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# DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING MONTHLY NEWS – JUNE 2024

### **ABOUT DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

The department offers UG program in B.E Mechanical engineering from the year 2005. The department started a PG program M.E Industrial Safety Engineering from this academic year 2018- 2019. This course has wide range of job opportunity in the Industrial and Academic sector of India as well as abroad. The Department aims at providing the students with a perfect blend of intellectual and practical experiences with the support state-of the-art laboratories and well-defined academic structure. The UG program is accredited by National Board of Accreditation (NBA). The special feature of the Department has established three applied laboratories, in addition to the regular labs to support students to master skills to make each one industry-ready, with a solid grounding in the principles and practice of Mechanical Engineering. We also have a strong academy for training students to appear for GATE exam.

### **VISION OF THE DEPARTMENT**

To produce competent Mechanical Engineers of excellent technical and managerial skills with profound morality for global, national and confront societal development.

#### **MISSION OF THE DEPARTMENT**

1. To provide quality education in Mechanical Engineering with an interdisciplinary approach, encouraging innovation, research, and Entrepreneurship through world-class infrastructure and proficient teachers.

2. To make the department self-reliant through multiple programs with excellent curricula, best practices, and industry exposure.

3. To inculcate technical, professional, and leadership skills, moral ethics, and lifelong learning.

## **Programme Educational Outcomes**

The Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering curriculum is designed to impart Knowledge, Skill, and Attitude to the graduates to

PEO 1: Have a successful professional career in Mechanical Engineering and allied industries, either by employment or through entrepreneurship.

PEO 2: Establish competency in Design, Thermal, Materials, and Manufacturing system with ethics and social responsibility.

PEO 3: Have a continual receptiveness for leadership and social challenges.

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### Message from the Head of the Department

## **Dear Colleagues**,

## **Greetings!**

I have great pleasure and pride in announcing that the Department of Mechanical Engineering is publishing the newsletter for the month of June 2024. We are steadfast in our progress as it involved various activities that enabled the hidden talents of the department students and faculty members to be brought to light. Besides the lockdown, our faculty members are continuously attending various training programs, publishing research papers, and book chapters, and are also working on getting patents.

This newsletter is the reflection of department activities that showcase all the events held in the department, the contributions of faculty members, and students, and the best practices adopted. I would like to congratulate all the members of the editorial board for their sincere effort to realize this venture.

**Dr. R. Samuel Hansen, M.E., Ph.D.** Professor & Head <u>samuel hansen@rediffmail.com</u>



## **ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT**



II M Jammu has informed that Yokesh Sundar Kumar A has been provisionally selected for the MBA 2024-26 program, which will begin in July 2024. To confirm the offer, the candidate is required to pay an Offer Acceptance Amount of INR 50,000 by 20th May 2024. This payment will be deducted from the first-term fees. If the candidate wishes to withdraw before 20th June 2024, they will be refunded the acceptance amount, minus a processing fee of INR 1,000. However, no refund will be given after this date. The admission remains provisional and is subject to the verification of documents and fulfillment of eligibility conditions. False or incorrect information will lead to immediate cancellation of the admission.



Renault Nissan Technology & Business Centre India Pvt. Ltd. (RNTBCI) has officially offered Mr. Abraham Jebamani Raj Thomas Gnanasigamani the position of Engineer, GBS at its Chennai location. The offer stipulates a joining date on or before 15th July 2024, with the position being withdrawn if not accepted by this deadline unless extended in writing. The position offers an annual gross salary of INR 500,000 (Five Lakh Rupees) along with coverage under the company's Group Insurance Scheme. The terms and conditions of employment are outlined in the accompanying annexures, which Mr. Gnanasigamani is advised to carefully review and accept.In addition, the company requires Mr. Gnanasigamani to provide self-attested documents as per Annexure 2 and ensures that he meets the necessary government requirements. A valid Aadhaar card or Aadhaar enrollment number with updated date of birth is mandatory for completing the joining formalities.

## **ACHIEVEMENT/ ACADEMIC**

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Registration Number	17182897380	
Degree / Category	: Ph.D. / Part-Time	
Faculty	: Mechanical Engineering	
Title of the Thesis	EVOLUTIONARY COMPUTATION TEC LAYOUT DESIGN APPROACH IN MAN INDUSTRIES	
Date and Time of Viva-Voce Examina	tion : 10.06.2024 & 10:35-am	
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The Ph.D. Public Viva-Voce Examination for Dr. Sheik Sulaiman S, a Ph.D. scholar in Mechanical Engineering at PSR Engineering College, Virudhunagar. His thesis, titled *"Evolutionary Computation Techniques for Green Layout Design Approach in Manufacturing Industries,"* will be examined during the public viva-voce on 10th June 2024 at 10:35 AM. The event will take place at the Seminar Hall, Department of Mechanical Engineering at PSR Engineering College. The public is invited to attend this important academic milestone.

## 11<sup>TH</sup> Broad of Meeting



The 11th Board of Study meeting is an important academic event where members of the academic committee and faculty gather to discuss key matters related to curriculum development, research advancements, and other educational policies. During such meetings, various aspects of academic programs are evaluated, including course content, teaching methodologies, faculty development, and student performance.

This meeting serves as a platform for reviewing the progress of ongoing projects, introducing new subjects, making modifications to existing courses, and ensuring that the academic programs align with the current trends and industry requirements. It typically involves presentations from different departments, discussions on feedback from students and faculty, and decisions on the future direction of the academic programs.

## **INTERNSHIP/ PLACEMENT**

#### Placement



Bosch Limited Offers Graduate Apprenticeship Training to Abu backer Ashik *Gangaikondan,India – 16th May* 2024Bosch Limited has extended an offer to Abu backer Ashik for an Apprenticeship Training as a Graduate Apprentice under the Apprentices Act 1961. The training is scheduled to commence on 17th July 2024 and will run for a fixed duration of one year, ending on 16th July 2025. This offer is provisional and contingent on Abu backer Ashik being declared medically fit by the company's Medical Officer. The stipend for the training period is as follows Consolidated Stipend: INR 449,342 per annum Group Personal Accident Insurance: INR 658 (paid directly by the company)The total stipend for the apprenticeship training is INR 450,000. Apart from the stipend, no additional allowances, perks, or benefits are provided. Bosch Limited is excited to welcome Abu backer Ashik to the apprenticeship program and wishes him success during the training period.

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### Internship

We are excited to announce that 9 final-year students from the Mechanical Engineering department have been selected by Berht Robotics. This remarkable achievement reflects their dedication and technical expertise in the field of robotics and automation. Congratulations to the students for securing these promising opportunities, and best of luck in their future endeavors.

## **APPLIED LAB**

### **ELECTRIC SCOOTER**



The invention, developed by students from the Applied Research and Development Lab at Francis Xavier Engineering College's Department of Mechanical Engineering, includes Nitish Kumar, Palakumaran, Balasurya, Mohammed Abdul Raheem, Venkatesh, and Krupa Selvakumar. This innovative electric scooter is designed to be smooth, quiet, and usable in all environments, making it ideal for quiet, pollution-free

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transportation. Additionally, the scooter features a reverse switch that, when activated, makes the front wheel automatically rotate backward, enabling reverse movement. This three-wheeled electric standing scooter offers a unique combination of simplicity, maneuverability, and stability. Compared to regular two-wheeled scooters, the third wheel provides added stability, making it easier to balance. This makes it particularly beneficial for people with no riding experience or those facing balance issues. The three-wheeled scooter has been designed for easy handling, making it perfect for tight or crowded spaces. It can be used in shopping malls, parks, transportation hubs, farmer's markets, university campuses, closed parking garages, and security guard stations, among other locations. The scooter is equipped with a 10-inch, 350-watt hub motor, capable of carrying up to 150 kg. It can travel at an average speed of 35 km/h, covering a distance of up to 50 kilometers. The custom-designed lithium ferro phosphate 48-volt, 18-kg battery offers high efficiency, long-lasting power, and fast charging capabilities. Compared to other available vehicles, this electric scooter is simpler, easier to maintain, and more affordable, priced below ₹60,000, including additional parts. This vehicle provides urban dwellers with the opportunity to take responsibility for their own transportation needs. It reduces the environmental impact of travel and promotes faster mobility. The project's encouragement and support came from General Managers Jayakumar and Krishnakumar, Principal Velmurugan, Applied Lab In-charge Lakshmi Narayanan, Assistant Professor Sulaiman from the Department of Mechanical Engineering, as well as Skat Educational Group founder Kittaspabu and Coordinator Darshini Arunbabu.