

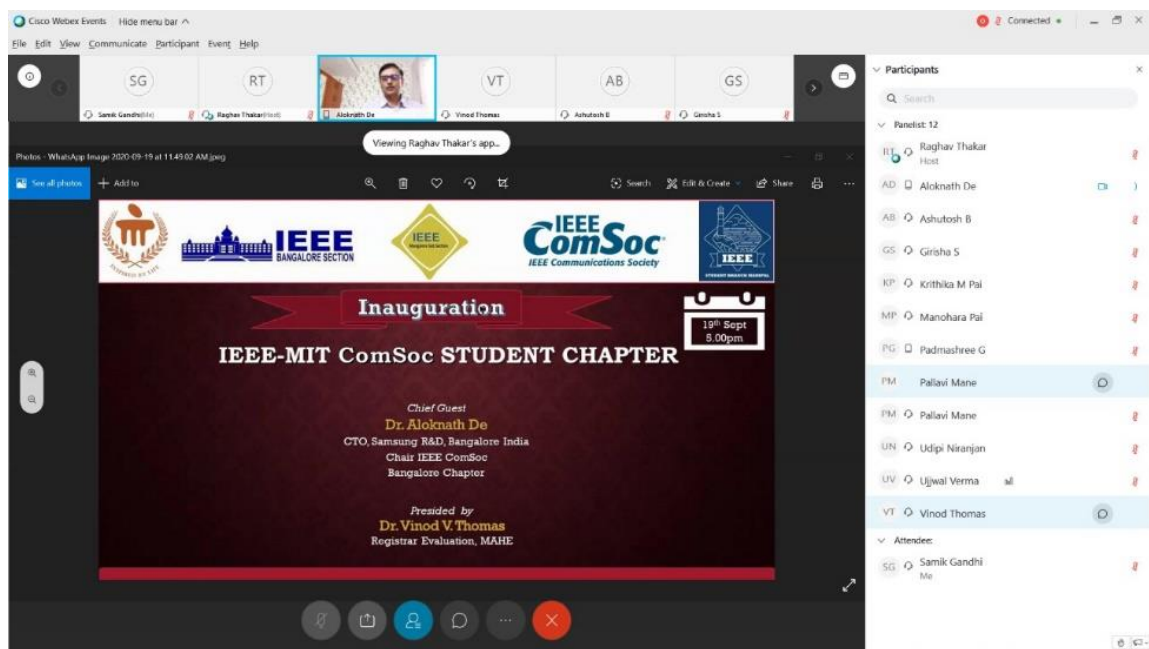
IEEE Communication Society Student Chapter Inaugurated at Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal

Event: Inauguration of IEEE Manipal Institute of Technology Communications Society Students Chapter

Date: 19-09-2020

Time: 5pm-6pm

Number of attendees: 25 IEEE members: 22 Non IEEE members: 3



A new IEEE Communication Society Student Chapter was inaugurated at Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal on 19 September 2020 in the virtual presence of Dr. Alokmath De, Chair IEEE ComSoc Bangalore Chapter, CTO Samsung R&D Bangalore, India. The function was presided over by Dr. Vinod V Thomas, Registrar Evaluation, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). The event was attended by students and faculties of various colleges under IEEE Mangalore Sub-Section. The executive committee members of the IEEE Mangalore Subsection were also present on the occasion.

The function began with an invocation by Ms. Shrishma, Research Scholar at MIT Manipal which was followed by a welcome address and introduction to the President by Ms. Padmasree, Vice-Chair, IEEE-MIT ComSoc Student Chapter. The President of the function Dr. Vinod V. Thomas reminisced his experiences of the IEEE student branch at MIT Manipal. He recalled that IEEE Student Branch at MIT was started way back in early 1980s, and has now established various student chapters (SPS, WiE, ComSoc).

Mr. Ashutosh Holla, member of the IEEE-MIT ComSoc Student Chapter, introduced the Chief Guest of the function, Dr. Aloknath De which was followed by the address from the Chief Guest. The Chief Guest talked about various ComSoc activities that were conducted by ComSoc chapters in different institutions also about emerging technologies in communication space.

Krithika M Pai, Chair IEEE-MIT ComSoc student chapter spoke about the activities planned under the IEEE-MIT ComSoc student chapter for the next one year. The faculty advisor for IEEE MIT ComSoc Student Chapter is Dr. Ujjwal Verma, from Department of Electronics and Communication Engg, MIT, Manipal.

Dr. U C Niranjana, Chair IEEE-Mangalore SubSection highlighted the importance of IEEE in MIT and in this region.

Finally, the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Mr. Girish, member of the IEEE-SBM ComSoc Student Chapter.

The inauguration function was compered by Mr. Raghav, member IEEE-SBM, MIT Manipal