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Cherishing Alumni Relationship and Engagement

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Career Development Workshop by Alumni Association

Career Development Programme from **Mechanical Department**

Programme 1:

Alumni Interaction with second, third and final year Mechanical students

Mr. Maalolan Balaji, an alumnus from the **2024 batch**, interacted with the second, third and final-year Mechanical Engineering students on **October 2, 2026**.

He is currently employed at **Tata Motors, Rudrapur, Uttarakhand**. The session was organized online, and he shared his work experiences and provided valuable input for the student's higher studies and placement preparation. He also highlighted the importance of research internships and projects at Tata motors.

LinkedIn ID: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/maalolanb/>



Mr. Maalolan Balaji
Mechanical Engineer,
Senior Manager @
Tata Motors

Photos of the Interactive Session





Programme 2:

Alumni Interaction with second, third and final year Mechanical students

Mr. Akhil C. Kuriakose, an alumnus from the 2020 batch, interacted with the second, third and final-year Mechanical Engineering students on **September 26, 2026**. He is currently employed at Caterpillar Inc. Chennai. He has progressed from Analyst - Integrated Components and Solutions to Simulation Engineer.

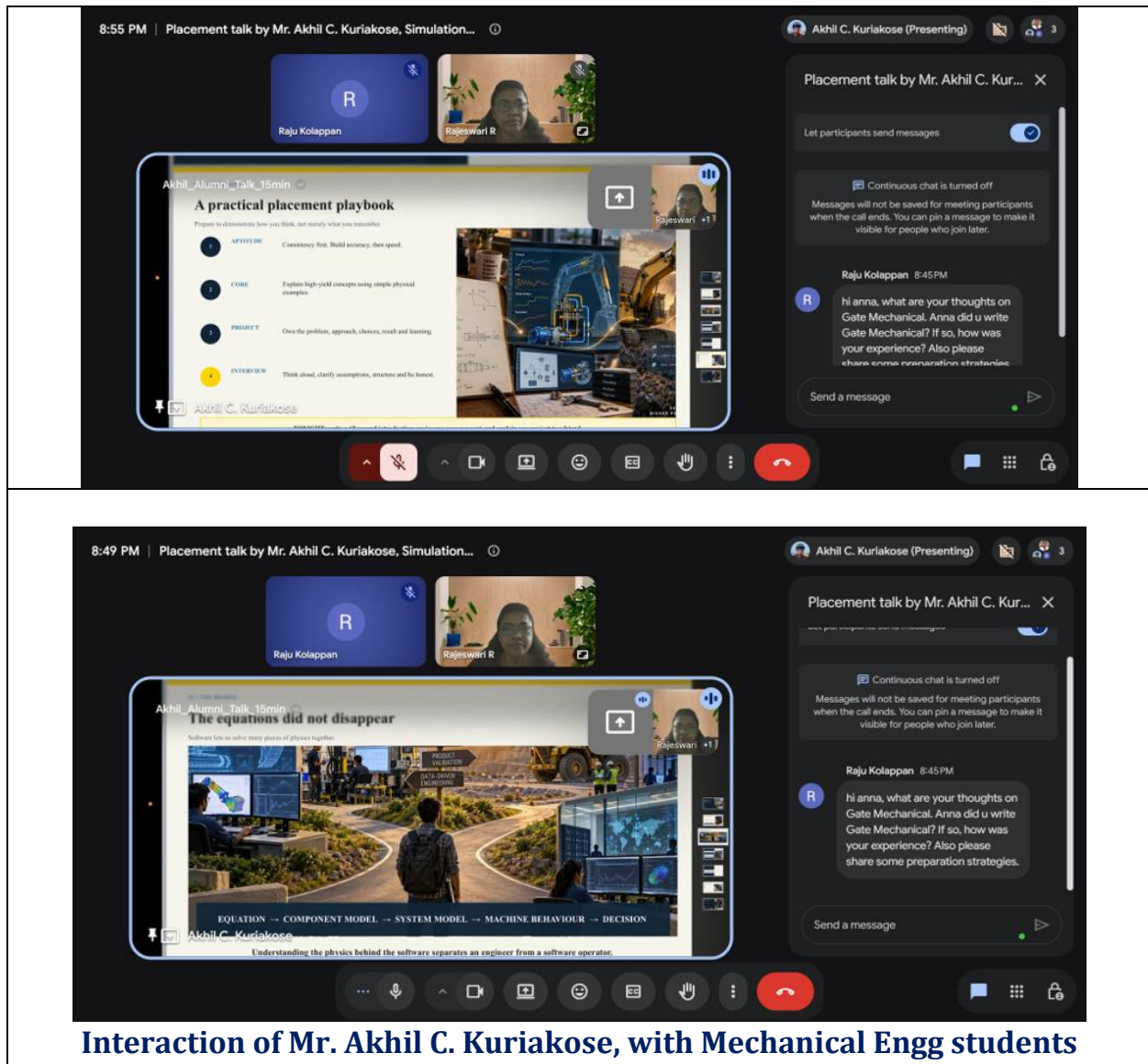
This session was also organized online, and he shared his work experiences and provided valuable inputs for the student's placement preparation.

LinkedIn ID: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/akhil-c-kuriakose-937889145/>



Mr. Akhil C. Kuriakose
System
Design/Simulation
Engineer
Caterpillar Inc. | Product
Development,
Simulation

Photos of the Interactive Session



Interaction of Mr. Akhil C. Kuriakose, with Mechanical Engg students

Career Development Programme from ECE Department

Mr. R. Sriram, an alumnus of the **B.E. ECE (Batch 2018-2022)** and a postgraduate from the **Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru**, who secured **All India Rank 2** in **GATE**, visited the **ECE Department** on **September 23, 2026**. He interacted with ECE students and delivered a career guidance talk, sharing valuable insights into higher education and career opportunities.



Alumni Interaction and Career Guidance Talk by Mr. R. Sriram – ECE Department

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Events conducted by Alumni

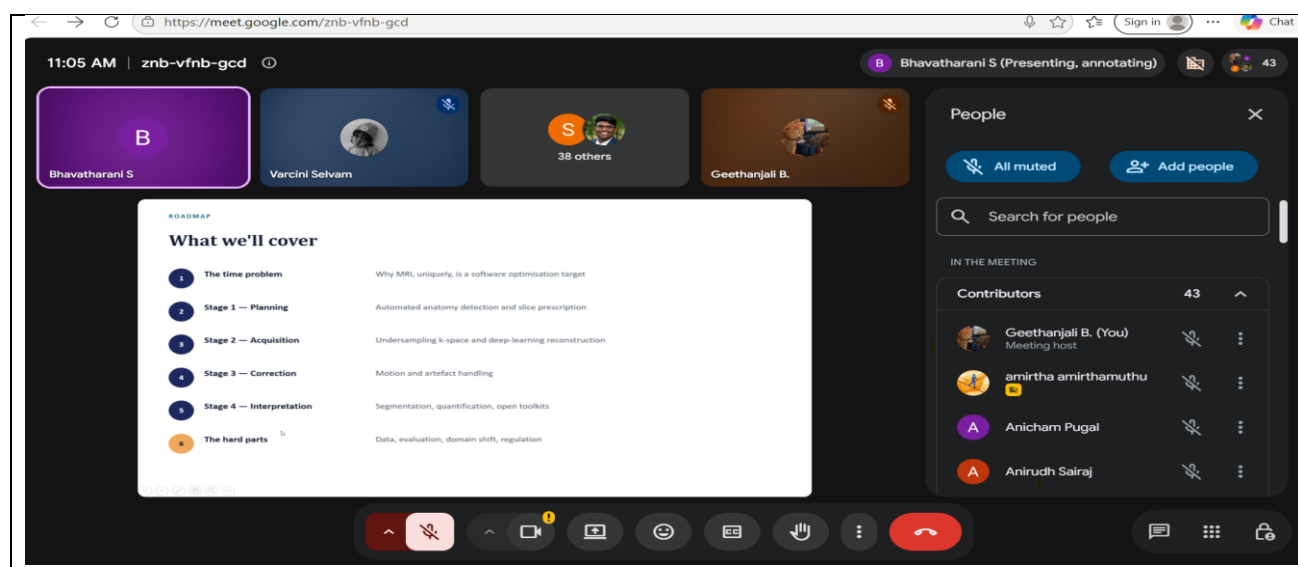
Event 1: Alumni-led Guest Lecture on AI in MRI and Advancements in Medical Imaging – Department of BME

The Department of Biomedical Engineering, SSN College of Engineering, was delighted to welcome back **Ms. Bhavatharani Sundararajan**, a BME alumna of the 2017 batch and currently a Senior Software Engineer at GE HealthCare, for an insightful online guest lecture titled “Faster, Sharper, Repeatable – AI in MRI: From Patient Setup to the Image on the Radiologist’s Screen” on September 12, 2026. The session was organized by **Dr. B. Geethanjali**, Associate Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering

The lecture highlighted how artificial intelligence (AI) is transforming MRI workflows, from patient positioning and scan planning to k-space acquisition, AI-based reconstruction, image enhancement, and diagnostic image presentation. Through practical demonstrations and insights from GE HealthCare, **Ms. Bhavatharani** illustrated the real-world applications of Biomedical Engineering, MRI, AI, Deep Learning, and Medical Image Processing in modern healthcare. She also shared insights from her professional journey, inspiring students to embrace continuous learning and explore career opportunities at the intersection of biomedical engineering, AI, and software development.

The session provided an inspiring example of an SSN BME alumna’s professional journey, demonstrating how biomedical engineering expertise can lead to impactful careers in advanced medical technology. It also strengthened the bond between the department and its alumni while encouraging students to explore emerging opportunities in AI-driven medical imaging.

Selected Lecture Snapshots



Poster for the Guest Lecture

**SRI SIVASUBRAMANIYA NADAR
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING**
Department of Biomedical Engineering

Guest Lecture on

**Faster, Sharper, Repeatable -
AI in MRI**

from patient setup to the image on
the radiologist's screen

**Speaker**
Bhavatharani Sundararajan
Senior Software Engineer
GE HealthCare

GE HealthCare

MRI Reconstruction | Artificial Intelligence | Medical Imaging

SESSION OVERVIEW
Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) is undergoing a transformation with Artificial Intelligence – enabling faster scans, sharper images, and consistent diagnostic workflows.
This session will explore how AI is integrated throughout the MRI journey:

PATIENT
SETUP → DATA
ACQUISITION → IMAGE
RECONSTRUCTION → RADIOLOGIST
REVIEW

KEY TOPICS

- AI in MRI Workflow Optimization**
 - Automated patient positioning and scan preparation
 - Intelligent protocol selection
 - Improving workflow consistency
- AI-Based MRI Reconstruction**
 - Understanding MRI raw data and k-space
 - Deep learning-based reconstruction
 - Noise reduction and image enhancement
 - Faster acquisition with maintained quality
- From Scanner to Clinical Decision**
 - Image processing pipelines
 - Improving radiologist confidence
 - Future trends in AI-powered medical imaging

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Understand the complete MRI imaging pipeline
- Learn how AI accelerates MRI acquisition and reconstruction
- Explore the role of deep learning in replacing radiologists' image enhancement
- Understand challenges and opportunities in AI-driven radiology

AI-POWERED MRI PIPELINE
RAW K-SPACE DATA → AI RECONSTRUCTION → IMAGE ENHANCEMENT → DIAGNOSTIC IMAGE

DATE
SEPTEMBER 12, 2026

TIME
11:00 AM

VENUE
Department of Biomedical Engineering
Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College
of Engineering

**Convener**
Dr. A. Kavitha
Professor & HoD, BME

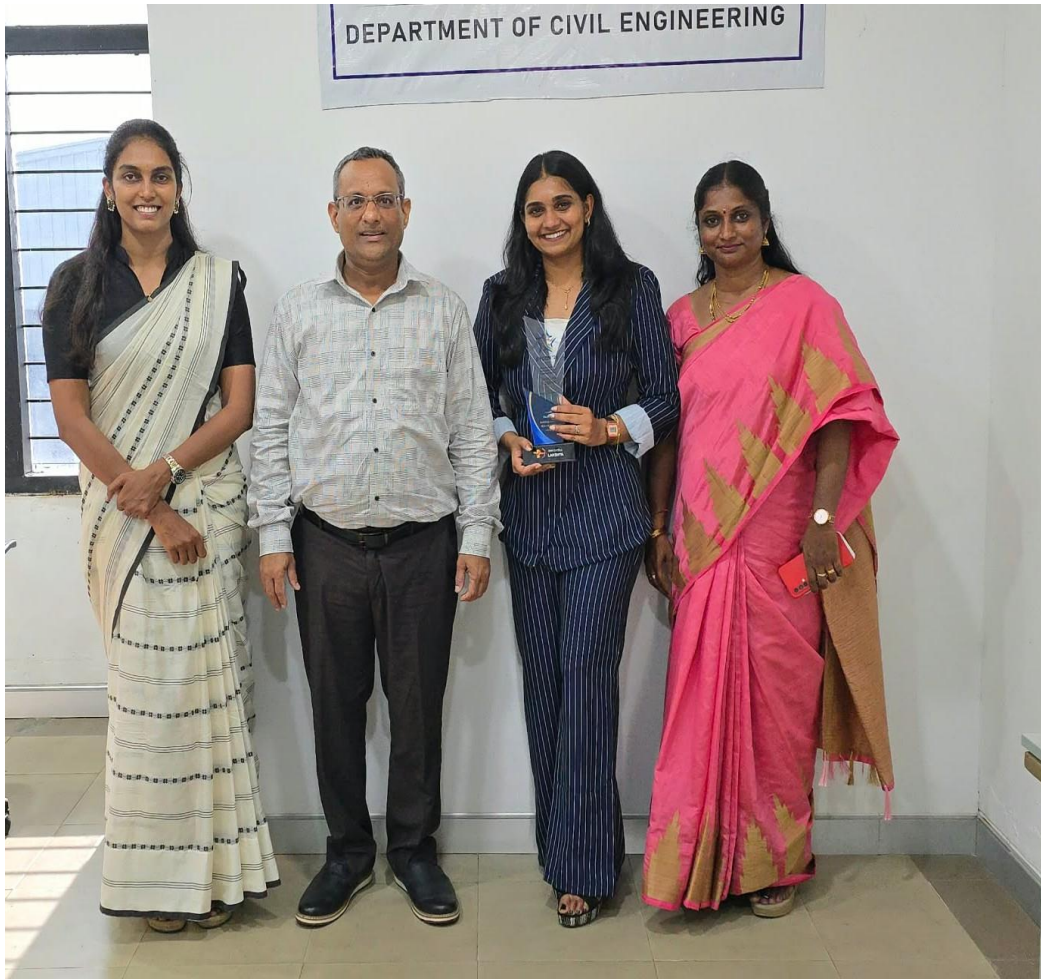
**Coordinator**
Dr. B. Geethanjali
Associate Professor, BME

Event 2: Alumni Interaction on Social Welfare and Community Development – Department of Civil

On September 2, 2026, Ms. Shalini Robert (Batch 2019–2023) visited the Department of Civil Engineering and interacted with the Head of the Department, Dr. N. Sivakumar.

She was invited as a guest speaker at *Lakshya*, where she delivered a keynote address to SSN students, sharing her experiences and insights as a social welfare activist. Following the event, she visited the department and interacted with Dr. Sivakumar, reflecting on her journey in social service and the values that inspired her to help others selflessly.

Ms. Shalini highlighted that the **spirit of giving back to society** had been instilled in her from an early stage and **acknowledged SSN's significant role in nurturing and strengthening this commitment**. Fondly reminiscing about her college days at SSN, she encouraged the current students to actively engage in **social welfare initiatives** through non-profit organisations and the **National Service Scheme (NSS)**.



From SSN to Social Impact: Celebrating Alumni Excellence in Community Service – Ms. Shalini Robert

The **Department of Civil Engineering** extends its best wishes to **Ms. Shalini Robert** for her continued success in her endeavours and looks forward to welcoming her back to SSN.

Event 3: Alumni Participation as Jury Panel Members for the Internal Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2026 – Department of CSE

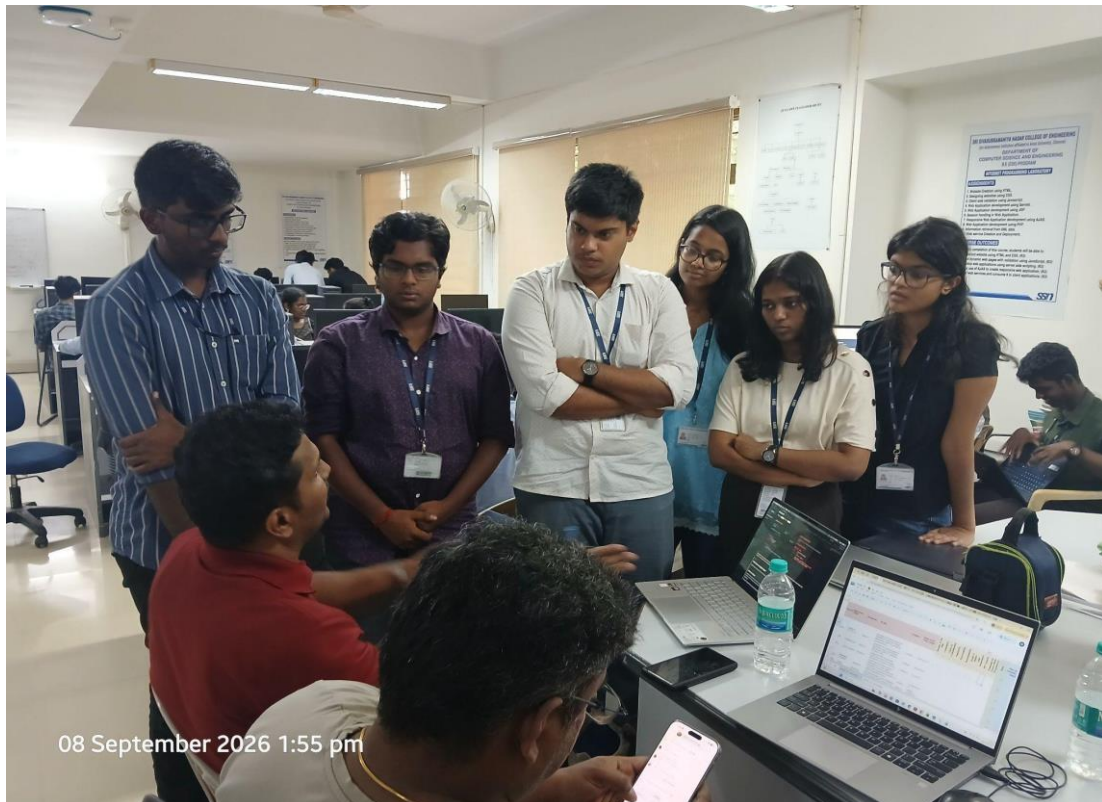
The **Internal Hackathon** for **Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2026**, held at Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College of Engineering (SSNCE) on **September 8, 2026**, was a highly successful event that showcased the innovative capabilities of the students. The event aimed to identify the **top 50 teams** to represent the college at **SIH 2026, India's largest innovation initiative**, scheduled for **December 2026**.

The hackathon was conducted from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., during which participating teams were evaluated in two rounds by internal academic jury members and external industry experts. With **130 teams comprising more than 750 students** participating, the event encouraged interdisciplinary collaboration, creativity, and problem-solving through challenging SIH problem statements.

The teams presented their proposed solutions, which were evaluated based on novelty, complexity, clarity and completeness, feasibility, practicality, impact, user experience, sustainability, presentation quality, and potential for future development. The projects were assessed by 13 jury panels comprising 26 judges representing diverse academic disciplines and industries.

The following **alumni** from the **Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE)**, SSNCE, were invited to serve as jury panel members for the event.

Alumni Name	Designation	Organization
Mr. Parthiban A	Product Manager	Unilever
Mr. Pradeep Kumar Tamilmani	MD	Strategy Fox
Mr. Madanish Kanna	Chief Strategy Officer	Fipchain
Mr. Rohith V	Co-founder and CTO	Marxen, DreamPi



Innovators in Action: CSE Alumni Evaluating Future-Ready Solutions at SIH 2026



Bridging Experience and Innovation: CSE Alumni Shaping Tomorrow's Innovators at SIH 2026

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Alumni Visits and Interactions

Alumni Visits/Interactions during September 2026

Department	Number of Alumni Visited*
Electrical and Electronics Engineering	1
Electronics and Communication Engineering	2
Computer Science Engineering	4
Information Technology	12
Civil Engineering	1
Mechanical Engineering	3
Chemical Engineering	5
Biomedical Engineering	4
MBA	0
Total	32

*As per the details provided by the **Department Faculty Alumni Coordinators**

Alumni Visits and Interactions from the **ECE Department**

Mr. Aadhish, an alumnus of the **B.E. ECE (Batch 2019–2023)**, visited the department and interacted with faculty members on **September 26, 2026**.



Celebrating Alumni Connections: Mr. Aadhish's Visit to the ECE Department

Alumni Visits and Interactions from the **BME Department**



Mr. Ruban V, an alumnus of the **B.E. Biomedical Engineering Batch of 2024**, visited the **BME Department** on **September 21, 2026**, and interacted with the faculty members.

Mr. Sarvesh R., an alumnus of the **B.E. Biomedical Engineering Batch of 2026**, visited the **BME Department** on **September 26, 2026**, and interacted with the faculty members.





Ms. Aruna D, an alumna of the **M.E. Medical Electronics Batch of 2026**, visited the **BME Department** on **September 26, 2026**, and interacted with the faculty members.

Alumni Visits and Interactions from the CSE Department

1. **Mr. Parthiban A**, an alumnus of the **CSE UG Batch (2019–2023)** and Product Manager at Unilever, Chennai, visited the department and interacted with the faculty members. He also served as a jury panel member for the Internal Smart India Hackathon (SIH) held on **September 8, 2026**.
2. **Mr. Pradeep Kumar Tamilmani**, an alumnus of the **CSE UG Batch (2006–2010)** and Managing Director of Strategy Fox, Chennai, visited the department and interacted with the faculty members. He also served as a jury panel member for the Internal Smart India Hackathon (SIH) held on **September 8, 2026**.
3. **Mr. Madanish Kanna**, an alumnus of the **ECE UG Batch (2005–2009)** Chief Strategy Officer at Fipchain, Chennai, visited the Department and interacted with the faculty members. He also served as a Jury Panel Member for the Internal Smart India Hackathon (SIH) held on **September 8, 2026**.
4. **Mr. Rohith V**, an alumnus of the **CSE UG Batch (2006–2010)** and Co-founder and Chief Technology Officer of Strategy Fox, Marxen, and DreamPi, Chennai, visited the department on August 26, 2026, and interacted with the faculty members. He also served as a Jury Panel Member for the Internal Smart India Hackathon (SIH) held on **September 8, 2026**.

Alumni Visits and Interactions from the **IT Department**



Ms. Navya S G M, an alumna of **B.Tech., IT (Batch 2022-2026)** and a **Software Engineer** at **NatWest**, visited the **Department of IT** on **September 15, 2026**. During her visit, she met with the Head of the Department and faculty members and shared insights from her professional journey in the industry. The interaction provided an opportunity to renew her connection with the department and strengthen alumni engagement, fostering a lasting relationship between the alumna and the institution.

Mr. Nithish Kumar S, an alumnus of the **B.Tech., IT (Batch 2022-2026)**, and a **Software Engineer** at **Verizon**, visited the **Department of IT** on **September 26, 2026**. During his visit, he interacted with the Head of the Department, faculty members, and staff, and shared his professional experiences in the industry. The visit provided an opportunity to reconnect with the department, strengthen his association with the institution, and foster continued engagement between the alumnus and the department.



Mr. Raghul Vishnu D, Senior Software Engineer at Appian and alumnus of the 2014–2018 batch; **Mr. Mohammed Wasim A**, Senior Programmer at WNS Vuram and alumnus of the 2014–2018 batch; and **Mr. Sujay R**, Senior Analyst at NatWest and alumnus of the 2021–2025 batch, served as jury members and industry experts during the Internal Hackathon - Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2026 held in the Department of IT on September 8, 2026. They evaluated the participating teams' innovative solutions, drawing on their industry expertise and professional experience. Their participation provided valuable industry perspectives, encouraged students to refine their ideas, and strengthened the connection between academia and industry.



Industry Expertise Meets Innovation: SSN IT Alumni as Jury Members at the Internal Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2026

On **September 26, 2026**, **Mr. Lokesh S** (Comcast), **Ms. Bhargavi J** (FSS), **Ms. Kavyasri V J** (Dexian), **Mr. Kathir Kaman A** (Barclays), **Mr. Nithish Kumar S** (Verizon), **Ms. Kaavviya V R A** (Mphasis), and **Ms. Muthulakshmi M** (HCL), alumni of **B.Tech., IT (Batch 2022-2026)**, **software engineers** from leading industries, visited the **Department of IT** and participated in **Invente '26**, the flagship annual national-level technical festival jointly hosted by SSN College of Engineering and Shiv Nadar University Chennai. During the event, they interacted with the current **AIT** office bearers and team heads, shared their experiences, and motivated them to strengthen their leadership, teamwork, and event-organising skills.



Inspiring the Next Generation: IT Alumni Engage with AIT Office Bearers and Team Heads during Invente'26

Alumni Visits and Interactions from the **Chemical Department**



Mrs. R. Supraja (UG Batch 2008-2012), currently serving as **Associate Director – Strategy & Consulting** at **Accenture**, visited SSN College of Engineering on **September 24, 2026**, and interacted with the **Principal, Head of the Department**, and **faculty members** of Civil Department.

Mr. Jeyanth (Graduate Engineer Trainee at **Emerson**), **Mr. Ajay** (Graduate Engineer Trainee at **Technip Energies**), **Mr. Pranesh** (Graduate Engineer Trainee at **JGC**), and **Mr. Bharath**, all alumni of the **B.E. Chemical Engineering** (**Batch 2022–2026**), visited the **Department of Chemical Engineering** on **September 26, 2026**. They interacted with the **Head of the Department** and **faculty members**, sharing their professional experiences and valuable insights into their respective industries.



Alumni Visits and Interactions from the **Mechanical Department**

The following alumni (**Mr. Rohan, 2026 passed out**) visited the **Department of Mechanical Engineering** and interacted with the faculty members during **September 2026**.



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Alumni Achievements

SSN Pride – IT Graduate Receives Star Award at Prodapt



Heartiest congratulations to **Ms. Priyamvadha (B.Tech. IT, 2021–2025 Batch)**, currently working as a **Software Engineer** at **Prodapt**, on receiving the **Star Award of the Month for September 2026**.

This recognition highlights her exceptional ownership, dedication, and problem-solving skills, demonstrated through her valuable contributions to the **Synapt Agent Craft project**, including MCP-related enhancements and other critical improvements.



SSN is proud of her achievement and wishes her continued success in her professional journey. **Congratulations, Priyamvadha!**

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Alumni Recognitions

SSN EEE Alumnus Pradeep Kumar Rajarathinam Supports INVENTE'26 as Co-Sponsor



Mr. Pradeep Kumar Rajarathinam (Prady), an alumnus of the **Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (EEE)**, **SSN College of Engineering (2009 Batch)**, is an accomplished **entrepreneur**, **business builder**, **investor**, and mentor with over **18** years of experience in building businesses and creating opportunities. He is the **Founder** and **CEO** of **Stan Ventures**, a global digital services organisation with over **300 professionals** and **150 agency partners** worldwide.

Throughout his entrepreneurial journey, Prady has built and led **ventures across diverse sectors**, including digital marketing, education, electric mobility, manufacturing, and clean energy. He was also part of the founding leadership team of **NP Digital India**, where he played a key role in establishing and expanding

the company's India operations, contributing to its growth to **₹63 crore** in annual recurring revenue (ARR) with a team of over **200 professionals**. His professional journey has contributed to creating and supporting more than **1,000 careers**.

Maintaining a strong connection with his alma mater, Prady has contributed **₹1,50,000 towards AEEE 2026**, supporting the activities of the **Association of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (AEEE)**, the student association of the EEE Department. In recognition of his generous contribution, he has been accorded **Co-Sponsor status for INVENTE'26**, **SSN's flagship technical event**.

SSN College of Engineering appreciates **Mr. Pradeep Kumar Rajarathinam** for his valuable contribution to student initiatives and his continued commitment to giving back to his alma mater. His journey from an EEE student at SSN to a global entrepreneur and mentor exemplifies the spirit of entrepreneurship, leadership, and community engagement. SSN wishes him continued success in his professional endeavours.

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Alumni Relations Office News

SSN Patrons and Executive Board Members of the SSN Alumni Association Review Key Initiatives and Future Priorities

Strengthening Engagement and Charting the Way Forward

The **SSN Alumni Association** convened a meeting of its **Patrons, Executive Board Members, and Office Bearers** to deliberate on ongoing initiatives and future priorities, with a focus on fostering a more connected and active alumni network.

The discussions provided a platform to assess the **Association's progress, review operational priorities, and explore opportunities to broaden alumni participation.** The meeting also focused on strengthening organisational processes and shaping initiatives that build lasting connections among alumni while contributing to the continued growth and development of the institution.

Dignitaries Present:

In Person:

Patrons

- Dr. Radha S, Principal, SSN College of Engineering
- Dr. Sunita Nair, Advisor - Student Affairs, SSN Trust
- Mr. Ananda V. Raman N, Head - Alumni Relations, SSN Trust

Executive Board Members, SSN Alumni Association

- Mr. Varun V Krishnan

SSN Alumni Association Office Bearers

- Ms. Ramya N, Joint Managing Director
- Dr. Sujaudeen N, Associate Director - Faculty & Students

Online:

Executive Board Members, SSN Alumni Association

- Mr. Naren Sundram
- Mr. Ravi Shan

SSN Alumni Association Office Bearers

- Mr. Stalin M, Director - Strategy & Planning
- Ms. Varsha K, Associate Director - Events

- Mr. Vetri, Associate Director - UK

Key focus areas to guide the Association's activities in the months ahead

- Annual calendar of events aligned with the Institution's priorities
- Strengthening the Alumni Scholarship Drive
- Coordinating initiatives for UK Tribute 2026
- Advancing preparations and operational planning for Tribute 2027

These deliberations reaffirmed the shared commitment of the SSN Alumni Association's leadership to nurturing a **strong, engaged** and **supportive alumni community**. Through structured initiatives, meaningful participation and stronger connections across geographies, the Association aims to deepen alumni involvement and encourage greater contributions towards the Institution's continued growth and development.

Contribute to the SSN Alumni Scholarship Scheme

The **SSN Alumni Scholarship Scheme** is an initiative that provides deserving students with the financial support they need to pursue their education and achieve their aspirations.

We invite our alumni community to come together and contribute towards this meaningful initiative. Every contribution can make a difference in supporting deserving students and empowering them to build a brighter future.

Join us in making a difference. Contribute to the **SSN Alumni Scholarship Scheme** today.

Click here to contribute: <https://axisbpayments.razorpay.com/SSN-alumni-donation>

Be a part of SSN's Alumni Network:

Stay connected with your alma mater and fellow alumni through **SSN's Official Alumni Portal**.

The portal serves as a platform for SSN alumni across the globe to connect, engage and stay updated on the latest news, events and initiatives of the SSN alumni community. It also offers opportunities to reconnect with batchmates, expand your professional network and actively participate in alumni activities.

Be a part of the growing SSN alumni community and stay connected with your alma mater.

Join SSN's Official Alumni Portal: <https://ssnaa.org/>

In-person Visit to SSN Campus:

Visit the SSN Alumni Relations Office

We would be delighted to welcome our alumni to the SSN campus. For any in-person visit or assistance, please feel free to get in touch with the SSN Alumni Relations Office.

SSN Alumni Relations Office

First Floor, Career Development Centre (CDC)

SSN College of Engineering Campus

Kalavakkam – 603110

We look forward to welcoming you back to your alma mater!

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The Team of Faculty Alumni Coordinators

			
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Dr. D. Gnana Prakash Chemical	Dr. Aswin Sriram Civil	Dr. W. Jino Hans ECE	Dr. I. Nelson ECE
			
Dr. V. Sivamurugan IT	Dr. Vijay Jeyakumar BME	Mr. Ananda V Raman Alumni-in-Charge	
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