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Department of Computer Science and Engineering with AI & ML

CSE (AI & ML) Department Held A Fresher's Party - Lumo's 2k26

Date: 30 September | **Time:** 12:30 PM – 5:30 PM | **Venue:** EN - 1/5

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering (AI & ML) organized a vibrant Freshers' Party on 30 September 2026 at EN1/5 from 12:30 PM to 5:30 PM. to welcome the newly admitted students, foster interaction among students and faculty members, and create a friendly and enthusiastic academic environment.

The inaugural ceremony commenced with the felicitation of Dr. Yogesh Gajmal, Head of Department, and Prof. Akshay Shetye, Faculty In-charge of the Students' Association. Placement achievers Suyash Sawant and Shumaila Sayyad were felicitated in recognition of their accomplishments. The ceremony also celebrated the academic excellence of the top three rank holders of FE (CSE AI & ML), including Vedika Parab, Raj Adbal and Akansha Nagvekar.

Anushka Shevde anchored the inaugural ceremony with confidence and enthusiasm. In his address, Dr. Yogesh Gajmal encouraged students to remain focused on their engineering studies while actively participating in co-curricular and extracurricular activities to support their overall development. Prof. Akshay Shetye appreciated the dedicated efforts of all committee members in creating an innovative and impressive Harry Potter-themed lumo's decoration. He motivated students to work honestly and wholeheartedly towards their goals, encouraging them to experience their student journey calmly, passionately, positively, and without unnecessary stress.

Following the inauguration, a refreshment break was organized, during which committee members served delicious refreshments to faculty members and SE students. The celebration then continued with a series of entertaining activities, including musical games, fishponds, stand-up comedy, and dance performances. Students participated enthusiastically, making the occasion lively, enjoyable, and memorable.

The event was coordinated by Mr. Kanva Deolekar and Ms. Arya Kelakar, with the active support of the organizing committee. The Freshers' Party concluded on a joyful note, strengthening friendships, encouraging student participation, and welcoming the new students into the department's academic community.

The Freshers' Party contributed to the following United Nations Sustainable Development Goals:

SDG 3 – Good Health and Well-being: Promoted student well-being by encouraging relaxation, positive social interaction, enjoyment, and a balanced approach to academic life.

SDG 4 – Quality Education: Recognized academic achievements and encouraged holistic student development through participation in co-curricular and extracurricular activities.

SDG 5 – Gender Equality: Encouraged participation and opportunities for students of all genders to contribute to cultural activities, leadership, and event organization.

SDG 10 – Reduced Inequalities: Fostered a welcoming and inclusive environment that encouraged students from different backgrounds to interact and participate.

SDG 17 – Partnerships for the Goals: Strengthened collaboration among faculty members, student coordinators, committee members, and students in planning and conducting the event.

The celebration marked a wonderful beginning to a journey filled with learning, creativity, friendship, and achievement.



Harry Potter-themed venue decoration for Lumo's 2K26 Freshers' Party.



Inaugural ceremony and addresses by the department's faculty members.



Felicitation of toppers of FE-CSEAIML



Felicitation of Campus Placement Holders