

IEEE FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATION 2026 – EVENT REPORT

Sri Sairam Engineering College, Chennai-44

Event Details

- **Event:** IEEE Foundation Day Celebration 2026
 - **Date:** 16.02.2026
 - **Venue:** VRR Hall, Sri Sairam Engineering College, West Tambaram, Chennai – 44
 - **Time:** 01:30 PM to 04:00 PM
 - **Chief Guest: Shri T. S. Rangarajan**
 - Chair – IEEE LMAG (2024–2025), Madras Section
 - Former Chair – IEEE Madras Section (2012–2014)
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Report

Sri Sairam Engineering College successfully organized the **IEEE Foundation Day Celebration 2026** on **16th February 2026** at **VRR Hall** from **01:30 PM to 04:00 PM**. The event was conducted to commemorate the establishment of IEEE and to create awareness among students regarding IEEE's contribution to technology, innovation, and professional development.

The program began with **Tamilthaai Vaazhthu at 02:00 PM**, followed by the **Lighting of the Lamp at 02:05 PM**, symbolizing the beginning of the celebration in a traditional and auspicious manner.

At **02:10 PM**, **Dr. J. Raja, Principal / SEC**, delivered the **Welcome Address**, warmly welcoming the dignitaries, faculty members, IEEE members, and students. He emphasized the importance of IEEE student branch activities and the role of IEEE in shaping students into globally competent engineers.

At **02:20 PM**, **Dr. K. Palani Kumar, Principal / SIT**, delivered a **Special Address**, highlighting the significance of professional societies like IEEE in improving technical skills, leadership qualities, and research exposure among students.

Following this, **Dr. R. Palaniyandi, IAS (Retd.)**, delivered a motivational address, where he spoke about discipline, leadership, and the importance of adopting innovative-driven thinking for future development. His speech encouraged students to be responsible professionals and to contribute to society through technology.

Next, **Dr. C. R. Rene Robin, Professor (CSE) & Dean – Innovation**, addressed the gathering and shared insights about the importance of innovation, interdisciplinary learning, and how IEEE platforms can support students in building innovative projects, research ideas, and entrepreneurial mindset.

The program continued with the **Felicitation at 02:30 PM**, where dignitaries were honored and appreciated for their valuable presence.

The key highlight of the event was the **Chief Guest Address at 02:35 PM** by **Shri**

T. S. Rangarajan, Chair – IEEE LMAG (2024–2025), Madras Section, and Former Chair – IEEE Madras Section (2012–2014). In his address, he spoke about the history and legacy of IEEE, the importance of IEEE membership, and how students can benefit through conferences, technical societies, research publications, and networking. His speech was highly informative and inspired students to actively participate in IEEE activities.

At **03:10 PM**, the **IEEE Volunteers Award** ceremony was conducted to recognize the contributions of student volunteers who actively supported IEEE activities.

The event concluded with the **Vote of Thanks at 03:30 PM**, followed by the **National Anthem at 03:35 PM**, marking the successful completion of the celebration.

The IEEE Foundation Day Celebration 2026 was conducted successfully with active participation from students and faculty, and it served as a motivating and meaningful event.

Snapshots of the Event







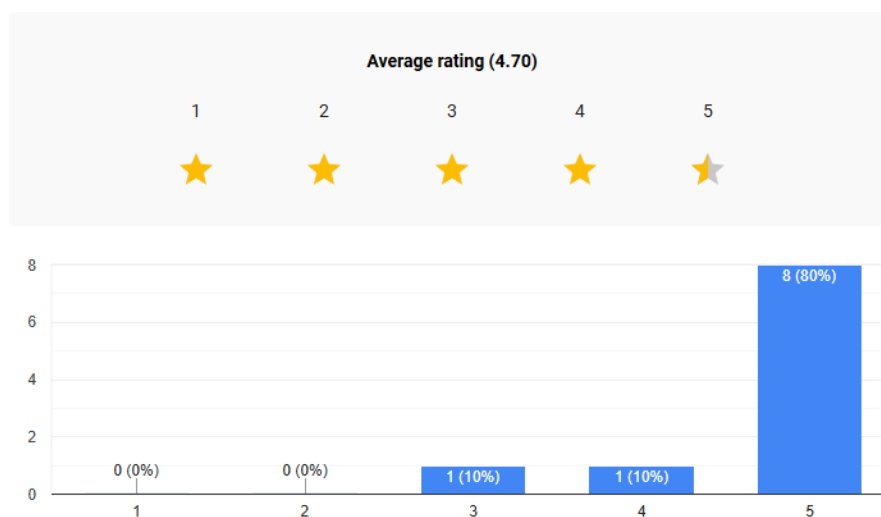


Event Feedback

How would you rate the overall celebration?

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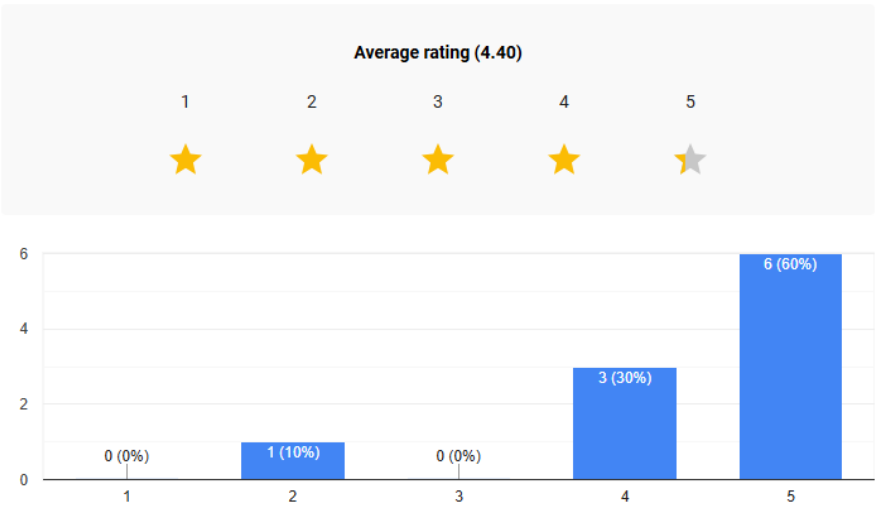
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Was the event well organized and coordinated?

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Suggest any ideas for honouring upcoming MAGIC Members during IEEE FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATION 2027?

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Recognize strengths through categories like: Best Emerging Leader Outstanding Volunteer Technical Excellence Award Community Impact Award Innovation Champion
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Nil
U will get awarded proudly
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Magic wall of fame:- A physical or digital wall showing: Member photos and One-line achievements
Can make a digital or hardcopy booklet of all the society best student volunteer's details with their photo. This can be done in this year itself as a digital booklet.

Would you be interested in participating in future IEEE activities?

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