

From the Desk of Executive President



Dear Students, Faculty, and Stakeholders,
It brings me immense joy to address our first-year engineering students as they embark on their first University examinations under the transformative National Education Policy 2020. This policy represents a milestone in shaping the future of education, and I am confident that each one of you will rise to the challenge with determination and focus. Remember, this is not just an examination but a stepping stone towards building a strong foundation for your career.

I also take this opportunity to congratulate the entire Atharva family for yet another remarkable achievement – being recognized by Tata Consultancy Services (TCS). This recognition is a testament to the relentless efforts of our faculty, staff, and students, and it further reinforces our commitment to academic excellence and industry relevance.

Let us continue to strive for greater heights, uphold the values of innovation and learning, and make Atharva College of Engineering a beacon of excellence.

Wishing all the students the very best for their exams!

Warm regards,
Shri Sunil Rane
Executive President
Atharva Group of Institutes and
Founder Secretary – AET.

TCS has recognized Atharva College of Engineering as a top priority Institute.

Smart India Hackathon (SIH)

Smart India Hackathon (SIH) is a premier Nation-wide initiative designed to engage students in solving some of the most pressing challenges faced in everyday life. Launched to foster a culture of innovation and practical problem-solving, SIH provides a dynamic platform for students to develop and showcase their creative solutions to real-world problems. By encouraging participants to think critically and innovatively, the Hackathon aims to bridge the gap between academic knowledge and practical application. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Mr. Mihir Jadhav and Team (The Qubits) for getting selected by Smart India Hackathon team after SIH 2024- Screening batch 3 result is declared. In addition we extend our heartfelt congratulations to Bhoomika Singh and team (The Almaminds) for getting selected in SIH-2024-Grand Finale.



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Department of Humanities and Applied Sciences

Guest lecture on “India’s Renewable energy Boom: Job creation & sustainable growth”

First-year engineering students attended an insightful guest lecture on "India’s Renewable Energy Boom: Job Creation & Sustainable Growth". This engaging session shed light on how renewable energy is revolutionizing India's economy, creating job opportunities, and contributing to a greener planet. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Balakrishna Shreeram Rongali on 28TH November 2024.



Sports

Atharva College of Engineering's football team proudly claimed the First Place in the prestigious KHWASH 2024-25 tournaments, emerging victorious among 32 competing teams. This championship win is a testament to the dedication, effort, and passion of our players. Congratulations to the team for bringing glory to Atharva College of Engineering and setting a benchmark for excellence in sports.



Department of Information Technology

The Department Advisory Board Meeting for the Department of Information Technology was conducted on 19/12/2024 in Hybrid Mode.

The objective of the event was to update the stakeholders (DAB Members) about academic & extra- curricular activities of the department in the academic year 2024-25 (ODD Semester) and get feedback & suggestions for improvements. The Stakeholders in DAB Meeting discussed the strategies to improve student engagement, incorporate industry-relevant skills, and promote disciplined behavior. They also advocated for diverse extracurricular activities, dual degrees, and time management.

Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Suvarna Pansambal, HOD Computer Engineering has published book “IT_Fundamentals of Python Programming” and “Advanced Python Programming”.
- Dr. Suvarna Pansambal, HOD Computer Engineering, worked as a reviewer for African Journal of Engineering Research on 11th November, 2024.
- Dr. Suvarna Pansambal, HOD Computer Engineering, worked as a reviewer for BP International Peer-Reviewing and contribution to the quality of the book on 19th November, 2024.
- Prof. Mahendra Patil, Assistant Professor of Computer Engineering has successfully completed 5 days FDP on “Blockchain: The Next Frontier in Cybersecurity and Privacy” organized by Marathwada Mitra Mandal's College of Engineering, Karve Nagar, Pune.
- Prof. Mahendra Patil, Assistant Professor of Computer Engineering has published paper in Nanotechnology Perceptions journal on topic “Machine Learning Prediction Techniques for Student Placement/Job Role Predictions”
- Dr. Yogita Shelar Assistant Professor of CMPN has successfully completed 5 days FDP on “certificate-Recent Advancement in AI & IOT- Industry Perspective” organized by Periyar Manimall Institute of Science & technology.
- Prof. Anuja Gaikwad, Assistant Professor of CMPN has successfully completed one week ISTE approved STTP on "Insight Innovators: A deep dive into Power BI, Hadoop & Tableau" organized by Lokmanya Tilak College of Engineering.
- Prof. Ashwini Kachare, Prof. Shweta Sharma Shukla, Dr. Yogita Shelar Assistant Professor of CMPN has successfully completed the 5 days FDP on “Generative AI and its Multidomain Use Cases” organized by Vishwakarma Institute of Technology, Pune.
- Prof. Deepali Maste, HOD of Department of Information Technology, attended DST-GDC I- NCUBATE Cohort 01, 8-week long Boot Camp at the IIT Madras Campus in Chennai

Student Achievements

- Mihir Jadhav (Team Leader) with his team members Yash Amberkar (TE CMPN), Hrushikesh Vibhute (EXTC), Piyush Bagul (TE CMPN), Sakshi Gujar (TE CMPN) and Suyash Baviskar (TE CMPN) of team “The Qubits” selected for Smart India Hackathon 2024.
- Siddhant Thakur from Second Year of Computer Engineering has secured 3rd rank in intra-college Basketball Tournament held on 16th November 2024 organized by department of sports management, Atharva College.
- Adnaan Shaikh TE-CMPN, Akshit Shriyan TE-CMPN, Tanishk Suvarna SE- CMPN and Samarth Rane SE - ELEC, Athletics team have secured 2nd place in 4X100m relay Yuva Premier League.
- Team Haikyuu consisting Kunal Shinde (Captain), Ayush Sankhe, Yatharth Parmar , Aman Garasia ,Pranay Saggam , Pranay Daphal, Nilay Vartak, Omkar Sawant, Shoury Parab, Gopal Gadhvi ,Girish Sanap, AkshayKumar Yadav students of the Computer Engineering department's volleyball team from Atharva College of Engineering bagged 1st Place in the intra- campus volleyball tournament, organized by the Bachelors in Sports Management
- Dhruv Sane, Tushar Yadav, Vipul More, Payal More, Gargee Sankhe, Samiksha Satarkar, Shreya Shinde, Om Sule, Suryanarayan Nadar, Sahil Mandhare, Prachiti Parulekar, Sweta Bari, Arshkumar sakaria, Sakshi Shetye, Parth Mhatre students of the Computer Engineering department has participated and presented the poster in 19th Aavishkar Research Convention 2024 at Lokmanya-Tilak-College-Of-Engineering.
- Soham Morankar, INFT student of SE has been selected among the top 300 participants in the prestigious Futurpreneur Program, TiE Global Summit 2024, scheduled in Bangalore on December 10 and 11, 2024.

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