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DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

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Sub: Report on “ADVAYA 2K26 – Technical Symposium with 24-Hour Hackathon”

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Sri Sairam College of Engineering, successfully organized **ADVAYA 2K26 – Technical Symposium along with a 24-hour Hackathon** on the 15th and 16th of April 2026. The event commenced with an inaugural session, followed by a series of technical competitions and activities aimed at fostering innovation and technical excellence among students.

Inaugural Session (15th April 2026)

The symposium was inaugurated with great enthusiasm and academic fervor. The event was graced by the Chief Guest, **Mr. Aravindhan Ashokan**, Senior Vice President, Indium. The panel of dignitaries included:

- Mr. Aravindhan Ashokan – Chief Guest
- Dr. B. Shadaksharappa – Principal, SSCE
- Dr. Smitha J. A – Head, Department of CSE
- Sri K. Patel – Public Relations Officer

The session began with a welcome address by Dr. Smitha J. A, followed by a presentation of the event overview by Dr. C. Valarmathi, Coordinator of ADVAYA 2K26.

On this occasion, the book titled “**Engineering Synergy across Various Domains**” (ISBN: 978-93-7085-422-2) was officially released by the dignitaries. In addition, the **ADVAYA 2K26 Students' Articles Compilation** and **ADVAYA T-Shirt** were also unveiled on the dais.

The Principal, Dr. B. Shadaksharappa, delivered the presidential address, followed by a felicitation address by Dr. Sumathi P.

In his keynote address, the Chief Guest emphasized the significance of innovation, emerging technologies, and continuous learning in today's rapidly evolving world. He highlighted the role of technical symposiums in bridging the gap between academia and industry, nurturing talent, and promoting creativity among students.

The inaugural session was attended by distinguished guests, including department heads, hackathon jury members, evaluators, and faculty members from various institutions. The session concluded with a note of appreciation by Dr. Karthika K, Advaya 2K26 Coordinator, who acknowledged the smooth arrangements made for the successful conduct of the event.

24-Hour Hackathon

A 24-hour Hackathon was conducted from 12:00 PM on 15th April 2026 to 12:00 PM on 16th April 2026. A total of **25 teams** actively participated, demonstrating exceptional creativity and technical expertise.

The Hackathon consisted of **three rounds of evaluation**, starting with an **Idea Pitching Session**.

- The event was evaluated through **five expert panels**, with **three jury members in each panel**, making a total of **15 evaluators** representing academia, industry, research organizations, alumni, and previous hackathon winners.
- Teams were judged on the basis of **coding quality, innovation, timely completion of the solution, and presentation skills**.

- The distinguished panel members were:

1. Dr. SriVidya V R, Associate Professor, RVIT, Bangalore
2. Mr. Seeraj Basha, GenAI Tester, Capgemini Technology Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore
3. Dr. Smitha J A, HOD/CSE, SSCE
4. Dr. Santhala P T, Associate Professor, T. John Institute of Technology, Bangalore
5. Mr. Prem V, Senior Data Consultant, PWC, Bangalore
6. Dr. Yamuna V, AP/CSE, SSCE
7. Dr. Rashmi, Associate Professor, Vemana Institute of Technology, Bangalore
8. Ms. Dhivya Dharshini, Senior Analyst, Wipro Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore
9. Dr. Karthika K, Associate Professor/CSE, SSCE
10. Dr. Nanditha, Associate Professor, RVIT, Bangalore
11. Ms. Rackshana A, Cloud Associate, Amazon Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore
12. Dr. C. Valarmathi, AP/CSE, SSCE
13. Dr. Ramya K, Associate Professor, SSCE, Bangalore
14. Mr. Venkatesa Moorthy, Senior System Admin, Caterpillar, Bangalore
15. Dr. Mahesh A, Professor/CSE, SSCE

Technical Events

A variety of technical events were organized to promote analytical thinking and innovation:

Paper Presentation

- Presentations were evaluated by a panel of **four distinguished experts** from various institutions.

Other Technical Events

- C-Debugging
- Video Making

- Webathon
- Mobilathon
- Connections

These events were conducted across multiple venues, including CSE Labs I & II, Coding Lab, and Classrooms 212, 213, and 208.

Events such as Webathon, Mobilathon, and C-Debugging included two rounds:

- **Round 1:** 30-minute theoretical quiz.
- **Round 2:** 3-hour real-time problem-solving challenge.

The symposium witnessed participation from over 200 students representing various regional colleges. All events were aligned with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), focusing on:

- **Goal 5:** Gender Equality
- **Goal 8:** Decent Work and Economic Growth
- **Goal 9:** Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure
- **Goal 17:** Partnerships for the Goals



Valedictory Session (16th April 2026)

The valedictory session commenced at 2:00 PM in the presence of the Principal and the Head of the Department of CSE. Prizes and certificates were distributed to winners and participants in recognition of their outstanding performances and contributions.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Mahesh A, Professor, Department of CSE, marking the successful completion of ADVAYA 2K26.

ADVAYA 2K26 was a grand success, providing a dynamic platform for students to showcase their technical skills, creativity, and innovation. The event effectively fostered collaboration, knowledge sharing, and industry-academia interaction, thereby contributing to the holistic development of participants.

Winners List:

Event Name	1st Prize	2nd Prize	3rd Prize	Prize Pool
Hackathon	1. Hack Knights K S School of Engineering and Management,	Tech Sages Vemana Institute of Technology,	Bitheads Sri Sairam College of	Rs.22000/-

Event Name	1st Prize	2nd Prize	3rd Prize	Prize Pool
	Bangalore. 2. Kanon Aditya College of Engineering and Technology, Bangalore.	Bangalore.	Engineering, Bangalore.	
Webathon	Adithya Dey, A Prasannaraj (3rd Year AIML), SSCE	H Vignesh, Arun Kumar G C (S&H - CSE) ,SSCE		Rs.1000/-
C Debugging	Prateek P Godakhindi III CSE,SSCE	Akash III CSE SSCE		Rs.1000/-
Paper Presentation	Manikandan V, Mahendran M, Kabilan Er. Perumal Manimekalai College of Engineering and Technology, Hosur	Janani S, Ashutosh Kumar Jha, Amitha Shri G S, Kishore K, SSCE	Sakthi Syles, M.P.K (AIML),SSCE	Rs.1000/-
Mobilathon	Aditya Dev, Prasannaraj (3rd Year AIML) ,SSCE	Gowran Kumar, Ashutosh Raj,SSCE		Rs.1000/-
Video Making Contest	S Chandan Das ECE 3rd Year,SSCE			Rs.500/-



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