



**HOPE Foundation's**  
**Finolex Academy of Management & Technology, Ratnagiri**  
**Brainwaves - Academic Year 2024-25**

**Kalakruti 2025**

The *Kalakruti Art Competition and Exhibition*, a vibrant celebration of creativity, was successfully organized as a part of *Brainwaves 2025*, the annual technical festival of FAMT. Held at *A-2/5, Drawing Hall, Admin Block*.

The event featured a diverse range of *11 art events*, including Painting, Sketching, Best out of Waste, Mobile Photography, DSLR Photography, Rangoli, Mehendi, Pot Painting, Mug Painting, Quilling, Knitting, and Origami. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across *Ratnagiri schools, colleges, and FAMT*, making it a grand success.

A special highlight of the event was a *robot* designed by *Madhav Sawant and the Team* from the *EXTC department*, which was utilized for the *inauguration* and for *presenting information about all Kalakruti events*. The exhibition was inaugurated on *21st February 2025 at 9:30 AM* by esteemed dignitaries *Dr. Aruna Katara*, President HOPE Foundation, and *Ms. Amrita Katara*, Managing Trustee. Their presence added great significance to the event, encouraging young artists to explore their creative potential. The artworks, displayed in the exhibition, were visited and admired by students and faculty members, who appreciated the remarkable talent showcased by the participants.

The judging panel comprised faculty members of FAMT, who meticulously evaluated the submissions and selected the best entries across various categories. The overwhelming participation of *more than 130 students with 275 plus ArtWorks* highlighted the growing enthusiasm for art and creativity among young minds. The event not only provided a platform for artistic expression but also fostered an environment of learning and inspiration.

The *prize distribution ceremony* was held on *22nd February 2025*, recognizing and rewarding the exceptional talent displayed by the participants. Special appreciation was extended to *Dr. Kaushal Prasad* for his invaluable guidance and support in making the event a success. The organizing team also expressed gratitude to the *Estate Department* for providing the Drawing Hall as the venue and to the *Registrar Gajanan Targaonkar* for his support. Yogesh Sawant and Amruta Bagave have made huge efforts as Kalakruti Heads under the leadership of Tech Secretaries Sujay Khedekar and Isha Katakake.

Kalakruti 2025 stood as a testament to the artistic brilliance and creative spirit of the participants, making it one of the most memorable segments of Brainwaves 2025. The event successfully nurtured a love for art and innovation, inspiring students to continue exploring their artistic passions in the years to come.

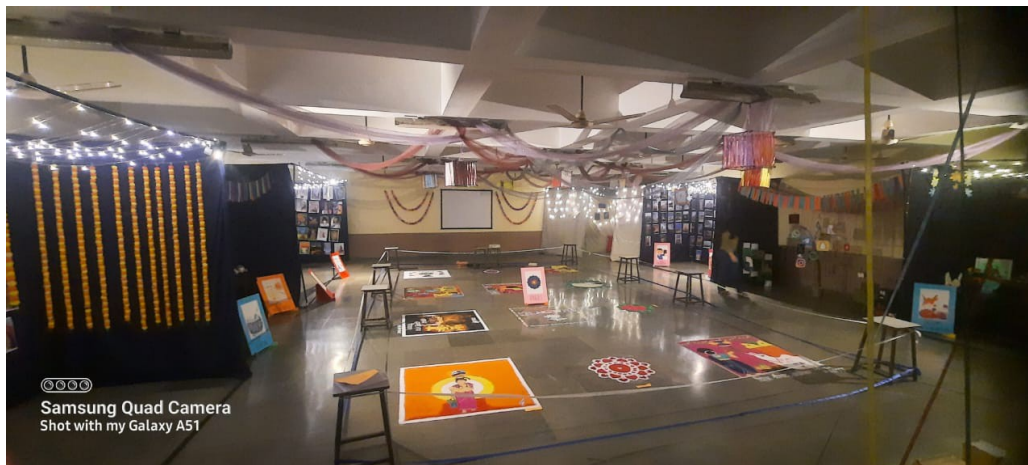


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**Glimpses:**



**Dr. Aruna Katara Madam visiting Kalakruti Exhibition on 21st Feb 2025**



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**Lighting the lamp by Chief Guest Meher Pudumjee Madam and Prakash Iyer Sir -  
Inauguration**



**Visiting the Exhibition by Chief guests**