

ICFAI TECH NEWSLETTER

June 2026

From the Director's Desk:



It gives me immense pleasure to present this edition of the ICFAI Tech Newsletter, which reflects our institution's steadfast commitment to academic excellence, research, innovation, sustainability, and holistic development. The accomplishments featured in these pages are a testament to the collective efforts of our faculty, students, researchers, alumni, and staff in advancing knowledge, fostering innovation, and creating a meaningful impact on society.

I am delighted to share that our faculty members have continued to distinguish themselves through impactful research published in internationally reputed journals and conferences. Their contributions in emerging domains such as 6G communication technologies, advanced semiconductor devices, high-performance processor architectures, microwave engineering, and wireless communication exemplify ICFAI Tech's growing research ecosystem and its commitment to addressing contemporary technological challenges. Equally noteworthy is the elevation of Dr. Asisa Kumar Panigrahy to the prestigious grade of IEEE Senior Member, a recognition that reflects professional excellence and sustained contributions to engineering research and innovation. Such achievements inspire our academic community to pursue excellence and contribute to global scientific progress.

This edition also celebrates significant milestones that reinforce the growing reputation of our institution. ICFAI Tech's receipt of the Computer Society of India (CSI) Special Jury Award for Institutional Excellence is a matter of immense pride and acknowledges our unwavering commitment to quality education, impactful research, technological innovation, and meaningful engagement with professional bodies.

Likewise, the global recognition earned by the ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education in the Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Rankings 2026 reflects our dedication to advancing the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals through excellence in teaching, research, community outreach, and sustainable institutional practices.

Our global alumni continue to be valued ambassadors of IFHE across the world. The successful IFHE Alumni Meet – Australia highlighted the strength of our international alumni network and reaffirmed the enduring relationships that connect our graduates with their alma mater. Their professional accomplishments and continued engagement with the University inspire our present students and strengthen our global academic community.

Beyond academic excellence, ICFAI Tech remains deeply committed to nurturing socially responsible and well-rounded individuals. The observance of World Environment Day through a campus-wide tree plantation drive reflected our commitment to environmental stewardship and sustainable development. Similarly, the Sahaja Yoga Session, organized as part of the International Day of Yoga celebrations, encouraged mindfulness, emotional well-being, and holistic personal growth among our students, faculty, and staff. These initiatives reinforce our belief that true education encompasses intellectual growth, environmental responsibility, and personal well-being.

As we continue our journey toward excellence, we remain dedicated to creating an ecosystem that integrates quality education, cutting-edge research, innovation, industry collaboration, and community engagement. Together, we will continue to nurture future-ready professionals, responsible citizens, and visionary leaders capable of addressing the challenges of an ever-evolving world.

I extend my heartfelt congratulations to all faculty members, students, researchers, alumni, and staff whose dedication and perseverance have contributed to these remarkable accomplishments. Let us continue to work together with passion, integrity, and a shared vision to achieve even greater milestones in the years ahead.

I hope you enjoy reading this edition of the newsletter and take pride in the inspiring achievements of the ICFAI Tech community.

Warm regards,
Prof. K.L. Narayana
Director, ICFAI Tech

Faculty Achievements:

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

Dr. Soumith Samadder Chaudhary, Senior Assistant Professor, Dept. of ECE, published a research paper titled "Compact Multiple Band Bandpass Filter with Independent Passband Control Using Modified Mushroom Resonator Loaded SIW Cavity" in IEEE Microwave Antenna and Propagation (MAPCON-2026).



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Compact Multiple Band Bandpass Filter with Independent Passband Control Using Modified Mushroom Resonator Loaded SIW Cavity

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*Dr. Asisa Kumar Panigrahy,
Associate Professor,
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Dr. Asisa Kumar Panigrahy, Associate Professor, Dept. of ECE, published a research paper titled "Graphene materials and devices for 6G networks: A critical review" in the Journal 'Microelectronic Engineering'.

Dr. Asisa Kumar Panigrahy, Associate Professor, Dept. of ECE, published a research paper titled "A novel high performance FinFET based multioutput hybrid carry skip-carry look ahead (CS-CLA) adder for future processors and cryptographic hardware" in Engineering Research Express-IOP Science.

Dr. Asisa Kumar Panigrahy, Associate Professor, Dept. of ECE, published a research paper titled "Design of a high-efficiency gilbert mixer with current source assistance and current bleeding for HEV and wireless sensor network applications" in the SCI-indexed Q1 journal Nature Scientific Reports.

CERTIFICATION

Dr. Asisa Kumar Panigrahy, Associate Professor, Dept. of ECE, has been elevated to the grade of IEEE Senior Member, a prestigious recognition of professional accomplishments and significant contributions to engineering, research, and technology.



ACHIEVEMENTS

ICFAI TECH RECEIVES CSI SPECIAL JURY AWARD FOR INSTITUTIONAL EXCELLENCE

ICFAI Tech, ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education (IFHE), Hyderabad, was honoured with the prestigious **"Special Jury Award – Computer Society of India (CSI) Supporting Award"** by the **Computer Society of India (CSI), Hyderabad Chapter**, in recognition of its outstanding contributions to engineering education, research, innovation, and professional engagement.

The award was presented to **Dr. K. L. Narayana, Director, IcfaiTech**, on behalf of the institution during the **CSI Excellence Awards Ceremony** held on **11 July 2026 at Narsimha Reddy Engineering College (NRCM), Secunderabad**. The recognition acknowledges ICFAI Tech's unwavering commitment to academic excellence, impactful research, technological innovation, and its continued collaboration with the CSI Hyderabad Chapter in advancing computing and engineering education.



This prestigious honour reflects the collective efforts of the institution's leadership, faculty, researchers, students, and staff in fostering a culture of excellence, innovation, and industry engagement. The award further reinforces ICFAI Tech's position as a leading institution dedicated to producing competent professionals and contributing meaningfully to technological advancement and societal development.

IFHE ALUMNI MEET – AUSTRALIA: RECONNECTING ACROSS CONTINENTS

The **IFHE Alumni Meet – Australia** brought together alumni from diverse graduating batches and professional backgrounds for an evening of reconnecting, networking, and celebrating their enduring association with the ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education (IFHE). The event served as a vibrant platform to rekindle cherished memories, strengthen lifelong friendships, and reinforce the shared bond with their alma mater.

The gathering provided an opportunity for alumni to exchange professional experiences, discuss career achievements, explore collaborative opportunities, and contribute to strengthening the global IFHE alumni network. It was inspiring to witness alumni making significant contributions across a wide range of industries while continuing to embody the values and spirit of IFHE.

The event concluded on a warm and memorable note, reflecting the strength of the IFHE alumni community and its growing global presence. IFHE extends its heartfelt appreciation to all the alumni whose enthusiastic participation and gracious support made the gathering a grand success. Together, the IFHE family continues to foster meaningful connections and build a vibrant network that transcends geographical boundaries.



IFHE ALUMNI MEET – AUSTRALIA

Reconnecting Across Continents



MELBOURNE & SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA



MELBOURNE



SYDNEY



**Reconnecting
with Batchmates**
Strengthening bonds
that last a lifetime.



Global Network
Uniting IFHE alumni
across the world.



Sharing & Growing
Exchange ideas,
explore collaborations
and grow together.



Proud IFHE Alumni
Carrying forward the
values and legacy
of IFHE.

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It was a wonderful evening reconnecting with the IFHE family in Australia.

The alumni meet brought together graduates from different batches and professions, celebrating lifelong friendships, shared memories, and the enduring bond with our alma mater.

The gathering provided an excellent opportunity to exchange experiences, discuss professional journeys, explore collaborations, and strengthen the global IFHE alumni network. It was inspiring to witness our alumni making meaningful contributions across diverse industries while continuing to uphold the values of IFHE.

A heartfelt thank you to all the alumni who made the event memorable with their enthusiastic participation and warm hospitality. Together, we continue to build a stronger and more connected IFHE community across the globe.

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One IFHE. One Family. One World.

Let's stay connected. Let's keep inspiring.



**ONE IFHE
ONE FAMILY**



Global Alumni.
Lifelong Connections.



Reconnecting.
Reliving. Reigniting.

IFHE EARNs GLOBAL RECOGNITION IN THE IMPACT RANKINGS 2026

The ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education (IFHE) has achieved a significant milestone by securing a position in the 1001–1500 band of the prestigious Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Rankings 2026, among 1,603 participating institutions worldwide. This global recognition reflects IFHE's steadfast commitment to advancing the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) through excellence in teaching, research, community outreach, and institutional initiatives.

The achievement highlights the University's sustained efforts to promote sustainable development, foster social responsibility, and create meaningful impact through education and innovation. It also reinforces IFHE's growing reputation as an institution committed to addressing global challenges through academic excellence and collaborative engagement.

Building on this success, IFHE aims to further enhance its global standing by progressing to the 801–1000 band in the Impact Rankings 2027. The University extends its sincere appreciation to its faculty, staff, students, alumni, and all stakeholders whose dedication and collective efforts have contributed to this remarkable accomplishment. Together, the IFHE community continues its pursuit of excellence and greater global recognition.

Events

Sahaja Yoga Session Promotes Holistic Well-being at IcfaiTech

Venue: ICFAI Tech, IFHE, Hyderabad

Dates: 22 June 2026

As part of the International Day of Yoga celebrations, a Sahaja Yoga session was organized on 22 June 2026 at the FST Auditorium for faculty, staff, and students. The session aimed to promote mental peace, self-awareness, emotional well-being, and holistic personal development through the practice of meditation.

The program began with an informative talk introducing the philosophy, origin, and significance of Sahaja Yoga. The resource persons highlighted the importance of self-realization and explained how regular meditation can enhance emotional stability, mental clarity, physical well-being, and overall quality of life. The interactive session enabled participants to gain a deeper understanding of the principles and benefits of Sahaja Yoga.

A guided meditation session followed, during which participants actively engaged in the practice and experienced a sense of calmness, relaxation, and inner balance. The meditation exercise encouraged mindfulness, improved concentration, and inspired students to adopt healthy practices for effective stress management and personal growth.

The event concluded with a group photograph and a vote of thanks. Participants appreciated the opportunity to experience Sahaja Yoga and its positive impact on overall well-being. The session proved to be an enriching and rejuvenating experience, reinforcing the importance of mindfulness and holistic wellness in academic and personal life.



ICFAI TECH CELEBRATES WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY 2026

Venue: ICFAI Tech, IFHE, Hyderabad

Dates: 5 June 2026

The Faculty of Science and Technology (IcfaiTech), ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education (IFHE), Hyderabad, celebrated **World Environment Day** on 5 June 2026 with a tree-plantation drive organized in collaboration with the Associate Deans and Heads of various departments. Faculty members and academic leaders actively participated in the initiative, reaffirming the institution's commitment to environmental sustainability and the creation of a greener campus.

World Environment Day serves as a global platform to promote awareness and action toward protecting the environment by addressing pressing challenges such as climate change, deforestation, pollution, and biodiversity loss. The celebration highlighted the importance of adopting sustainable practices and encouraged collective responsibility for conserving natural resources.

The tree-plantation activity reflected IcfaiTech's dedication to environmental stewardship and its vision of fostering ecological consciousness within the academic community. By promoting green initiatives and sustainable living, the institution continues to inspire students and faculty to contribute meaningfully toward building a healthier and more sustainable future for generations to come.



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