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MINUTES OF MEETING

Date:	05 June 2021	Time:	02.00 PM to 04.00 PM	Online	MS-TEAMS
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Participants of the meeting

External Panel Members

- 1. Dr. C. Vasanthanayaki (Anna University Nominee) Professor and Head, Electronics and Communication Engineering, Government College of Engineering, Salem.
- 2. Dr. K. S. Geetha (Subject Expert) Professor and Head, Electronics and Communication Engineering, R V College of Engineering, Bengaluru.
- 3. Dr. M. S. Sudhakar (Subject Expert) Associate Professor, Electronics Engineering, VIT-Vellore.
- 4. Mr. S. Chella Kumar (Industry Expert) Infinera India Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru.
- 5. Mr. A. Chandramouli (Alumni Member) Research Scientist, SAMEER, Chennai.
- 6. Mr. P. Nithyanandham (Alumni Member) Technical Specialist, Infosys, Bengaluru.

Internal Panel Members

- 1. Dr. S. A. Pasupathy (BoS Chairperson) Professor and Head, ECE, KCT
- 2. Dr. K. Kavitha (R18/R17 Curriculum/Syllabus Incharge) Professor, ECE, KCT
- 3. Dr. M. Bharathi (BoS Coordinator-PG) Professor, ECE, KCT
- 4. Dr. B. Gopinath (BoS Coordinator-UG) Associate Professor, ECE, KCT
- 5. Dr. V. Vanitha (Member from allied department) Professor, IT, KCT
- 6. Dr. Rani Thottungal Professor, ECE, KCT
- 7. Dr. A. Amsaveni Professor, ECE, KCT
- 8. Dr. M. Shanthi- Associate Professor, ECE, KCT
- 9. Dr. S. Umamaheswari- Associate Professor, ECE, KCT
- 10. Dr. S. Sasikala- Associate Professor, ECE, KCT
- 11. Dr. M. Alagumeenaakshi- Associate Professor, ECE, KCT

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- 12. Dr. S.N. Shivappriya- Associate Professor, ECE, KCT
- 13. Dr. K. Thilagavathi- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 14. Ms. S. Nagarathinam- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 15. Mr. R. Darwin- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 16. Mr. R. Karthikeyan- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 17. Ms. R. Dhivya Praba- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 18. Ms. A. Kalaiselvi- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 19. Ms. K. Jasmine- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 20. Ms. V. Uma Maheswari- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 21. Ms. S. Krithika- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 22. Ms. K. Anusha- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 23. Mr. S. Karthik- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 24. Mr. R. Karthi Kumar- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 25. Mr. D. Allin Joe- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 26. Mr. R. Navaneetha krishnan- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 27. Ms. K. Karthika- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 28. Mr. S. David-Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 29. Ms. T. Jaspar Vinitha Sundari- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 30. Mr. S. Arun Kumar- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 31. Mr. Timothy Dhayakar Paul- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 32. Mr. V.P. Ajay- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 33. Ms. S. Tamilelakkiya- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 34. Mr. S. Boopathy- Assistant Professor, ECE, KCT
- 35. Ms. S. Sukirtha (Student member from DA) DA President, ECE, KCT
- 36. Mr. A. Adarsh (Student member from F40) Third Year Student, ECE, KCT

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Highlights: Discussions on R18 Regulation 1. Elective addition 2. PROTOSEM 3. Best Practices 4. Regulations R-2022. 5. Introduction of M.Tech. IT (AI & R)

MINUTES OF MEETING & ACTION POINTS

Codes: A: Action **C**: Comment **D**: Decision **R**: Recommendation

S.No	CODE	DESCRIPTION & DISCUSSION POINTS
1.		Dr.K.Kavitha, Professor delivered the welcome address and introduced the BoS members.
		She presented the previous 17 th BoS meeting Action Taken Report and all the suggestions
		given by the BoS members were incorporated in undergraduate R18 Syllabus.
		Vision, mission and PSO of the department have been shared with the panel members
2.	R, C	The end semester examination results and CO-PO attainments were reported as the outcomes
		of Programme Assessment Committee (PAC) and Department advisory board (DAB) meetings.
		The feedbacks obtained about Curriculum and Syllabus of R18 from faculty members, students
		and alumni members were also discussed. It was concluded that no major revisions were
		required in Curriculum and Syllabus of R18.
		A new Professional Elective Course "U18ECE0056 – Multicore Architecture and Programming
		for Embedded Systems" was introduced under Embedded Systems Bucket in association with
		Robert Bosch and approved by the panel members.
		A new Open Elective Course "18ECO0005 – Introduction to Neural Networks and Deep
		Learning" was introduced and approved by the panel members with a correction in module 5.
		A revision in PROTOSEM (Prototyping Semester) courses was done by the FORGE Incubator
		and suitable mappings were done in R18. It was approved by the panel members.

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3.	С	Best Practices Followed:						
		Dr. M.S.Sudhakar						
		BoS members expressed their views on online tools. They asked about the procedure of						
		conducting online examinations through Examly portal.						
		Dr.M.S.Sudhakar shared his experience on conducting online proctored examinations at						
		VIT Vellore campus using CodeTantra and question paper pattern used.						
		Dr. C. Vasanthanayaki						
		Dr. C. Vasanthanayaki, Anna University nominee suggested to use the tools, assessment						
		methods and question paper pattern as per the autonomous norms and the guidelines of						
		Anna University.						
4.	R, C	Suggestions for new curriculum & syllabi - Regulations 2022 (R2022):						
		The existing modules of R18 regulation were presented and the possible domains to be						
		included for the new curriculum and syllabi under Regulations 2022 were discussed.						
		Dr.K.S.Geetha						
		The existing fundamental modules could be blended with latest developments such as						
		Artificial Intelligence, Robotics, Embedded Systems-IoT, AR & VR and applications while developing new curriculum and syllabi.						
		Mr.S.Chella Kumar						
		Suggested to give more attention on Artificial Intelligence and IoT related components for						
		the new curriculum design.						
		Dr.M.S.Sudhakar						
		Suggested that the courses related to the domains Artificial Intelligence and IoT might be						
		narrow and decomposed.						

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5.	С	 Introduction of New M.Tech. Programme: The new M.Tech. Programme in Information Technology (Artificial Intelligence and Robotics) was introduced. The curriculum of the programme and the facilities of the department to host the PG programme were discussed and approved by the BoS panel members.
6.	C, R	Recommendations for implementing NEP 2020: • The salient points related to National Education Policy 2020 for curriculum development were discussed. • Skill development based curriculum • Attention towards AI, IoT, Industry 4.0 • Upgradation of faculty members and students • Synchronization between academia and industry
7.		The meeting concluded with all the above-mentioned thoughts and the vote of thanks was proposed by Dr.B.Gopinath.

Dr. S. A. Pasupathy

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