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FOUNDER & CHAIRMAN MESSAGE

Beyond Degrees: Building Better Futures

Dear Members of the DMI Family,

Every parent dreams of a bright future for their children. Many make enormous sacrifices to provide them with a good education, believing that a university degree will open the doors to a better life. Sadly, this dream remains unfulfilled for many young graduates.

According to the India Employment Report 2024 published by the International Labour Organization (ILO) and the Institute for Human Development (IHD), nearly **29% of young graduates in India were unemployed in 2022**. Behind this statistic are thousands of disappointed young people and anxious families.

As educators, we must ask ourselves: **Are we doing enough to prepare our students for the world beyond our campuses?**

In a world rapidly transformed by artificial intelligence and technology, degrees alone are not enough. Our students need practical skills, confidence, creativity, adaptability and the ability to solve real-life problems. We must provide them with opportunities to learn through projects, internships, industry interactions and hands-on experiences.

My heart particularly goes out to students from poor families, for whom education is often the only hope of breaking the cycle of poverty. We owe them more than a certificate. We owe them a fighting chance to build a dignified life.

Let us remember that our success lies not in the number of degrees we award, but in the lives we transform.

I earnestly appeal to every institution in the DMI family to make **graduate employability our collective mission**. Let us work together to ensure that every student leaves our campus with the knowledge, skills, values and confidence to face the future.

Loving God and Serving the Poor.

With Best Wishes,
Rev. Fr. Dr. J. E. Arulraj
Chairman, DMI Foundations





CEO MESSAGE

Bridging the Academia–Industry Gap

Dear Members of the DMI Family,

One of the major challenges facing higher education today is the widening gap between what we teach and what industry expects. While our institutions focus largely on academic knowledge, employers seek graduates with practical skills, problem-solving abilities, communication skills and adaptability.

With artificial intelligence and digital technologies rapidly transforming the workplace, this gap is becoming more pronounced. Our responsibility is not merely to prepare students for examinations, but to prepare them for successful careers.

Bridging this gap requires closer collaboration between academia and industry. We must involve industry professionals in curriculum design and teaching, make internships and live projects integral to learning, and encourage industry-recognised skill certifications. Faculty members must also regularly engage with industry to stay updated on emerging trends and technologies.

Equally important is developing students' critical thinking, creativity, teamwork and entrepreneurial abilities. Regular feedback from employers and alumni should help us continuously improve our programmes.

I urge every DMI institution to make employability a central priority. Let us measure our success not merely by the degrees we award, but by the competence, confidence and career opportunities of our graduates.

Together, let us build institutions that produce not just qualified graduates, but capable, industry-ready and socially responsible professionals.

With Best Wishes,

Dr. M. J. Xavier

CEO, DMI Foundations Trust





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ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI

TRAINING PROGRAMME ON EMBEDDED SYSTEMS

The School of Engineering and Technology, in association with MSME, organized a Training Programme on Embedded Systems on 8 September 2026. Led by Mr. Selvaraji S., Founder & Senior Executive, SSI Embedded, the session provided students with valuable industry insights and practical exposure to embedded systems and emerging technologies.



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION



St. Joseph University celebrated Teachers' Day on 8 September 2026, honouring the dedication and contributions of its faculty members. The celebration recognized the vital role of teachers in shaping students' knowledge, values, skills, and future, while expressing gratitude for their commitment to education and student development.

INDUSTRIAL VISIT TO OLYMPIA TECHNOLOGY PARK

The School of Engineering & Technology organized an industrial visit to Olympia Technology Park, Chennai, on 12 September 2026. The visit provided students with practical industry exposure and insights into technology careers.



FACULTY INDUCTION PROGRAMME



St. Joseph University conducted a Faculty Induction Programme on 12 September 2026, providing faculty with guidance on academic, administrative, examination, and IQAC processes.

NATIONAL BUSINESS WOMEN'S DAY

The Department of Commerce commemorated National Business Women's Day on 22 September 2026 through a student presentation on "Successful Entrepreneurs and Their Journey." The activity highlighted entrepreneurship, leadership, innovation, and resilience, inspiring students to develop an entrepreneurial mindset.



INDUSTRIAL VISIT TO CODEBIND TECHNOLOGIES



The Departments of Computer Science and Visual Communication, St. Joseph University, organized an Industrial Visit to CodeBind Technologies, T. Nagar, Chennai, on 23 September 2026. The visit exposed 126 students to emerging trends in Computer Science, particularly Web Development, through practical demonstrations and industry interactions.



ST. JOSEPH SENTHAMIZH MANDRAM



The St. Joseph Senthamizh Mandram was inaugurated on 28 September 2026 at the University Seminar Hall to promote Tamil language and literature. Rev. Sr. P. Hamlet, Director, graced the occasion, while students showcased their talents through poetry, music, and dance.

NEXUS HACKATHON 2026

The School of Engineering and Technology (SOET) successfully conducted "Nexus Hackathon 2026" on 30 September 2026. The hackathon encouraged students to showcase their innovation, creativity, problem-solving, and technical skills through real-world solutions, while fostering teamwork and the practical use of emerging technologies.



CM TROPHY KABADDI

Students of St. Joseph University secured Third Place in the CM Trophy Kabaddi competition, showcasing excellent teamwork, discipline, dedication, and sporting spirit. The University congratulates the students and coaching team on this commendable achievement.



HOSTEL OUTPASS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM



A. Prasanna Kumar, II Year B.Tech – Applied AI student, successfully developed and launched a Hostel Outpass Management System website. The project highlights his technical skills, creativity, and ability to develop practical digital solutions for efficient hostel outpass management.

FACULTY BOOK PUBLICATION

Dr. S. Govindaraju, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science, has published a book titled Artificial Intelligence with an ISBN, marking a valuable contribution to academic scholarship and the field of Artificial Intelligence.



Faculty members Dr. T. Kannan, Dr. K. Kalaivani, and Ms. S. Janani from the Department of Commerce and Management have been awarded an Indian Design Patent for their innovative design. This achievement reflects their creativity, innovation, and commitment to academic and research excellence. The University congratulates the faculty members on this notable accomplishment.

ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY, TINDIVANAM

TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

St. Joseph University, Tindivanam celebrated Teachers' Day on 3 September 2026 with gratitude and enthusiasm, honouring the dedication and valuable contributions of its teachers towards shaping students' futures.



ACADEMIC TECH-TALK (WEB SERIES)(S&H, CS)



An Academic Tech-Talk (Web Series) was conducted on 18th September 2026 by the School of Science & Humanities (S&H) and Computer Science (CS) at St. Joseph University, Tindivanam.



MINISTERIAL VISIT

Mr. Vanniarasu, Minister of Social Justice, visited St. Joseph University, Tindivanam, on 19 September 2026. The visit included an interaction with the University management, faculty, and students.

NSS UNIT INAUGURATION & ORIENTATION

St. Joseph University, Tindivanam conducted the NSS Unit Inaugural and Orientation Programme on 24 September 2026, introducing students to the objectives, activities, and responsibilities of NSS. Dr. V. Subbiah Bharathi, Vice Chancellor, and Dr. Ruban, Principal, Arts & Science College, Kovur, graced the occasion.



CHANCELLOR'S VISIT

The Honourable Chancellor visited St. Joseph University, Tindivanam, on 21 September 2026, interacting with the management, faculty, and students and reviewing the University's academic and administrative activities.





ST. JOSEPH UNIVERSITY - SCHOOL OF LAW

MOOT COURT COMPETITION

Ms. Nandhini and her team from II Year LL.B. represented the college at the SMVEC School of Law Moot Court Competition, Puducherry, held from 4–6 September 2026. The team reached the quarter-finals and secured 8th position.



MSME AWARENESS AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME



The institution organized an MSME awareness and entrepreneurship development programme to educate students on business opportunities, government support schemes, and the skills required to establish and manage successful enterprises.

LEGAL AWARENESS PROGRAMME

The Agni Siragugal Team delivered a lecture on legal rights, access to justice, and the importance of legal awareness as part of the programme.



CM TROPHY – STUDENT PARTICIPATION



Students of the School of Law participated in the CM Trophy in September 2026, showcasing their sporting skills, teamwork, discipline, and competitive spirit while representing the institution.

VEL TECH UNIVERSITY SPORTS MEET

Students of the School of Law participated in the Sports Meet organized by Vel Tech University, demonstrating sportsmanship and team spirit.



QUIZ COMPETITION



Students participated in a quiz competition conducted by the School of Law, St. Joseph University, to enhance their general knowledge, analytical thinking, and academic engagement.

LEGAL AID CAMP

The School of Law organized a Legal Aid Camp as part of its legal outreach and community engagement initiatives.





DMI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, CHENNAI

CAMPUS RECRUITMENT DRIVE

A SHARCON Campus Recruitment Drive was conducted on 3 September 2026 for final-year students, providing them with an opportunity to participate in the recruitment process and explore career opportunities.



An SL LUMAX Campus Recruitment Drive was conducted on 7 September 2026 for final-year students. The drive provided students with an opportunity to explore career prospects and interact directly with industry representatives.

A miBot campus recruitment drive was conducted on 18.09.2026 for final-year students.

FLEXIO INTERNSHIP

Four final-year students were selected for the Flexio Internship, providing them with an opportunity to gain practical industry experience and develop their professional skills.



CM TROPHY - 2ND RUNNER-UP



DMI College of Engineering students secured the 2nd Runner-up position in the CM Trophy at Kanchipuram Anna Stadium on 17-18 September 2026, winning a cash prize of ₹20,000.

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM - CM TROPHY

The Women's Volleyball Team of DMI College of Engineering secured the 2nd Runner-up position in the CM Trophy held at Kanchipuram Anna Stadium on 22 September 2026. The team's outstanding teamwork and sporting spirit earned them a cash prize of ₹16,000.



ANNA UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT



The DMI College of Engineering Football Team secured Third Place in the Anna University Football Tournament held at SVCE on 24-25 September 2026.

SUSTAINVERSE 2K26 - 24-HOUR HACKATHON

DMI College of Engineering hosted SUSTAINVERSE 2K26, a 24-hour hackathon on 15 September 2026, featuring innovative student teams from various colleges. The event was evaluated by experts from Larsen & Toubro (L&T).



INVICTUS 2K26 – PROJECT EXPO



The AI Spartans Club, Department of Artificial Intelligence and Data Science, conducted INVICTUS 2K26 – Project Expo on 1 September 2026, with 23 teams participating from various departments. The event promoted analytical thinking, innovation, and problem-solving skills.

- 🏆 First Prize: Kenneth Aidan, Jerome Prakash & Gowtham – III Year CSE
- 🥈 Second Prize: Nagaraj & Naveen – IV Year AI & DS
- 🥉 Third Prize: Andrew A. Xavier, Jac Ronaldo & Niranjana – II Year ECE

INDUSTRIAL VISIT

The Departments of Information Technology and Artificial Intelligence & Data Science undertook an educational field trip to Don Bosco Agricultural College, Takolam, on 11 September 2026 as part of the subject “IT in Agricultural Systems.”



FRESHER'S DAY

DMI College of Engineering organized Freshers' Day on 3 September 2026, warmly welcoming the new batch of students and marking the beginning of their academic journey.



ECE CLUB INAUGURATIONS



The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering inaugurated its Robotics, Electronics, VLSI, and Optical Clubs on 8 September 2026. The event was graced by Mr. Arokia Vijay Anand, alumnus of the 2015 batch and Grade 1 Technician, Southern Railway. The inauguration was led by III Year ECE students Yasar, Thilak, Tamilarasu, Vibin, and Mothish Kumar.

MSME SKILL DEVELOPMENT COURSES

- MSME skill development courses were offered to selected students based on their academic performance, with 25 students enrolled in each course.
- IoT Course: 25 Third-Year students
- Python-Based AI & Deep Learning: 25 Final-Year students
- Embedded Systems: Commenced on 27 August 2026

LOYOLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, CHENNAI

FRESHERS DAY

Loyola Institute of Technology inaugurated the UG Batch 2026–2030 and PG Batch 2026–2028 on 9 September 2026. The programme featured motivational addresses by Prof. M. Vijaykumar, Motivational Speaker, and Mr. Asher Joshua, LIT alumnus and Project Manager, Barry Wehmiller Design Group. The event marked an enthusiastic and memorable beginning to the students' academic journey.



18TH GRADUATION DAY

Loyola Institute of Technology celebrated its 18th Graduation Day on 19 September 2026 at St. Cecilia Auditorium. The ceremony was graced by Mr. P. Muniyandi, Joint Controller, Controllerate of Quality Assurance, Ministry of Defence, Avadi, Chennai, as the Chief Guest, and Dr. V. Subbiah Bharathi, Vice Chancellor, St. Joseph University, Chennai, as the Special Guest. The occasion celebrated the academic achievements of the graduates and the collective support of their parents, faculty, Principal, and Administrator.



APPRECIATION AWARD FOR ROTARACT CLUB

Mrs. Steffina Emanuel, representing Loyola Institute of Technology, received an Appreciation Award at B.S. Abdur Rahman Crescent Institute of Science and Technology on 1 September 2026, in recognition of her eight years of dedicated contribution to the Rotaract Club.



8TH INSTALLATION CEREMONY



The Rotaract Club of Loyola Institute of Technology, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Chennai Royals (RI District 3233), celebrated its Installation Ceremony, "விடியல் (Vidiyal) – A New Dawn," on 3 September 2026. The event marked the leadership transition for the Rotary Year 2026–27.



LIT, CHENNAI

NSS INAUGURATION AND YOUTH DAY CELEBRATION

Loyola Institute of Technology inaugurated its NSS activities for the academic year 2026-27 along with a Youth Day Celebration on 24 September 2026 at St. Cecilia Auditorium, promoting community service, leadership, and youth empowerment under the motto "Not Me But You."

INTERNAL HACKATHON - SIH 2026



Loyola Institute of Technology conducted the Internal Hackathon - SIH 2026 on 11 September 2026, encouraging students to showcase their innovation, creativity, and problem-solving skills through impactful software and hardware solutions.

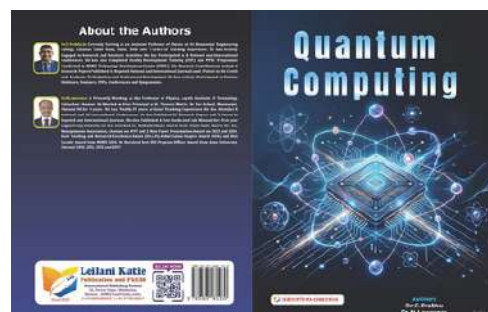


FACULTY EXPERTISE - DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

The Department of Management Studies highlights the expertise of Mr. V. Subash in Banking and Financial Services and Mr. G. Vishalkumar in Consumer Behaviour and Neuromarketing, enriching students' knowledge of financial markets, consumer psychology, decision-making, and emerging marketing strategies.

BOOK PUBLICATION - QUANTUM COMPUTING

Dr. M. Lawrence, Professor in the Department of Science and Humanities (Physics), has published a book titled "Quantum Computing" through Leilani Katie Publication and Press, Madurai, Tamil Nadu. The book carries ISBN 978-93-6348-193-0.



PATENT PUBLICATION



Loyola Institute of Technology announces the publication of patent application No. 202641097217, titled "AI-Driven Cybersecurity Threat Detection and Automated Incident Response Platform." The innovation brings together students, an alumna, and faculty members from CSE, AI&DS, and Science and Humanities, showcasing interdisciplinary collaboration in AI and cybersecurity.

The Department of Artificial Intelligence and Data Science achieved a research milestone with the publication of patent application No. 202641048525 A, titled "System and Method for AI-Driven Proactive Personal Safety Monitoring Using IoT Wearable Devices." The innovation was developed by Assistant Professor Ms. S. Abirami and nine final-year students, highlighting their collaborative efforts in AI-powered safety technologies.



RESEARCH PUBLICATION – CHEMISTRY

Dr. M. Ajith Kumar, Assistant Professor, S&H (Chemistry), published a research paper on corrosion inhibition of mild steel in Inorganic Chemistry Communications (Elsevier, 2026).

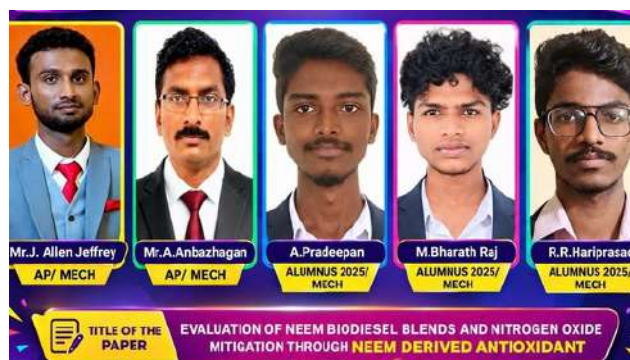
ANNA UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS



Ms. Karthika T (MBA, 2023-2025) secured 10th rank among 5,083 candidates, while Mr. Santhosh L (B.E. Mechanical Engineering, 2021-2025) secured 20th rank among 2,595 candidates in the Anna University examinations. The institution congratulates both students on their academic achievements.

RESEARCH PUBLICATION

The Department of Mechanical Engineering published a research paper titled "Evaluation of Neem Biodiesel Blends and Nitrogen Oxide Mitigation through Neem Derived Antioxidant" in the International Journal of Vehicle Structures and Systems (IJVSS). The paper was co-authored by Assistant Professors Mr. J. Allen Jeffrey and Mr. A. Anbazhagan, along with 2025 alumni A. Pradeepan, M. Bharath Raj, and R.R. Hariprasad.



FIRST PRIZE IN MATHNOVA 2026 HACKATHON



Team CYBERLEEK from II Year AI & DS (A Section) secured First Prize and a cash award of ₹5,000 at MATHNOVA 2026, a one-day hackathon conducted by SIMATS Engineering. Led by Abinash Ajay N, the team included Jason Praneeth O J, Kalai Charran E, and Malini G, showcasing teamwork, innovation, and problem-solving skills.

GOLD MEDAL IN SILAMBAM

Dharun, a II Year CSE (CS) student of Loyola Institute of Technology, Chennai, won the Gold Medal and a cash prize of ₹3,000 in the 55 kg Silambam (CS) category at the Kanchipuram District-Level CM Trophy.



SILVER MEDAL IN HIGH JUMP



Aravindhan of Loyola Institute of Technology, Chennai, secured the Silver Medal in High Jump at the Kanchipuram District-Level CM Trophy athletics competition, bringing pride to the institution.

LIT, CHENNAI

BRONZE MEDAL IN SILAMBAM

Aravind, a II Year IT-A student of Loyola Institute of Technology, Chennai, won the Bronze Medal and a cash prize of ₹1,000 in the Above 75 kg Silambam category at the Kanchipuram District-Level CM Trophy.

CAMPUS PLACEMENT



The Placement Cell announced the placement of 25 students from the 2027 batch of ECE, EEE, and Mechanical Engineering at Flender, with a salary package of ₹3.18 LPA. The selected students were congratulated by the Placement Officer, Principal, and Administrator.



Three Mechanical Engineering students from the 2027 batch—Lokesh G D, Santhosh Kumar S, and Sarathkumar V—secured placements at Sharcon Engineers with a package of ₹3 LPA. The students were congratulated by the Placement Officer, Principal, and Administrator.



The Placement Cell announced the placement of 38 students from the 2027 batch of ECE, EEE, Mechanical Engineering, and AI&DS at SL Lumax, with a salary package of ₹3.0 LPA. The selected students were congratulated by the Placement Officer, Principal, and Administrator.

The Placement Cell announced the placement of 37 students from the 2027 batch at Besant Technologies, with salary packages ranging from ₹3–₹5 LPA, reflecting the institution's commitment to enhancing students' career opportunities and industry readiness.



GUEST LECTURE ON RESEARCH AND INNOVATION



Mr. J. Allen Jeffrey, Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Loyola Institute of Technology, delivered a guest lecture titled "Beyond the Classroom: The Importance of Research and Innovation for Engineering Students" at Jeppiaar Engineering College on 18 September 2026, inspiring students to develop research skills, creativity, and entrepreneurial thinking.



ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY, THANJAVUR

INTERNAL HACKATHON - SIH 2026

SJCET inaugurated its Internal Hackathon for Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2026 on 10 September 2026, encouraging students to develop innovative, technology-driven solutions to real-world challenges while fostering creativity, teamwork, and problem-solving skills.



PROJECT EXPO 2026



The Department of Information Technology, St. Joseph's College of Engineering and Technology, organized Project Expo 2026 on 11 September 2026 as part of Engineers' Day celebrations, showcasing innovative student projects, emerging technologies, and live demonstrations.

ZONAL SPORTS

The SJCET Kabaddi Team secured the Runner-Up position in the Zonal Tournament held at Government College of Engineering, Sengipatti, on 16 September 2026, showcasing teamwork, determination, and sportsmanship.



The SJCET Women's Chess Team secured the Runner-Up position in the Zonal Chess Tournament held at AAMEC, Kovilvanni, on 19 September 2026, showcasing skill, dedication, and teamwork.

SKILL TRAINING PROGRAMME

The Department of Management Studies organized a skill training programme titled "Practical Skill Training Beyond the Classroom" on 17 September 2026 at the MBA Seminar Hall. Mr. B. Ramkishore of Sigira Learning, Chennai, served as the resource person, sharing practical skills and industry-oriented insights with students.



The Department of Computer Science and Engineering conducted an IBM Virtual Internship in Agentic AI for final-year students from 31 August to 7 September 2026, providing industry-oriented exposure and skills in emerging AI technologies.

SKILL TRAINING PROGRAMME

MBA students visited Wonder World, Valambakudi, Sengipatti, on 18 September 2026, gaining practical exposure to business operations and management practices while connecting classroom learning with real-world experience.





ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, CHENNAI

CAMPUS PLACEMENT

St. Joseph College of Engineering organized a campus interview with K12 Techno Services Pvt. Ltd. for the Business Development Manager (BDM) role. II MBA student Rishikesh Varan S was selected with a CTC of ₹5 LPA.



PLACEMENT ACHIEVEMENT

Four IV Year Mechanical Engineering students—Madhan Raj G, Dilikumar R, Nithish M, and Raghu D—secured placements at Sharcon Engineers with a package of ₹2.7 LPA, showcasing their technical skills and dedication.

Nineteen IV Year Mechanical Engineering students of St. Joseph College of Engineering secured placements at SL LUMAX with a package of ₹3.0 LPA through the campus placement drive held on 7 September 2026.



Forty-one students of the Batch 2027 from St. Joseph College of Engineering secured placements at InspireAI with a package of ₹6.20 LPA, reflecting their skills, dedication, and the institution's placement support.

MOU

The Department of ECE, St. Joseph College of Engineering, signed an MoU with New Technology Career Solutions (NTCS) on 9 September 2026 at SJCE Conference Hall. Dr. B. Krishna Kumar, Founder & CEO, NTCS, participated as the resource person. The MoU aims to enhance industry-academia collaboration through internships, training, skill development, and career opportunities.



STARTUP SUPPORT THROUGH EDII-TN

The SJCE Innovation and Incubation Forum supported its incubated startup, Xpool Technology Pvt. Ltd., by connecting it with the StartupTN ecosystem through the EDII-TN IVP Scheme, facilitating access to seed funding, marketing assistance, cloud infrastructure, pilot testing, and mentorship.

PAPER PRESENTATION

III Year ECE students Mr. Mourishraj and Mr. Naveen Kumar of SJCE secured First Prize in the Paper Presentation Event held at Jaya Engineering College on 11 September 2026, receiving a cash prize of ₹3,000 for their achievement.



FIRST PRIZE IN TECHNICAL EVENT

ECE students B. Kanishka, K. Hemadharshini, and K. Rajashree secured First Prize and a cash award of ₹1,200 in a technical event held at SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Vadapalani, on 24 September 2026.

BOOK PUBLICATION

Mr. Soundar C., Assistant Professor, CSE, St. Joseph College of Engineering, published a book titled "AI-Driven Technologies and Intelligent Automation: Exploring the Future of Smart Systems," covering AI, Machine Learning, Robotics, Cloud, IoT, and their real-world applications.



SJCE, CHENNAI

12TH CONSECUTIVE VICTORY IN KABADDI

The Kabaddi team of St. Joseph College of Engineering secured its 12th consecutive win in the Anna University Zone II Kabaddi Championship 2026, showcasing outstanding teamwork, strength, and sporting excellence.



St. Joseph College of Engineering clinched the championship title at the Anna University Zone II Football Tournament 2026. The team received the winner's trophy and tournament banner at SVCE, marking a proud achievement for the institution.



SCOPUS-INDEXED RESEARCH PUBLICATION

Dr. M. Navaneethakrishnan, HoD-CSE, and Ms. D. Shiny Devadoss, Assistant Professor-CSE, St. Joseph College of Engineering, published a research paper titled "Real-Time Processing of Common Sign Language using PP-YOLOE Deep Learning Monitoring" in a Scopus-indexed journal, contributing to advancements in AI-based sign language recognition.



SIH 2026 INTERNAL HACKATHON

The SJCE Innovation and Incubation Forum conducted the SIH 2026 Internal Hackathon on 2-3 September 2026 at Sir C. V. Raman Hall. Of the 98 registered teams, 41 were shortlisted following internal screening and evaluation.



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

The Student Council of St. Joseph College of Engineering, Sriperumbudur, celebrated Teachers' Day on 3 September 2026 at Sir C. V. Raman Hall, with student performances and speeches expressing gratitude for the faculty's dedication, guidance, and support.



UGC AUTONOMOUS STATUS

St. Joseph College of Engineering, Trinity Campus, Sriperumbudur, Chennai, has been granted autonomous status by the UGC for five years (2026-27 to 2030-31), marking a significant milestone in academic excellence and curriculum innovation. The institution acknowledged the contributions of Rev. Fr. Dr. J. E. Arulraj, Founder & Chairman, DFT Group of Institutions, and the entire college community.

MEDICAL CHECKUP

The Youth Red Cross of St. Joseph College of Engineering organized a medical checkup camp at James Watt Seminar Hall, benefiting 135 students and 20 staff members. Participants received consultations in general medicine, ophthalmology, and obstetrics, along with general medicines.





CHRIST THE KING ENGINEERING COLLEGE, COIMBATORE

16TH BATCH INAUGURAL FUNCTION

CKEC welcomed its newly admitted students at the First-Year 16th Batch Inaugural Function on 2 September 2026. Mr. Samuel Churchill, Education Transformation Strategist and Social Impact Visionary, graced the occasion as Chief Guest, while Dr. Sadham Usean Ramasamy, Lead Design Engineer at GE Vernova, Bengaluru, and CKEC alumnus, attended as Guest of Honour. The event inspired students to pursue academic excellence, innovation, and professional growth.

KABADDI TEAM RUNNER-UP



CKEC Kabaddi Team secured the Runner-Up position in the Local Area Kabaddi Tournament held at Udumalpet, Tiruppur District, on 01.09.2026.



ARENA GENIUS AWARD – DRONE XTREME 2.0

Student members of the Drone & Aero-Modelling Club, mentored by Mr. T. Arun, AP/ECE, participated in DRONE XTREME 2.0 at Erode Sengunthar Engineering College on 4 September 2026 and won the Arena Genius Award in the Innovations Arena category, showcasing their creativity and technical skills.



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Mrs. S. V. Kiruthika, Assistant Professor, Department of ECE, published a patent titled "IoT-Enabled Intelligent Wastewater Treatment Monitoring and Resource Recovery Management System," highlighting innovation in smart wastewater management.

ONAM AND TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

CKEC celebrated Onam and Teachers' Day on 11 September 2026 with traditional activities, cultural performances, and a vibrant Maaveli entry. Dr. J. Sowmya Vidana, Chief Medical Officer, Sowmya Hospital, Karamadai, graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Faculty members were honoured with gifts in appreciation of their dedication, and the celebration concluded with a cake-cutting ceremony and group photograph.



CKEC, COIMBATORE

FIRST PRIZE IN DESIGN-A-THON - PUMP ASSEMBLY CHALLENGE

Mr. K. Mukesh, Final Year Mechanical Engineering student, secured First Place and a cash prize of ₹1,000 in the Design-A-Thon – “Pump Assembly Challenge” held at KPR College on 3 September 2026.

INNOVX 2026 - SYMPOSIUM



CKEC organized the National Level Technical Symposium “INNOVX 2K26” on 25 September 2026 at the Mother Virgin Auditorium. Dr. N. J. R. Muniraj, Dean – Research, Hindusthan Institute of Engineering & Technology, Coimbatore, graced the occasion as Chief Guest, inspiring students to pursue innovation and research-oriented learning.



ANNA UNIVERSITY ZONE XI VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

CKEC hosted the Anna University Zone XI Volleyball Tournament on 28 and 29 September 2026, with 17 teams participating. KGiSL emerged as the champions, securing first place and the Championship Trophy, showcasing teamwork, discipline, and sporting excellence.



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)



CKEC signed two MoUs on 31 August 2026: the Drone & Aero Modelling Club with M/s. Sumukha Green Tech Aviation Ltd., Coimbatore, and the Department of ECE with M/s. TrymyWebsites, Coimbatore, strengthening industry-institution collaboration.

The Department of AI&DS signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with M/S.Bright Light Society Pvt.Ltd. on 28.09.2026.



Christ the King Engineering College, through its Research & Development Cell, signed an MoU with Alluminov Research and Development Pvt. Ltd. on 10 September 2026 to strengthen research and development collaboration.



CKEC, COIMBATORE

RESEARCH PUBLICATION

Mr. C. Prabhu, Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, published a journal article titled "Waste-Tea-Leaf-Derived Microcrystalline Cellulose as a Reinforcement for FDM-Printed PLA," exploring sustainable material development and improvements in the mechanical and acoustic performance of 3D-printed components.



FACULTY ACHIEVEMENT - CYBER SECURITY CERTIFICATION



Mr. A. Praveen, Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, successfully completed the AICTE-sponsored QIP - PG Certificate Programme in Cyber Security at IIIT Dharwad, securing an excellent CGPA of 8.83.

ANNA UNIVERSITY ZONE XI VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

Mrs. V. G. Karthiga, Assistant Professor, Department of CSE, presented a research paper on automated Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia diagnosis at the 4th International Conference on Intelligent Cyber Physical System and Internet of Things, held in Coimbatore from 1-3 September 2026, in association with IEEE and other professional bodies.



SKILL CORNER - AI & DS DEPARTMENT



CKEC AI&DS Department organized "Skill Corner", a vibrant platform to encourage students to showcase their talents, creativity, and communication skills on 18th September 2026. The programme provided students with an opportunity to demonstrate their talents in a lively and engaging atmosphere, promoting confidence, creativity, teamwork, and overall personality development.

TRIP TO BLACK THUNDER

The Department of Science & Humanities (S&H) organized a one-day adventure and fun trip to Black Thunder Amusement Park on 05.09.2026.



ACADEMIC INTERNAL AUDIT



The Academic Internal Audit of CKEC was conducted on 22-23 September 2026 by Rev. Sr. M. K. Terasa, DMI, and Dr. L. M. Merlin Livingston, Director, DFT Colleges. The audit reviewed academic activities, teaching-learning processes, and documentation, with special emphasis on strengthening academic quality and preparing the institution for Autonomous Status.



DMI ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ARALVAIMOZHI

CAMPUS PLACEMENT

KIAQ Technologies conducted a recruitment drive at DMIEC on 7 September 2026. Six students from CSE, AI, and IT were selected with an annual package of ₹4 LPA after successfully completing the aptitude, technical, and HR interview rounds. The Placement Department congratulates the students and wishes them success in their careers.

CAMPUS PLACEMENT



Delphi-TVS Technologies conducted a campus recruitment drive at DMIEC on 9 September 2026 for final-year EEE and Mechanical Engineering students. Fourteen students were selected through direct interviews conducted by the company's HR Manager. The institution congratulates the selected students and wishes them success in their careers.



Ms. Anlin, a final-year Mechanical Engineering student, was selected by Jersey Engineering Solutions, near Tirunelveli, which specializes in MEP services, BIM modelling, 3D modelling, and HVAC products. The institution congratulates Anlin on her achievement and wishes her a successful career.



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

DMI Engineering College signed an MoU with 8Queens Software Technologies on 25 September 2026 to strengthen industry-institution collaboration in IT services, enterprise applications, web development, cloud computing, mobility, and analytics. The partnership aims to enhance students' industry exposure and technical learning.



INTERNAL HACKATHON



DMI Engineering College conducted an Internal Hackathon on 15 September 2026, providing students with a platform to showcase their innovative ideas, technical expertise, and problem-solving skills.

PARTICIPATION IN NANJIL NADU CONNECT

The institution participated in Nanjil Nadu Connect, organized by Startup Singam. The Incubation Manager expressed interest in exploring MoU collaborations and mutually beneficial opportunities to strengthen innovation and entrepreneurship.





ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT

Mr. Agin S, a proud alumnus of DMI Engineering College, has been selected as Senior Manager at Sobha Technologies, Bengaluru. The institution congratulates him on this achievement and wishes him continued success in his professional journey.



ALUMNI SUPPORT - EDUCATIONAL SPONSORSHIP



Mr. Umesh, a 2021 alumnus of DMI Engineering College, currently working at Avalon Technologies, has volunteered to sponsor the educational expenses of a deserving student from an economically disadvantaged background, reflecting his generosity and commitment to supporting student education.

ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT - BRANCH HEAD AT AB TECHNOLOGIES

Ms. Nisha C, an alumna of the EEE Department (2018-2022) of DMI Engineering College, has been selected as Branch Head at AB Technologies. The institution congratulates her on this achievement and wishes her continued success.



PLACEMENT ACHIEVEMENT - TATA POWER SOLAR



Students selected by Tata Power Solar have received their appointment orders and are scheduled to join in December 2026. DMI Engineering College congratulates the students and wishes them a successful career ahead.

ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT - SENIOR BASE DEVELOPER

An alumna of the ECE Department (2016-2020 batch) is currently working as a Senior Base Developer. DMI Engineering College congratulates her on her professional achievement and wishes her continued success in her career.



BEST TEACHER AWARD - DR. REGUPATHY



Dr. Regupathy received the Best Teacher Award from the Indian Red Cross Society in recognition of his dedicated service and valuable contributions to education. The institution congratulates him on this achievement and wishes him continued success.

BEST TEACHER AWARD - DR. REGUPATHY

The Department of Science and Humanities organized an industrial visit for first-year engineering students to the Planetarium and Lulu Multi-Entertainment Centre in Trivandrum on 25 September 2026. Organized by Dr. S. Regupathy, Professor of Chemistry, the visit enabled over 100 students to gain valuable insights into applied science through experiential learning.



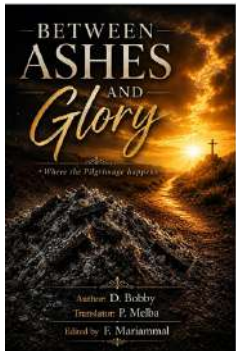


FIRST-YEAR CLUB ACTIVITIES INAUGURATION

DMI Engineering College, Aralvaimozhi, inaugurated its first-year club activities on 11 September 2026 at the Nano Auditorium, with around 250 students participating. Rev. Sr. Dr. Prasheeba, Vice Principal of St. Teresa Arts and Science College for Women, Karungal, served as Chief Guest and Resource Person. The event introduced office bearers of five clubs, administered their oath, and emphasized leadership, communication, practical intelligence, and holistic student development.



BOOK PUBLICATION



Dr. D. Bobby, Associate Professor of English, authored *Between Ashes and Glory*, translated into Tamil by Mrs. P. Melba, Assistant Professor of Tamil, and edited by Mrs. Mariammal. Exploring faith, resilience, spiritual awakening, and redemption, the book is now available on Google Play Books.

RESEARCH PAPER

Mrs. P. Melba, Assistant Professor of Tamil, published a research paper in the *Nilam Bi-Annual International Journal of Arts & Culture*, Volume 8, Special Issue 1, September 2026, published by the Pandia Nadu Cultural Foundation in association with Don Bosco Arts and Science College, Thoothukudi.



PATENT PUBLICATION



DMI Engineering College proudly announces a patent publication by its CSE faculty members: Monisha Raju Y V, Nishanthi R, Stephy Christina J, Jenet Rajee C A, Jane Shifa, and Sindhu D R, recognizing their contribution to research and innovation.



SECOND PRIZE IN NATIONAL-LEVEL PAPER PRESENTATION

Ms. Abinaya, Ms. Aparjitha, and Ms. Vibina secured Second Prize in the paper presentation event at the National-Level Symposium held at Loyola Institute of Technology and Science. Congratulations to the students on their achievement!



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Our Students working with
DMI Incubated Startups

STUDENT ENTREPRENEURSHIP - DMI INCUBATED STARTUP

Students are actively working with a DMI-incubated startup while pursuing their studies, gaining practical experience, industry exposure, and entrepreneurial skills alongside their academic learning.

FIRST PRIZE IN NATIONAL-LEVEL PAPER PRESENTATION

Mr. Akash, Ms. Barathkrishna, and Mr. Giftson, II Year AI&DS students, secured First Prize in the Paper Presentation event at the National-Level Symposium held at PSN Institute of Technology and Science.



FIRST PRIZE IN SHORT FILM – NATIONAL-LEVEL SYMPOSIUM



Mr. P. Abinash, II Year AI&DS student, secured First Prize in the Short Film competition at the National-Level Symposium held at PSN Institute of Technology and Science.

INTER-DEPARTMENT CODING COMPETITION

Ms. Gracy Abinaya of III Year AI&DS secured First Prize, while Mr. Muthu Suthish of II Year AI&DS won the Runner-Up position in the Inter-Department Coding Competition.



STAFF TOUR



DMI Engineering College organized a staff tour on 5 September 2026, providing faculty and staff members with an opportunity to relax, bond, and strengthen teamwork beyond the workplace.

INTERACTION WITH COLLECTOR

Our students along with their project mentor Dr. S. Regupathy shared their remarkable achievements (Carbon-Capture Technology) with the Hon'ble District Collector.



INDUSTRY COLLABORATION – TRAINING AND PLACEMENT COLLECTOR



Training and Placement Officer Mr. Abisek Gibson visited six companies in September 2026—Akira Softwares, TestHouse, Stailix, Globecom Solutions, Bitsnpix, and Innoval Digital Solutions—to strengthen industry relationships and explore internship and employment opportunities for DMIEC students.



JP COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, TENKASI

CAMPUS RECRUITMENT DRIVE

Global Engineering Services (GES), Calicut, conducted a campus recruitment drive on 1 September 2026, selecting 11 Civil Engineering students for positions at its offices in Coimbatore, Ernakulam, and Kozhikode. GES specializes in rebar detailing and drafting services for clients across the Gulf, UK, and USA.



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION



Teachers' Day was celebrated on 3 September 2026 at St. Carlo Hall with joyful and enthusiastic participation from the staff members of J.P. College of Engineering.

FRESHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

The Geek Social Club of the Department of Information Technology celebrated Freshers' Day on 3 September 2026 at St. Joseph Hall with games, dance performances, and fun activities. Prize distribution recognized the winners, making the event a memorable welcome for first-year students.



INVENTURA 2026



J.P. College of Engineering and J.P. College of Arts & Science jointly organized INVENTURA 2026 on 9 September 2026 at St. Carlo Hall. Mr. P. Marilenin, District Science Officer, District Science Centre, Tirunelveli, graced the event as Chief Guest.

1ST RANK IN TAMIL NADU - VIRTUAL LAB NODAL CENTRE

J.P. College of Engineering secured 1st rank among Virtual Lab Nodal Centres in Tamil Nadu from January to August 2026, recording 2,00,654 usages by 5,983 distinct users under the IIT Delhi and Ministry of Education initiative.



CAMPUS PLACEMENT DRIVE



The Training and Placement Cell of J.P. College of Engineering organized a placement drive with BYD Electronics on 10 September 2026 for EEE and ECE students, offering a CTC of ₹3.9 LPA and opportunities in the electronics industry.

PARTICIPATION IN NATIONAL-LEVEL TECHNICAL SYMPOSIUM

Seven IV Year IT students participated in the National-Level Technical Symposium at PSN Engineering College, Tirunelveli, on 10 September 2026, gaining valuable technical exposure and opportunities for knowledge sharing and interaction with peers from other institutions.



JPCE, TENKASI

MOU

The Department of Artificial Intelligence and Data Science, J.P. College of Engineering, signed an MoU with INFOSMITE EDUTECH LLP to strengthen industry-academia collaboration through technical training, workshops, emerging technology exposure, skill development, and career enhancement initiatives.



The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Techno Versatile on 11 September 2026 to strengthen industry-academia collaboration and enhance students' technical skills.

CAMPUS PLACEMENT DRIVE

The Training and Placement Cell of J.P. College of Engineering organized a placement drive by Etricals Engineers Pvt. Ltd., Chennai, on 15 September 2026 at St. Benedict Hall for the 2023-2027 batch of EEE and ECE students, offering engineering roles with a package of ₹3 LPA.



INNOVYA 2K26

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering, in collaboration with YAAR Innovation LLP, organized INNOVYA 2K26, an AI Startup Hackathon, on 18 September 2026 at Bertram Hall. The event featured industry experts and distinguished guests and received an excellent response, with 83 teams and 251 participants from 30 colleges presenting innovative ideas.

NEURANOVA

Six III-Year Information Technology students participated in the symposium "Neuranova" at SCAD College of Engineering and Technology, Cheranmahadevi, on 09.09.2026. Ms. SabikkaBarvin A. secured Third Prize in the technical event "Bug Bust," bringing recognition to the department.



CAMPUS INTERVIEW



A campus interview was successfully conducted by Youngshin Automotive at St. Augustine Hall on 25.09.26. The recruitment process was led by an expert panel consisting of Mr. Gopala Krishnan (Head HR) and Mr. Venkatesan (DGM – Finance). Out of the 55 students who enthusiastically participated in the drive, the final selection results are currently awaited from the company's team.

MOU

The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Thartek Innovations on 25 September 2026 to promote industry-institution collaboration and provide students with opportunities for skill development, industrial exposure, training, internships, and career-oriented learning.



RESEARCH PAPER PUBLICATION

III Year IT students S. Akshaya, W. Immanuel, S. Venkat, and B. Sournadharshini, guided by A. Backiyaraj, AP/IT, published a research paper on Explainable Edge AI for Biomedical Waste Classification in IJSET, Volume 14, Issue 4 (September-October 2026).

III Year IT students S. Aarthi, M. A. MugaVenkathamathi, K. Narmaladevi, G. Abirami, and M. Indhumathi published a research paper titled "Quantum Computing: Current Progress, Challenges and Future Directions" in IJSET, Volume 14, Issue 4 (September-October 2026), under the guidance of Mrs. M. Kalavathy, AP/IT.



II Year IT students M. Mohamed Baseem, T. Velrajan, M. Muthulakshmi, A. Kabilash, and A. H. Safrin Banu published a research paper on AI-driven knee osteoarthritis detection and personalized rehabilitation in IJFMR, Volume 8, Issue 5 (September-October 2026), under the guidance of Mr. A. Backiyaraj, AP/IT.



III Year IT students R. Naveen, A. Thameena Shifa, V. Vasumathi, S. Deepa, and S. Subalakshmi published a research paper titled "Zero Trust Security: A Framework for Next-Generation Enterprise Protection" in IJSET, Volume 14, Issue 4 (September-October 2026), under the guidance of Ms. M. Ajithaveni, AP/IT.



Dr. K. Arumuganainar received a Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing from the Journal of Engineering Research and Reports in recognition of his valuable contribution as a reviewer and commitment to maintaining journal quality.

Mrs. P. Manonmani, Assistant Professor, Department of CSE, J.P. College of Engineering, presented a research paper on deep learning for early tuberculosis detection using chest X-ray imaging at ICICI-2026, held from 1-3 September 2026 in Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu.





JPACE, TENKASI



II Year IT students A. Indhu Pavithra, M. Sabina, G. Gowri, and Fathima Mirsha of J.P. College of Engineering published a research paper titled "Cyber Security: Protecting Digital Information in the Modern Era" in IJSET, Volume 14, Issue 5 (September 2026), under the guidance of Dr. A. Akil Nivetha, AP/Maths.

PARTICIPATION IN ZENOFEST 2K26

Six III Year IT students participated in the one-day National-Level Project Expo, ZENOFEST 2K26, held on 25 September 2026 at P.S.R. Engineering College, Sevalpatti.



STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

Dr. K. Arumuganainar received a Certificate of Appreciation from Bethlahem Institute of Engineering for serving as a Guest Speaker at the webinar on "Key Concepts and Principles in Engineering Thermodynamics," held on 6 August 2026.

POEM PUBLISHED IN ANTHOLOGY

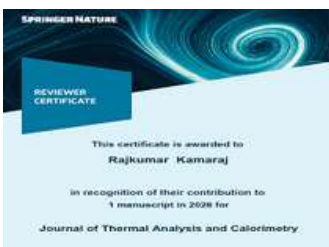
Dr. C. G. Karthikadevi, Assistant Professor, Department of English, JP College of Engineering, contributed a poem to the anthology Prayer (ISBN: 9789349977020), highlighting her literary creativity and passion for poetry.



RESEARCH PUBLICATION

Dr. S. Senthil, Assistant Professor, Department of CSE, J.P. College of Engineering, published a research paper on privacy-preserving breast cancer diagnosis using Explainable AI and Federated Learning, achieving 99.12% diagnostic accuracy.

Miss M. Ajithaveni, AP/IT, published a research paper titled "Next-Generation Deep Learning: A Comprehensive Survey on Explainable, Efficient, Privacy-Preserving and Multimodal Artificial Intelligence" in IJARCCCE, Volume 15, Issue 9 (September 2026), highlighting her contribution to AI and Deep Learning research.



Dr. K. Rajkumar, AP/MECH Reviewed a Paper in the "Journal of Thermal Analysis and Calorimetry" and the publisher is Springer Nature

Dr. S. Muthulakshmi, Assistant Professor of Tamil, J.P. College of Engineering, participated in a seven-day international online workshop on "Tamil Manuscripts: Then and Now," jointly organized by Salem Magizham Tamil Sangam and London Vetrinadai (UK), from 14-20 September 2026.



J.P.CE, TENKASI

Dr. G. Subhapriya presented a research paper at the 3rd International Conference on Advanced Physics and Sustainable Energy Innovations (APSEI-2026), held on 14 August 2026 at Government Arts and Science College, Kovilpatti, in association with the Indian Association for Crystal Growth (IACG), Chennai.



Dr. V. AnnapushpamSangeetha, AP/Physics, has published a patent titled "A System and a Method for Physics-Constrained Quantum Modeling, Causal Error Localization and Computational Research Optimization."The patent was published on 18.09.2026.

Dr. V. Jeyalakshmi HOD / EEE served as a peer reviewer in the 1st MAHSA International IEEE Conference on Sustainable Engineering, Built Environment, and Information Technology (MI-SEBIT 2026), held on September 25–26, 2026, at MAHSA University, Malaysia.



VICTORY IN UNIVERSITY ZONE CRICKET MATCH

The J.P. College of Engineering cricket team participated in the University Zone Cricket Match held at NEC, Kovilpatti, on 09.09.2026 and won the first-round match. The team is congratulated for its excellent performance and team spirit.

CM TROPHY

III Year EEE students Abijith and Mohideen Abdul Kader secured Second Prize in the Carrom Doubles event at the CM Trophy on 17 September 2026, showcasing excellent teamwork and sporting spirit.



III Year IT student Mr. Lithishbaran won Gold Medals in the 100m and 200m events, while I Year IT student Mr. Libathiswaran secured Gold in 400m and Silver in 200m, bringing pride to the Department of IT, J.P. College of Engineering.

M. Hariprakash, a IV ECE student from J.P. College of Engineering, has secured the 3rd prize in the 100M event at the CM Trophy. He achieved this remarkable success competing in the physically challenged category, bringing great pride to the institution.



JP COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE, TENKASI

PROJECT EXPO – ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT CELL

The Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) organized a Project Expo on 2 September 2026, providing students with a platform to showcase innovative projects and develop entrepreneurial skills. The projects were evaluated by Dr. J. Maheswari, Research Cell Coordinator, and Dr. E. Sudha, Head and Assistant Professor of Chemistry.



INVENTURA 2026



JP College of Engineering and JP College of Arts & Science, Ayikudi, Tenkasi, jointly organized INVENTURA 2026 on 9 September 2026. Chief Guest Mr. P. Marilenin, District Science Officer, District Science Centre, Tirunelveli, appreciated the students' innovative ideas. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from 108 project teams representing various schools.

MOU

JP College of Arts and Science, Ayikudy, Tenkasi, organized an MoU signing ceremony with Kite Careers, Surandai, on 10 September 2026. The initiative involved the Departments of Computer Applications, Computer Science, and Information Technology to strengthen industry-institution collaboration and enhance students' career opportunities.



The Department of Commerce (Professional Accounting), JP College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Ayikudy, Tenkasi, signed an MoU with CADD Expert Training Institution, Tenkasi, on 17 September 2026 to strengthen industry-oriented learning and enhance students' professional skills.

16TH GRADUATION DAY CELEBRATION

JP College of Arts and Science celebrated its 16th Graduation Day on 26 September 2026 at Bertram Hall. Thiru. P. Viswanathan, Minister for Higher Education, Tamil Nadu, graced the occasion as Chief Guest and distributed degrees to the graduates. Thiru. S. Peter Alphonse, Former Member of Parliament and Honorary Chairman, JP Group of Institutions, attended as Guest of Honour. The ceremony was attended by the institution's management, faculty, students, parents, and well-wishers.



CULTURAL FEST

The college hosted AURA 2026, a two-day intra-collegiate cultural fest on 28-29 September 2026, encouraging students to showcase their talents and creativity. Presided over by Rev. Sr. M. K. Teresa, Director – Administration, DMI, the event promoted cultural diversity, teamwork, confidence, and healthy competition.



INDUSTRIAL VISIT



The Department of Commerce (Batch-II) organized an industrial visit to MILMA, Thiruvananthapuram, on 11 September 2026. Thirty-six first- and second-year students, accompanied by Dr. M. Sharmila Devi and Dr. M. Petchimuthu, participated in the visit to gain practical industry exposure.

The students of BBA and PG Commerce participated in an Incubation visit to the Killikulam Agribusiness Incubation Forum Organised by Entrepreneurship development cell on 11.09.2026. A total of 54 students along with two faculty members took part in the visit.

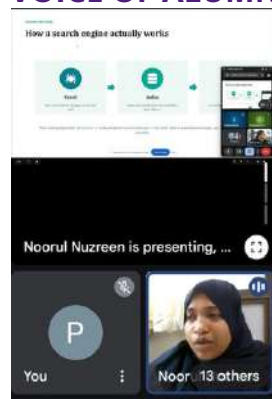


The Department of Commerce (Professional Accounting) organized an industrial visit to Kanan Devan Hills Plantations (KDHP), Munnar, providing students with practical insights into plantation management, tea processing, production logistics, corporate accounting, and large-scale business operations.

The Department of Visual Communication organized an industrial visit to Global Printers, Sivakasi, on 17 September 2026. Second- and third-year Viscom students gained practical exposure to printing processes and industry practices.



VOICE OF ALUMNI



Department of Mathematics successfully completed the voice of Alumni program. The seminar successfully created awareness about the role of SEO in digital marketing and its contribution to online visibility, audience reach, and business growth.



ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (ARTS & SCIENCE), KOVUR

GRANDEUR GALLERY 2026 - PROJECT EXPO

The Department of English, in association with IQAC and IIC, St. Joseph's College (Arts & Science), Kovur, organized "Grandeur Gallery 2026" on 11 September 2026. The expo showcased students' creative projects on English literature, poetry, language, and literary criticism, encouraging innovation, research, and presentation skills through project-based learning.



FINFINITY 2026

The Department of Accounting and Finance organized "FINFINITY 2026 - Project Expo" on 2 September 2026 under the theme "Ideas Today, Impact Tomorrow." The expo provided students with a platform to showcase innovative projects in accounting, finance, and emerging technologies, promoting creativity, analytical thinking, teamwork, and entrepreneurial skills.



INDUSTRIAL VISIT

The Department of Biotechnology, in association with IQAC and IIC, organized an industrial visit to Synthia Research Labs Pvt. Ltd., Villianur, Puducherry, on 18 September 2026. Students gained practical insights into biotechnological processes, laboratory techniques, research activities, and industrial applications, enhancing their understanding of industry practices and career opportunities.



ICT SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME



The Department of Computer Science with Data Science organized an ICT Skill Development Programme titled "Transforming Data into Decisions with AI & Analytics," highlighting the role of AI and data analytics in decision-making. The programme strengthened students' analytical thinking, critical reasoning, and problem-solving skills while introducing emerging career opportunities in AI and data analytics.

TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

The Event Management Committee, in association with IQAC and IIC, organized a Teachers' Day Celebration on 3 September 2026 at St. Eugene Hall. The event honoured faculty members for their dedication and valuable contributions to education, celebrating their vital role in shaping students' academic and personal growth.



FIVE-DAY VIRTUAL FDP



The Department of Accounting & Finance, St. Joseph's College (Arts & Science), in association with IQAC and IIC, organized a five-day virtual Faculty Development Programme on "FinTech and the Future of Financial Services" from 15-19 September 2026. The programme covered AI in FinTech, financial inclusion, emerging markets, digital spending, and financial technology applications, enriching faculty members' knowledge of evolving financial trends.

DMI COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, CHENNAI

TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

DMI College of Education, Chennai, celebrated Teachers' Day on 3 September 2026 with great enthusiasm, honouring the legacy of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan. With the blessings of Very Rev. Fr. Dr. J. E. Arul Raj, Founder and Chairman of DFT Group of Institutions, the celebration recognized teachers' dedication and their vital role in shaping students' knowledge, character, and future.



B.ED. CLASS OPEN DAY



DMI College of Education organized the B.Ed. Class Open Day on 28 September 2026 with the participation of faculty members and student teachers. The programme featured Tamil Thai Vazhthu, prayer, flag hoisting, and an introduction highlighting discipline, patriotism, unity, and responsibility, marking a positive beginning to the students' academic activities.

TEACHING PRACTICE ORDER DISTRIBUTION

DMI College of Education, Palanchur, Chennai, distributed teaching practice orders to Second-Year B.Ed. Semester III students on 9 September 2026 for the 16-week School Internship Programme, under the guidance of Dr. D. A. Dency, Principal.



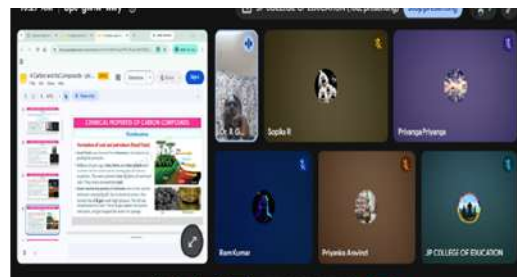
ADMISSION AWARENESS VISITS

DMI College of Education, Palanchur, Chennai, conducted admission awareness visits on 8, 10, 11, and 18 September 2026 to Poonamallee Higher Secondary School, Sri Sankara Global Cambridge International School, Pammal, Puduppai, and Tandalam. Faculty members interacted with school teachers and undergraduate students, explaining B.Ed. eligibility, admission procedures, career opportunities, and the importance of professional teacher education.

JP COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, TENKASI

ONLINE COMPETITIVE EXAM COACHING

The Assistant Professors of JP College of Education, Tenkasi, conducted online coaching classes for TNPSC, Bank Exams, and UGC NET from 1 to 5 September 2026, helping students strengthen their knowledge and prepare for competitive examinations.



BEST PAPER AWARD



Dr. A. Suresh John Kennedy, Principal, JP College of Education, received the Best Paper Award for his paper titled "Digital Transformation and Virtual Platforms of Education" at the International Online Conference on "Transformative Research Methodologies: Emerging Frontiers and Future Directions," held on 28-29 August 2026 at Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute, Chennai.

EVALUATION COORDINATORS - INVENTURA 2026

Mr. P. Abdul Razak, Dr. R. Gandhiji, and Mr. M. Alex Chinnadurai, Assistant Professors of JP College of Education, Ayikudi, served as evaluation coordinators for the INVENTURA 2026 programme held at JP College of Engineering and Arts & Science on 9 September 2026.

EVALUATION BOARD		
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RESOURCE PERSON - SEMINAR ON "KNOWLEDGE TO SKILLS: RETHINKING EDUCATION"



Dr. R. Gandhiji, IQAC Coordinator of JP College of Education, served as a Resource Person at the seminar titled "Knowledge to Skills: Rethinking Education," organized by the Department of Computer Science, JP College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), on 11 September 2026.

WEBINAR

Dr. A. Suresh John Kennedy, Principal of JP College of Education, participated in a webinar organized by the Department of Psychology, The American College, Madurai, on 3 and 4 September 2026.



JURY MEMBERURY MEMBER - INNOVEST (BUSINESS PLAN)



Mr. P. Abdul Razak, Assistant Professor of JP College of Education, served as a jury member for Innovest (Business Plan), organized by the BBA Department of JP College of Arts and Science on 16 September 2026.

ANGEL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, RAJAPALAYAM

FRESHERS' DAY 2026

Angel College of Education, Rajapalayam, celebrated Freshers' Day on 9 September 2026 with great enthusiasm. Rev. Sr. Antoniamma, DMI, Southern Provincial, graced the occasion as Chief Guest, and Dr. T. Marimuthu, Assistant Professor, Government Arts and Science College, Srivilliputhur, attended as Guest of Honour. The event warmly welcomed the new student teachers and inspired them to begin their academic journey with hope and confidence.



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

Angel College of Education celebrated Teachers' Day on 3 September 2026 with enthusiasm. Student teachers organized fun games and activities for faculty members and presented gifts to the Assistant Professors as a token of appreciation. The celebration concluded successfully with active participation from all.



PH.D. AWARD

Dr. Muppudathi E., Assistant Professor, has been awarded a Ph.D. in Commerce by Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli, in accordance with UGC Regulations, 2016. This achievement marks a significant milestone in her academic journey and reflects her dedication to higher education.

BEST ASSISTANT PROFESSOR AWARD 2026

Ms. Mimah Mercy S., Assistant Professor of English at Angel College of Education, Rajapalayam, received the "Best Assistant Professor Award – 2026" from the Aurora Pathlight Foundation on 5 September 2026. The award recognizes her dedication to teaching, valuable contribution to education, and positive influence on students.



100% PASS RESULT

Angel College of Education achieved a 100% pass result in the II and IV Semester University Examinations, reflecting the dedicated efforts of faculty members and the hard work of student teachers.

JUDGES - INTRA-SCHOOL SCIENCE EXHIBITION

Dr. S. Thatheus Victorraj and Mr. A. Samy Malaiyandi, Assistant Professors, served as judges for the Intra-School Science Exhibition at St. Joseph School (CBSE) on 25 September 2026, evaluating students' innovative projects and experiments.





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