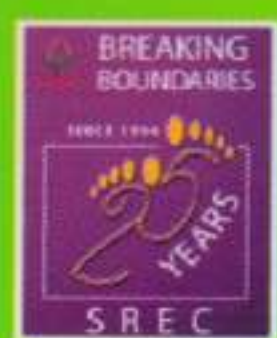




# SREC ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT

*Stay connected with your alma mater*



*In Commemoration of the  
Silver Jubilee Year*

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## Europe Chapter Launch 2018

Alumni chapters provide a means for SREC members to socialize, exchange technical information and stay connected. On 27<sup>th</sup> October 2018, the Europe Chapter of the SREC alumni was solemnly launched at Mercure Hotel Koln, Belfortstrasse, Koln, Germany. Around 15 alumni from different places of Germany attended the event. Mr.Rohit Narayanan (BE-Mech/2009) and Mr.Dharanidharan (BE-Mech/2009) coordinated the event.

Mr.Rohit Narayanan welcomed the gathering. The chapter was inaugurated with the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries Mr.V.Ramakrishna, Chief Operating Officer, SNR Sons Charitable Trust, Coimbatore and Mr.K.Sathyamoorthy (BE-Mech/1998) alumnus.

Speaking on the occasion Mr.V.Ramakrishna highlighted the growth and development of the trust over the years and vision of the trust towards the health care and education. He also thanked the alumni for initiating the new chapter launch and their immense contributions to strengthen the alumni. With gladness, he announced the launch of new programme in Bachelors - "Robotics and Automation" planned in the Academic year 2019-2020.

Dr. N.R. Alamelu, principal and patron in her address praised the contributions of alumni towards the growth of institution and their achievements in all walks and spheres of their life. She briefed the college activities and the growth of the institution. Mrs.J.S.Shanthini, President - Parent chapter, presented the AGM resolutions for the year 2018 and the alumni activities happened during the past fiscal years.

Alumni Members introduced themselves and shared valuable suggestions and ideas to increase the participation and contribution of Alumnus to the alma mater and to the institution. Some of the suggestions were linking their profiles in social platforms like LinkedIn, bring in all the alumni in Europe into the alumni fold, support our college to collaborate with universities in Europe and strengthen the bonds of alumni network.

Members mentioned that they were impressed over the progress made by college over the years which reflect the vision laid by the founder, carried on by an effective management team. New Office Bearers for Europe Chapter were nominated and selected by the members in the meeting. The meet was concluded with networking dinner with a promise to meet again.

## SREC AA Congratulates the Europe Chapter - New Office Bearers for the term 2018 - 2020

**Mr. ROHIT NARAYANAN**

2009/Mech, President

**Mr. RAMESH PALANIAPPAN**

1998/Mech, Secretary

**Mr. SAKTHI SIVANESH**

2014/Mech- Joint Secretary

### Executive Members

**Ms. DEEPTHI RAJKUMAR**, 2015/E&I

**Mr. RAM PRASANTH**, 2015/E&I

**Mr. DHARANI DHARAN**, 2009/Mech

**Mr. SRIPATHIRAJA JAYAKUMAR**, 2013/Mech





## USA Chapter Second Annual Alumni Meet 2018

The Second Annual Alumni Meet 2018 was held on 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2018, in Bombay Indian Cuisine Restaurant, Las Vegas, NV, USA. Around 25 members across batches attended the meet with their family members. Mr. Prasanth Thupili - President US chapter, welcomed the gathering.

The members introduced themselves with a notable memory from their college days Mr.V.Ramakrishna, Chief Operating Officer, SNR Sons Charitable Trust attended the event and addressed the gathering. He briefed the growth and development of the trust over years and vision of the trust towards health care and education. He best

owed his deep sense of appreciation to the alumni members for their continued support towards the growth of the institution and the alma mater. He announced the launch of new programme in Bachelors - "Robotics and Automation" planned in the Academic year 2019-2020.

Mr.Rajini Kanth, 2000/EEE Alumnus coordinated the Annual Alumni Meet in Las Vegas. He thanked for making this event a memorable one. The members proposed to raise funds to utilize it for a noble cause, the members also proposed to conduct the Annual Alumni meet during the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of

October every year and the location would be chosen based on polling.

Mrs.J.S.Shanthini, President-Parent Chapter presented the AGM resolutions for the year 2018 and report of alumni activities of 2017-2018. Alumnus shared their views and suggested valuable suggestion to increase the participation of the Alumni. They volunteered to conduct webinar sections on latest trends for the benefits of our student community. Various entertaining games were conducted for kids. Overall it was an unforgettable, lucrative and fun filled day. The meet ended with networking dinner and group photographs.



## Bangalore Chapter Annual Alumni Meet 2018

The Bangalore Chapter Annual Alumni meet was held on 7<sup>th</sup> October 2018, in Radiant Resorts Pvt Ltd, Bangalore at 10.30 am. Around 90 alumni members along with their family across different batches and branches attended the meet. Dr.A.Ebenezer Jeyakumar, Director (Academics), SNR Sons Charitable Trust and the Principal Dr.N.R.Alamelu, SREC graced the occasion and addressed the gathering. Office bearers of SREC Parent, Bangalore and Chennai Chapters, heads of various departments, faculty members attended the meet. The meet began with the welcome note by Mr.N.Sadhasivam.

A Fish bowl discussion about the present scenario of employability for fresher's was initiated by Mr.Rajaganapathy, Mr.Narayanan, Mr. T.M.Abbas, Mr.Murali, Mr.Kathiravan, Mr.Siddharth Nair, Mr.Sadhasivam, Mr.Sudhakar, Mr.Jose, Ms.Rejitha Rajan and Ms.Deeshith Sivakumar joined the forum and shared their insights. Dr. A. Ebenezer Jeyakumar, concluded the discussions with summing up the proceedings and thanked the alumnus for their active participation in the discussions.

Dr.N.R.Alamelu, Principal, SREC, thanked the alumni members for their initiatives and suggestions provided during the discussion,

and suggested the alumni members to contact for any help in regard to the discussion. She also briefed the celebrations of 25<sup>th</sup> Silver Jubilee year and the growth, achievements of the college during the journey.

To keep the crowd energized Mrs. Vani Vasanth conducted surprise events for the gathering and gave away prizes.

Mrs.J.S.Shanthini, President-Parent Chapter presented the AGM resolutions for the year 2018 followed by report of alumni activities for the year 2017-2018. The Alumni meet concluded with networking lunch, group photograph, followed by FAC musical orchestra.





## Parent Chapter Annual Alumni Meet and AGM 2018

The Parent Chapter Annual Alumni meet was held on 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018, at Hotel Vijay Elanza at 5.30 pm. Around 130 alumni along with their family attended the function. Mr.V.Ramakrishna, Chief Operating Officer, SNR Sons Charitable Trust, our beloved Patron and Principal Dr.N.R.Alamelu, faculty members, Head of the departments, Special invitees graced the occasion. Mrs.J.S.Shanthini, President SREC AA, welcomed the gathering. Dr.S.Harihara Gopalan, Secretary SREC AA, presented the annual alumni report for the fiscal year 2017-2018.

Dr.N.R.Alamelu, Principal, SREC, thanked the alumni members for their initiatives and noteworthy contributions towards the growth of the institution and the alma mater. Marking the 25<sup>th</sup> year journey of the college, she put forth the various activities planned to make this year remarkable and memorable.

Mr. V. Ramakrishna, COO, SNR Sons Charitable Trust, addressed the gathering.

He released the alumni magazine - Spotlight Issue 10 and presented the Recognition award to Mr.Antony Aaron Pinhero (EEE/2008) and the Appreciation award to Mr.T.G.Sarath Kumar(ECE/2014) for their noteworthy contribution towards the alma mater.

SREC AA alumni scholarship of Rs.2,04,000 was equally distributed to 68 economically backward and meritorious students of various departments. The Batch Endowment fund were awarded to the following three toppers among the applications received for the scholarship.

1. S.GopiKrishna of II EEE received Rs.17,000 from the Vivekanandan Memorial Scholarship Fund of 1996-2000 batch.
2. T.S.Manikandan of III Mech received Rs.10,000 from the Vivekanandan Memorial Scholarship Fund of 1996-2000 batch.
3. S.Gopika of III ECE received Rs.8,000 from 1994-1998 Batch Endowment.

The Annual General Body meeting was chaired by the patron and the members of the alumni association. Mrs.J.S.Shanthini presented the resolutions to the gathering and the members ratified the various proposed resolutions. The New Office Bearers of 2018-2020 were introduced by Dr.N.R.Alamelu and badges were distributed by Mr.V.Ramakrishna. As a token of gratitude, mementos were presented to the outgoing office bearers. Mrs.J.S.Shanthini thanked them for their stupendous support to carry out the activities effectively from 2015 to 2018.

The alumni membership cards were also distributed to the alumni members. Mr.N.Senthilkannan, Convenor - Parent chapter Annual Alumni Meet 2018, proposed the vote of thanks. The event ended with fun games for kids, group photographs and musical orchestra by FAC-SREC students followed by networking dinner.





## Alumni Talk



**Ms. R. Rumana Begum (B.E-BME/2015)**, Analyst, Zifo Technologies, Chennai delivered a guest lecture titled "Placement support : Zifo Technologies" for final year BME students organized by the Department of Biomedical Engineering on 21.07.2018.



**Mr. Naveen Krishnamurthy (M.Sc-SE/2006)**, CTO & Co-Founder, Ladder Minds, Coimbatore handled an One Credit Course titled "16IT1001 – Mobile Web Application Development with ColdFusion" for third year IT and CSE students organized by the Department of Information Technology from 18.08.2018 to 19.08.2018.



**Mr. J. Shyam Jude (B.E-ECE/2008)**, CEO, Analog and Digital Lab, Coimbatore, joined in the inauguration of IETE and ASELCOME organized by the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering on 20.08.2018.



**Ms. Prathiba (B.E-Aero/2018)**, PLM Engineer, Altiran India, Chennai, interacted with second and third year Aeronautical students organized by the Department of Aeronautical Engineering on 30.08.2018



**Mr. M. Abhilash (B.E-MECH/2011)**, Marketing Head, My Skool App, Coimbatore and Bengaluru was a guest for the Intra college event "Tech fiesta – 2018" conducted for first and second year Mechanical students organized by the Department of Mechanical Engineering on 31.08.2018



**Mr. Vineeth Unni (B.E-EIE/2010)**, Senior Business Analyst, L & T InfoTech Ltd, Mumbai delivered a talk on "The Role and Expectation of Industry" for third year EIE students, sponsored by AEINSTENS, organized by the Department of Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering on 05.09.2018



**Mr. M. Dilip (B.E-CSE/2013)**, Associate Engineer, Cognizant Technology Solutions, Coimbatore was a guest for Project Expo conducted for second and third year CSE students organized by the Department of Computer Science and Engineering on 12.09.2018.



**Mr. Sudharsan (B.E-Aero/2015)**, Senior Engineer, Infosys, Bengaluru interacted with first and second year Aeronautical students organized by the Department of Aeronautical Engineering on 14.09.2018



**Mr. R. Vivekanandan (B.E-Aero/2014)**, Engineer-I, Boeing India, Bengaluru delivered a guest lecture titled "Importance of Design Software in Aerospace and Engineering" for Aeronautical students organized by the Department of Aeronautical Engineering on 18.09.2018



**Mr. Mohideen Ansar (B.E-Aero/2014)**, Student / Entrepreneur at Defence Institute of Advanced Technology, Pune, delivered a guest lecture titled "CFD & its Application" and "UAV Autopilot System" for first, second and third year Aeronautical students organized by the Department of Aeronautical Engineering on 24.09.2018



**Mr. B. Prasaant (B.E-EIE/2014)**, Research Engineer, ENGIE, Paris delivered a talk on "Job Opportunities in Abroad after Completing Higher Studies", for the third year EIE students, sponsored by ISOI, organized by the Department of Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering on 25.09.2018



**Mr. K. Jagadeesh (B.E-EEE/2011)**, Senior Engineer, L&T, Coimbatore, delivered a guest lecture during two days National level workshop on "Emerging Trends in Power Electronics and Applications" organized by the Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering on 06.10.2018.



## Alumni Talk



**Mr. Joe Francis (B.E-EEE/2017), MS Scholar, RSIT University, Australia** delivered a guest lecture titled "Importance of Higher Studies", for third year students organized by the Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering on 03.12.2018.



**Mr. N. Nithyanandan, (MBA/2013), Sales Manager - Auto Loans, HDFC Limited, Coimbatore** delivered a talk for 55 students of II MBA on Marketing of Banking Services in the Regional Seminar on "Services Marketing Strategies" on 10.12.2018.



**Mr. Naveen Krishnamurthy, M.Sc (SE/2006), CTO & Co-Founder LadderMinds, Coimbatore,** addressed 56 students of II MBA during the Special Lecture on "Sales Pitch" on 11.12.2018.



**Mr. S. Gomathi Shankar (MBA/2017), Coordinator – School Activities, AUPET Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Tirunelveli, Mr. S. Gowtham, (MBA/2015), Business Development Executive, Hirotec India Private Limited, Coimbatore & Mrs. M.S. Mitra (MBA/2017), Acting Correspondent, Perks Educational Institutions, Coimbatore** addressed 58 students of I MBA students during the Orientation Programme on 27.08.2018.



**Mr. Nandhakumar, (B.E.-Mech/2005) Founder, Pixel Social Media,** addressed 56 students of II MBA during the Special Lecture on "Sales Pitch" on 11.12.2018.



**Mr. Vivek, (MBA/2018), Assistant Manager (Business Development), Byjus,** addressed 56 students of II MBA during the Special Lecture on "Sales Pitch" on 11.12.2018.

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**SREC Alumni Association**  
organizes **SREC - GAC SREC Global Alumni Meet** on 20 & 21 July 2019  
to celebrate the 25th year journey  
of SREC – An event to reconnect,  
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## Alumni Accomplishments

Mr. K. Bhagath Singh, CEO & Managing Director, Mr. G. Kamalakannan, Co-founder & Director of Kalycito Infotech Private Limited, Coimbatore, says a decade of hard work pays off as Kalycito becomes the first ever and only Indian company to be a part of the major global initiative - 'Field Level Communications Steering Committee of the OPC Foundation', alongside multi-billion-dollar automation majors of the world. The industry veterans and German media call this initiative - 'The United Nations of

Automation' and 'The end of 30 years long fieldbus wars.'

This steering committee will manage the technical and marketing working groups to deliver an open, cohesive approach to implement OPC UA including TSN and associated application profiles. This will advance the efforts of OPC Foundation in enabling vendor independent end-to-end interoperability into field level devices for all relevant industrial automation use-cases. The OPC

Foundation's vision of becoming the worldwide industrial interoperability standard is advanced by this development that aims to integrate support down to the field device level.



Mr. K. Bhagath Singh  
2003/EEE



Mr. G. Kamalakannan  
2003/EEE



## First Executive Council Meeting

The new office bearers Executive Council meeting was held on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018 @ Alumni Board room, College campus. Mrs.J.S.Shanthini President of SREC AA welcomed the gathering. New Office Bearers of 2018-2020 introduced themselves. Dr.N.R.Alamelu Principal / Patron - SREC AA congratulated the new Office bearers and discussions were put forth for the planned upcoming events.

Members proposed to form a new council to channelize the internship offered by alumni entrepreneurs.

Various options were put forth by the members, to mark the 25<sup>th</sup> year celebration of the institution in a unique way. Finally, the committee unanimously suggested to construct an Alumni Guest House inside SREC campus.

As per resolution a new account for seed Endowment is to be opened and the minimum donation amount towards "Seed Endowment Fund" was fixed to be Rs.10,000. To make the overseas chapter meets productive, the committee requested the Executive Council to reach out their batchmates and find the alumni contacts residing in USA and Europe.

Regional chapter annual alumni meeting India to be cancelled during the year 2019.

To celebrate the mile stone of 25<sup>th</sup> Silver Jubilee year of SREC, Global Alumni Meet to be conducted during August 2019.

The meeting was concluded with closing remarks by Mrs.J.S.Shanthini, President-SRECAA.





## Alumni Mentorship

SREC and SREC Alumni Association jointly organized a Two day workshop on "Crafting Successful Engineering Career (Employability)" held on 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2018 - Mentoring by our Alumni.

Mr. V. Kathiravan  
(Alumnus B.E.-CSE/2003)  
Senior Technical Lead-Advisory  
Software Engineer  
IBM, Bengaluru

Mr. T.M. Ishaq Mohammed Abbas  
(Alumnus B.E.-ECE/2006)  
Co-Founder & CEO  
Talenttar Global SoftLabs  
Chennai

Mr. N. Sadhasivam  
(Alumnus B.E.-ECE/1999)  
Senior Engineer  
JP Morgan Chase  
Bengaluru

Mr. R. Rajaganapathy  
(Alumnus B.E.-ECE/2000)  
Deputy General Manager  
Mercedes Benz Research  
and Development India Pvt Ltd  
Bengaluru

Mr.S. Sudhakaran  
(Alumnus B.E.-ECE/2000)  
Software Engineering Manager  
Intel Mobile Communications  
Bengaluru

Mr.MuralidharanPalanisamy  
(Alumnus B.E.-ECE/2000)  
Chief Solution Officer  
AppViewX Inc  
New York, USA

were the resource persons for the workshop. Around 69 B.E./B.Tech pre final year students participated in the workshop.



## Fine Arts Club Inauguration

Apart from academic excellence, our Management is also concerned about enhancements in extracurricular activities of our students. As an initiative, college management established a separate practice room for Fine Arts Club activities. It was inaugurated by our alumni Mr.Naveen Krishnamoorthy, CEO, Ladder Minds, Coimbatore and Principal Dr. N.R. Alamelu, on 28.09.2018. Mr. Praveen Shankaran and the team members have initiated a fund-raising campaign to procure necessary musical instruments and other equipments to provide regular practice to the club members and utilize the funds for various other virtuous purpose. To begin with, SREC Alumni Association contributed Rs.5000/- as an initial amount towards the same. The current office bearers of FAC contributed Rs. 7000/-.

### Future Plans of FAC:

- ✓ Organize an Inter Collegiate and Inter School Cultural Festivals every year
- ✓ Conduct weekend classes (both Dance and Music) for interested students





