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A Proposal on A 3-Day Online Workshop to be conducted from 29th to 31st July, 2020
On
Empowering Young Minds as Skilled and Responsible Professionals

Submitted by

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Submitted to

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Date 20.07.2020

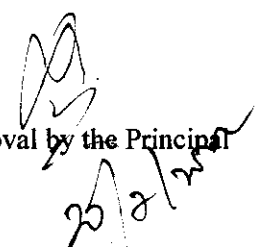
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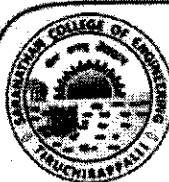
We, the department of English have proposed to conduct A Three-Day Workshop on **“Empowering Young Minds as Skilled and Responsible Professionals”** for our students of all years and all branches from **29th to 31st July 2020**. There would be one session a day, totally three sessions. The details of the schedule with topics and resource persons for each session are attached herewith.

We kindly request your consent to take it forward.

Sincerely yours,


Dr.M.Bhuvaneswari


Approval by the Principal



SARANATHAN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Invites you for A Three-Day Online Workshop
On

**EMPOWERING YOUNG MINDS TO EMERGE AS
RESPONSIBLE AND SKILLED PROFESSIONALS**

29th to 31st JULY 2020, 11AM-12.30PM



Nurturing Human Minds:
Moral Values, Ethics for Sustainable Development
Mrs. DEEPTI SINGH
Programme Coordinator
The Global Summit and
Facilitator, European Union's PEACE Programme
Tokyo, Japan.



Refining Spoken English : A Focus on Pronunciation

Dr. SALIVENDRA JAYARAJU
Professor, Dept. of Phonetics and Spoken English
School of Language Sciences
The English and Foreign Language University
Hyderabad, Telangana.



English for Competitive Exams : Tips and Tricks
Mr. STEPHEN CHINNASAMY and Team
CEO- Strides Consulting Inc. Chennai
Cambridge Trainer



E-Certificate will be provided to all active participants.

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/d2LiQE5kLhgEdAuH7>

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SARANATHAN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, TRICHY					
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH					
A THREE - DAY ONLINE WORKSHOP					
EMPOWERING YOUNG MINDS TO EMERGE AS RESPONSIBLE AND SKILLED AND PROFESSIONALS					
29th, 30th and 31st JULY 2020					
DETAILS OF DATE, SCHEDULE, TIME, RESOURCE PERSON, TOPICS					
S.NO	DATE	SESSION	DURATION	RESOURCE PERSON	TOPIC
1	29.7.2020	1	11.00AM-12.30PM	Mrs. Deepti Singh, Programme Coordinator, Global Summit, Tokyo, Japan	Nurturing Human Minds: Moral Values, Ethics for Sustainable Development
2	30.7.2020	1	11.00AM-12.30PM	Dr. Salivendra Jayaraju, Professor, Department of Phonetics and Spoken English, School of Language Sciences, The English and Foreign Language University, Hyderabad, Telangana	Refining Spoken English: a Focus on Pronunciation
3	31.7.2020	1	11.00AM-12.30PM	Mr. Stephen Chinnasamy, CEO, Strides Consulting Inc., Chennai	English for Competitive Examinations: Tips and Tricks

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**Report on the Three-day Online Workshop
on
“Empowering Young Minds to Emerge as Responsible and Skilled Professionals”
From 29.7.2020 to 31.7.2020**

The Department of English organized a Three-Day Online Workshop from 29th July 2020 to 31st July 2020 for the students from all the years of UG and PG of Saranathan college titled “Empowering Young Minds to Emerge as Responsible and Skilled Professionals”. The programme was scheduled with one session a day from 11.00 AM to 12.30 PM, in totally three sessions. The programme was hosted in Webinar Jam online meeting platform. Academicians and trainers were invited as the resource persons of the program.

29.7.2020-Session 1:

The programme started at 11.00 AM with a welcome address by Dr.M.Bhuvaneswari, Convenor of the programme and the Head, Department of English. She introduced the resource person Ms. Deepti Singh, Programme Coordinator, The Global Summit and Facilitator, European Union’s PEACE Programme, Tokyo, Japan. It was followed by the first session of the programme on “Nurturing Human Minds: Moral Values and Ethics for Sustainable Development.” Totally 591 student participants attended the session. The session really nurtured the minds of all the participants with the valuable insights and ethical values. Ms Singh also highlighted the roles and responsibilities of Engineers for the sustainable development. She made the session livelier by making the session interactive and getting the students to participate. The content was complemented through some videos which enabled the participants to look deeper into the topic.

30.7.2020-Session 2:

The second session of the workshop started with Dr.M.Bhuvaneswari welcoming the resource person and the participants. The resource person of the session was Dr. Salivendra Jayaraju, Professor, Department of Phonetics and Spoken English, School of Language Sciences, The English and Foreign Language University, Hyderabad, Telangana. He shared his knowledge on “Refining Spoken English: A Focus on Pronunciation.” His lecture and hands-on training to the students portrayed that language acquisition can be done through practice with the actual melody of the language. Dr. Jayaraju threw light on pronunciation and its importance in spoken communication. The resource person motivated the participants to make use of the

target language to the maximum in order to master that. The total number of attendees was 478.

31.7.2020-Session 3:

The third session of the programme was on "English for Competitive Exams: Tips and Tricks." The session started with a welcome address by the convenor of the programme followed by the introduction of the resource person Mr. Stephen Chinnasamy, CEO of Strides Consulting Inc. Chennai & a Cambridge Trainer. It was a panel discussion with his team of three trainers Ms. Sajeo Gerald, Ms. Catherine Peters and Mr. Vinish Soman. The questions raised by the panellists and discussed in detail during the session were immensely useful to the students. The "four basic skills (LSRW) of the language" and "questions on verbal ability and reasoning" were the major areas of the discussion. The panellists gave tips and tricks to crack the competitive exams. That the Question and Answer session was very useful was evident from the number of questions raised by the participants. The purpose of such a session was fully served when almost all the questions were answered by the panel. Nearly 500 students participated in the session.

The session and the programme came to an end at 12.45 PM with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr. M. Bhuvaneswari.

The three days online workshop was very successful and useful if the feedback received is any indication- feedback from the student participants and the few teachers of Mahatma Gandhi Centenary Vidyalaya, Trichy (who participated in the program on special invitation).

M. Bhuvaneswari
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