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CENTRE FOR INDIAN KNOWLEDGE SYSTEMS - 2024-25

The Centre for Indian Knowledge Systems (CIKS) at K.S.R. College of Engineering was established on5th September 2024 with the vision of promoting and preserving India's rich intellectual heritage. The Centre aims to integrate traditional Indian knowledge systems with modern scientific and technological advancements, creating a platform for research, learning, and innovation that draws upon the wisdom of India's diverse cultural, philosophical, and scientific traditions.

Vision

To become a leading hub for the study, preservation, and promotion of India's rich and diverse traditional knowledge systems. We aim to bridge the gap between ancient wisdom and modern technological advancements, fostering interdisciplinary research and innovation that contributes to sustainable solutions, social well-being, and global recognition of India's intellectual heritage.

Mission

- 1. To integrate traditional Indian knowledge with contemporary academic frameworks, facilitating a holistic and interdisciplinary approach to education.
- 2. To organize workshops, seminars, and conferences that encourage intellectual discourse and cross-cultural exchanges on the relevance of Indian knowledge systems in the modern world.
- 3. To collaborate with educational institutions, research centers, and industry partners to develop innovative solutions for global challenges through the lens of Indian knowledge traditions.
- 4. To create awareness and foster pride in the rich heritage of India's knowledge systems among students, faculty, and the broader community, ensuring their continued relevance and application in today's rapidly evolving world.

IKS Team of KSRCE

Academic Year 2024-2025

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<u>List of Events Organized (2024-2025)</u>

S. No.	Details of Activities	Date	Organized By
1.	Establishment of Centre for IKS	05.09.2024	Centre for IKS
2.	Seminar on "Science Behind the Indian Tradition"	31.08.2024	CE
3.	Seminar on "Sangam Maritime Archeology Excavations"	21.10.2024	BME & CSE (CS)
4.	Seminar on "Historical Data and Concepts"	26.10.2024	CSE
5.	Seminar on "The Importance of Epics in Indian Culture and Tradition"	26.10.2024	SFE & AE
6.	Seminar on "Transformation of Tamil Society through the Lens of Socio-Cultural Anthropology"	26.10.2024	ME
7.	Seminar on "Historical Data and Interpretations"	26.10.2024	CSE
8.	Palm Tree Plantation at Vellode Bird Sanctuary	09.11.2024	EEE
9.	Tamil Heritage, Art, Literature, Culture and Tradition – Quiz Competition	09.11.2024	Kamban Tamil Mandram
10.	Seminar on "Astonishing Historical Remnants"	23.11.2024	CSD
11.	Drawing Competition: Depicting Indian Festivals	23.11.2024	IT
12.	Quiz on Indian Knowledge System	23.11.2024	ІоТ
13.	Mini Talk and Debate on the Economic Condition of Ancient Tamil Nadu	30.11.2024	CSE
14.	Heritage on Your Plate: Health Benefits of Indian Traditional Foods - A Health Awareness Programme	30.11.2024	ECE
15.	Workshop on "The Art of Inner Balance: Indian Psychology for Emotional Resilience"	08.02.2024	ВМЕ
16.	Go Green Project Work	13.02.2025	CE
17.	Seminar on "In Search of History"	22.03.2025	IT
18.	Debate on "Was the Ancient Indian Education System better than today's Education System?"	22.04.2025	CSE CS
19.	Seminar on "Noyyal River Civilization - Kodumanal"	21.05.2025	SFE

Glimpses of IKS Activities

1. Establishment of Centre for IKS

The Centre for Indian Knowledge System (IKS) was inaugurated on 05.09.2024 to promote in-depth exploration of India's ancient wisdom and intellectual traditions.





2. Seminar on "Sangam Maritime Archeology Excavations"

Held on 21.10.2024, the seminar showcased discoveries from Sangam-era maritime archaeology. Students gained insights into ancient Tamil Nadu's naval trade and port infrastructure.





3. Seminar on "Historical Data and Concepts"

On 26.10.2024, this seminar introduced students to methods of analyzing and interpreting historical data. It emphasized the significance of critical approaches in understanding historical narratives.





4. Seminar on "The Importance of Epics in Indian Culture and Tradition"

The seminar, conducted on 26.10.2024, highlighted the cultural and moral teachings of Indian epics. It encouraged reflection on how these epics influence present-day values and ethics.





5. Seminar on "Transformation of Tamil Society through the Lens of Socio-Cultural Anthropology"

Held on 26.10.2024, this seminar analyzed the evolution of Tamil society through anthropological frameworks. Students examined historical transitions shaped by sociocultural dynamics.





6. Seminar on "Historical Data and Interpretations"

On 26.10.2024, participants were guided through diverse ways of interpreting historical evidence. The session stressed the importance of analytical rigour in historical studies.





7. Palm Tree Plantation at Vellode Bird Sanctuary

EEE department students participated in a palm tree plantation drive on 09.11.2024 at Vellode Bird Sanctuary. The activity promoted biodiversity and environmental awareness.





8. Drawing Competition: Depicting Indian Festivals

Students creatively depicted various Indian festivals during a drawing competition held on 23.11.2024. The event nurtured cultural expression through art.





9. Quiz on Indian Knowledge System

A quiz competition conducted on 23.11.2024 tested students' knowledge of Indian intellectual heritage. It promoted awareness of traditional wisdom across disciplines.





10. Mini Talk and Debate on the Economic Condition of Ancient Tamil Nadu

On 30.11.2024, students participated in a mini talk and debate examining the economic prosperity of ancient Tamil Nadu. The activity encouraged analytical discussion rooted in historical evidence.





11. Heritage on Your Plate: Health Benefits of Indian Traditional Foods

A health awareness programme held on 30.11.2024 emphasized the nutritional and medicinal value of traditional Indian food. The session bridged ancient dietary wisdom with modern health science.





12. Workshop on "The Art of Inner Balance: Indian Psychology for Emotional Resilience"

The workshop, conducted on 08.02.2024, introduced psychological practices from Indian philosophy to enhance emotional resilience. Participants learned techniques to manage stress and maintain inner balance.





13. Seminar on "In Search of History"

The seminar held on 22.03.2025 encouraged students to explore less-discussed aspects of Indian history. It inspired critical thinking and independent research on historical themes.



14. Debate on "Was the Ancient Indian Education System better than today's Education System?"

Students debated the comparative value of ancient and modern education systems on 22.04.2025. The event sharpened reasoning skills and broadened understanding of educational philosophies.



