

The 2nd International Conference on Data Engineering and Communication Systems, ICDECS-2015 was held on December 28-29, 2015. It was jointly organized by Departments of CSE and ISE under the headship of Dr. G T Raju & Dr. M V Sudhamani. The inaugural function was started with an invocation to seek the blessings of almighty. Our esteemed Principal and General Chair of ICDECS-2015, Dr. M K Venkatesha, delivered the welcome address. The conference was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Shri. V Varadarajan, Director – Project monitoring, Electronics and Communication Systems, DRDO, Bengaluru by lighting the lamp. He released the conference proceedings and gave a keynote address. The conference briefing was given by Dr. G T Raju, Dean- Engineering, Head-Dept of CSE and the Program Chair of ICDECS-2015. Guest of honor Shri. Parameshwar R, Head, R &D, United Telecom Limited, Bengaluru was also delivered a talk. The inaugural function ended with the presidential remarks by our beloved director Dr. H N Shivashankar and vote of thanks delivered by Dr. M V Sudhamani, Program Chair of ICDECS 2015.

There were three tutorials sessions by Dr. S S Iyengar, Professor, University of Florida, USA delivered a talk on challenges in Big Data followed by Dr. Mohith P Tahiliani, Professor, NITK Surathkal delivered a talk on NS2 and NS3 Simulators and Dr. M C Hanumantha Raju, Professor in BMSIT delivered a talk on Image Processing and its applications.

All together there were three parallel sessions were

held for paper presentation namely Data Engineering, Communication Systems and Image Processing. The Session chairs were from across the state who gave inputs to the participants. The name of the session chairs are as follows Dr. KG Srinivasa from MSRIT, Dr. D V Ashoka from JSSATE, Dr. Ananda Kumar from SJBIT, Dr. P A Vijaya from BNMIT, Dr. Radhika KR from BMSCE, Dr. T G Basavaraju from GEC Ramanagara, Dr. NandaGopalan from BIT, Dr. Arun Biradar from EWIT, Dr. Ramakanth from RVCE, Dr. Hanumanthappa from Bangalore University, Dr. G tippeswamy from BMSIT, Dr. H S Mohan from SJBIT and Dr. Vipula Singh, Dr. Kavya and Dr. Andhe Pallavi from RNSIT.

All the selected papers were published in International Journal of Applied Engineering Research, (IJAER) which is a Scopus Indexed Journal. Cultural program and Banquet Dinner was arranged for the participants. On Day 2 panel discussion was held on the topic "Accelerating Digital India benefits through IOT Adoption". The panel chairman was Dr. A Paventhan, ERNET India, Dr. Prasant Misra, CPS, IISc, Mr. Rajesh Krishna, Utthunga Technologies, Mr. Ashish Joshi, Wipro Technologies and Mr. Subramanya Krishnamurthy from Fimplex Private Limited and finally the valedictory function was held and best paper awards were given to the authors.

The three best papers were chosen under three different streams. Authors of the best papers are Mr. Keshava Munegowda and Dr. GT Raju, Mr. Purohit Srinivasacharya and Dr. M V Sudhamani, Mrs. Sumathi from JSSATE.











