foundation exclusively to institutions that choose the depth training model)	The Institution's placement cell and placement officers shall work in close cooperation with the Edunet Career Services team.	Edunet will provide linkages with local and regional industry, government and the local start-up ecosystem (incubators etc) that will help learners with gainful employment and/or entrepreneurial opportunities. Interactions will be encouraged in terms of classroom sessions, workshops, internship opportunities, career opportunities and entrepreneurship opportunities.
Fees	Institution will not charge any extra fees from learners for participation in Edunet programs.	Edunet will not charge any fees from the students/institution for the program.

5. **Non-binding nature of this MOU:** The MOU is not binding on either Party, and each is working with the other out of sheer good-will and for the benefit of the learners. Neither this MOU, nor any activities described herein, shall be construed as creating a partnership, joint venture, franchise, agency or other such relationship beyond the scope of the MOU. Neither party is authorised, in any manner, to make any commitment on behalf of or to bind the other party.

6. **Each Party is responsible for its own costs:** Other than costs explicitly identified in this MOU, the Institution and Edunet will independently manage their cost towards fulfilment of obligations under this MOU.

The Parties agree to the terms and conditions set forth above and have caused their duly authorised representatives to sign and execute this MOU on the Effective Date.

For Institution  Name: <u>Dr. R. SASIKUMAR, B.E., M.C., Ph.D.</u> Designation: <u>PRINCIPAL</u> Institutional Seal: <u>VINAYAKA MISSION'S KIRUPANANDA</u> <u>VARIYAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE,</u> <u>VINAYAKA MISSION'S RESEARCH FOUNDATION</u> <u>(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)</u> <u>SALEM-636 308,</u>	For Edunet Foundation Name: <u>Ashish Arora</u> Designation: <u>Director - Outreach</u>
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MOU with Edunet Foundation, Gurgaon, India.

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2	Student Development Program	Six Days Student Development Program on GreenAI	20.01.2025 to 25.01.2025	Vijayalakshmi Gnanavel, Master Trainer, Edunet. Kailas E K Master Trainer, Edunet - Nearly 120 students are participated

Six Days Student Development Program on GreenAI.



VINAYAKA MISSION'S KIRUPANANDA
VARIYAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE



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VINAYAKA MISSION'S
RESEARCH FOUNDATION
(Deemed to be University under section 3 of the UGC Act 1956)

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

SIX DAYS

STUDENT

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

GreenAI

In Association with
AICTE - Training and Learning Bureau in
collaboration with
Edunet Foundation

Venue:

1. Data Science Lab,
2. HiTech Lab,
VMKVEC Campus

Date:

20.01.2025 to
25.01.2025



Dr. V. Amirthalingam
Coordinator,
Asso.Pro / CSE, VMKVEC

Mr. B. Sundaramurthy
Coordinator,
Asso.Pro / CSE, VMKVEC

Dr. M. Nithya
Head /CSE,
Vice Principal, VMKVEC

Dr. R. Sasikumar
Principal,
VMKVEC





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3	National Level Seminar - For Students	CSIR-SPONSORED TWO-DAY NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR – Intelligent Systems with Cognitive IoT and Generative AI for Digital Transformation	28.02.2025 and 01.03.2025	Mr. V S Suresh Kumar, ASP, CSE Nandha College Of Technology Dr. D.Jayaprakash, ASP, IT Sona College of Technology, Salem Dr.N.Naveenkumar, M.E., Ph.D., CSE Muthayammal Engineering College Rasipuram Dr. K. Thangaraj, ASP, IT Sona College of Technology, Salem - Nearly 40 students are participated

CSIR-SPONSORED TWO-DAY NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR

“Intelligent Systems with Cognitive IoT and Generative AI for Digital Transformation”



REPORT ON

CSIR-SPONSORED TWO-DAY NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR “Intelligent Systems with Cognitive IoT and Generative AI for Digital Transformation”

Ref.No : SYM/12614/24-HRD (Jan 13th, 2025)

Date : 28th Feb & 01st Mar 2025

Organized by : Vinayaka Mission's Kirupananda Variyar Engineering College / Dept. of Computer Science and Engineering

Sponsored by : Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR)

Introduction

The CSIR-sponsored two-day National Level Seminar on “Intelligent Systems with Cognitive IoT and Generative AI for Digital Transformation” was successfully conducted on 28th February & 01st March 2025. The seminar provided a platform for researchers, academicians, industry professionals, and students to explore the advancements and applications of Cognitive IoT and Generative AI in driving digital transformation.

Objective of the Seminar

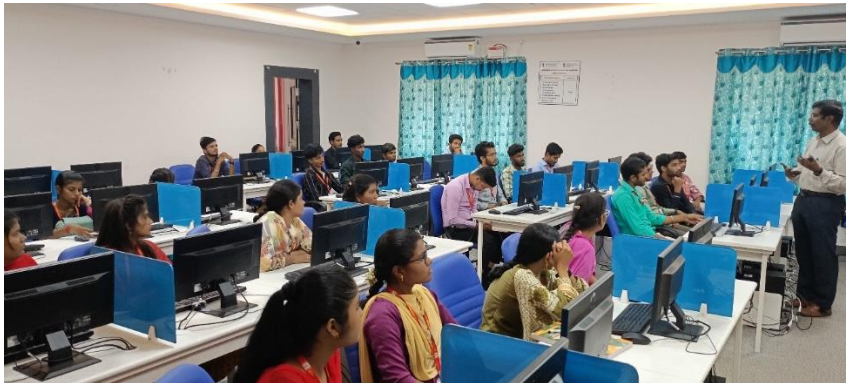
The primary objectives of the seminar were:

- To discuss recent developments in Cognitive IoT and Generative AI technologies.
- To explore their impact on digital transformation across industries.
- To provide a knowledge-sharing platform for academia and industry experts.
- To encourage research and innovation in the field of intelligent systems.

Inaugural Session

The seminar was inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Prof. Dr. A. Rajan Samuel, Director of Academics, VMRF (DU), who delivered the keynote address, emphasizing the role of AI and IoT in modern digital ecosystems. Prof. Dr. M. Nithya, Vice Principal and Head of the CSE Department, delivered the felicitation address, followed by the Principal, Prof. Dr. R. Sasi Kumar, who presented the principal's address on the seminar.





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4	Guest Lecture - For Students	Exploring Machine Learning: Unveiling the Magic Behind AI	05.03.2025	Dr. Jothi G, Assistant Professor, Sona College of Arts and Science, Salem - Nearly 70 students are participated

Guest Lecture on Exploring Machine Learning: Unveiling the Magic Behind AI

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Vinayaka Mission' Kirupananda Variyar Engineering College, Salem, organize a Guest Lecture on Exploring Machine Learning: Unveiling the Magic Behind AI on 05.03.2025 Resource Persons Dr. Jothi G, Assistant Professor, Sona College of arts and Science, Salem. Total 80 no's of faculties and students participated and benefited.



Department of Computer Science and Engineering

ORGANIZING
GUEST LECTURE ON

Exploring Machine Learning: Unveiling the Magic Behind AI

Resource Person



Dr. G. Jothi
Assistant Professor
Department of Computer Applications
Sona College of Arts and Science, Salem



Date: 05.03.2025

Time: 2:00 PM

Venue: HiTech Lab, VMKVEC Campus

Event Coordinators

MR. G. RAJASEKAR
ASST.PROF / CSE
VMKVEC
SALEM

DR. M. NITHYA
PROF. & HEAD / CSE,
VICE PRINCIPAL,
VMKVEC, SALEM

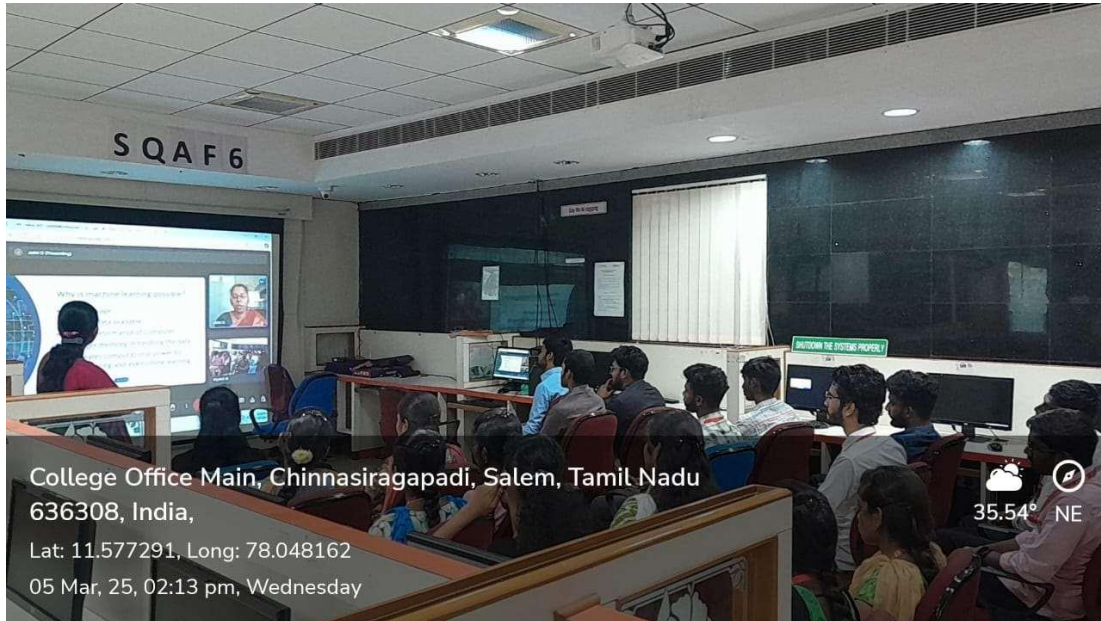
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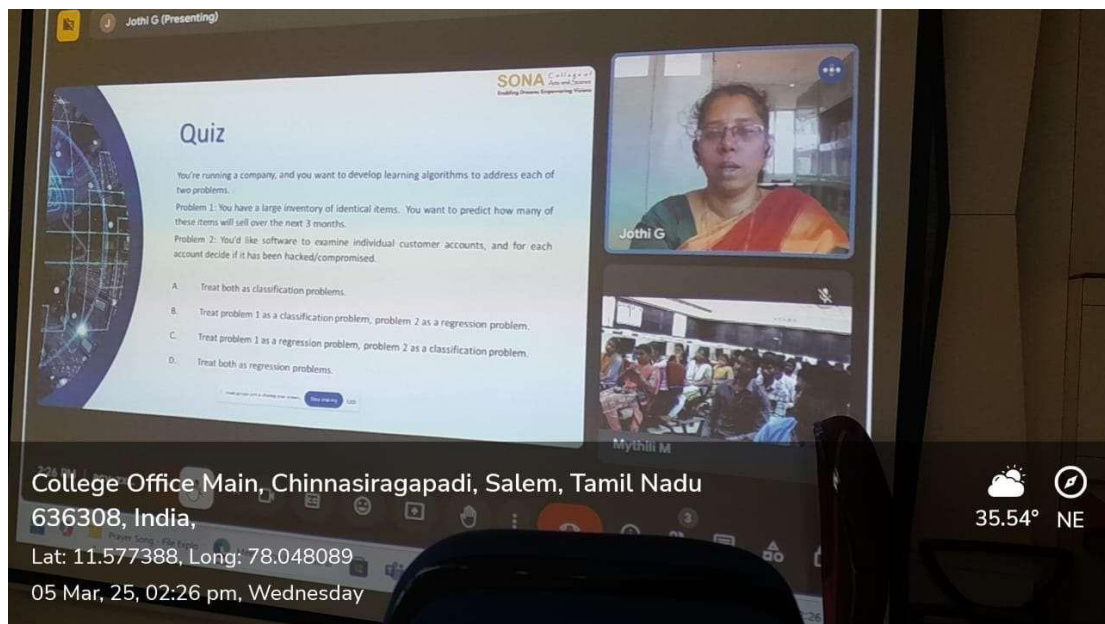
MR. B. SUNDARAMURTHY
PROGRAM COORDINATOR / CSE
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SALEM

Invitation Guest lecture on 05.03.2025

Guest lecture on 05.03.2025 at HI-TECH Lab



Guest lecture on 05.03.2025 at HI-TECH Lab



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5	Seminar - For Students	RARE AI & ML: Data Virtualization Techniques for Exploration on Distributed Data Lakes	03-09-2025	Mr. V S Suresh Kumar ASP, CSE Nandha College Of Technology - Nearly 300 Students are participated



Seminar Photos

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6	Seminar - For Students	AI for Atmanirbhar Bharat: HEI Pre-Summit Engagements towards India AI Impact	04-02-2026	Prof. Dr. S. Rajanarayanan, CSE, VMKVEC, Salem - Nearly 60 students are participated

Seminar : AI for Atmanirbhar Bharat: HEI Pre-Summit Engagements towards India AI Impact

The Institution's Innovation Council in association with the Department of Computer Science and Engineering, VMKVEC, Salem, organized an AI awareness session titled **"AI for Atmanirbhar Bharat: HEI Pre-Summit Engagements towards India AI Impact."** The program focused on *"Understanding the AI value chain, career pathways, and emerging job roles,"* highlighting current industry trends and opportunities. The session was conducted on 04-02-2026 at the Data Science Lab with active participation from students and faculty members. The session served as a valuable platform for knowledge sharing and professional development in Artificial Intelligence.

INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL & COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
Jointly Organizing

AI FOR ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT: HEI PRE-SUMMIT ENGAGEMENTS TOWARDS INDIA AI IMPACT

Topic
Understanding the AI value chain, career pathways, and emerging job roles.

Date: 04-02-2026
Time: 02:30 PM
Venue: Data Science Lab

RESOURCE PERSON

Dr. S. Rajanarayanan
ASP,
Dept. of CSE,
VMKVEC, Salem

UNDERSTANDING THE AI VALUE CHAIN, CAREER PATHWAYS, & EMERGING JOB ROLES

AI VALUE CHAIN

CAREER PATHWAYS

- AI RESEARCH SCIENTIST
- AI SYSTEMS ENGINEER
- AI ETHICS SPECIALIST
- AI POLICY DEVELOPER
- AI PRODUCT DESIGNER

EMERGING JOB ROLES

- AI PRODUCT MANAGER
- AI TRANSLATOR
- AI REGULATORY ANALYST
- AI TECHNOLOGY ANALYST

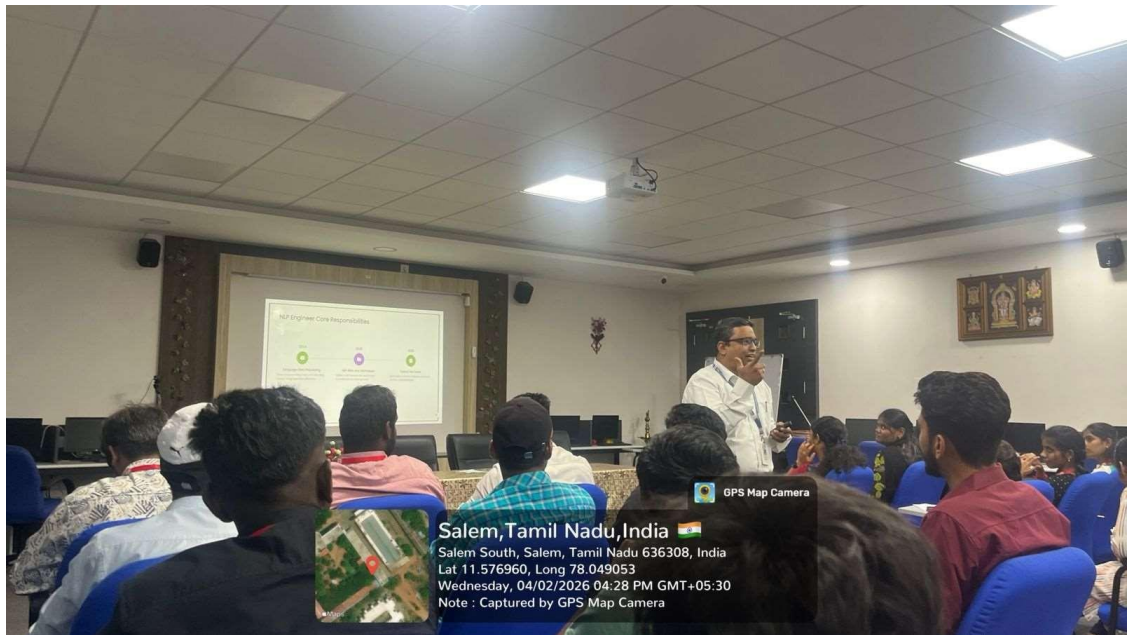
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Principal / IC President
VMKVEC
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Seminar Invitation – 04-02-2026



Seminar Photos

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7	Seminar - For Students	Exploring Machine Learning: Unveiling the Magic Behind AI	05.02.2026	Dr. Jothi G, Assistant Professor, Sona College of Arts and Science, Salem - Nearly 50 students are participated

Seminar: AI for Atmanirbhar Bharat: HEI Pre-Summit Engagements towards India AI Impact.

The Institution's Innovation Council in association with the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, VMKVEC, organized an event titled **"AI for Atmanirbhar Bharat: HEI Pre-Summit Engagements towards India AI Impact."** The session topic was *"AI Innovators in Action: Where Research Meets Real-World Impacts."* The program was conducted on 05-02-2026 at EG 05 with active participation from students and faculty members. **Dr. Thiyagu Vijaymani**, MD, Indian Info Tech, act as the resource person and shared insights on practical AI innovations and industry applications. The session helped participants understand how research can be transformed into real-world solutions. This event created awareness about AI advancements and encouraged innovation-driven learning.



**Institution's Innovation Council
&
Electronics and Communication Engineering**

Jointly Organizing

**AI FOR ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT:
HEI PRE-SUMMIT ENGAGEMENTS TOWARDS INDIA AI IMPACT**

Topic

**AI Innovators in Action: Where Research Meets
Real-World Impacts**

**Date: 05-02-2026
Time: 10:30 AM
Venue: EG 05**

RESOURCE PERSON




Dr. Thiyagu Vijaymani
MD,
Indian Info Tech

*Welcomes
You All*

Dr. T. Muthumanickam
HOD / ECE
VMKVEC
Salem

Dr. S. Arunkumar
IIC Vice President
VMKVEC
Salem

Dr. M. Nithya
Vice Principal
VMKVEC
Salem

Dr. R. Sasikumar
Principal / IIC President
VMKVEC
Salem

Seminar Invitation – 05-02-2026



Seminar Photos

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8	Student Innovation Event	Campus AI Short Video Program – Video Submission Event	10.02.2026	Mr. R. Santhosh Kumar, Prof & Head, Dept of Civil, VMKVEC

Student Innovation Event: Campus AI Short Video Program – Video Submission Event

The Department of Civil Engineering, VMKVEC and Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) VMKVEC will organize the **“Campus AI Short Video Program – Video Submission Event”** to promote AI learning and innovation among students. The initiative aimed to encourage participants to demonstrate AI-based learning, showcase student projects, and highlight AI applications in campus life. Students were invited to submit creative short videos covering themes such as AI tools, career pathways, and faculty or project spotlights, the program supported experiential learning and innovation-driven academic engagement.

Institutions Innovation Council & Department of Civil Engineering

Organizes

CAMPUS AI SHORT VIDEO PROGRAM

Video Submission Event

Showcase AI Learning & Innovation @ VMKVEC
An Initiative Aligned with AICTE – Innovation Cell (IIC)

Objective of the Event

- ◆ Demonstrate AI-based learning
- ◆ Showcase student AI projects
- ◆ Highlight AI in campus life
- ◆ Inspire AI career journeys

Suggested Video Themes
(Students may submit one or more videos)

Faculty Spotlight 2-5 mins	AI in Campus Life 5-7 mins
Student AI Projects Showcase 5-7 mins	AI Tools Tutorial Series 2-5 mins
AI Career Path Stories 2-5 mins	

Video Submission Guidelines


- ✓ Record in Landscape (16:9) format
- ✓ Full HD (1080p) Resolution
- ✓ Clear & Well-Edited Videos
- ✓ No Logos or Watermarks

LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION
08th FEBRUARY 2026

Submission Link

Mr. R. Santhosh Kumar Head/ Civil, VMKVEC Organizing Secretary	Dr. S. Arunkumar Asso. Professor / Mech. President IIC - VMKVEC	Dr. M. Nithya Vice Principal VMKVEC	Dr. R. Sasikumar Principal VMKVEC
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9	Seminar - for students	AI FOR ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT: HEI PRE-SUMMIT ENGAGEMENTS TOWARDS INDIA AI IMPACT	06-02-2026	Dr.V.K.EVANJELENE,MD, ALPHA OMEGA RESEARCH FOUNDATION SALEM - Nearly 60 Students are participated



**Institution's Innovation Council
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Department of Biotechnology**


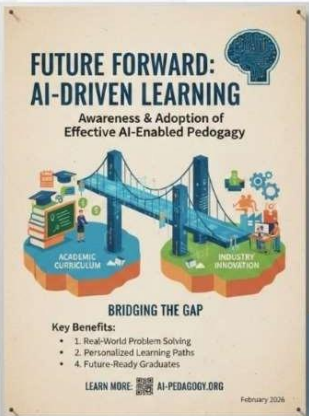
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**AI FOR ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT:
HEI PRE-SUMMIT ENGAGEMENTS TOWARDS INDIA AI IMPACT**

Topic
Awareness and adoption of effective AI-enabled pedagogy.
- Bridge gap between curriculum and industry

Date: 06-02-2026
Time: 10:30 AM
Venue: Data Science Lab

RESOURCE PERSON

DR.V.K.EVANJELENE
MD,
Alpha Omega Research Foundation
Salem

Welcomes You All

Dr. M. Sridevi
Innovation Ambassador
HOD / I.T.E,
VMKEVC, Salem

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Seminar Invitation 06.02.2026



Seminar Photos

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10	Seminar - For Students	AI FOR ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT:HEI PRE-SUMMIT ENGAGEMENTS TOWARDS INDIA AI IMPACT	06-02-2026	Dr.S.NATARAJAN ASSO.PROF / MECH VMKVEC,SALEM - Nearly 60 Students are participated



**Institution's Innovation Council
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HEI PRE-SUMMIT ENGAGEMENTS TOWARDS INDIA AI IMPACT**

Topic

**Basics of Intellectual Property Rights and
It's Management for Students**

Date: 06-02-2026
Time: 02:30 PM
Venue: Data Science Lab

RESOURCE PERSON



Dr . S. Natarajan
Asso.Prof / Mech,
VMKVEC, Salem



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You All*

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Innovation Ambassador
HOD / BTE,
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Seminar Invitation 06.02.2026



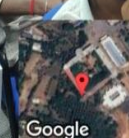
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