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Dr. M S Ramaiah, a visionary and philanthropist established "Gokula Education Foundation (GEF)", in the year 1962, to deliver education and healthcare for the betterment of mankind. Under the tutelage of GEF, Ramaiah college of Arts, Science and Commerce (RCASC) was established in 1994. RCASC is Re-accredited with "A" Grade by NAAC, permanently affiliated to Bangalore University (BU) and Bengaluru Central University and approved by AICTE.

**About the Guest Lecture** 

With the increasing use of artificial intelligence and machine learning, Electronic Development Applications are being developed to enable smarter decision-making and to automate many of the processes involved in the development of electronic solutions. Al and MLis enabling the development of connected devices and systems that can communicate with each other and with the internet, and Electronic Development Applications are being developed to support this connectivity. It can make the tasks amarter by optimization of parameters

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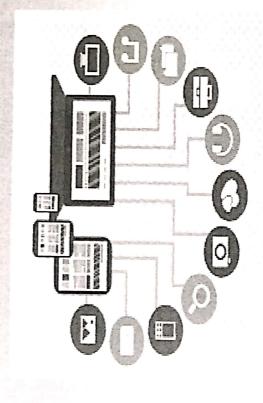




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# Guest Lecture

"Grow Smarter, Not Harder: Optimizing Farms with AI and ML"



on 04/09/2024

All BSc EMCs I, II, III
year students
Time: 11:00 am
Venue: Abdul Kalam

Auditorium

Faculty in charge:
Mrs. Rithu R
Assistant professor
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Dated: 28/08/24

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The Department of Electronics is organizing a Guest Lecture under DBT Star College Scheme in association with IQAC, MSRCASC on "Grow Smarter, Not Harder: Optimizing Farms with AI and ML" on 04/09/2024 B.Sc.EMCs first, second and third year students in Abdul Kalam Auditorium from 11 am onwards. The Resource person for the Guest Lecture is Dr Rajeshwari S B, Assistant Professor, Department of ISE, Ramaiah Institue of Technology, Bangalore. Attendance is mandatory for all the students.

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### **GUEST LECTURE ON "GROW**

# SMARTER, NOT HARDER: OPTIMIZING FARMS WITH AI AND ML"

Resource Person:
Dr Rajeshwari S B,
Assistant Professor,
Department of ISE,
Ramaiah Institue of
Technology,
Bangalore.

Date: 04/09/2024

Time: 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Venue: Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Auditorium, MSRCASC

The Department of Electronics under DBT Star College Scheme in association with IQAC had organized a Guest Lecture on "Grow Smarter, not harder: optimizing farms with AI and ML" on 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at 11.00 am at Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Auditorium, MSRCASC. The Resource Person was Dr Rajeshwari S B, Assistant Professor, Department of ISE,Ramaiah Institue of Technology, Bengaluru. It was conducted for all semester BSc Electronics Students.

The Objectives of the Guest Lecture was-:

- 1. To introduce the concept of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) applications in agriculture.
- 2. To educate the audience on the benefits and potential of precision farming using AI/ML.
- 3. To showcase successful case studies and best practices in AI/ML adoption in agriculture.
- 4.To understand the role of AI/ML in enhancing crop yields, reducing waste, and promoting sustainable agricultural practices.
- 5. To learn about automated farming systems, including drones, robotics, and autonomous tractors.
- 6. To explore the potential of computer vision, natural language processing, and IoT in agriculture. The guest lecture, "Grow Smarter, Not Harder: Optimizing Farms with AI and ML," highlighted the transformative potential of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) in agriculture. Dr Rajeshwari shared expertise on leveraging technology to enhance farm productivity, efficiency,

and sustainability.

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The guest lecture highlighted the transformative potential of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) in agriculture, showcasing how precision farming can increase crop yields by up to 20% and reduce water and fertilizer usage by 30-40%. Automated farming systems, including drones and robotics, can enhance labor efficiency and reduce costs.

Data analytics informs climate-resilient agricultural practices, and collaboration between farmers, researchers, and industry experts is crucial for successful AI/ML adoption. The guest lecture, "Grow Smarter, Not Harder: Optimizing Farms with AI and ML," explored the potential of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) to transform agriculture.

The speaker discussed how AI/ML can enhance crop yields, reduce waste, and promote sustainable practices through precision farming, automated systems, and data-driven decisionmaking. Real-world examples illustrated the benefits of AI-powered drones, robotics, and soil analysis, while highlighting challenges and limitations. The lecture also emphasized the importance of interdisciplinary collaboration and policy support for widespread AI/ML adoption. By leveraging AI and ML, farmers can optimize resource allocation, predict yields, and adapt to climate change, ultimately creating a more efficient, resilient, and sustainable food system.

The lecture demonstrated the vast potential of AI and ML in revolutionizing agriculture. By embracing technology, farmers can optimize resources, reduce waste, and promote sustainable practices.

Dr Rajeshwari S B inspired the audience to explore innovative solutions for a more efficient and resilient food system.

### Outcome-:

- 1. It was a knowledgeable guest lecture for our students as they had lot of take aways.
- 2. It gave an overview of AI/ML applications in agriculture, precision farming: yield prediction, crop monitoring, and soil analysis
- 3. Awareness of Automated farming systems: drones, robotics, and autonomous tractors, data-driven decision-making for optimized resource allocation
- 4. How to focus on Future directions: integrating computer vision, natural language processing, and IoT.

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### **Guest Lecturer**

# "Grow Smarter, Not Harder: Optimizing Farms with AI and ML

# **Participants**

Date:4<sup>th</sup> September 2024

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