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Centre for Soft Skills Development

Report of activities conducted

Academic Year 2021-2022

1. Verbal Ability Training

Verbal Ability Training for B.Tech III year, II sem 2018-2022 admitted students was conducted from 03-08-2021 to 24-08-2021.

Students were divided into 5 batches A,B,C,D,E. Batch-C was dealt by Dr. A. Uma Devi, Batch-D by Dr. Sangeeta Mehra, Dr. K. Rajesh-Batch-E, Batch-A Prof. G. Karuna Kumari, Batch-B by Dr. B. Nagamani.

Report on Verbal Ability Training Classes.

An exclusive Online Verbal Ability Training to III Year/II semester students of all branches was initiated in the Academic year 2021. The basic motto of VA training is to amalgamate the innate skills of the students with the needed potential skills among them. It was planned to provide training to students in three major arenas namely, Analogy, contextual vocabulary and Reading Comprehension. Detailed syllabus emphasizing Etymology, Reading Comprehension and Analogy was framed. The Verbal Ability training was entrusted to Ms. G. Karuna Kumari and Dr. B. Nagamani, faculty of English, Department of FE. A detailed time table, encompassing one and half hours per day, running for a month from 1-6-21 to 30-6 is drafted. Later, Dr. Uma Devi was inducted in the training as number of students selected through the Screening Test were 360. All these students were divided into 3 groups, each were given the uniform schedule of training and Tests. The tests (online) were conducted after completing 4 modules mentioned in the schedule. (the detailed schedule is attached). Feedback is also taken on the last day of the training. The training was aligned with the content already present, with that of advanced vocabulary needed to seek employment and to create interest towards life-long learning.

Mrs. G. Karuna Kumari
Dr. B. Nagamani

2. Students' Paper Presentations

Two-Day Virtual International Conference in English 29-30 September, 2021 Report

The Department of English, Bhopal School of Social Sciences (BSSS), MP and Christ College (Autonomous) Irinjalakuda, Kerala, organized a Two-Day Virtual International Conference in English on 29-30 September, 2021 under Autonomy Grant of BSSS.

Eight students (07) from ECE-II B and one (1) student from CSE- II B presented papers. Complete details are given below:

S.No	Name of the student	Roll No	Branch/Sec	Title of the paper
1	Lakshmi Shreya Ivaturi	20R11A0481	II ECE-B	Role of Blogs and Discussion Forums In Learning Languages
2	Kotiya Chetna Goud	20R11A0490	II ECE-B	Gender Sensitization in Jhumpa Lahiri's The Lowland
3	G.Sharvani	20R11A0480	II ECE-B	Reinterpreting Mythology
4	K.Badrinath	20R11A0484	II ECE-B	Science Fiction
5	J Manish	20R11A0482	II ECE-B	Literature in Cyber World
6	Maganti Shanmukha Datta	20R11A0494	II ECE-B	Artificial Intelligence, Multimedia and ICT in ELT
7	Gajjala Sai Kiran	20R11A0476	II ECE-B	Culture and Mythology
8	Bhartipudi Saketh Ram	20R11A0569	II CSE-B	Digital Tools for English Language Learning and Teaching

Enclosed:

Copy of the certificates



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LAKSHMI SHREYA IVATURI

presented a paper titled

**ROLE OF BLOGS AND DISCUSSION FORUMS
IN LEARNING LANGUAGES**

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KOTIYA . CHETNA GOUD
presented a paper titled
**GENDER SENSITIZATION IN JHUMPA LAHIRI'S
THE LOWLAND**

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G.SHARVANI
presented a paper titled
REINTERPRETING MYTHOLOGY

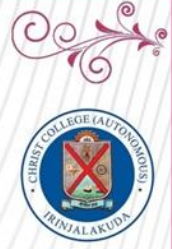
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K BADRINATH

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SCIENCE FICTION

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LITERATURE IN CYBER WORLD

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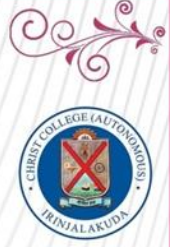
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3. Student(s) Paper Presentations

ELT@I 15th International and 51st Annual Conference of ELTAI
A 4-Day Virtual Conference(Two Weekends)

ELT in India:

New Needs, New Demands, New Trends

20,21&27,28 November 2021

Report

Tirumalapuram Samyuktha of ECE-II/I sem presented a paper in the conference on ‘**Cultures of the World Literature.**’

Certificate



Host Institutions

15th International and 51st Annual Conference of ELTAI
ELT in India: New Needs, New Demands, New Trends
20-21 & 27-28 November, 2021

**Paper Presentation
Certificate**

This is to certify that **Tirumalapuram Samyuktha** participated and presented a paper titled **Cultures of the World in Literature** in the **15th International and 51st Annual Conference of ELTAI**, a two weekend virtual conference held on 20-21 and 27-28 November, 2021 hosted by GLA University, Mathura, Uttar Pradesh, Pillai College of Engineering, New Panvel, Maharashtra, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Tiruchirapalli, Tamil Nadu, and Uttaranchal University, Dehradun.

 Conference Chair Dr. Mohanraj S	 Conference Convenor Dr. Anitha Devi V	 President ELTAI Dr. Sanjay Arora
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4. Webinar by students as resource persons- II/I ECE-B

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**International Virtual Seminar on Language,
Literature, Linguistics and Culture Studies XIII Edition**

Date: 28. 11.2021 SUNDAY

SESSION I - 9.30 am- 10.30 am

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Lakshmi Shreya & Ananya, Chepuri
B.tech students, Geethanjali College of
Engineering and Technology, UGC
Autonomous, Cheeryal (v), Keesara,
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SESSION II - 10.40- 11.40 am
Acquaint Soft Skills for Success
in Workplace
Dr.P.Seethalaxmi,
Assistant Professor of English,
PG& Research Department of
English-SF,
Vellalar College for
Women(Autonomous),
Thindal,
Erode-638012.

SESSION III - 12.00PM - 1.00PM
Developing language skills
Dr.Saroj Sobti,
Assistant Professor,
Dr.Ganesh Das DAV College,
Education for Women,
Karnal, Haryana.

SESSION IV - 2.00PM-3.00PM
Dissemination of Nation and
Narration in select Fiction
Prof.Charles Joseph,
Assistant Professor & Hod,
Post Graduate Department of
English, Teresian College
Mysore, Karnataka.

SESSION V 3.30pm- 4.30pm
Personality Development for
Teachers and Trainers
Mr. Ankit Pandya
Asst. Director,
Center for Human
Resources Development,
Non-Teaching Staff Training Cell,
Parul University.

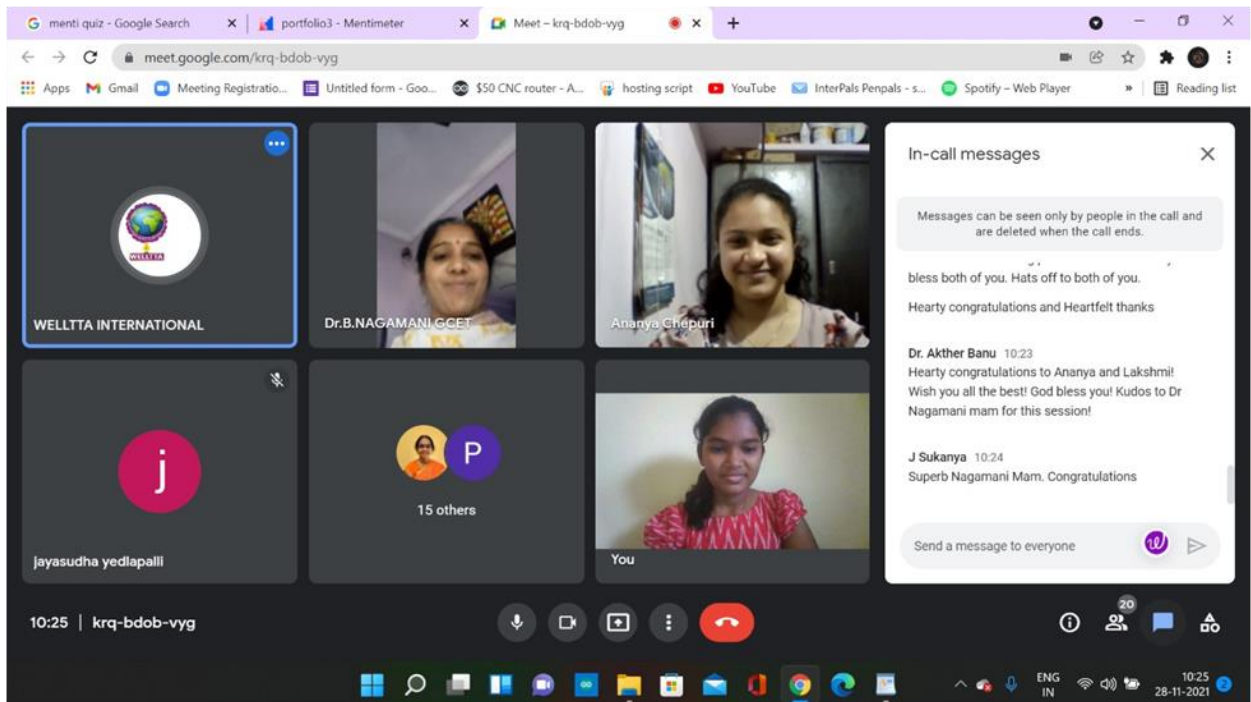
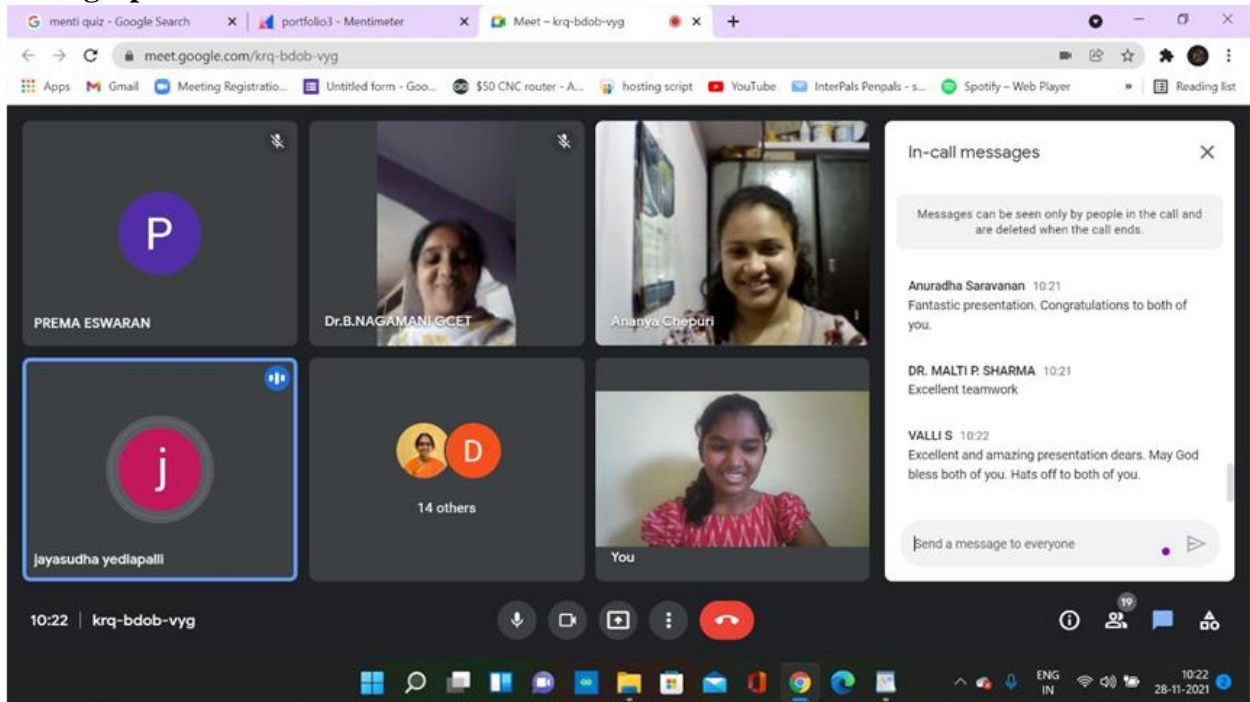
Contact :
Dr Saravanan V
+91 7200066336
wellttaforum@gmail.com

Registration is free
Certificate will be
provided for all

Report

Ms.Ch.Ananya and I.Lakshmi Shreya explained a session on Website for Creating a Portfolio. Infact, this was the first session in WELLTTA, where students were resource persons. Participants appreciated the students for their wonderful coordination and presentation. Appreciation Messages given on the chat box were copied and given below.

Photographs



5. Audio Books

Two students of AIML C Sai Keerthana Sandhiri and S.Sreelekha completed two audio books during 2021-2022- I sem. Their learning experiences and youtube links are given below:

My learning experiences:

I have made an audio book on The Old Man and the Sea authored by Ernest Hemingway.

Working on the audio book, I learnt about the significance of time management. It has also helped me identify new words and phrases from the book even though I've read it before. It has aided me in understanding the book in a different manner by bringing out the little details. I have also become more familiar with video and audio editing.

After completing the audio book, there is a definite improvement in my comprehension skills. Furthermore, my ability to pronounce words by employing the right stress and tone has increased. I have also learnt a few phrases in Spanish.

Youtube Link https://youtu.be/-Y_RsjLcyjk

Guided by: Dr.B.Nagamani, Professor of English

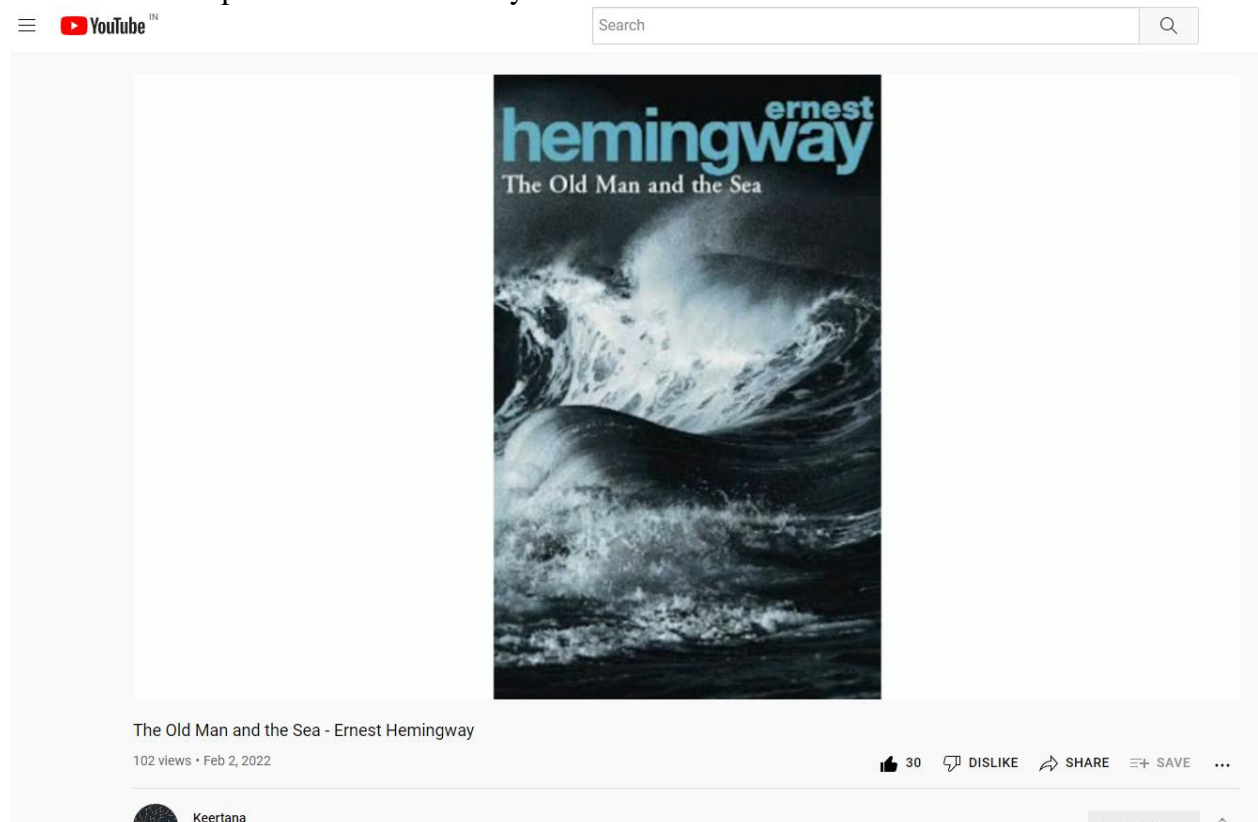
Completed by:

Sai Keerthana Sandhiri, CSE-AIML (C)

Roll No: 21R11A66D4

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Screenshots of uploaded videos on the youtube



The Old Man and the Sea - Ernest Hemingway

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Greetings Listeners!

I am Keerthana, a student of AIML-'C' of Geethanjali College of Engineering and Technology, Cheeryal. I've made this Audiobook Project under the guidance of Dr. B. Nagamani, Associate Professor of English, GCET.

_____ ENJOY! _____

Set in the Gulf Stream off the coast of Havana, Hemingway's magnificent fable is the story of an old man, a young boy and a giant fish.

In a perfectly crafted story, which won for Hemingway the Nobel Prize for Literature, is a unique and timeless vision of the beauty and grief of man's challenges to the elements in which he lives.

2.INTRODUCTION

An audio book is typically a recording of a book or other works being read out loud. Audio books are immersive and educational. One of the vital benefits of audio books is that you can listen to it anywhere, while doing something else. This way you needn't worry about slacking off on your To-Do lists. Audio books also Help Bridge the gap for visually impaired. They are convenient and affordable. They're perfect for the time-poor.

LEARNING EXPERIENCE

I recorded the book 'The War of the Worlds' authored by an English writer H.G.Wells. It is a science fiction set in the late nineteenth century. Working on the audio book itself was transformative, but the research I had done prior to beginning the recording process proved most informative to me. I have always been a reader but I paid little to no heed to the legality of these books I enjoyed so much. This project wasn't only educational in terms of language skills, it has also taught me the technical aspect of audio and video editing. It required me to analyze a problem from all the angles and come up with the best solution given the limited resource and time constraint. It was an excellent experience.

OUTCOME

After completion of the audio book, my ability to pronounce words is better. It has helped me build and enhance my vocabulary, fluency, phonemic awareness, language acquisition and comprehension.

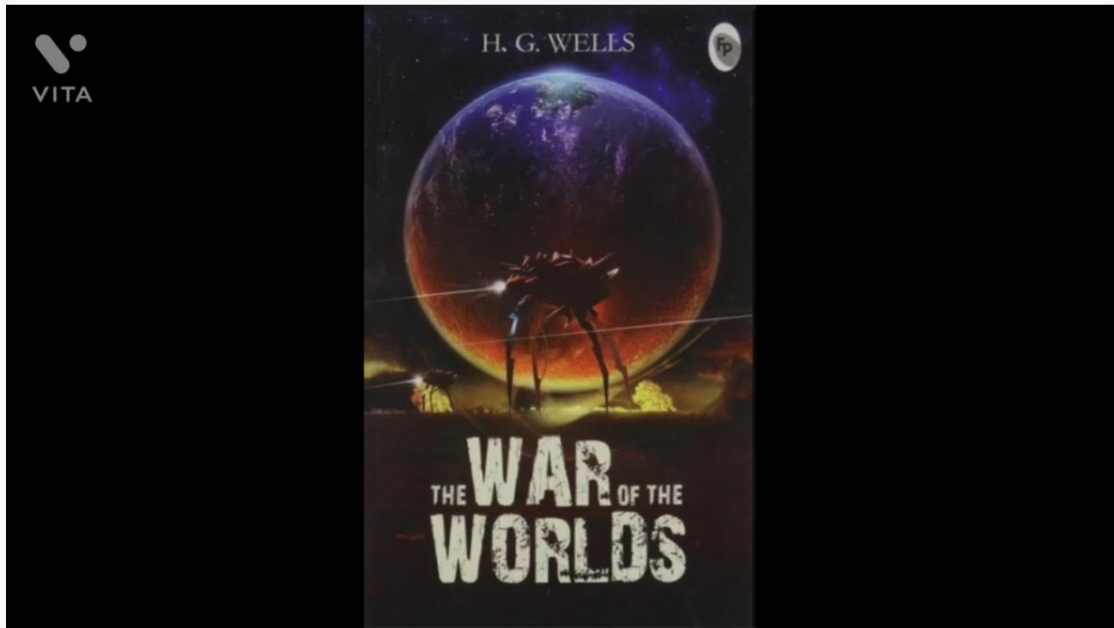
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Guided by: Dr.B.Nagamani, Associate Professor of English

Completed by:

S.Sreelekha, CSE-AIML (C)

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Greetings Listeners!

I'm Sreelekha, a student of AIML 'C' of Geethanjali College of Engineering and Technology, Cheeryal. I did this Audiobook project under the guidance of Dr. B. Nagamani, Associate professor of English, GCET.

I hope you all find it as fun to listen to as I did creating it.

'On a summer night, at the end of the nineteenth century, a "meteor" lands on Horsell Common in London. An artificial cylinder is found the next day and upon approaching it, the unsuspecting humans are instantly killed by an all-destroying heat-ray, as terrifying Martians emerge and blaze a path of fiery destruction across Victorian England. Amid the boundless destruction that is caused it looks as if the end of the world has come ...'

6. Asteroid Search Campaign- International Astronomical Search Collaboration, partnered with NASA

Bhaskara Asteroid Hunters, a team of ten I B.Tech students are selected to participate in Jan-Feb 2022, Astronomical Search Collaboration Campaign partnered with NASA. Two preliminary detections are recorded by the team which are marked as FED4001, FED 7001. FED stands for Freshman Engineering Department. These students are called Citizen Scientists and are First Generation citizen scientists from Geethanjali College of Engineering and Technology.

Enclosures(s)

Certificates

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We hereby express our sincere appreciation to

Katta Devi Raghavendra

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7. AGILE and Design Thinking Workshop

Report on Ten Day Workshop on AGILE and Design Thinking

19th, 20th, 26th, 27th and 28th Feb, 2022

5th, 6th, 12th, 13th and 19th March, 2022

A ten-day workshop on AGILE and Design Thinking, funded by AICTE, Skill and Personality Development Project (SPDP) was organized by the Department of Freshman Engineering for the students of B. tech from 19th February to 19th March 2022.

Resource persons: Mr. Arun Bharadwaj Dintyala and Mr.Lalith Kumar Vemali

The first session was an introduction to the concept of AGILE, the agile mindset and its principles. An agile mindset is one which is adaptive and responds to changes and new, uncertain environments. The core principles of AGILE are:

- Individuals and interactions over processes and tools
- Working software over comprehensive documentation

- Customer collaboration over contract negotiation
- Responding to change over following a plan

These principles were applied over a series of activities:

- In the ball pass activity, we learnt the importance of setting consistent goals and having self-confidence
- The tower building activity demonstrated the need to improve ourselves over trying to compete with others
- The paper airplane activity helped us understand the importance of identifying the strengths of each team member and assigning them work based on their strengths

The second session of AGILE was a continuation of the first, in which we learnt about scrum teams and the importance of continuous communication and validation of product owners. This was done hands on as we planned and built model cities, continuously taking the feedback of the presiding faculty. We brainstormed on the factors of a smart city, ordered our ideas and implemented them using paper and legos(building blocks)

In the third session, we were introduced to Design thinking. Design thinking is a combination of creative thinking and analytical thinking ie. We must think creatively to find various solutions to a problem and think analytically to figure out which of those is feasible. The three pillars of design thinking are:

- Humans
- Business
- Technology

The humans/ customers help us identify pain areas and problems, which we then find solutions to. Technology tells us whether the solution is feasible or not, while business explains it's viability.

This knowledge was applied by taking up problem statements and finding ways to solve the problems of the people in them. In this process, we also learnt about personas and their importance in ideating and identifying pain areas.

In the fourth session, we furthered our knowledge of design thinking by taking up real problem statements. We created personas for people who might be most affected by the problem, made interview questions for them to understand their pain areas and worked on possible solutions for them. We then categorized them into quick wins, user defined and wild ideas.

Thus, the workshop was successfully concluded, with valuable lessons on teamwork, problem solving and the design thinking process.

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Glimpses of the workshop



Welcome banner for learning and doing sessions



Mind-blowing brainstorming session and team work



Demo-Model of smart city constructed as part of the workshop-
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