



Faculty Development Program



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Title : Student Centred Innovation Empowering Faculty through Design Thinking for Enhanced Learning Experiences

Date : 04-Dec-2023 - 04-Dec-2023

Time : 10:00 - 17:30

Venue : TT725

Discussion Points

- Introduction to Design Thinking
- Team Formation and Problem Definition
- Design Thinking Steps



Resource Person 1 - Details

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Resource Person 2 - Details

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Resource Person's Profile :

1. Profile of Ravi Shankar Saripalle

Dr. Ravi Shankar Saripalle, Director, Centre for Innovation and Incubation, Gayatri Vidya Parishad College of Engineering from last 12 years. Centre has incubated more than 15 startups and filed more than 45 patents until date. Dr. Ravi is also helping Enlignence Technology Labs, an EdTech startup, developed skill2030.com- AI Powered Metaverse based Total Interview Automation Platform. Over all he has 25 years of experience in Consulting, Program Management, Training and Mentoring.

2. Profile of Denish Raja Durai K

Dr. DENISH RAJA DURAI is a faculty of English Studies in the School of Social Sciences and Languages at VIT, Vellore. He specializes in Style studies as well as transdisciplinary studies with a focus on Topography, Translation, Applied Linguistics, Sangam Classics, and Environmental Humanities. He translates for the film, theatre, and art industries. He is a Dravidian Linguistic Fellow.

The event titled Student Centred Innovation Empowering Faculty through Design Thinking for Enhanced Learning Experiences is a one-day program dedicated to equipping faculty members with the principles and methodologies of design thinking to enhance the quality of learning experiences. Faculty teams engage in a real-life challenge, gaining a deep appreciation for the problem-solving approach of design thinking.

Throughout the day, participants come to understand the significance of empathy, ideation, and prototype development within the design thinking process. By encouraging collaborative problem-solving and the cultivation of innovative solutions, this event's ultimate goal is to empower faculty members to create more student centered and effective learning experiences within the realm of education.

Design Thinking Framework Guides

Brainstorming and Ideation Tools

User Research Tools

Storytelling Tools

Empathy-Building Activities

Collaboration and Communication Platform

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