Virtual Seminar Series on AI: The Future of Work

Organized by

Department of Computer Science and BVoc Software Development

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Venue: Online Platform (Zoom)

Report of the event

The department of Computer Science and B.Voc Software Development, St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Irinjalakuda organized a **Virtual Seminar Series on AI: The Future of Work** on 2nd, 4th & 8th February 2021. The webinar was well attended by eminent academicians, faculty members and students from reputed technical and various educational institutions. The enormous response was well recognized through the registration of around 150 participants each day (Participants were Faculty, Research Scholars and students of various Colleges).
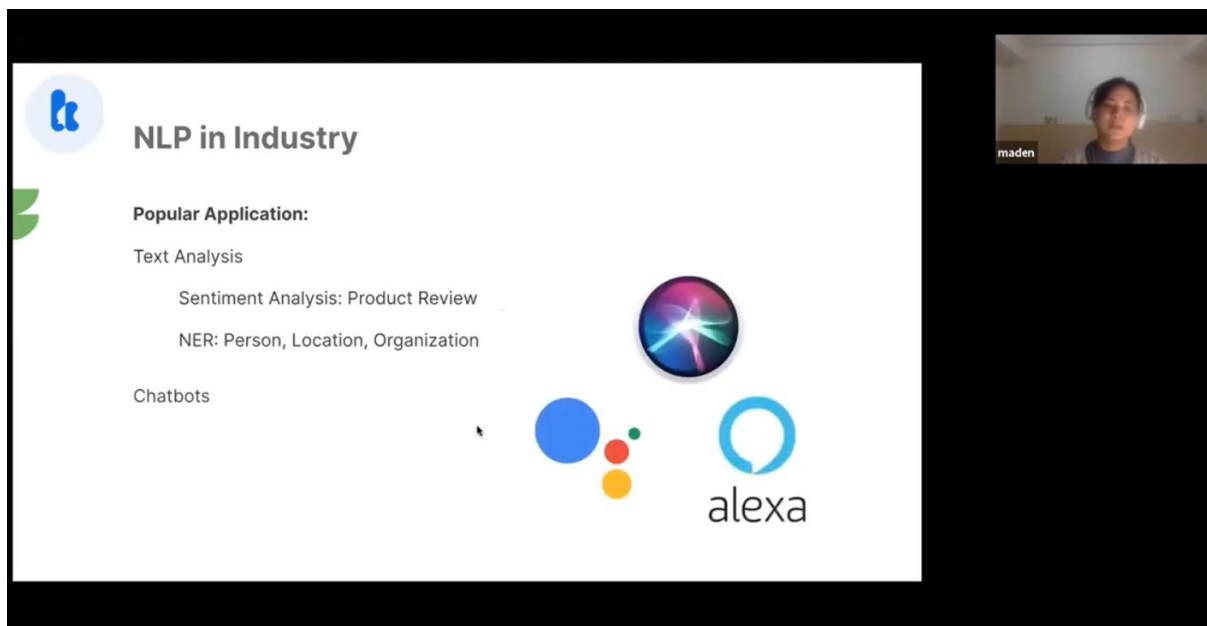
The program commenced with the inaugural ceremony by invoking the blessings of the Almighty. **Sr. Blessy**, Head of the Computer Science Department, formally welcomed all the dignitaries on the dais and participants from the various educational institutions, colleagues, guests and students. **Dr.Sr. Asha Therese**, the principal of St. Joseph's College, has given the Presidential address. She pointed various applications of this topic in diverse fields and hoped that the participants will be highly benefited by the speakers. **Dr.Sr. Rose Bastin,** Coordinator of self-financing courses, St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Irinjalakuda threw some light on the thrust areas of Artificial Intelligence. She described and explained the importance of Artificial Intelligence in today's world.

In the end, Ms. Reesha P U offered a vote of thanks to all including the Principal, the HOD, and faculty advisors without whom this event wouldn't have been possible and all the invited guests for gracing the occasion by their solemn presence and to all the participants of the webinar series who were the main ingredient of this webinar.

<u>WEBINAR - DAY I</u>

The session was started at 5.30pm and our resource person, **Made Nindyatama**, AI Engineer at Kata.ai in Jakarta, Indonesia delivered her energetic talk on 'Conversational AI Research and Engineering' conducted on 2nd February, 2021. The session was very interactive and many of our participants were actively interacted with the resource person. This session came to an end at 6.30 pm.

WEBINAR - DAY II

The session was started at 5.30pm and our resource person, Catalina Jaramillo, Research Assistant in the Department of Technology Management & Innovation of NYU Tandon School of Engineering delivered her fruitful talk on the topic "Effect of Organizational Culture on AI implementation" conducted on 4th February, 2021 and made the session alive and informative. This session came to an end at 6.30 pm.

Effect of Organisational Culture on AI implementation

Catalina Jaramillo is currently a Research Assistant in the Department of Technology Management & Innovation of NYU Tandon School of Engineering Catalina also holds an MS in Management of Technology from NYU Tandon School of Engineering. Previously, she worked as an organizational development consultant for several firms in Latin America. Catalina has been a member of the judging committee for the Caterpillar Innovative Applications in Analytics Award (IAAA) for the 2018 and 2019 editions. She has been invited as guest editor for Special Issue on Analytical Modelling and Applications for the Journal of Modelling in Management. Catalina completed a BS in Production

Catalina Jaramillo

WEBINAR - DAY III

The session was started at 5.30pm and our resource person, Sayeed Islam, Assistant Professor of Industrial Organizational Psychology at Farmingdale State College, handled the session on the topic "Artificial Intelligence in Talent Management" conducted on 8th February, 2021. In addition to his role as a professor, he is a co-founder and a Vice President of Consulting with Talent Metrics. The speaker acquainted the audience about the importance of Artificial Intelligence. The session was very informative and many of our participants were actively interacted with Sayeed Islam.

Artificial Intelligence in Talent Management

Sayeed Islam

Sy has over 10 years of experience in a variety of corporate, academic, and applied settings. He completed his Bachelors in Economics from Rutgers University, his MBA in Human Resource Management and a Master's of Arts in Industrial-Organizational Psychology from Fairleigh Dickinson University. He completed his PhD in Applied Organizational Psychology from Hofstra University.

Link to the website: https://www.stjosephs.edu.in/department/computer-science/seminars.html