

# A TRANSNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON SMART TECHNOLOGIES FOR SOCIETAL HEALTH

Jointly organized by Anna University, Chennai, India,  
and Queen's University Belfast, UK.

Dates: 4th & 5th March 2024

Venue: Department of Computer Technology  
Anna University, MIT Campus, Chrompet  
Chennai 600044, India

Last Date for Registration: 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Notification of Selection: 15<sup>th</sup> February 2024

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*As the Madras Institute of Technology (MIT) Campus at Anna University commemorates its 75th anniversary, the Department of Computer Technology, in partnership with Queen's University Belfast (QUB), UK, is set to host a two-day Transnational Workshop on 'Smart Technologies for Societal Health' scheduled on March 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024.*

## ABOUT WORKSHOP

The two-day Transnational Workshop on Smart Technologies for Societal Health aims to bring together experts and researchers from the UK, India, Vietnam and Malaysia to explore how Smart Technologies (AI, computer vision, robotics and autonomous systems) can be better utilized to improve Societal Health in regions impacted by natural disasters. The workshop further intends to identify technical challenges in their development and establish a collaborative action plan for research activities to overcome these challenges.

The event will encompass series of keynote lectures, panel discussions, and breakout sessions, featuring insights from both experienced and early-career researchers representing the participating countries.

## INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES

- **Prof. Sean McLoone** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Dr. Wasif Naeem** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Dr. Pantelis Sopasaki** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Dr. Mien Van** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Dr. Che Cameron** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Mr. Stephen McIlvanna** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Ms. Yuzhu Sun** – Queen's University Belfast, UK
- **Dr. Van-Truong Nguyen** – Hanoi University of Industry, Vietnam
- **Dr. Tien-Dung Hoang** – Hanoi University of Industry, Vietnam
- **Dr. Xiem HoangVan** – Vietnam National University, Vietnam
- **Dr. Ramani Kannan** – Universiti Teknologi Petronas, Malaysia
- **Dr. Sathishkumar V E** – Sunway University, Malaysia

## CALL FOR INDIAN PARTICIPANTS

Ph.D. students, scientists, early-career researchers, and faculty members actively conducting research in smart technologies and health care, including artificial intelligence, computer vision, robotics, autonomous systems, communication infrastructures, infrastructure integrity assessments, and related domains are the targeted participants for this workshop.

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*Participants who have been selected are entitled to travel assistance, which includes economy-class flights, 2nd AC train travel, and road transportation. Limited Accommodation will be provided in the Hostel Guest House.*

## ORGANIZERS

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