# 5TH AINET INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

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# English in Multilingual Contexts

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**10-11 JANUARY 2020
VASAVI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (AUTONOMOUS) HYDERABAD**

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## Conference Venue

*Vasavi College of Engineering (Autonomous), Ibrahim Bagh, Hyderabad, Telangana*

Location on Map: http://tinyurl.com/ainet2020venue

## Conference Lead

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## Conference Focus Areas

Classroom explorations, action research and case studies in the following and related areas, preferably with links to the conference theme of (Indian) multilingual contexts:

- Curriculums and Syllabuses
- Learner Strategies/Styles
- Materials/ Coursebooks
- Methods and Approaches
- Learner/ Teacher Motivation
- Technology in ELE
- ELE Policies in India and Asia
- Teachers as Researchers

- Teaching Language Skills
- Teacher Training/ Development
- Testing and Evaluation
- Psychology of Learners/ Learning
- History of ELE in India
- Teaching of English Literature
- English as Medium of Instruction
- Teachers as Mentors

## Call for Presentation Proposals

**Paper Presentations (15 min)  |  Workshops (30 min)  |  Poster Displays**

- Submit the **Presenter Proposal Form** (at conf.theainet.net/ainet2020ppf ) by **15th October 2019**.
- All approved presenters must complete registration by **15th December 2019**, failing which their proposals may not be included in the conference programme.
- Proposals will be subjected to scrutiny and editorial review. Presenters may be asked to make revisions, if necessary, as suggested by the Review Committee.

## Important Dates

- Last date for proposals submission – **15th October 2019**
- Feedback on submissions – **5th November 2019**
- Final submission with revisions, if any – **15th November 2019**

## Registration, Fee and Payments

### Registration

- Complete the **Delegate Registration form** (available at conf.theainet.net/ainet2020drf ) and make payments as appropriate.

### Delegate Fee

- Up to 15th December 2019– Rs. 1500 (USD 40 for overseas participants)
- After 15th December 2019– Rs. 2500 (USD 60 for overseas participants)
- Delegate fees will cover conference material, lunch, snacks and teas.

### Payments

- Payments to be made via secure payment gateways accessible after filling up the registration forms online. AINET will bear the cost of transaction charges.

## Grants and Awards

- AINET travel grants to teachers without enough means to support their participation.
- Special awards to select innovative high-value presentations!
- Loads of other prizes and surprises on offer!
- Write to theainet@gmail.com for more details

## Accommodation

- Delegates are expected to make their own arrangements of stay. A list of accommodation options (including hotels) with a range of tariffs is available on request. Contact the following persons for accommodation details:

**Dr Ramkrishna, (Department of Computer Application): 9059484859, kallurirk@hotmail.com**
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## ⏱ Conference Schedule*

| Friday, 10 January 2020 | |
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| 10.00 – 11.00 | Inaugural Session |
| 11.15 – 12.00 | Keynote Address |
| 12.10 – 1.00 | Session 1 |
| 2.00 – 3.30 | Paper Presentations Round 1 |
| 4.00 – 5.00 | Workshops Round 1 |
| **Saturday, 11 January 2020** | |
| 10.00 – 11.30 | Paper Presentations Round 2 |
| 12.00 – 1.00 | Panel Discussion |
| 2.00 – 3.00 | Workshops Round 2 |
| 3.30 – 4.15 | Closing Plenary |
| 4.20 – 5.00 | Valedictory Session |

[*Tentative schedule, subject to change]

## 👥 Conference Committee

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## 🧿 About AINET

AINET is a community of teachers, trainers, teacher educators and everyone interested in the teaching of English. It is affiliated to the International Association of Teachers of English (IATEFL), UK. Its main activities include newsletters, discussion forums, conferences, workshops, training, research projects and supporting other institutions in organizing academic events. Besides a biennial international conference, AINET also conducts theme-based conferences, workshops and projects every year.

AINET also organises yearly cycles of the Teacher Research Initiative (TRI) in which teachers are encouraged and supported to research their work and classrooms. AINET actively collaborates with the teacher associations in neighbouring countries and holds several joint activities.

## ⚙ About VCE & Dept. of H&SS

Founded in 1981 by Vasavi Academy of Education, Vasavi College of Engineering represents a rich tradition of excellence in technology-based education. Affiliated to Osmania University, and situated in a 13.6-acre campus with lush lawns, a beautiful landscape, aesthetic architecture and avant-garde infrastructure, the college has been building purposive partnerships with the industry bolstering its wherewithal continually and evolving innovative programmes consistent with changing times.

The department of H&SS offers English, Economics and various skill development courses. With eight well-qualified and highly dedicated faculty pursuing research in various fields of ELT, the department plays a key role in developing the language and communication skills of engineering students and groom them appropriately to face the challenges of the real world.

## 🤲 Support to Presenters

- AINET offers support and expert advice to prospective presenters in planning and making their presentations. If you wish to take advantage of this, or want ideas and clarifications on presentations, write a mail to theainet@gmail.com stating your desire to get support. Mentors from the AINET pool will help you at all stages of your presentation.

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