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What is Amalgam?

"Amalgam" is an annual technical event hosted by the Department of Metallurgical and Materials Engineering at IIT Madras. This event is a platform for students to showcase their technical prowess and creativity in the field of Metallurgy and Materials Science through various competitions, workshops, and lectures, as well as to celebrate our culture and diversity through cultural events.

About METSA:

MetSA is a student-led organization at IIT Madras, focused on promoting a strong sense of community among MME students. The group organizes various events, including Industrial Visit, Fresher's Night, Farewell, and Informal Games, to provide opportunities for students to excel academically and socially.

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WORKSHOPS:

Computational Workshop:

This workshop is designed for researchers, scientists, and engineers interested in gaining a deeper understanding of thermodynamics and its applications in materials science and metallurgical engineering. The participants will learn the principles and techniques used in thermodynamic modeling and simulation.

Material Characterisation Workshop:

This workshop is designed for researchers, scientists, and engineers interested in gaining a deeper understanding of thermodynamics and its applications in materials science and metallurgical engineering. The participants will learn the principles and techniques used in thermodynamic modeling and simulation.

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Additive Manufacturing for Bio-Implants Workshop:

This workshop is designed for researchers, scientists, and engineers interested in gaining a deeper understanding of thermodynamics and its applications in materials science and metallurgical engineering. The participants will learn the principles and techniques used in thermodynamic modeling and simulation.

Machine Learning in Material Science Workshop:

This informative workshop covers the basic concepts of Machine Learning, data preprocessing techniques, feature selection, model selection, and model evaluation. Participants will be exposed to the application of Machine Learning in materials science, such as in material design, discovery, and characterization.

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COMPETITIONS:

Nano-Artography:

Nano-Artography is an online competition to test your imaging skills and creativity. You can present the image obtained through any kind of microscopic equipment, such as Scanning Electron Microscopy, Atom Probe Tomography, etc., by adding creativity to your microstructure. The Winning microstructure will be displayed on the Amalgam 2023 website and social platforms of the MME department of IITM

Etch it:

Etch it is an offline event that involves presenting your microstructure in the form of a hard-colored printed copy at the symposium venue. The image of the microstructure can be obtained through any kind of microscopic equipment. The Winning microstructure will be displayed on the Amalgam 2023 website and social platforms of the MME department of IITM

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Industry-Defined Problem:

Participants will be presented with problem statements related to various aspects of space exploration and nuclear research. They will then have to develop innovative and practical solutions to these problems. The solutions will be evaluated based on their feasibility, originality, and potential impact.

Prize Money:

The shortlisted participants will get a chance to present their solutions in front of the scientists from ISRO and IGCAR, and the best solutions will be awarded (prize money)

Winners will get a certificate along with a cash prize.

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Coding Competition:

This event has 2 rounds; where in the first round, the participants will be quizzed on basic Metallurgical and Materials science questions. The second round will consist of coding problems that you will have to solve as fast as possible.

Meta Quiz:

This event has 2 rounds. The first round of the quiz is a general knowledge round. The second round of the quiz is a problem-solving round that challenges participants to apply their knowledge to solve real-world problems related to metallurgy and materials science.

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Debate Competition:

There are 3 levels of tests present in this competition. The 1st round is a general aptitude test, where only shortlisted participants will move to the next round. The 2nd round is a buzzer round, where the top 4 teams proceed to the final round. The 3rd round is a debate round.

Treasure Hunt:

This event involves the participants to answer questions that take them to different points of the maze until they exit victoriously.

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Workshops:

FULL-DAY WORKSHOP		Date	Timings	Venue
SEM	Lecture	21-04-2023	12:00 PM - 12.45 PM	Hall 3 (ICSR)
	Demonstration	21-04-2023	4:00 PM - 6:00PM	MSB
TEM	Lecture	21-04-2023	12.45 PM - 1.30 PM	Hall 3 (ICSR)
	Demonstration	21-04-2023	4:00 PM - 6:00PM	HSB
APT	Lecture	22-04-2023	11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	TTJ (ICSR)
	Demonstration	22-04-2023	12:30 PM - 01:15 PM	TTJ (ICSR)

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Workshop		Date	Timings	Venue
Computational Thermodynamics	Lecture	21-04-2023	2.00 PM - 3:00 PM	Hall 1 (IC&SR)
	Demonstration	21-04-2023	3:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Hall 1 (IC&SR)
ML in materials	Lecture	23-04-2023	11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Hall 2 (IC&SR)
	Demonstration	23-04-2023	12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	Hall 2 (IC&SR)
Additive Workshop	Lecture	22-04-2023	11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	NAC Seminar Hall
	Demonstration	22-04-2023	12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	NAC Seminar Hall

COMPETITIONS:

Name of the Competition	Date	Timings	Venue
Quiz	22.04.2023 (R-1)	16.00 - 18:00	NAC - 204, 205
Microstructure competition	22.04.2023	10.30- 11.30	ICSR (outside TTJ)
Coding Competition	23.04.2023	9:30 - 11:30	NAC 204
Debate	23.04.2023	9:30 - 11:30	NAC - 205
IPSC	23.04.2023	14.30 - 16.30	NAC - 205
Treasure hunt	23.04.2023	14.30 - 17.30	NAC

National Symposium

22 April 2023

Timing	KeyNote Lecture	Venue
11:25 - 12:05pm	Dr. Anil Kumar V Prof. A S Panwar	Hall 1 Hall 2
12:10- 12:50pm	Dr. Chittaranjan Das	Hall 1
3:35 - 4:15pm	Prof. Krishanu Biswas	Hall 1
	Prof. Somjeet Biswas	Hall 2
	Prof. Rowthu Sriharitha	Hall 3

National Symposium

23 April 2023

Timing	KeyNote Lecture	Venue
10:35 - 11:15 AM	Prof. Chenna Rao Borra	Hall 1

Plenary Lecture

21 April 2023



Debashish Bhattacharjee

Vice President Technology & New Materials Business - TATA STEEL

A.G. Ponn Manickavel

Inspector General of Police of Idol Wing, Economic Offences Wing of Tamil Nadu Police.



Dr. Narayana Murty SVS

General Manager of Materials Development and Production, Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre (LPSC); HOD of Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre.

Rajendra M Kelkar

Principal engineer at GE Additive in Ohio. Specializes in powder Metallurgy, Additive Manufacturing, and developing binder jet materials and processes.



Dr. Sudarsanam Suresh Babu

Director of Bredesen Center for Interdisciplinary Research and Graduate Education; Member of the National Science Board, USA.

Plenary Lecture

22 April 2023



Dr. B. S. Murty

*Director Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad;
Recipient of Metallurgist of the Year award and Young Metallurgist award of Ministry of Steel and Mines.*

Dr. Satyam Suwas

*Professor, Dept. of Materials Engineering, IISC;
Indian Institute of Metals (Currently Chairman,
Bangalore Chapter)*



Dr. R Gopalan

*Adjunct faculty MME, IIT Madras.
Retired Head ARCI Hyderabad*



Plenary Lecture

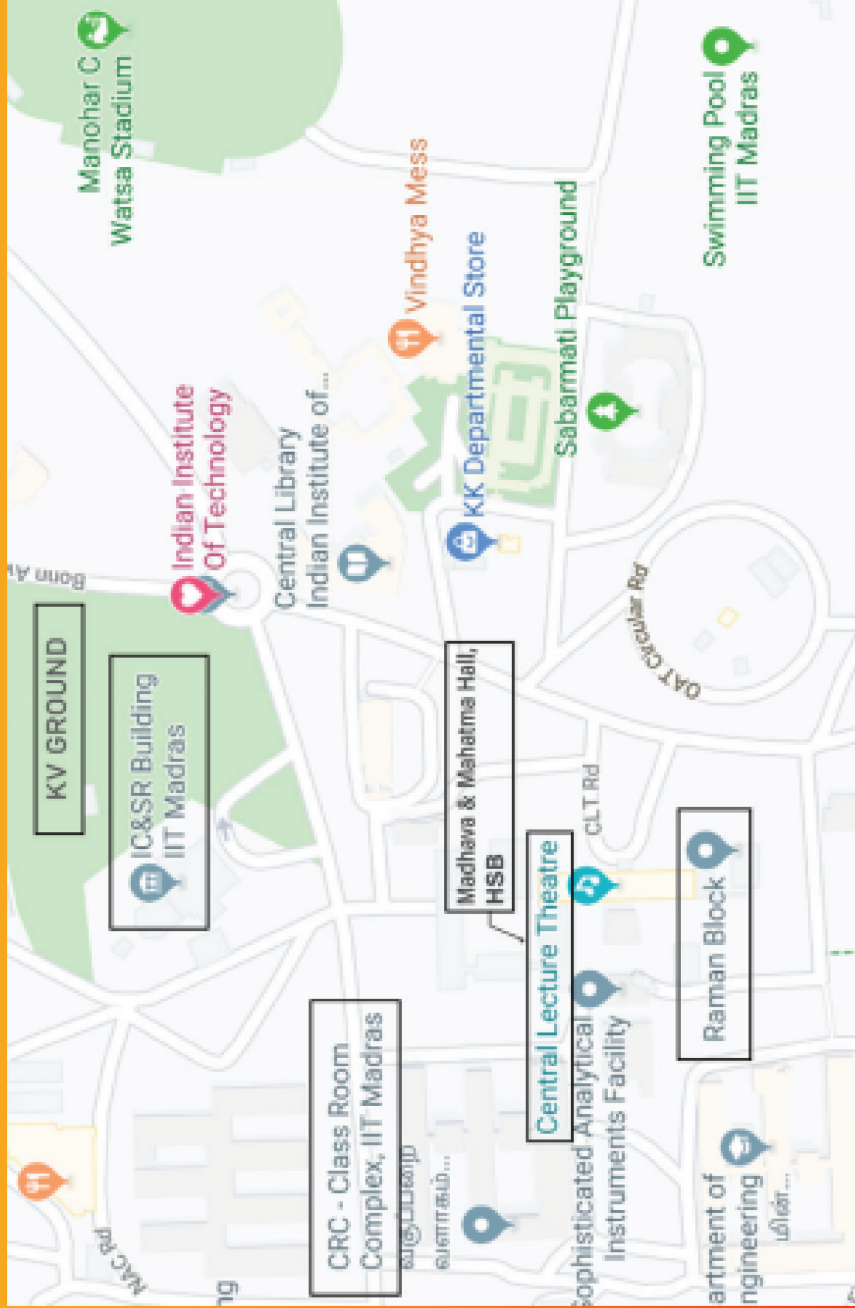
23 April 2023



Dr. S. Venugopal

*Director of National Institute of
Technology Nagaland;
Ex- IGCAR Kalpakkam;
Elected as “Fellow of American Society
of Materials International (FASM)”.*

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