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### **Report on ISTE Faculty Chapter (MH-286)**

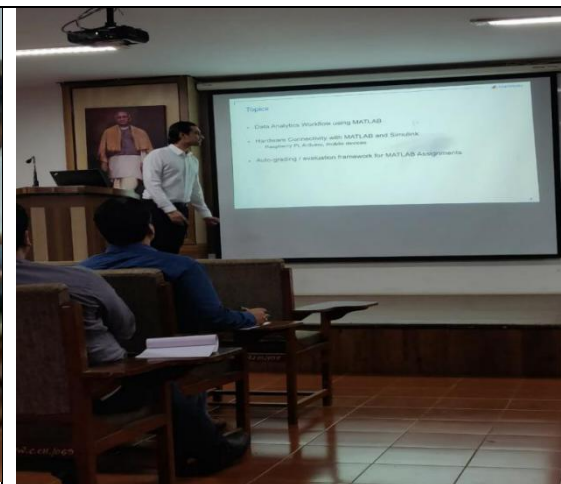
The inaugural ceremony of SPIT ISTE Faculty Chapter was held on May, 3rd May 2018. Newly inducted ISTE members along faculties with life membership, Dr. Prachi Gharpure, Principal, S.P.I.T., Dr. S.S. Rathod, Dean Academics, S.P.I.T. were present at the inaugural ceremony. Dr. S. S. Mantha, Ex-Chairman AICTE, New Delhi was the chief guest of the inaugural function. At the inauguration; Prof. P.V.Kasambe, Secretary, S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter introduced office bearers of S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter, presented Vision and Mission of S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter and vote of thanks to all teaching and non teaching staff of S.P.I.T. Dr. Prachi Gharpure spoke about how to take SPIT ISTE Chapter forward successfully. Dr. S. S. Mantah, Chief Guest of the function spoke on the need for the use of technology by teachers as technology is progressing at a faster rate in today's world. He addressed the teachers on continuous learning process – learn – unlearn – relearn as the key for a successful profession. On the day of inaugural ceremony, Prof. Pallavi Malame, Treasurer, S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter distributed and collected the new ISTE membership forms. The response from the faculty members was so huge that all most all faculty members from S.P.I.T. are having the life membership now. All the other office bearers namely Prof. Prof. Hemant Vasaikar, Prof. Reeta Koshy, Prof. Swapnali Kurhade, Prof. Sakina Shaikh helped in successful organization of this ceremony.

With S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter's mission statement, S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter organized several activities during 2017-18 beginning with FDP on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2018 on "Machine Learning for Big Data Analytic Applications using MATLAB and Hardware Connectivity and Internet of Things (IoT) with MATLAB and Simulink". Dr. Lakshminarayan Viju Ravichandran, Ph.D. Senior Educational Technical Evangelist, MathWorks India and Mr. Pawankumar Fakatkar, Educational Technical Evangelist, MathWorks India were the experts for the session. 45 faculties across all the departments were present for the FDP. As a token of love and appreciation; on behalf of SPIT-ISTE Chapter Prof. K. T. Talele, Associate Professor, Electronics Engineering Department, Students Activities Chair and EXECOM Member, IEEE Bombay Section, In-charge, IEDC, Head, Academic Relations, S.P.I.T. SP-TBI distributed Mementos to all the team members of MathWorks. Subsequently; on 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2018, a seminar on "Awareness talk on Organ donation in India using Technology" was arranged. Mrs. Jaya Jairam, Project Manager, Mohan Foundation. Prutha Atre, Director, VPS, Urvee Chaudhari, Buisness Development member, VPS were the resource persons. Mrs. Jaya Jairam started the session with basics of organ donation and the need for spreading awareness. There was active participation from the audience, where people shared their own stories related to organ donation, thus motivating everyone in the process. Technological aspect was discussed and participants were given forms to pledge their organs donation, which they willingly filled and were very enthusiastic about it. On 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 2018, workshop on "How to be an effective mentor to a student" was organized. Mr. Cyril Georgeson, Director, InterServe was the resource person. Mr. Cyril Georgeson in his Speech started with the classical definitions of Mentoring, Mentor and Protégé/Mentoree with stories from ancient time in analogy. In order to maintain the workshop mood of the speech; he asked participants to answer a question "Who am I? This

question leads to an answer that defined the identity of a person which is the most critical part of Mentoring system. At the end he narrated 12 points for one “To Be an Amazing Mentor”. In order to justify one of the important points (i.e. Trust) of “To Be an Amazing Mentor”; he invited two faculties. Dr. Sutar and Prof. Mane voluntarily participated in an activity where Dr. Sutar guided Prof. Mane to reach to the destination keeping eyes closed. This activity made everyone understand the importance of how trust is important in Mentor-Mentoree relation. It was altogether an interactive session. At the start of new year; on 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019 a seminar on “Your Way to Wealth” was organized. Speaker of the workshop was Mr. Nitesh Buddhdev; Chartered Accountant an Executive Director of Nimit Wealth Management. Altogether 35 teaching and non teaching staff across all the departments were present for the seminar. His session spread financial literacy amongst the audience. The delivery style was interactive, interesting and powerful. People from financial background in the audience also had something new to learn and appreciated the knowledge they gained from the session.



Inaugural ceremony of SPIT ISTE Faculty Chapter. in the auspicious presence of Dr. S. S. Mantha, Ex-Chairman AICTE, New Delhi as Chief Guest, Dr. Prachi Gharpure, Principal S.P.I.T., Dr. S. S. Rathod, Dean Academics, S.P.I.T., Dr. Rajesh Buktar, Dean Academics, S.P.C.E. Group photograph of an office bearers S.P.I.T. ISTE Chapter (MH-286) from left to right namely Prof. Swapnali Kurhade (Member), Prof. Reeta Koushy (Member), Prof. Prashant Kasambe (Secretary), Dr. Prachi Gharpure (Chairperson), Prof. Pallavi Malame (Member), Prof. Hemant Vasaikar (Member).



Faculty members involved in the activity during a FDP on Machine Learning for Big Data Analytic Applications using MATLAB and Hardware Connectivity and Internet of Things (IoT)

with MATLAB and Simulink conducted by Dr. Lakshminarayan Viju Ravichandran, Ph.D. Senior Educational Technical Evangelist, MathWorks India.



Faculties listening to a talk by Mrs. Jaya Jairam, Project Manager, Mohan Foundation as a key Speaker during seminar on Awareness talk on Organ donation in India using Technology. Felicitation in the hands of Prof. Suknya Kulkarni, Associate Professor, Electronics and Telecommunication Department one of the participants who shared her great experience of how an organ donation can save life a human being.



Prof. Reeta Koushy introducing the Speaker Mr. Cyril Georgeson, Director, InterServe and felicitation by Dr. R. G. Sutar, H.O.D., Electronics Engineering during a Workshop on How to be an effective mentor to a student.



Resource person Mr. Nitesh Buddhdev; Chartered Accountant an Executive Director of Nimit Wealth Management delivering his valuable speech during a Seminar on Your Way to Wealth and a snapshot along with teaching and non teaching staff members of S.P.I.T.