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Programme agenda

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| 3.00 pm Welcome address and Introductory remarks
Prof. G. Ravi Kiran Sastry, (Coordinator)
Dean (Academics) & Professor, MED | 3.20 pm | Expert lecture 1
Prof. N.V. Ramana Rao,
Director, NIT Warangal |
| 3.05 pm Overview of NIT Andhra Pradesh
Dr. Dinesh P. Sankar Reddy
Registrar (i/c) | 4.05 pm | Expert Lecture 2:
Prof. P.S. Avadhani
Director, IIIT Agartala |
| 3.10 pm Presidential address
Prof. C.S.P. Rao,
Director, NIT Andhra Pradesh | 5.00 pm | Concluding remarks & Vote of thanks
Prof. G. Ravi Kiran Sastry
Dean (Academics) |

(Introduction of Dignitaries by Dr. R. Arun Kumar (Coordinator), Asst. Prof., SoS)

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Bio-Sketch of the resource persons

Prof. N.V. Ramana Rao, Director, NIT Warangal:

Prof. N.V. Ramana Rao had earlier served as Rector & Professor of Civil Engineering at JNTU Hyderabad. He did his B.E in Civil Engineering from Osmania University, M.Tech from IIT Delhi, Ph.D. and Post Doctorate from U.K. in Civil and structural Engineering from University of Wales. He has held several Administrative posts including Registrar, JNT University Director, Bureau of Industrial Consultancy Services, JNT University, Co-ordinator, Entrepreneurship Development Cell, JNT University. He had also served as the Principal, JNTUH College of Engineering.

Prof. N.V. Ramana Rao has Edited three books and has published more than 140 research papers in International and National journals and as Conference lectures. Prof. NV Ramana Rao has Organized 12 Conferences and workshops.

He has Guided more than 50 M.Tech's, 8 Ph.D's and guiding at present several Ph.Ds. He has won Several Awards/ Prizes/ Certificates. To name a few, Outstanding Concrete Engineer Award for the year 2012 by A.P., the prestigious Sir Arthur Cotton Memorial Prize by the Institute of Engineers (India) for the best paper in 2012 and 2015, State's Best Teacher Award for the year 2011 by the Government of Andhra Pradesh., Best Designer Award for year the 2004 by Indian Concrete Institute, A.P., Hyderabad.

He has been Nominated as an Expert Committee member constituted by the UGC for grant of Autonomous status to various Technical Institutions. He has been a Subject Committee Member of Telangana State Public Service Commission. He is a member of Member of Telangana State Pollution Control Board, Expert Committee Member of Telangana State Power Generation Corporation.

He has held Membership of Several Important State level Government Committees. He has been a Member of Several AICTE Inspection Committees, External Expert Member of ISRO Departmental Promotion Committee (DPC).

He has been a member of Several High Power Committees constituted by Govt of AP & Telangana. He has been a member of the committee to frame affiliation guidelines for affiliated Engineering Colleges by Govt of Telangana. On the invitation from the President of Mauritius he has been a part of High level discussion on the need to engage the worlds of Art, Nature and Science in Mauritius.

Prof. N.V. Ramana Rao took over as Director, NIT Warangal on 23rd October 2017.

Prof. P.S. Avadhani, Director, IIIT Agartala:

Prof. P.S. Avadhani is a well-known academican. He had worked as a Professor in the Department of Computer Science and Systems Engineering, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam. Later, he took over as the Principal of Andhra University College of Engineering (Autonomous), functioning at Visakhapatnam.

He has guided more than 17 students in the area of Cryptography and Network security and has guided Project works of many Post Graduate students.

His notable contributions include the following: he was instrumental in initiating M.Tech (Bio-Informatics), M.Tech (Artificial Intelligence & Robotics), M.Tech (Computer Networks) courses. He was a member of UGC curriculum development during 1986-89 and had been responsible in designing and revising curriculum in many universities as a member of their boards studies.

He had published about 86 papers in national and International journals and nearly 70 papers were presented by him in national and international conferences.

He has won various awards and accomplishments including Best Teacher Award for the year 2015 from Govt. of Andhra Pradesh; Best Researcher Award for the year 2005-2006 from Andhra University, Visakhapatnam; Best Academician Award for the year 2009-2010 from Andhra University, Visakhapatnam; Distinguished Academician Award for 2011 from Pentagram Research Centre, Hyderabad; Chapter Patron Award for the year 2010-2011 from Computer Society of India.

He has guided several industrial projects. He was Invited by TCS to New Delhi, during February, 2004; Invited by Microsoft Corporation to Bangalore, in April 2004; Invited by Microsoft Corporation to Malaysia, in June 2004.

He has served as a member of National Board of Accreditation (NBA) of AICTE and has inspected various Engineering Colleges all over India as a member of NBA.

He has delivered invited talks at many national and international conferences; Chaired many sessions at national and international conferences at many places in India and abroad. He is a Fellow of various technical and scientific societies including Fellow of Computer Society of India (CSI), Fellow of the Institution of Engineers .