FDP on "Disruptive Technologies & Inculcating Life Skills"



# **COMPUTER SOCIETY OF INDIA**

COIMBATORE CHAPTER

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Computer Society of India – Coimbatore Chapter cordially invites you to the One Day Faculty Development Programme on "Disruptive Technologies & Inculcating Life Skills" on Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> October 2019 at CSI Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Vyshnav Complex, Race Course Road, Coimbatore – 18.

With the fast pacing development in digital technologies, it is essential to up skill faculty members in this domain in all departments of engineering and technology, in addition to faculty of computer science in Arts and Science Colleges as well. Also, apart from technical skills, faculty members also need to impart knowledge on Life Skills to help students to effectively face the challenges of everyday life. With these in mind, CSI Coimbatore Chapter is organizing this One Day Faculty Development Programme on "Disruptive Technologies & Inculcating Life Skills".

# AGENDA

#### Session I - 10:00 am to 11:15 am – Artificial Intelligence

Resource person: Mr. Santhosh Naganathan, Senior Manager –Cognizant Digital Business – Cognizant Technology Solutions

Tea Break - 11:15 am to 11:30 am

# Session II - 11:30 am to 1:00 pm – Machine Learning

Resource person: Mr. Santhosh Naganathan, Senior Manager – Cognizant Digital Business – Cognizant Technology Solutions

# Lunch – 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

# Session III – 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm - Inculcating Life Skills

Resource Person: Mr. R. Saravana Kumar, CEO, Sarvam Institute of ENT & Research, Former Director - Cognizant Technology Solutions

#### **Registration:**

Please confirm your participation by online registration or through e-mail. For further information kindly contact: **9489831307** e-mail: office@csi-cbe.org

#### **Registration Fee:**

- Rs.400/- for CSI members and faculty from CSI institutional members
- Rs.500/- for others
- The fee includes GST, kit and working lunch

# **Online registration Link:**

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# Speakers' Profile

#### Mr. Santhosh Naganathan

Mr. Santhosh Naganathan, is the Senior Cloud Architect at Cognizant, Coimbatore. As part of the Cognizant Digital Business vertical – Artificial Intelligence and Analytics, Mr. Santhosh is working towards creating a human-centric digital experience. Apart from AI and Analytics, he has also worked on Agile Methodologies, Test Automation and Test-driven development. He holds certifications of Microsoft Azure Solutions, Apache Spark and Hadoop Developer, IBM SOA Architect, Professional Scrum Master, Big Data Analytics and Prince 2.

Santhosh has 18 years of experience with multiple organizations – Cap Gemini, Tesco, UK and IMR Global, Bangalore. Santhosh has completed his BE (Computer Science) from Sri Ramakrishna College of Engineering and also completed his MBA (Retail and Supply Chain) from Indian Institute of Commerce and Trade. During his career, he has played various roles as Consultant, Test Manager, Program Delivery Manager, Scrum Master, Enterprise Services – Technology Manager, etc.

#### Mr. Saravana Kumar

Mr. Saravana Kumar is the CEO of Sarvam Institute of ENT & Research, Coimbatore, previously the Director of Cognizant Technology Solutions. He has around 30 years of global and progressive leadership experience in managing large programs and engagements in various capacities for Fortune 500 companies as IS Specialist, IT Manager, Test Manager, Project Manager, Program Manager, Delivery Manager, Account Manager and Director. He has rich experience in managing and delivering IT projects in Retail, Financial Services, Telecom, Printing/Publishing, Manufacturing, Mobility and Healthcare domains. He holds a Master's degree (MCA) from PSG College of Technology, and is an active PSG Tech Alumnus and Board of Studies Member. He has effectively conducted training on "Soft Skills" for Arts & Science, Engineering and Medical College students and faculty.

Saravana Kumar has co-authored books on Information Technology published by S.Chand and Company, New Delhi. He is also a Social Entrepreneur, Management Committee member of RAAC (Residents Awareness Association of Coimbatore) and has played vital roles in promoting urban forests, waste management, spreading awareness and in providing the much-needed support during natural disasters like flood and cyclone. He is the ambassador for "Swachh Bharath" for Coimbatore Ward No:63. He has been an integral part of C4TN (Coimbatore for Tamil Nadu), a group of highly committed volunteers from 60 NGOs and organizations of Coimbatore who joined together and formed a Federation of Voluntary Associations of Coimbatore and supported victims of natural disasters like Chennai flood, Kerala flood and Gaja Cyclone.