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## **Department of Instrumentation and Control** Academic Year 2024-2025



2. Mr. Swapnil Khairnar, one of our mechanical engineering alumni, delivered a **seminar** titled **'Design, Build, Compete: Unleashing Robotics Potential**' for SE, TE, and BE students in Instrumentation and Control Engineering. The seminar covered robotics components and design, provided a guide to robotic competitions, and offered information on the necessary support for training and participating in these events. (06 July 2024)



3. The Department of Instrumentation & Control Engineering has organized an **Induction Program** aimed at welcoming and orienting **second-year**, **third-year**, **and final-year students**. The program serves to introduce them to the academic year ahead, familiarize them with departmental policies and resources, and facilitate their integration into the departmental community. It includes sessions on academic guidelines, career development opportunities, and activities designed to foster a supportive learning environment throughout their respective academic journeys. (06 July 2024)





4. Congratulations to **Ms. Rupali Avhad**, an alumna of our Instrumentation and Control Engineering program (**2024 pass out batch**), on her selection for a **Master's in Data Science at Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas**. She has been awarded a scholarship of \$12,000. She will be flying to the USA in the last week of July 2024. Today, we organized a discussion with our department students to help them prepare for studying abroad. We wish her the best of luck for her bright future ahead! (19 July 2024)



5. **Mr. Dhananjay Puranik**, Manager of Instrumentation at **Worley India Pvt. Ltd. Pune**, visited our department. He spoke with staff and students about job opportunities for instrumentation students at Worley. (20 July 2024)



6. Under the **MVP-FOX Automation Training** Center, our department has started 10<sup>th</sup> batch of 22 student training. This 200-hour program includes hands-on training in PLC, SCADA, HMI and Drives, as well as a one-week in-plant internship at Fox Solutions Pvt. Ltd. in Nashik. This training aims to enhance students' employability and improve their placement opportunities with various core MNCs. (12 August 2024)



7. Mr. S. D. Nikam, Assistant Professor in Instrumentation Control Engineering, delivered a Value-Added Skill Development Session on "Introduction to Arduino Uno Board" for third-year Information Technology students at Rajarshi Shahu Maharaj Polytechnic. During the session, he covered the basics and installation of the Arduino Uno board, discussed its applications in real-world projects, and shared information on developing simple projects using Arduino. He also motivated students to engage in creating their own real-world projects. A total of 50 participants attended the session. (24/08/2024)





8. On August 30, 2024, we held our inaugural **Board of Studies (BoS) meeting**. We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to the Mr. Hemant Lele, Director at Emerson Automation Systems Ltd., Mr. Pralhad Dhumal, General Manager at Fox Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Dr. G.M. Malwatkar, Head of Instrumentation at GCOE Jalgaon and Mr. Dadasaheb Pawar, Founder and Director of Teklogica Control Systems etc. distinguished individuals for their significant contributions. Their participation and expertise were invaluable to the success of the meeting. (30 August 2024)



9. Faculty members from the department, Dr. A. K. Patil and Dr. S. H. Jadhav, conducted a **5-day training program on PLC programming**, SCADA, HMI, and Delta-V DCS. In this, total of 41 students from RSM Polytechnic, Nashik, successfully completed the program with hands-on training. (2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> September 2024)



10. Our college has organized the **Smart India Hackathon**, and students from the Instrumentation & Control engineering departments have actively participated. Er. Girish Pagare from Nashik has been invited as an expert for this competition. (10 September 2024)



11. The Instrumentation and Control Engineering Department hosted the department level Avishkar-2024 Competition today, featuring 15 BE Instrumentation groups. The event was honored by chief guests Hon. Mr. Susmit Dalvi and Hon. Mr. Bhushan Pathak from Graphite India Ltd, Nashik. Winners were announced in two categories: Agriculture Domain: First Place: Aquaponic Agriculture System based on PLC/LabVIEW (Harsh Choudhari, Akash Pole, Kunal Fegade), Second Place: Smart Irrigation System for Precision Farming (Rutuja Doshing, Akshata Thankar, Revati Patil), Engineering & Technology Domain: First Place: Advanced Vision Process Automation using PLC (Abhijeet Satpute, Pavithra Nair), Second Place: Precision Control: A PID-Based Tank Management System (Neha Adhav, Akash Bodke, Parth Muley). Congratulations to all the winners! (19/09/2024)





12. Mr. Avinash Mote and Mr. Manoj Deshmukh from the TPC department of SVERI's College of Engineering, Pandharpur (an autonomous institute), visited our department to learn about our industry interactions related to training and placement activities. During their visit, they also toured the FOX-MVP Automation Training Centre and expressed their appreciation for our department's efforts in supporting the career development of our students.(25<sup>th</sup> September 2024)



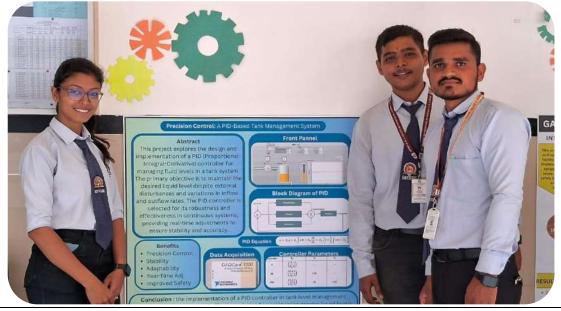
13. The Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering recently held an **expert session** titled **Financial Awareness** for our Second Year (SE) and Third Year (TE) students. The speaker for this session was CA Prasanna Pangam, a partner at Palsule and Pangam Co. based in Nashik. The goal of the session was to help students understand the importance of financial awareness in today's world. (26 September 2024)



14. The department organized a **parent-teacher meeting**, which was attended by over 40 parents who shared their feedback and suggestions with the staff. Prior to this meeting, we presented the activities conducted for career development and the efforts made by the department to facilitate the placement of final-year students. (28<sup>th</sup> Septemeber 2024)



15. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to **Akash Bodke**, **Parth Muley**, and **Neha Adhav** students of Instrumentation & Control Engineering for their selection in the **Laghu Udyog Bharati Nashik Engineering Talent Search Competition**, organized by LUB Nashik. Their hard work and dedication have truly paid off. We also acknowledge the invaluable guidance provided by Dr. Seema Jadhav throughout the project, which contributed significantly to their success. (3<sup>rd</sup> October 2024)



16. **Dr. Yogesh Patil** and **Mr. Vikas Ahirrao**, two of our faculty members, completed a one-week Faculty Development Program (**FDP**) on "**Development-Oriented Field-Based Study**," organized by the Maharashtra State Faculty Development Academy in Pune and IIT Mumbai at Rajarshi Shahu Maharaj Polytechnic, Nashik. The FDP included field-based study learning, which involved visiting a village to understand various processes and issues, planning group studies, conducting surveys, holding discussions, analyzing findings, and writing reports. As part of this program, they visited Pangri Village to examine various activities and issues. (06<sup>th</sup> October 2024)



17. **Dr. Seema H. Jadhav** and **Mr. Satish D. Nikam** visited **Bilcare Caprihans India Ltd**. Satpur, Nashik (**Mr. Ankush Shitole , Plant-Head**). This industry is a global leader and an innovation-led packaging material solutions provider to pharmaceutical industry, to improve patient healthcare outcomes.During the visit, they made a **MoU with the company**, forming a partnership to collaborate on advancing technology and innovation in Instrumentation field. This MOU will create exciting opportunities for both the organization and students. (14<sup>th</sup> October 2024)

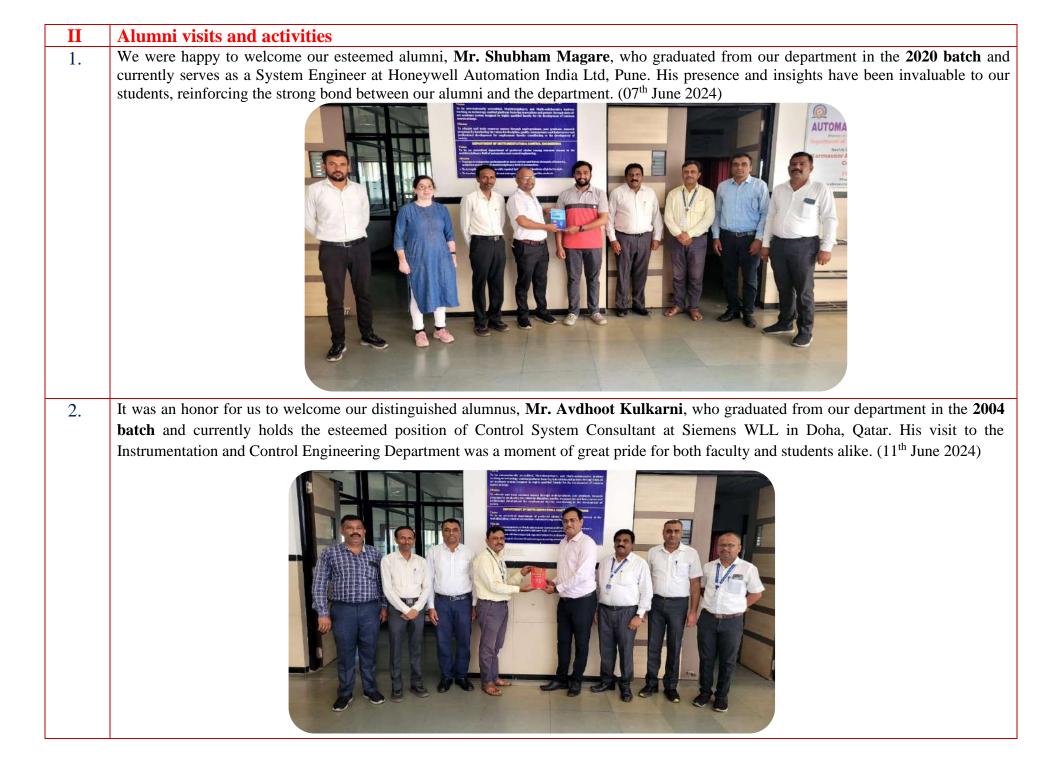


18.	The Department conducted a <b>Meditation Session</b> for SE, TE, and BE Instrumentation and Control Engineering students, led by <b>Dr. Vijay</b> <b>Birari</b> , Vice Principal. The objective of the session was to highlight the importance of meditation in life, focusing on techniques to stop overthinking, respond instead of react, live in the present moment, and find happiness through acceptance. (19 <sup>th</sup> October 2024)
19.	Our final-year students participated in an <b>industrial visit</b> to <b>Borse Automotive Pvt Ltd</b> , <b>Nashik</b> , as part of their <b>Automotive Instrumentation</b> course. During the visit, they gained valuable insights into various topics, including vehicle diagnostics, OBD II, CAN protocol, auto-simulate software, PID, DTC, UDS protocol, Figma software, and electric vehicle chargers ranging from 3.3 kW to 120 kW. The students also explored EV simulators, EV charge controllers, ASX software, and Rhino software. Mr. Shekhar Borse, the CEO and owner of the company, provided essential tech nical information and guidance throughout the visit. (20 <sup>th</sup> October 2024)









3.	It is a proud moment for the Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering to have Mr. Onkar Kapadne, Mr. Nikhil Khandare, Mr.
	Lalit Badhan, Mr. Pratik Junagade, Ms. Shivani Kadlak and Ms. Bhavana Boraste alumni from the 2023 batch, visit us. (03/08/2024)
4.	It is a proud moment for the Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering to have Ms. Sayali Maniyar, an alumna from the 2018
	batch, visit us. Ms. Sayali Maniyar, who is currently working as an Assistant Manager at Bosch Limited in Nashik, took the time to reconnect
	with our department. We wish Ms. Sayali continued success in her future career. (05/08/2024)

5. We are proud to share that Ms. Sonal Sonawane, an alumna from the 2004 batch, visited our Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering. She is currently working as a Project Manager at Accenture UK in London. We wish Ms. Sonal the best of luck in her future career. (16/08/2024)



6. It is a proud moment for the Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering to announce that our alumni from the 2023 batch, Mr. Pranit Geet and Ms. Sanghapriya Mahale, recently visited us. Mr. Pranit Geet is currently working as an Executive Engineer at JNK India Ltd. in Mumbai, and Ms. Sanghapriya Mahale holds the position of Executive Engineer at VRYSM Solutions in Nashik. We wish them all the best in their future career. (17/08/2024)









III	Alumni Meet
1.	Today marked a momentous occasion as MVP's KBT COE, Nashik, hosted the <b>Alumni Meet</b> for the <b>first two graduating batches</b> . It was a privilege to have our 14 esteemed alumni from these initial batches gather together, reconnect, and share their valuable insights and experiences. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all our respected alumni who graced the occasion with their presence and contributed their precious time and suggestions during the meet. Their participation has been instrumental in strengthening the bond between the alma mater and its graduates, enriching the event with nostalgic memories and forward-looking ideas. (15 <sup>th</sup> June 2024)

IV	Industry Interaction
1.	Ms. Sudarshana (Shelke) Wakchoure, Team Lead at Quess Corp Ltd. in Pune, Maharashtra, visited our department to discuss upcoming job opportunities for Instrumentation and Control Engineering students. She also shared feedback on our students who were placed in the Honeywell industry through Quess Corp Ltd. last year. (06 August 2024)
2.	Dr.B.J. Parvat has invited as an Examiner for Project Competition "Avishkar-2024" Organized by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik (07 <sup>th</sup> January 2025)).

V	Sport
1.	Heartiest congratulations to the Team Instrumentation and Control for their outstanding victory in the Monsoon Premier League 2024-2025
	this morning! The team excelled by defeating all participating teams with their remarkable performance. Their success is a testament to their
	excellent teamwork, superb coordination, and remarkable patience. Once again, congratulations to our Instrumentation and Control
	Engineering students for adding yet another cup to the department's achievements! (11/08/2024)
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