



CORRESPONDENT'S MESSAGE

Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus

Dear St. Xavier's Family,

Greetings to You!

It is truly a pleasure to connect with you through this campus connect initiative. The field of engineering is highly competitive and even high school students begin reflecting early on about which college they would like to join for their engineering studies. Hence, it becomes the responsibility of each parish ambassador to build a strong rapport with young students and share a positive image of our college.

Our goal should not merely be to produce engineering graduates, but to nurture true engineers capable of solving real-world problems. Our innovative teaching methods, emphasis on design thinking, and updated curriculum should inspire students to become enthusiastic advocates for our institution among the younger generation.

As our college moves toward becoming a Tier 1 institution, the expectations from every member of the St. Xavier's family also increase. I sincerely appreciate your personal efforts in pursuing your Ph.D., publishing research papers, and striving for guideship. However, this continuous professional growth must also be reflected in your program outcomes and the overall quality of your department.

The strength of the St. Xavier's family lies not only in individual accomplishments but also in the collective commitment of all members toward the holistic development of the institution. I firmly believe that each of you takes ownership of the college and contributes tirelessly to its progress.

At this moment, I am delighted to acknowledge and congratulate you on the recent achievement of obtaining NBA accreditation for the Mechanical Engineering, Electronics and Communication Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, and Humanities and Sciences departments for three and a half years.

Let us always remember that our journey does not end here — there is still a long way ahead.

Let us continue to move forward together.



St. XAVIER'S
CATHOLIC COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
(Autonomous)

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Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu

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VISION

To be an institution of eminence in optimal human development, providing excellent engineering education and pioneering research towards creating a technically empowered and humane society

MISSION

To transform (rural) youth into top-class professionals and technocrats, committed to serving both local and global society with ethical integrity, by: Offering a vibrant academic experience of learning, research, and innovation. Creating stimulating opportunities for personal maturity and professional skills. Nurturing students with inspiring, high-caliber faculty. Providing quality infrastructure in a serene environment.

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dr. J. Maheswaran
Principal

It's my pleasure to congratulate the Editorial team members of our Newsletter for bringing out this issue successfully. The period under consideration is filled with a lot of academic activities, inauguration of activities of all Technical Associations, Cells activities, placement training and drives. I take this opportunity to congratulate the students brought laurels by winning a lot of prizes in Symposia organised by other leading Institutions.

Our students won prizes in all events in the Cultural Fest organised by Rotary Club, Kumari Kalai Kazhagam, Nesamony Memorial College including overall championship. Our students won medals in various Anna University Zonal Tournaments. My kudos to faculty completed NPTEL Courses, including Toppers, Gold medals. My appreciations to students bagged orders from reputed Organizations in Drives. Congratulations to all concerned.

All the very Best

BRIDGE '25



The ICT Academy under the Information Technology and Digital Services Department of Tamil Nadu organized its 67th BRIDGE '25 Conference on "From Skilling to Global AI Leadership" at Courtyard by Marriott, Madurai, on 25th September 2025. The event was headed by Dr. Palanivel Thiaga Rajan, Minister for IT and Digital Services. Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus, Correspondent, St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, was honored as "A Pioneer in Educational Change," and Dr. R. P. Anto Kumar, Professor and Dean (Academics), received "The Best Coordinator" award. The College was also recognized as a special centre for AutoDesk and Microsoft. Various experts and educationists made the event a grand success.

Opening Ceremony

The Department of Computer Applications (MCA Programme) at St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, Chunkankadai, Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu, organized the Opening Ceremony of its New Premises on 17th September 2025 at 10 a.m. in the Bishop Leon Block. The inauguration was graced by Rev. Fr. Xavier Benedict. S, Vicar General of the Diocese of Kuzhithurai, who officially inaugurated the new premises. The ceremony was further honored by the distinguished presence of the Guests of honour, Rev. Fr. Antony M. Muthu, Diocesan Secretary, Diocese of Kuzhithurai, their valuable presence added great significance to the occasion. The program was conducted under the leadership of Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus, Correspondent of St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, and Dr. J. Maheswaran, Principal of the institution.



After the formal inauguration, Rev. Fr. Xavier Benedict. S invoked divine blessings upon the new premises. He, along with the Guests of Honour, blessed all the laboratories, classrooms, and facilities of the Department of Computer Applications. The sacred prayers and blessings marked the beginning of the department's journey in the new block, filling the atmosphere with hope, grace, and positivity for the future academic endeavors of the students and faculty.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- Asmitha L and Atchaya ADR of Final ECE won the 1st prize in the paper presentation competition held at Arunachala College of Engineering for Women on 24/09/2024.
- Asmitha L and Atchaya ADR of Final ECE won the 2nd prize in the web designing competition held at Arunachala College of Engineering for Women on 24/09/2024.
- Asmitha L of Final ECE won the 2nd prize in the connection game event held at Arunachala College of Engineering for Women on 24/09/2024.
- Asmitha L of Final ECE won the 1st prize in the Mind Pop event held at Arunachala College of Engineering for Women on 24/09/2024.
- Sreeja S of ECE and Ms.Nishika R of CSE Got Best Presentation Award in the One Day National Level Technical Symposium TICAN 2K25 Organized by Arunachala College of Engineering for Women on 10-09-2025.
- Sreeja S of ECE Got 1 st prize in MEMOSPARK competition in the One Day National Level Technical Symposium TICAN 2K25 Organized by Arunachala College of Engineering for Women on 10-09-2025.
- John Abishake D and Srinish MK of Second year AI& DS won the second prize in a paper presentation conducted by Arunachala Hi Tech College of Engineering.

NEXUS 2025

- Anton Jeffin E, J. Sergin, Adhith, Subin Dhas , Jerin Krishna won first prize in Group dance.
- Sherin Rickshiya A, Difna J, Reshma R, Ashika J won first prize in Group dance.
- John Lee David P, Shefrin Xavier A, Reslin Sheber , Sree Devi K R, Janice Sharona J, Jemimma S. Christa, Joeisha Alin R. S, won first prize in Group song.
- Nithin Ann Joe M won first prize in Photography.



SPORTS



- Table Tennis Men team won the Silver Medal in Chief minister tournament at Anna stadium held on 30/08/2025.
- Women Badminton team won the Bronze Medal in Chief minister tournament held at Konam on 02/09/2025.
- S.M.Hishala from 1st year AI won the Gold Medal in Chief Minister Swimming tournament held at Anna Stadium on 04/09/2025.
- Badminton men team won the Silver medal in Anna University zone 19 Badminton tournament held at Marthandam College of Engineering on 12/09/2025.
- Badminton women team won the Bronze medal in Anna University zone 19 Badminton tournament held at St.Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering on 18/09/2025.
- Girls' team won the Gold Medal and our boys team won the Gold Medal at the Anna University zone 19 Chess tournament held at CSI Institute of technology on 19/09/2025.
- Basketball men team won the Bronze Medal in Anna University Zone 19 Basketball tournament held at St.Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering on 30/09/2025.



ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

ELECTROS



The inauguration of ELECTROS, the association of Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE) for the academic year 2025–2026, was held on September 9, 2025, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at the Conference Hall for all ECE students. Mr. R. Cyril Xavier (Retired Assistant General Manager, BSNL & HRD Trainer) delivered an inspiring session, providing valuable ideas to help students enhance their career growth and advising them to remain emotionally strong. Mr. J. Jesim Shahin, an alumnus and Audio Visual Engineer from Dubai, emphasized the importance of setting clear goals and working consistently towards achieving them. He motivated students to prepare themselves for career opportunities and also conducted a session on the latest technologies and prospects in the field of Audio and Visual Engineering for ECE students.

FACEAT



The FACEAT Student Chapter Inauguration, organized by the Department of Civil Engineering, was successfully conducted on 24th September 2025 with the participation of 105 students and 10 faculty members. The event was graced by Er. Saravana Subbaiah as the Chief Guest, who delivered an inspiring address highlighting the importance of professional associations in enhancing students technical knowledge and career opportunities. The office bearers were introduced by Mrs. D. Smiline Shiny faculty advisor/FACEAT. The year plan was read by Ms. R.T. Sreedharsha, President/FACEAT&P. The program concluded with a vote of thanks, acknowledging the efforts of faculty, student organizers, and participants for making the event a success.

MEGX



The Mechanical Engineers' Guild of Xavier's (MEGX) inaugurated its activities for 2025–2026 on September 19, 2025, at the Conference Hall with 268 participants. The event began with a prayer song by the MEGX choir, followed by a welcome address by Mr. Jeffrin Diaz Savio. Dr. G. Shanthos Kumar introduced the office bearers, and Secretary Mr. S. S. Vaishnav presented the annual report. Chief Guest Mr. K. Rajesh Sundar, Managing Director of Veiyon Smart Solution, and Alumnus Dr. V. V. Monikandan delivered inspiring addresses. Felicitations were offered by Vice Principal Dr. V. Christus Jeya Singh, followed by the Presidential Address from Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus. Mr. S. c. Aadi Krishnan proposed the vote of thanks, and the ceremony concluded with the college anthem.

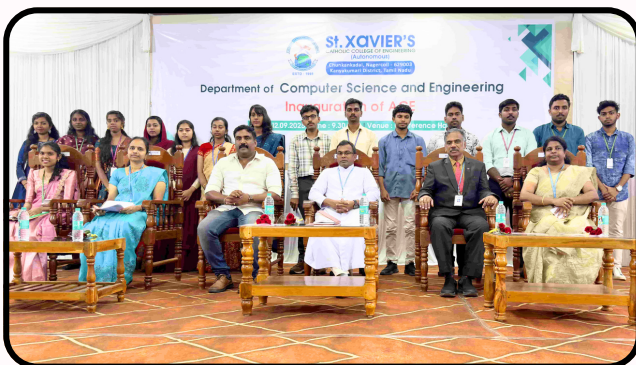
XACA

The installation ceremony of XACA (Xavier's Association of Computer Applications) was conducted on 01/09/2025. Our correspondent, Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus, appreciated the students for their active participation in various events and encouraged them to continue enhancing their skills for future success. The Principal, Dr. J. Maheswaran, delivered the special address, emphasizing the importance of academic and extracurricular activities. The Chief Guest, Mr. P.L. Monish, Senior Consultant at UST, Trivandrum, delivered a talk on the benefits of LinkedIn Profile, and the job opportunities available in the IT industry.



ACE

The Association of Computer Engineers (ACE) organized a vibrant event attended by nearly 500 participants, including students, faculty, and dignitaries. The program began with traditional rituals and performances, followed by inspiring speeches from the chief guest, Mr. Michael Jerin Thiburtius, and other key figures. New office bearers were introduced, and the Principal felicitated the association for its contributions to technical excellence. The afternoon featured various technical and non-technical competitions, encouraging creativity and teamwork among students. Overall, the event set a positive tone for a year of learning, innovation, and collaboration.



BRIGITZ

The BRIGITZ Association of the Department of Information Technology was formally inaugurated on September 19, 2025. The ceremony, held from 9:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., was a resounding success, bringing together students, faculty, and distinguished guests. A key part of the ceremony was an insightful seminar on "Software Testing". The session was highly beneficial, with 181 students and 14 faculty members actively participating and gaining valuable knowledge on these crucial topics for the modern tech landscape.



REACH

The Department of Civil Engineering organized the inauguration of the REACH Association for 2025-2026 on 11-09-2025 at 2.30 p.m. in Rock Auditorium. The program began with a Prayer Song, Welcome Dance, and Lighting of the Kuthuvilakku, followed by the Welcome Address, introduction of office bearers, and presentation of the Year Plan. Dr. I. Jessy Mol (HOD, Civil) introduced the Chief Guest, Dr. S. Sherlin Prem Nishold, who spoke on career opportunities in Civil Engineering. Felicitation and addresses were delivered by the Principal and the Correspondent. The event included Prize Distribution and concluded with a Vote of Thanks and the College Anthem.



Society of Electrical Engineers 26 th inauguration ceremony was organised on 12-9-2025. The inauguration started at 11.00 a.m in the EEE Deparment seminar Hall with prayer song. Head of the department Dr.S.V.Kayalvizhi welcomed the gathering with inspiration and enthusiasm. The SEE Faculty advisor Dr.M.John Bosco introduced the SEE office bearers and gave a brief note on the objectives of SEE. The SEE secretary Mr.R,Aksho Shelgin read the annual plan. The Inaugural address was given by our principal Dr.J.Maheswaran. The Chief Guest address was given by Shri .P. Chinnadurai, Deputy Officer(IREL(India)Ltd Manavalakurichi, The Special guest was our alumni Er..H.Fevin ,Village Administrative officer, Kalklam Taluk and Er.HariKrishnan Nair,Programmer Analyst,CTS Chennai. The Presidential Address was given by Our Correspondent Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus.He motivated the students to participate in various technical activities and explore with new innovations.The SEE Executive member,M.A.Amritha Varshiny thanked the gathering.



Engineers Day

The 58th Engineers' Day Celebrations and Award Function, organized by The Institution of Engineers (India), Kanyakumari Local Centre (IEI KKLC), was held with great enthusiasm on Monday, 15th September 2025. The event commenced at 2:40 PM with rendition of the Tamil Thai Vazhthu, setting a respectful tone for the proceedings.

The Engineers Day was celebrated on 15 September 2025 by the SXCCE ACM (124771) and ACM-W (190059) Student Chapters. On that day, competitions were conducted for ACM members, including idea presentation on 'Empowering Innovation Through Engineering Excellence' and Quiz. These competitions were organized by the office bearers of the ACM and ACM-W chapters under the guidance of A.Anitha, the Faculty Sponsor of ACM, and C. Renit, the Faculty Sponsor of ACM-W.



As part of the Engineers' Day celebration on 15-09-2025, students of Radio Club highlighted the significance of the day and the vital role of engineers in society. The program featured a quiz on recent technological inventions from 2015 to 2025, a poem titled 'Engineers – The Creators', and an engaging conversation on how engineers contribute to shaping the world.

APP LAUNCH



Department of Artificial Intelligence and Data Science together with the Artificial Intelligence and Data Science Association of Xavierians (ADAX), has successfully **launched the Augmented Reality Learning Book Project and App at Geo Kids School**. The launch was honored by the presence of the Correspondent, the Principal of St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, and the Head of the Department of AI & DS, who officially inaugurated the AR Learning Book and App. Their support and encouragement added immense value to this milestone achievement.

On September 3rd, 2025, the Jyothis Club celebrated Onam , **Thei Thaka'25** at the Conference Hall under the guidance of Faculty Advisor Dr. Vidhya J P. The day began with an athapookalam competition featuring 83 teams, followed by the distribution of Onam Kheer. The formal function commenced at 2:30 pm with a welcome address by the Secretary Albin Ram of final Civil and the presidential address by the Correspondent Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus. Cultural programs by students added vibrancy, and the dignitaries Dr. J. Maheswaran ,Principal and Dr. V. Christus Jeyasingh ,Vice Principal felicitated the gathering. Prizes were awarded to the competition winners, and the event concluded with a vote of thanks by the Joint Secretary Thushara Thampi of final CSE.

THEI THAKA'25



XIBITA 10.0



St Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering had organized the Management Fest Xibita 10.0 on 30/09/2025. The Inaugural session started by 10.00 a.m. with a prayer song and Ms. Sanjana Z the Student Secretary of XIBITA 10.0 delivered the welcome address. The Organizing Secretary of XIBITA 10.0 Dr. Subi Mol G S Asst. Prof. gave an insight about XIBITA 10.0. Principal Dr. J. Maheswaran felicitated the gathering. Ms.S.Jasmine Suguna, HOD of Management Studies introduced the Chief Guest and the function was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Mr.Ashok Paskalraj, the founder of ZyNerd, Chennai, delivered an inspiring speech emphasizing the values of excellence, dedication, and commitment in all endeavours. Correspondent Rev. Fr. S. Godwin Selva Justus, delivered the Presidential address. The Inaugural session ended with vote of thanks by Mr. Bijolin Bin Sam R, the Student Secretary of XIBITA 10.0.

The Inauguration of Non-Professional Cells was held on 04 September 2025 at 2:30 pm in the Conference Hall, SXCCE. The event began with a prayer song by the St. Xavier's Choir, a welcome dance by the Fine Arts Club, and the ceremonial lighting of the lamp. Ms. Y. Safrin Fathima (Women Cell Secretary) welcomed the gathering, followed by an introductory talk by Dr. V. Christus JeyaSingh (Vice Principal) and introduction of office bearers. Felicitations were delivered by Dr. J. Maheswaran (Principal) and Rev. Fr.Xavier Raj (Bursar). Rev. Fr. Godwin Selva Justus (Correspondent) delivered the presidential address, highlighting the role of non-professional cells in holistic student growth. Mr. R. Sanjai (Tamil Mantram Chairperson) proposed the vote of thanks, and the programme concluded with the college anthem

Non-Professional Cells Inauguration



SEMINAR

The Association of Computer Engineers, organized a Seminar on **Emerging Technologies for Innovation** on 25th September 2025. The sessions were conducted by Ms. Abisekha Melfin, AR/VR Developer & Trainer, from Netcom Computers, Tirunelveli. With interactive sessions, students gained valuable insights into the world of AR/VR and digital marketing, exploring how these emerging technologies drive innovation and future opportunities.

The Association of Computer Engineers, organized an Orientation Program on **Global Certification Training for Innovation** on 25th September 2025. The session was led by Mrs. N. Manochitra, CEO of ISYSWAY Technologies, Thanjavur, who highlighted the importance of global certifications in enhancing innovation, industry readiness, and career growth. The program provided valuable insights into aligning academic learning with international standards, inspiring students to pursue certifications that strengthen their professional profiles.



The Association of Computer Engineers, organized a seminar on **"Ethical Challenges of Dark Patterns in ML and the Future of Innovation"** on 23rd & 24th September 2025. The session was conducted by Mr. Chandran, Project Manager, Infant Technology, who highlighted the ethical concerns of dark patterns in machine learning and their impact on innovation. The seminar encouraged students to think critically about responsible AI practices and the future role of ethics in technology.

The Association of Computer Engineers, organized a Seminar on **Master Class in Full Stack Python Development for Innovation** from 24th to 26th September 2025. The session was conducted by Ms. Aani, Team Leader, Educadd Marthandam, focusing on hands-on skills in Full Stack Python development to drive creativity, innovation, and real-world applications. This master class was a great opportunity for students to strengthen their coding expertise and explore entrepreneurial possibilities with Python.

The Association of Computer Engineers, conducted a seminar on **"AWS Essentials for Startups and Entrepreneurs"** on 23rd September 2025. The session was led by Mr. Thanga Paresh, Technical Trainer, Jclicksolutions, Nagercoil, who provided valuable insights on leveraging AWS cloud services to build, scale, and sustain innovative startup solutions. The seminar empowered students with practical knowledge to explore entrepreneurship through cloud innovation.



The Association of Computer Engineers, organized a seminar on **"Transforming Ideas into Startups with Data Analytics using Python"** on 23rd September 2025. The session was delivered by Mrs. Vindhiya, Senior Technical Trainer, Jelicksolutions, Nagercoil, who shared valuable insights on how data analytics can power entrepreneurship and innovation. Students gained practical knowledge on leveraging Python for analytics and turning ideas into impactful startup solutions.

The Association of Computer Engineers, organized a seminar on **Social Media Awareness in the Era of Innovation** on 22nd September 2025. The session was led by Mr. Antony Johith Joles, Software Developer and Technical Trainer from G-TEC Computer Education, Nagercoil, who highlighted the responsible use of social media, the importance of privacy, security, and managing digital footprints. With active participation from 110 students and 3 faculty members, the seminar provided valuable insights on how social media contributes to innovation and entrepreneurship, while encouraging safe and productive online engagement.

The Computer Society of India (CSI) – Student Chapter organized a Workshop on **"Ideate to Innovate: Bringing Ideas to Life with Canva"** on 13th September 2025. The session was headed by Mr. J. J. Antan Kawin, Final Year CSE, who inspired participants to unlock their creativity and explore innovative design possibilities using Canva. It was an engaging and hands-on session that enabled students to bring their ideas to life with impactful designs.

WORKSHOP

The Xavier's Management Association (XMA), organized a workshop on the topic of **career ready-skills** on 10/09/2025 at MBA Lab. The resource person Mr. Arivalagan.D started the workshop by giving insights about the steps to enter into top MNC company. He also explained about the qualities top companies look for.



The Association of Computer Engineers organized a **Hands-on Workshop on Innovative UI/UX Prototyping with Figma** on 23rd September 2025. The session was led by Mr. Vignesh, Technical Trainer, Jclicksolutions, Nagercoil, who guided students through practical design approaches in UI/UX using Figma. With enthusiastic participation, the workshop enhanced creativity, design thinking, and prototyping skills, empowering students to innovate and build user-friendly digital solutions.

A workshop on **"SCI LAB"** was held on 13th of September 2025 in the EEE simulation Laboratory. It was organized by IEI and FOSSEE professional cells. Workshop started sharply at 9:30AM. The speaker was Dr.Jain B Marshel, Assistant Professor of St.Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, Nagercoil.



A Workshop on **"Entrepreneurship and Innovation"** as Career Opportunity was conducted by MSME in association with IIC, on 26/09/2025, from 09.00 am to 04.15 pm. for students at Einstein Seminar Hall. Mr. R Robert, Convenor, Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Cell (IEDC), Stella Mary's College of Engineering, inspire students to consider entrepreneurship as a viable career path. The resource person shared valuable insights on innovation, startup ecosystem, and real-world challenges. Participants actively engaged in discussions and gained motivation to pursue entrepreneurial ventures. The workshop highlighted the importance of creativity, risk-taking, and problem-solving in entrepreneurship.



The ISTE Cell organized a workshop on **"Unlocking Creativity through Brainstorming"** on 13th September 2025. The session was handled by Er. Sobin J. M., CEO of Rexknar Creative Solutions, as the resource person. A total of 28 students from the ISTE Cell participated in the program. In the afternoon, a series of competitions were conducted, including Slogan Writing and AI Prompt Writing to commemorate World Ozone Day. Ms.Pooja from second IT gave a seminar on World Ozone Day. Additionally, Technical Connection and a Quiz were organized in connection with Engineers' Day, and prizes were awarded to the winners. The event was successfully coordinated by Dr. T. Ajitha, Faculty Advisor of ISTE, and concluded at 4:15 p.m.

A workshop on **"Fostering Creative Solutions: Building No-Code Chatbots for Startups"** was organized by BRIGITZ on 23rd September 2025 for final year IT students. Ms. Merin Vincy W, Assistant Head, Zitacad, served as the resource person. The session provided hands-on training in creating chatbots using no-code platforms, enhancing students' creativity and entrepreneurial skills. A total of 60 students and 6 staff members benefited from the program.



The **Maaperum Tamil Kanavu 2025** programme, jointly organized by the Tamil Development Department and District Administration, was held on 11th September 2025 at St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, Chunkankadai. The event aimed to promote pride in Tamil language and culture. It began with Tamil prayers, oath-taking, and a Tamil Perumitham. Thiru. Balachandran (Retd. IAS) delivered an inspiring address on "Vizhalukku Neer Paaithi Maaya Maattom." Dignitaries lit the lamp, honored achievers, and encouraged students. Various Tamil oratory and quiz competitions were conducted, and the event concluded with prize distribution and the national anthem.

The Five-Day **International Level Faculty Development Programme** organized by the Department of Management studies, St. Xavier's Catholic college of Engineering on "Artificial Intelligence and Applications in Management" started on 22nd Sept 2025 and comes to an conclusion on 26th Sept 2025, concluded successfully with the gracious presence and contribution of eminent speakers from academia and industry. The FDP aimed to enrich faculty members, research scholars and PG students with contemporary knowledge, practical insights, and research-based practices across diverse domains. The five-day FDP witnessed the active participation of around 31 faculty members from other colleges and 107 members from our college making the programme highly engaging and impactful.



The **Magazine Review event**, organized by the Readers Club, was held on 27th September 2025 with the objective of engaging students in the critical analysis of magazine content. 'Arogya Ulagam' magazine was selected for review, a monthly Tamil magazine covering topics in health, knowledge, and information, was selected for review. The resource person of this event Mrs. Jasmine Suguna, HOD / MBA, SXCCE.

A seminar on **"Video Editing"** for the second-year IT students was organized by BRIGITZ on 25th September 2025, with Ms. Jabalin Dagesha, Technical Trainer, as the resource person.

The Constitution Club organized a **"Seminar on Evolving Constitutional Values and Social Justice in the Modern Indian Legal Framework"** on 09/09/2024 at 1:00 PM. The program highlights the dynamic nature of constitutional values such as equality, liberty, justice, and fraternity, and explores their application in addressing present-day socio-legal challenges. Dr. M. Babima, faculty advisor of the Constitution Club, welcomed the gathering. The resource person, Adv. I. T. Jeyashree, elaborated on the importance of how constitutional principles continue to shape and influence contemporary Indian society.

ORIENTATION/MOTIVATION

GATE Training Cell organized **GATE Orientation Program** on 12th & 16th September 2025, conducted for students of all disciplines through eight engaging sessions, ensuring maximum participation and benefit. The sessions, led by Dr. A. Jegatheesh, ALC Academy was highly impactful. He guided students through the GATE exam pattern, demonstrated effective use of the virtual calculator, highlighted common mistakes and how to avoid them, explained the design of questions and time allotment, and shared smart preparation tips to maximize performance. It was truly inspiring to see students from all disciplines actively participate and gear up for GATE 2026 with enthusiasm and confidence.

Motivational programme for first year professionals by the Correspondent and Principal was conducted on 16/09/2025 and 18/09/2025. Nearly 764 participants benefitted through this programme. Students were motivated to do well in the exams and also to enrich them to communicate well in English in and around the campus.

An orientation program on saving energy was conducted with the theme **"Innovate to Conserve"**. The objective of the program is to enrich the student members with energy saving and cultivate their innovations to conservation. Around 46 students have participated in the program and participated in poster making contest and quiz competitions. Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean-Research, addressed the gathering with the present energy scenario. Dr. V. Jesus Bobin, AP/EEE addressed the gatherings with the recent innovations in conserving energy. Dr. M. Abragam Siyon Sing explained about the IGEN projects and the way of executing them.

An awareness program (seminar) on MSME schemes as **Catalysts for Entrepreneurial Success** was organised on 21.08.25 by MSME in the EEE seminar hall for the aspiring students from all branches. The resource person was Mr. S. Ajith Kumar, Managing Director of ASK Solutions and master trainer -EDII. He exposed the students to the different schemes purported by the MSME for financing the Start-ups. He made a detailed presentation of the special features of each scheme and the eligibility criteria for applying for them. Totally 94 students from different disciplines were present for the program..

CII-YI-YUVA organized an inspiring Motivational Session titled **"From Idea to Impact"** on 27-09-2025 at Embedded Lab, aimed at motivating students to transform innovative ideas into impactful ventures. The session was led by Mr. Satheesh Kumar, Founder & CEO of Karka Academy & Agile Tribers, Nagercoil, and Mr. Ebenezer Bright, Founder of Helping Stone Life & Career Discovery, who shared their entrepreneurial journeys, experiences, and strategies for turning ideas into reality. The interactive session provided students with practical insights into creativity, perseverance, and execution. Participants engaged actively, gaining confidence and inspiration to take their ideas from imagination to real-world impact, fostering an entrepreneurial mindset and vision for future ventures.

SHAX, the department association of Humanities and Sciences, conducted a **Science Talk** to the first year B.E/ B.Tech. students, under the topic 'Chemistry in Daily Life' on 13/09/2025 from 9am to 12.15 pm under 2 sessions at Rock Auditorium, in order to enrich and to acquire basic science knowledge. Nearly 602 first year B.E./B.Tech students and staff were benefitted through this programme. Also the resource person created an awareness about the drawbacks using drugs by the students. Dr.N.Manonmani, Associate professor & and Head of the department of Chemistry, Govt. Arts & Science College, Kanyakumari was the Resource person.



INDUSTRIAL VISIT



As part of the academic curriculum, a group of 62 students with 4 faculty members from Electronics and Communication department of St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering visited the Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant, located in Tirunelveli district, Tamil Nadu on 12-09-2025. The objective of the visit was to gain practical exposure to nuclear power generation, its safety systems, and its role in India's energy sector.



The Build Expo'23 was organized by the Builder's Association of India, Kanyakumari Centre from 19/09/2023 to 21/09/2025. The second and third year and final year of students Civil Engineering department had a visit to the Build Expo on 19/08/2023 at around 1:00 p.m. The exhibition showcased various Building Materials, Interior & Exteriors, Construction Equipments, Construction Technologies & Architectural Techniques, Builders & Promoters.



The REACH Association, Department of Civil Engineering, organized a local industrial visit on 13.09.2025 to India Cements Limited, Sankar Nagar, with 58 students and 4 faculty members. Students observed key units such as the kiln, cooler, and packing area, and learned about the cement production process, including raw material preparation, clinker production, cooling, grinding, and packing. The visit also highlighted air pollution control systems like ESPs, bag filters, and dust collectors. Overall, the visit provided valuable insights into both technical aspects of cement production and environmental management practices, effectively linking classroom learning with industry applications.



As part of the academic activities, Third year Electronics and Communication Engineering (A & B) students visited C-DAC, Bangalore and Christ University, Bengaluru on 25.09.2025 and 26.09.2025. This visit bridged the gap between academic learning and practical exposure, reinforcing the relevance of Electronics and Communication Engineering in both industry and academia.

The Department of Computer Applications of St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering had organized a tour to Kodaikanal, Alappuzha, and Varkala for the second year MCA students from 16/09/2025 to 20/09/2025.

The REACH Association, Department of Civil Engineering, organized an industrial visit on 25.09.2025 to the National Highway construction site at Putheri and Chunkankadai. A total of 42 students and 3 faculty members participated in the visit, with two college buses arranged for transportation. The Project Engineer briefed the students on key aspects of highway construction, including structural drawings, reinforcement methods, subgrade preparation, and foundation treatment. Students also observed an innovative section of the highway built over an existing pond, demonstrating effective engineering and site management practices. The visit provided valuable practical exposure to highway construction techniques and enhanced students' understanding of real-world civil engineering applications.

STAFF ACHIEVEMENT



Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean (Research), St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, Nagercoil, received the **Best Teacher Award (Engineering) – 2025** for his outstanding contributions to engineering education, research, and innovation at The Engineers Day Celebration 2025, organized by the Institution of Engineers (India), Tamil Nadu State Centre, held on 28th September 2025 at Sandesh Hall, Hotel Savera, Chennai. This recognition stands as a testament to his commitment to academic excellence, mentorship, and leadership in promoting research and professional development among engineering students and faculty. The event commemorated the birth anniversary of Sir M. Visvesvaraya, the eminent engineer, statesman, and Bharat Ratna awardee.



Mr. G. Vergin Antony George, ECE has achieved an exceptional milestone by securing the **State Eligibility Test (SET)** with excellent performance. This outstanding accomplishment is a testament to his dedication, hard work, and expertise in their field of study. Congratulations on this significant achievement.

RESOURCE PERSON

- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research acted as a Chief Guest for IEI Civil Engineering Chapter Inauguration at Stella Mary's College of Engineering - IEI Civil Engineering Chapter on 02/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research gave an Introductory Seminar for TN Global Startup Summit 2025 held at TN Start-up Road Show at SXCCE on 08/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research acted as a Chief Guest for IEI Mechanical Engineering Chapter Inauguration at Stella Mary's College of Engineering - IEI Mechanical Engineering Chapter on 09/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research conducted Career Guidance for 11th ,12th Students at King CBSE School, VALLIYOOR on 10/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research conducted Seminar on EV and its Research Areas at Rohini College of Engineering on 12/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research conducted Seminar on, Deep Tech and Engineering Excellence at IEI Kanyakumari Local Centre - Engineers Day on 15/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research conducted Seminar on "Importance of Bamboo Trees" at World Bamboo Day event held at SXCCE, organized by EnSav Club on 18/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research conducted Academic Guidance for Eminent Institutions at GCE Tirunelveli, Governing Board on 24/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research conducted Career Guidance for NSS Students at Govt Hr Sec School, Anaikuzhi on 27/09/2025
- Dr. M. Marsaline Beno, Dean Research attended Kumari Maha Sabha General Body Meeting for KK District Development at IRE ,Manavalkurichi on 13/09/2025

BOOK PUBLICATION

Ms. C. Renit, Assistant Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering Authored a book titled “Data Transmission in Digital Video Broadcasting Systems” published by LAP Lambert Academic Publishing, United Kingdom (ISBN: 978-6208450397 Paperback: 148 pages)

NPTEL RESULT

102 faculty members successfully completed various NPTEL courses from July to September 2025, achieving Elite and Silver. The Toppers are Dr. Sheen Kumar, Dr.S.Absa, Mrs. Asha Alice, Mrs. Hemcy Mol, Dr.Bergin Magizha, Dr. Jesus Bobin, Mrs. Bencika, Dr. Annrose, Dr. Sobini X Puspha, Dr. A.Milton, Mrs. Jencewin, Mrs. Renuka, Dr.Sreeja and Mrs. Baby Lisha

COE ACTIVITIES

April/May 2025 Examinations

Revaluation result was published on 11-09-2025.

Review revaluation result was published on 22-09-2025.

Nov./Dec. 2025 Examinations

Nov./Dec. 2025 end semester examinations for B.E./B.Tech., M.E., M.B.A. and M.C.A. degree programs are scheduled to be conducted as given below.

Semester 3, 5 and 7 of B.E./B.Tech. Programs - Regulations 2022

Semester 3 of M.E., M.B.A. and M.C.A. Programs - Regulations 2022

Passed Out Students of B.E./B.Tech. Programs - Regulations 2021

Passed Out Students of B.E./B.Tech. Programs - Regulations 2017

Hard and Soft Copy of PG Project Phase-I Report

Submission in the Department 29-10-2025

Practical Examinations 30-10-2025 to 07-11-2025

PG Project Phase-I Viva-Voce Examinations 07-11-2025

Commencement of Theory Examinations 11-11-2025

Semester 1 of M.E., M.B.A., M.C.A. Programs - Regulations 2022

Practical Examinations 21-11-2025 to 26-11-2025

Commencement of Theory Examinations 02-12-2025

Semester 1 of B.E./B.Tech. Programs - Regulations 2022

Practical Examinations 27-11-2025 to 05-12-2025

Commencement of Theory Examinations 09-12-2025

MERITORIOUS GRADUATE AWARD

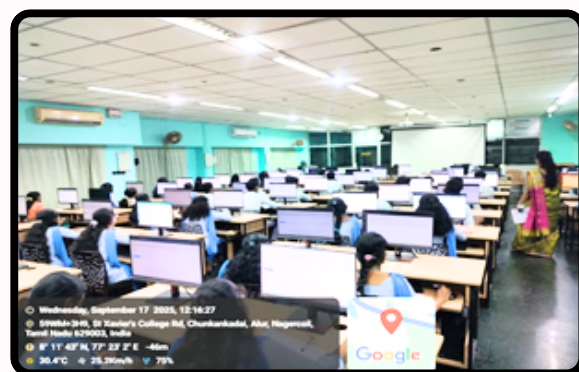
St. Xavier's Meritorious Graduate Award for School Students was presented to outstanding students from various parishes, including the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, St. Mary's Basilica Church, Mulagumoodu, Our Lady of Good Health, Ananthen Nager, Church of Our Lady of Our Good Health, Munchira, Church of St. Mathew, Pallamthurai, Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, Mokkalambadu, St. Mary Immaculate Church, Thumball, Holy Guardian Angels Church, Melpuram, Church of St. Teresa Child Jesus, Kanjampuram, World Holy Redeemers, Panavila, St. Michael's Church, Kozhiporvilai, and St. Michael's Church, Mylacode.

PLACEMENT DRIVES

Formcept Technologies – On & Pool Campus Placement Drive was conducted for B.E/B.Tech – All Depts. & MCA, M.E – All departments on 10.09.2025. Eligibility criteria was 7.5 CGPA in Degree. Salary package is Rs. 5.0 LPA (CTC) with Performance bonus of Rs.50000. Kevin Gladson K. of CSE Department was selected and provided with job offer.



Just Dial Ltd – ON CAMPUS PLACEMENT DRIVE was conducted for B.E/B.Tech – AI&DS, CSE, IT, ECE, EEE, MECH, CIVIL(Boys), MCA on 13.09.2025. Eligibility criteria 60% and above in 10th, 12th Std & 6.0 CGPA in Degree. Salary package is Rs.2.76–3.0 lakhs per annum. 57 Students were selected and provided with job offer.



Soft Square Solutions– On Campus Placement Drive was conducted for B.E/B.Tech – AI&DS, CSE, IT, ECE, EEE & MCA on 17&18.09.2025. Eligibility criteria was 60% and above in 10th,12th std & in Degree. Salary package is Rs.3.6 to 4.2 LPA (CTC). 6 Students were shortlisted for final CEO interview.

RelevantZ Technologies – Pool Campus Placement Drive was conducted for B.E/B.Tech – AI&DS, CSE, IT & MCA (2025 batch) on 19.09.2025. Eligibility criteria was 60% and above in 10th,12th std & in Degree. Salary package is Rs.2.0 lakhs per annum (CTC). 3 Students (2 from SXCCE & 1 from UCEN) were shortlisted for final interview.



Results of Previous Campus Placement Drives

H&R Block – On Campus online Pre Placement Talk was conducted on 20/08/2025 @ 2.45pm for students of B.E/B.Tech – CSE, IT, AI&DS. Eligibility criteria was 60% and above in 10th, 12th Std & 7.0 CGPA in UG/PG Degree. Salary package is Rs. 5.42 LPA (CTC). First round online test was conducted on 15.09.2025 at 12.00p.m and 16 students were shortlisted for the Technical interview.

TRAINING

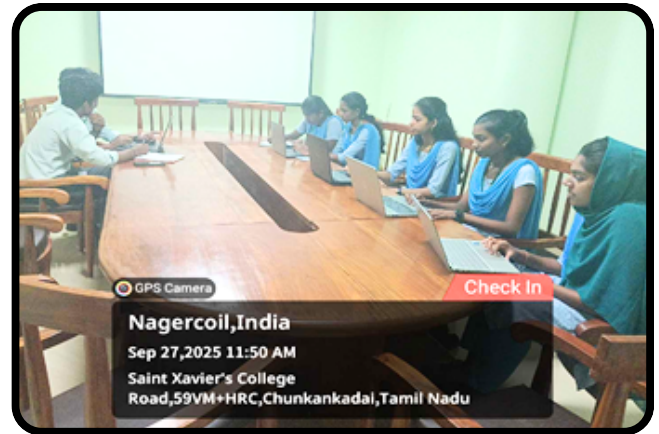


A half-day placement training on **“Soft skills – Phycology to become Employable ready Graduates”** for III-year B.E/B.Tech, I MCA, I MBA students was organized from 01.09.2025 to 22.09.2025. Mr. Cyril Xavier, Retired Assistant General Manager, BSNL & HRD Trainer trained the students and 592 students (13 batches) got benefitted. The session enabled students to gain valuable knowledge, enhance employability skills, and develop out-of-the-box creativity to face real-world challenges with confidence.



A half-day placement training on “Soft skills – Phycology to successfully write semester end exams and acquire skills for placments” for II-year B.E/B.Tech students was organized from 22.09.2025 to 29.09.2025. Mr. Cyril Xavier, Retired Assistant General Manager, BSNL & HRD Trainer trained the students and 508(7 batches) got benefitted. The session provided students with effective exam strategies, confidence-building techniques, and essential employability skills.

H & R Block-Based Company-Specific Training was conducted by Internal Trainers on 24.09.2025. A total of 16 students were shortlisted for the next round, including 9 from AI and 7 from CSE departments. The training focused on enhancing students’ employability skills, HR readiness, and problem-solving abilities required for placement success.



BLOSSOMS SPECIAL TRAINING



Blossoms Special Training Program for III Year students was conducted on 11.08.2025, 4.09.2025, and 18.09.2025. The training covered Coding (Linked List, Hash Map, Searching Algorithms), Quantitative Aptitude (Work and Wages, Age and Average, Numbers), and Verbal Ability (Reading Comprehension, Jumbled Sentences, Paragraph Formation). Worksheets were provided for practice, and an assessment on 18.09.2025 evaluated learning outcomes. A total of 90 students benefited from the sessions.

Blossoms Special Training Program for IV Year students was conducted on 03.09.2025 and 12.0-9.2025. The sessions focused on Coding (TCS NQT, Cognizant, Infosys), Quantitative Aptitude (HCL and Tech Mahindra-based Aptitude Questions), and Verbal Ability (Sentence Completion and Error Spotting). The program included interactive worksheets for hands-on practice. A total of 70 students benefited from the training initiative.



Mock Interview session for Blossom students was conducted on 27.09.2025 by Mr. Beni T. S and Mr. M.Gino, Software Developers at Zoho Corporation. The session focused on technical and behavioral questions, providing constructive feedback to help students gain confidence and improve their placement readiness.

Special online session on “Tips and Tricks to Crack a Job at Soft Square” was conducted for IV Year students on 14.09.2025 by Er. R.Raksith, Software Developer, Soft Square Solutions. The interactive session guided students through the recruitment process and provided practical strategies for placement preparation, benefiting 100 students.

CELL ACTIVITIES

The Math Club conducted a seminar on **"Innovative Applications of Mathematics in Emerging Technologies"** on 27/09/2025 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. in LH-D208, Dr. S. Petchimuthu, Assistant Professor, University College of Engineering, Nagercoil, served as the resource person. He highlighted the role of scaling in design, kernel matrices in image filtering, modular arithmetic in encryption, the sphere equation in Earth modeling, and applications of mathematics in AI. The program was successfully organized by Dr. M. Felix Nes Mabel, Faculty Advisor of the Math Club.

on 27th September 2025 the Constitution Club organized a debate on the topic **"Should Social Media Platforms be Regulated under Constitutional Safeguards of Free Speech?"**. The debate explored issues such as misinformation, hate speech, censorship, individual rights, and the responsibilities of social media platforms.

English Club in association with the Orators club organized a seminar on **"English For Entrepreneurs Navigating Global Opportunities"** was conducted on 27th September in the Einstein Seminar Hall. The program started with a prayer song. The English Club Faculty Advisor, Dr. Vidhya JP welcomed the gathering. Dr. Latha Devi R, AP/ English of UCEN was the chief guest. She pointed out the importance of English for the entrepreneurs and the various accent to be used. Master of Ceremony contest was conducted in the afternoon and prizes were given to the winners. The Program came to an end by 4 .15pm.



The Eco Club organized a seminar on **"Green Campus Initiatives"**, featuring Dr. V. Jesus Bobin as the resource person. The session focused on sustainable practices, eco-friendly solutions, and environmental conservation. Students and faculty gained valuable insights into reducing carbon footprint and promoting green technologies. The event inspired participants to contribute to a more environmentally conscious campus community, fostering a culture of sustainability and responsibility.

The Xavier's Management Association (XMA), hosted an engaging seminar on **Job Hunt Training** on 09/09/2025 at the MBA Lecture hall. The session was led by Mr. Mohamed Yoosuf, who gave the students a practical roadmap on how to prepare for their careers. His ideas and thoughts brought insights among the young minds.



A **botanical audit** was conducted on September 27, 2025, from 1 pm to 4 pm under the guidance of Ms. Innasi Lineta P., AP/IT. Participants were divided into 10 teams, which surveyed the campus area from the bus parking to the girls' hostel, identifying and documenting various plant species and fauna. The audit revealed 314 fully grown trees, 814 semi-grown trees, 629 bushes, and 6,893 shrubs. Additionally, participants spotted garden lizards, dogs, butterflies, spiders, and grasshoppers. This exercise raised awareness about campus biodiversity and promoted eco-consciousness among participants.

Suicide is a critical public health issue. Recognizing the signs and providing timely support can save lives. To raise awareness and educate the students, a **Preventing Suicidal Tendency Awareness Program** was organized by Women Cell & NSS on 10.09.25 at EEE Seminar Hall. The program aimed to inform participants about the risk factors, warning signs, and preventive measures related to suicidal tendencies.

Students of Radio club organized short speech, poem, song and quiz to highlight the **importance of education and the vital role of teachers** on 05-09-2025 in building an educated, responsible, and progressive society. Teachers Day served as an inspiration, motivating both teachers and students while strengthening the teacher-student bond.



As part of **90th year celebration of All India Radio**, Students of our college recorded a one hour program on 22-09-2025 at AIR Konam which is to be broadcasted on the special occasion. The session featured discussions on the importance of FM, a quiz on radio services and an engaging talk on its contribution to the society.



Drone Club organized a Seminar on **Drone Mechanics and Design from an Innovative Perspective** on 27-09-2025. The resource person was Mr. J. Jalbin, Assistant Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, Mar Ephraem College of Engineering and Technology. The session provided an in-depth understanding of drone mechanics, components, and design principles. The expert elaborated on innovative approaches in drone development, including aerodynamics, propulsion systems, and control mechanisms.

Women cell organized a seminar titled **security working women at work place** on 27th September 2025 to create awareness among women students. Nearly 95% of students gets placed from Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering every year. In today's fast-moving world women face a lot of security issues in their work place. This seminar will help the students to overcome and react to the situation they face in their workspace.

A two-day **Digital Marketing seminar** was held on 16-17 September 2025 with experts from ALO Infotech, Nagercoil, including Ms. Shalini, Mr. Sudheep S. P, and Mr. Ahin P. M. The session introduced students to digital marketing, highlighting its advantages over traditional methods. Key topics like SEO, SMM, Content, Email, and Affiliate Marketing were discussed with practical examples. Students participated in a hands-on activity, creating marketing strategies for their own business ideas. The seminar was engaging, informative, and provided valuable insights into the digital marketing landscape.

On 27th September 2025, the Radio Club organized an enlightening session titled "**Discussion on Social Issues**". The guest speaker for the event was Mrs. Nanjil Cebi an entrepreneur and CEO & Founder Zia Trends.

Hands on training on "**Cyber Security and Ethical Hacking**" was conducted for ACM and ACM-W students on 13-09-2025 from 9.00am to 4.15pm. The resource person is Mr. Arun. M. R, Technical Lead, Logos Technologies. A seminar on Cyber Security and Ethical Hacking was conducted, providing participants with hands-on insights into modern security threats. The session covered topics such as password vulnerabilities, camera and Wi-Fi attacks, and practical demonstrations of hacking techniques. The speaker emphasized the importance of cybersecurity awareness, ethical practices, and responsible handling of digital systems. The seminar helped participants understand both the risks and the protective measures essential in today's digital world. He also explained the career opportunities in this field.

A workshop on "**Responsive Web Design with Bootstrap**" for the final year IT students was organized by BRIGITZ on 22nd September 2025 with Ms. Akshaya, Python Developer, Feather Soft as the resource person.

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