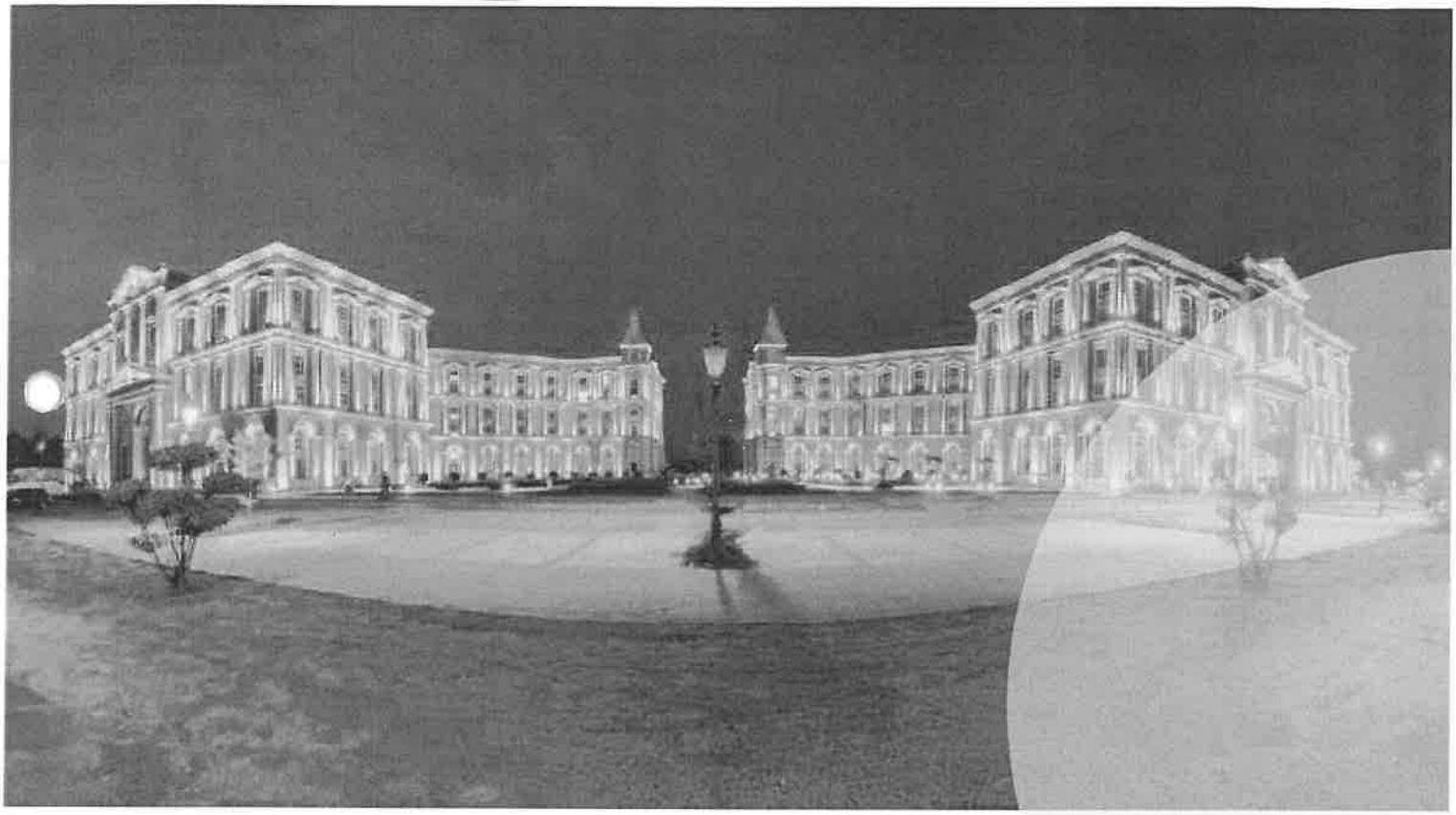
DAYANANDA SAGAR
UNIVERSITY



"INAUGURATION OF RAISE CLUB"

(Responsible Artificial Intelligence for Sustainability & Social Entrepreneurship)

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Department of Computer Science & Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)

Date of Event (16th April 2026)

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COORDINATORS

Faculty Coordinators:

- **Dr. A.A. Nippun Kumar,** Associate Professor CSE (AI&ML)
- **Dr. M. Lakshmanan,** Assistant Professor CSE (AI&ML)

Club Core Team (Students)

- CEO: Syed Amaan, Second Year, CSE(AI&ML)
- COO: Suhail Khan, Second Year, CSE(AI&ML)
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- Secretary: Dhruthi Sharath Kumar, Second Year, CSE(AI&ML)
- Treasurer: Poorvik B. S., Third Year, CSE(AI&ML)

1. Introduction of the Event.

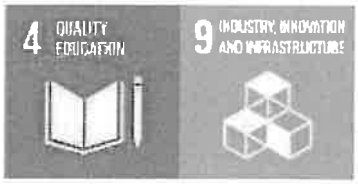
The event marked the official inauguration of the RAISE student club and its core initiative, RAISE (Responsible Artificial Intelligence for Sustainability and Social Entrepreneurship), organized by the Department of Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning), Dayananda Sagar University. Hosted by students Dhruthi Sharath Kumar and Sheikh Fahima Tasnim, the programme highlighted the club's vision of bridging the gap between academic learning and practical implementation.

RAISE was introduced as a dynamic platform that encourages students to ideate, build, deploy, and present AI-driven solutions within a limited timeframe, creating an ecosystem similar to a startup incubator rather than a conventional student club. The launch of the club reflects the growing importance of Artificial Intelligence in shaping future careers, innovation, and sustainable development. It is expected to create a vibrant environment where students collaborate, innovate, and transform ideas into impactful real-world solutions.

2. Objective of the Event

The inauguration event was organized with the following objectives:

- To officially launch the RAISE Club and introduce its vision, mission, and planned activities to students and faculty members.



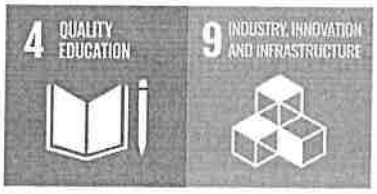
- To create awareness about the importance of Artificial Intelligence in sustainability, innovation, and social entrepreneurship.
- To inspire students to actively participate in club initiatives, projects, workshops, and competitions.
- To provide a platform for interaction between students, faculty, and industry experts.
- To encourage innovation, leadership, teamwork, and entrepreneurial thinking among students.
- To motivate students to develop real-world AI solutions that create social and environmental impact.

3. Beneficiaries of the Event.

- **Students:** Gain practical exposure to AI tools, startup culture, teamwork, leadership opportunities, and real-world problem solving.
- **Faculty & Institution:** Enhances the academic ecosystem through innovation-driven activities, research opportunities, and stronger industry-academia partnerships.
- **Industry Partners:** Gain access to fresh ideas, student talent, and collaborative solutions for real business challenges.
- **Society & Environment:** Benefits from sustainable, socially responsible, and technology-driven solutions developed through the club.
- **University Community:** Creates a culture of innovation, entrepreneurship, and interdisciplinary collaboration across campus.

4. Details of the Guests

- **Dr. Gopi Prasad Srinivasan** – ESG head at Provident Housing Limited (Puravankara Group).
- **Mr. Vinod Shankar** – CEO, AIC-DSU Innovation Foundation.
- **Mr. Surya Prakash Bhandari** – CTO of Earthloka and Founder & CEO of Zenveda Technologies.



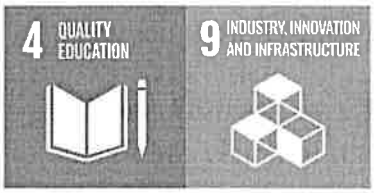
5. Brief Description of the event

The inauguration ceremony featured a series of inspiring and informative sessions cantered on Artificial Intelligence, sustainability, entrepreneurship, and student innovation. The programme was conducted with great enthusiasm in the presence of distinguished guests, faculty members, and students.

The event commenced with a warm welcome to the dignitaries, followed by the formal inauguration of the RAISE Club. The speakers shared valuable insights on the growing role of Artificial Intelligence in transforming industries, solving real-world challenges, and creating opportunities for young innovators.

- **Welcome Address:** Dr. Jayavrinda Vrindavanam V. formally welcomed the guests and emphasized the significance of the RAISE framework in the present AI era.
- **Keynote Address:** Dr. Gopi Prasad Srinivasan spoke about the influence of AI on society, responsible innovation, and the need to address environmental and social challenges.
- **Special Address:** Mr. Vinod Shankar encouraged students to utilize the university's innovation ecosystem, incubation support, and upcoming AI infrastructure to build impactful ventures.
- **Guest Talk:** Mr. Surya Prakash Bhandari inspired students to view AI as an enabling tool and to focus on execution, creativity, and solving real-world problems.
- **Official Launch Ceremony:** The club logo was unveiled, followed by the introduction and recognition of the student core committee members.
- **Vision Address by CEO:** Syed Amaan presented the roadmap, upcoming activities, and long-term vision of the club.
- **Vote of Thanks:** Dr. M. Lakshmanan expressed gratitude to the dignitaries, organizers, faculty members, and participants for making the event successful.

The event also served as a platform to motivate students to think beyond academics and actively engage in innovation-driven activities. It concluded with a group photograph and enthusiastic participation from students and faculty members, marking the successful beginning of the RAISE Club journey.



6. Photographs

Figure 1 – Welcome Address by Dr. Jayavrinda Vrindavanam V, Chairperson, CSE(AI&ML).



Figure 2 – Keynote Address by Dr. Gopi Prasad Srinivasan, Chief Guest



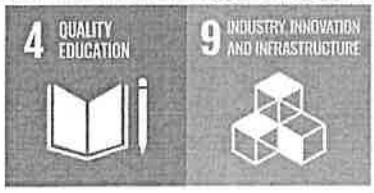
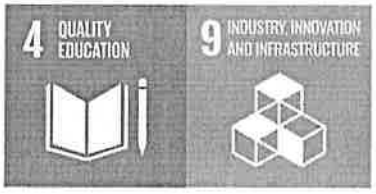


Figure 3. Introduction of the Chief Guest

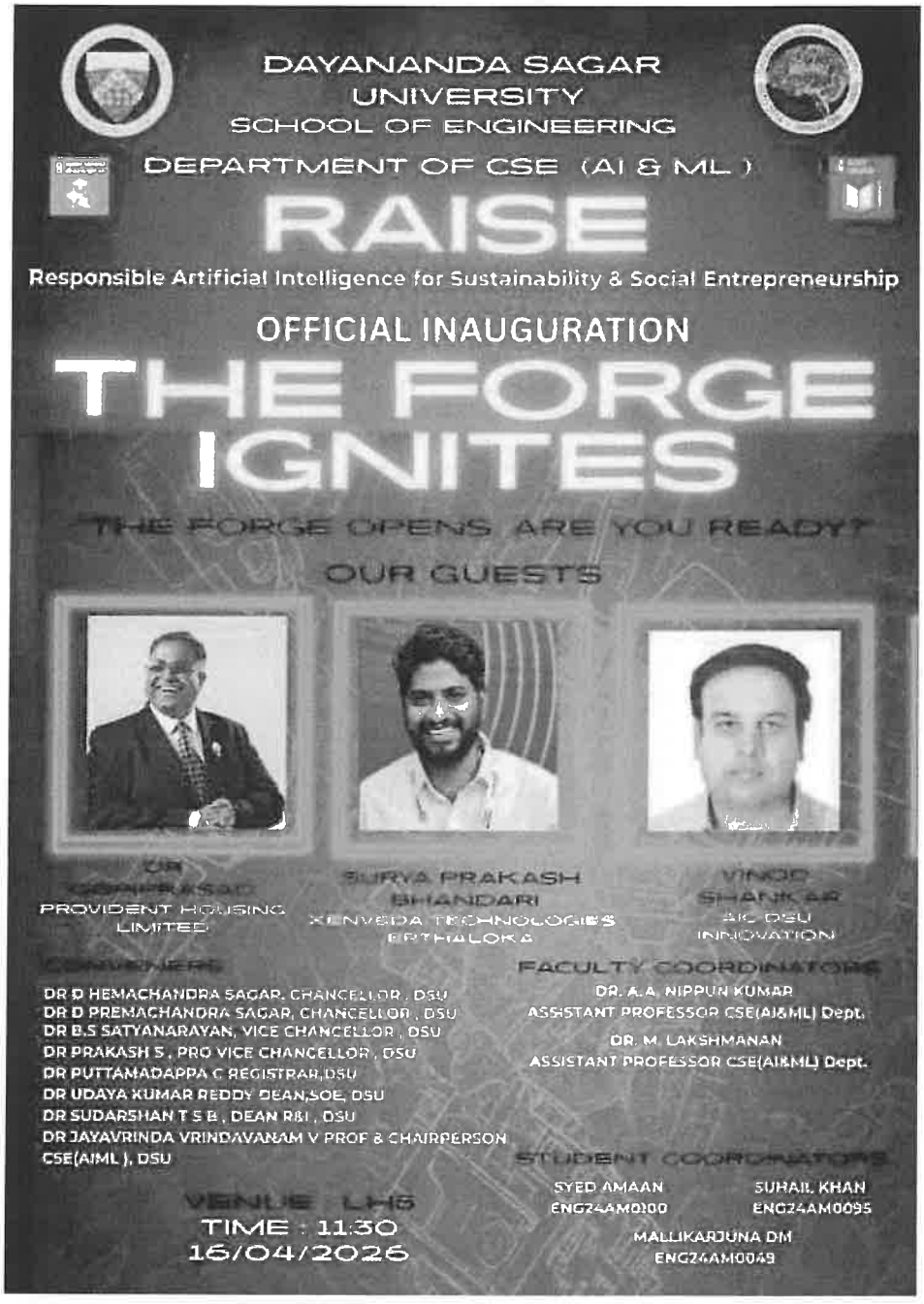


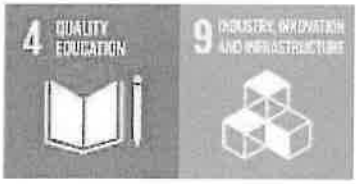
Figure 4. Group Photo with Guests and Club Members





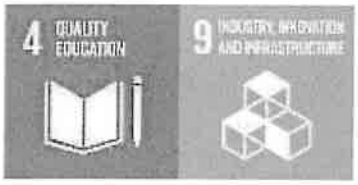
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8. Schedule of the event

Time	Event
11:30 AM – 11:35 AM	MC opens the program with a short welcome
11:35 AM – 11:40 AM	Welcome Address by Dr. Jayavrinda Vrindavanam, Chairperson - CSE(AI&ML)
11:40 AM – 11:45 AM	MC introduces the club inauguration segment.
11:45 AM – 11:50 AM	Prof. Trupti Rao introduces Dr. Gopi Prasad
11:50 AM – 12:05 PM	**Keynote Address** Dr. Gopi Prasad Leading ESG initiative Provident Housing Limited.
12:05 PM – 12:10 PM	Transition
12:10 PM – 12:15 PM	Dr. Nippun Kumaar introduces Mr. Vinod Shankar
12:15 PM – 12:30 PM	**Special Address** Mr. Vinod Shankar Chief Executive Officer AIC-DSU Innovation Foundation
12:30 PM – 12:35 PM	Transition
12:35 PM – 12:40 PM	Dr. Vinutha introduces Mr. Surya Prakash
12:40 PM – 12:50 PM	**Guest Talk** Mr. Surya Prakash Chief Technology Officer Erthaloka & Xenveda Technologies
12:50 PM – 12:55 PM	Club Logo Launch
12:55 PM – 1:00 PM	Introduction of Club Members
1:00 PM – 1:10 PM	Vision Talk by Club CEO
1:10 PM – 1:15 PM	Vote of Thanks
1:15 PM – 1:20 PM	Group Photo



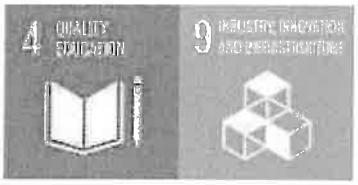
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10. Feedback of the Event

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Signature of the Coordinator

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