Report on

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Department of Computer Science & Engineering

on

"Emerging Trends & Research Opportunities in Computer Science"

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Report Submitted by:

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Coordinators: Dr D J Ashpin Pabi Assistant Professor/CSE

Dr V Arun Professor/CSE

Total no. of Participants: 72

Mode of Delivery: Online Mode through Microsoft Teams

The Programme started at 10 AM with a welcome address by Dr R Kalpana, Professor & HoD, Department of Computer Science & Engineering, MITS. The presidential address was delivered by Dr C Yuvaraj Professor & Principal, MITS. Dr P Ramanathan, Vice Principal Academics, MITS & Dr Goutam Chakraborty Distinguished Professor & Dean/CSE, MITS were addressed the gathering. Then Chief Guest of the day Dr B Surendiren Associate Professor/CSE, NIT Puducherry was introduced by Dr D J Ashpin pabi. In welcome address, HoD mam highlighted FDP participants from various states of nation as well from foreign countries also. Then the session took over by the chief guest for the session.

Day 1: 31.10.22 (Monday)

Resource Person: Dr B Surendiren Associate Professor/CSE, NIT Puducherry

Topic :AI in Healthcare & Tools for Research

The resource person started the session by extended his thanks to Management, Principal, HoD, Organizers. He started explaining about the role of Artificial Intelligence in Health care domain and how its giving impact in securing human health in better way. And also, he discussed about the research challenges available in the field in detail. Followed by this session he also discussed about the various research tools that are useful for research especially article writing tool MANDLEY. He cleared shown demo of how to use this tool for research purpose to the participants. The session ended with Q&A session with participants.



Day 2: 01.11.22 (Tuesday)

Session 1:

Resource Person: Prof. Basabi Chakraborty, Professor and Dean / CST, MITS

Topic : Fusion of Machine Learning & Quantum Computing for Feature

Subset Selection

Day2 first session was handled by Prof Basabi Chakraborty. Dr R Nidhya introduced her to the participants and session was continued by the Resource Person. She explained about how to fuse the Machine Learning concept and Quantum Computing for better feature selection process. She started explaining the mathematical models involved in this process very clearly with some demo. Finally, the session was concluded with effective Q&A session with the participants.

Feature Subset Selection

- Selection of subset of relevant features
- All features are not important
- Irrelevant and Redundant features
- Discriminatory features

Why Feature Selection:

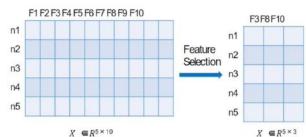
More features need more samples for successful training

Reduce overfitting and training time

Improve performance of the system

Two important tasks:

-) Evaluation of features
-) Find optimum feature subset





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Session 2:

Resource Person: Dr Goutam Chakraborty Distinguished Professor and Dean, MITs

Topic : Different facets of Object Detection

Day2 second session was handled by Prof Goutam Chakraborty. Dr R Nidhya introduced him to the participants and session was continued by the Resource Person. He started explaining what object detection is and what are the different methods of detecting object. He also explained the object detection facets to the participants along with its mathematical modelling and demo. He also listed all the possible research opportunities available in the same area. Finally, the session was concluded with effective Q&A session with the participants.

A SHORT HISTORY OF IMAGE ANALYSIS AND PRESENT STATUS

- Optical Printed Character Recognition (Solved)
- Handwritten Character Recognition (Solved)
- · Authentication Problems like
 - Fingerprint recognition (Solved)
 - Face recognition (Solved)
- Object Detection (Ongoing Research)
 - Identifying multiple objects and respective locations
 - Medical Image Analysis or CAD (Computer Aided Diagnosis) **
- Image Annotation (Ongoing Research)

Object Detection , image Annotation , CAD

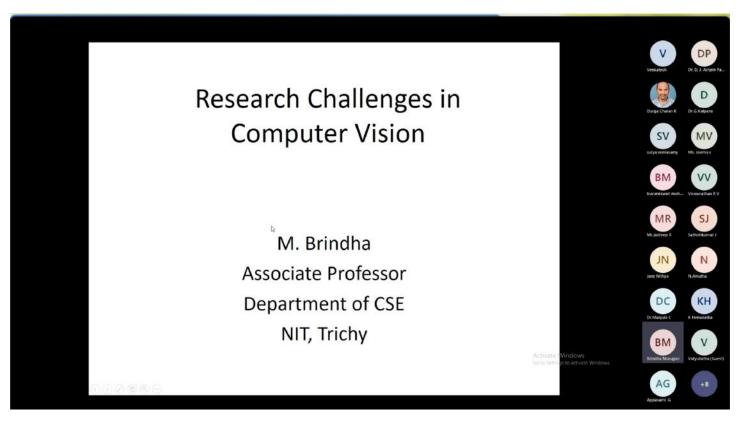


Day 3: 02.11.22 (Wednesday)

Resource Person: Dr M Brindha, Associate Professor/CSE, NIT Tiruchirappalli

Topic : Research Challenges in Computer Vision

Day3 session was handled by Dr M Brindha. Dr D J Ashpin Pabi introduced her to the participants and session was continued by the Resource Person. She started the session by explaining what computer vision is and how its grooming in current scenario and what are all the methods and techniques available in that field to do research. She conducted a small interactive quiz in between her session for active participation of faculty members. She did one demo for computer vision-based project for better understanding. Finally the session concluded with effective Q&A session with the participants.



Day 4: 03.11.22 (Thursday)

Resource Person: Ms. Manjusha Radhakrishnan ,Data Scientist, Social Wellbeing

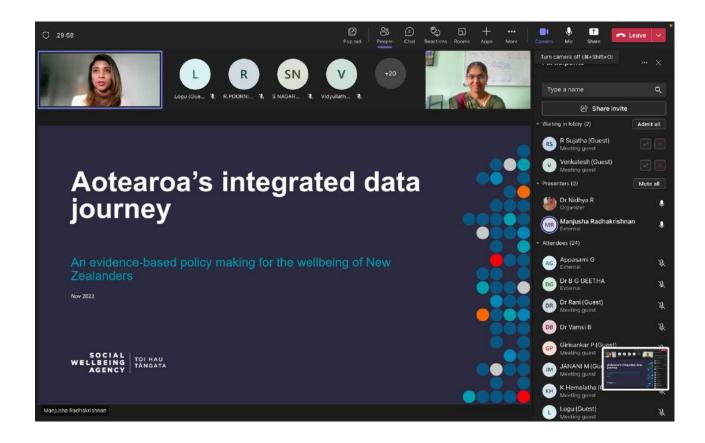
Agency, Wellington, New Zealand

Topic : Aotearoa's Integrated Data Journey - An Evidence Based Policy

Making for New Zealander's Wellbeing

Day4 session was handled by Ms. Manjusha R. Dr R Nidhya introduced her to the participants and session was continued by the Resource Person. She started the session by explaining how she became a data scientist in New Zealand. And she started explaining the problems that New Zealand government facing currently and she also given overview of what are the possible solutions they are proposing to the government. She has

discussed three major case study in her session. One is how to predict premature baby delivery using ML. Second one is predicting the water scarcity of New Zealand during upcoming summer season and last one is about Family harassment. Finally, the session concluded with effective Q&A session with the participants.

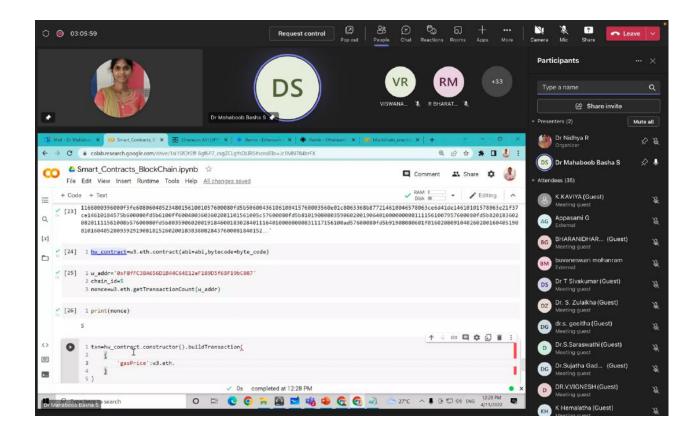


Day 5: 04.11.22 (Friday)

Resource Person: Dr Mahaboob Basha Shaik, Professor/CSE, MITS

Topic : Smart Contract Creation in Blockchain Using Python

Day5 session was handled by Ms. Manjusha R. Dr R Nidhya introduced him to the participants and session was continued by the Resource Person. He started the session by introducing what is block chain and how much it gives impact in today's digital world. He discussed in detail about the features of smart contract and he shown demo of how to create a smart contract in block chain using some dummy currency which is available for free of cost in online using Python. He also highlighted the importance of Python in smart contract creation. He clearly mentioned the possible research opportunities available in the same field. Finally, the session concluded with effective Q&A session with the participants.



Day 6: 05. 11.22 (Saturday)

Resource Person: Dr. Sivaraman Eswaran, Senior Lecturer, Computing (CyberSecurity)

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering,

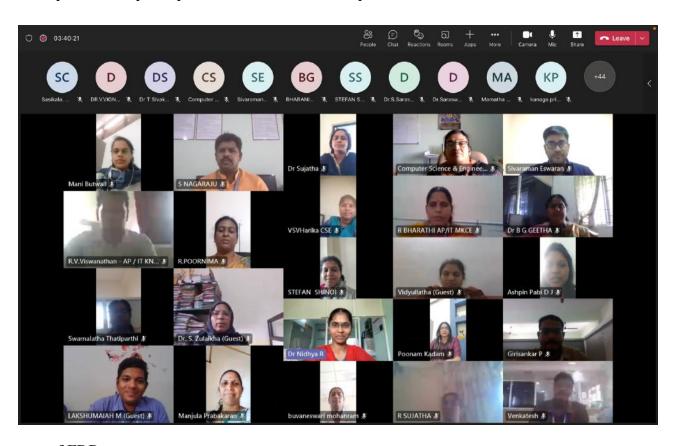
Curtin University, Malaysia

Topic : Cyber Threat Intelligence: Opportunities, Solutions and Research
Challenges



Day 6 session was handled by Dr Sivraman Eswaran. Dr R Nidhya introduced him to the participants and session was continued by the Resource Person. He started the session by what is cyber intelligence with one small video. He handled the session with theoretical and practical demo as well. He explained the different types of cyber threats in current world and how much it's important to concentrate on this field. He shown demo of how to create the secure environment to our system using online opensource tool. He clearly explains the possible research opportunities in the field and also, he invited the participants to do more collaborative research with Curtin University. Finally, the session concluded with effective Q&A session with the participants.

The valedictory talk was given by Dr R Kalpana HoD/CSE and Finally session was concluded by vote of thanks delivered by Dr R Nidhya, professor/CSE. She extended her thanks to Management, Principal, HoD, colleagues, all resource persons and participants for the successful completion of the event.



Summary of FDP:

Total number of Participants: 72 Foreign participants: 03

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•	Saudi	: 01
•	Taiwan	: 01

Indian Participants : 69

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•	Andhra Pradesh		: 15
•	Karnataka		: 09
•	Tamilnadu		: 36
•	Maharastra		: 01
•	Telangana		: 06
•	Utterpradesh		: 01
•	Rajasthan		: 01