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### DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING KLEF - VADDESWAREM

Ref: KLEF/CSE/IQAC-CIR/2025-26/Alumni/SQ.8

Date: 28-02-2026

**Subject: Empowering Innovation – Guiding Our Hackathon Participants Towards Success**

#### CIRCULAR

This is to inform you that an Alumni Guest Lecture is being organized on 1st March 2026 at R Block, 3rd Floor.

Theme: *Empowering Innovation – Guiding Our Hackathon Participants Towards Success*

The session will focus on "Guidance for Hackathon Participation." The resource person for the session is Mr. Ramalingeshwar Reddy Chirra, who completed his B.E. in Industrial and Production Engineering from Koneru Lakshmaiah College of Engineering (Acharya Nagarjuna University) (Oct 1999 – May 2003). He is currently working as a Product Controller at Ford Motor Company (GBS Controller). He is visiting to guide and mentor our students who are participating in hackathons, sharing his valuable industry insights and experience.

All CSE students and faculty are instructed to participate in the session and make it a grand success.

**Venue:** R Block, 3rd Floor

**Date:** 1st March 2026

**Name:** Mr. Ramalingeshwar Reddy Chirra

**Alumni batch:** Oct 1999 – May 2003

**Job location:** Product Controller at Ford Motor Company (GBS Controller).

Date and Time of the event: 01-03-2026

  
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### DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING KLEF - VADDESWARAM

Ref: KLEF/CSE/IQAC-STUD/2025-26/Alumni/SQ.9

Title of the Event: Guest Lecture

Special Address on

Faculty and Students

Delivered by

Ramalingeshwar Reddy Chirra

Product Controller at Ford Motor Company (GBS Controller).

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|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Date                | 01-03-2026                         |
| Time                | From 5:50 PM to next day Afternoon |
| Venue               | R Block 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor      |
| Target Participants | CSE faculty and Students           |

  
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## Report

On 1st March 2026, the Department of Computer Science & Engineering organized an insightful **Alumni Guest Lecture** by **Mr. Ramalingeshwar Reddy Chirra**, an alumnus of Koneru Lakshmaiah College of Engineering (Acharya Nagarjuna University), where he completed his B.E. in Industrial and Production Engineering (1999–2003). He is currently working as a **Product Controller at Ford Motor Company (GBS Controller)**.

The session focused on **"Guidance for Hackathon Participation."** He provided valuable insights into how students can effectively approach hackathons, right from understanding problem statements to developing innovative and practical solutions within limited timeframes.

Mr. Ramalingeshwar Reddy emphasized the importance of **teamwork, problem-solving skills, time management, and creative thinking** during hackathons. He also shared his industry experience, highlighting how hackathon participation helps in building real-world skills and enhances employability. The session was highly interactive, where students actively engaged by asking questions related to **idea generation, project execution, and industry expectations**. He encouraged students to participate in more hackathons and continuously improve their technical and analytical abilities.

The lecture concluded with motivating advice to students to **embrace challenges, think innovatively, and utilize opportunities like hackathons to showcase their talent and skills**.



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Dear Alumni,

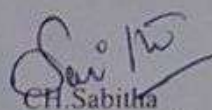
On behalf of the faculty and students of KL University, we extend our sincere gratitude to **Mr. Ramalingeshwar Reddy Chirra**, alumnus of Koneru Lakshmaiah College of Engineering (1999-2003 batch), for visiting the campus and sharing his valuable insights.

Your session on **"Guidance for Hackathon Participation"** was highly engaging and impactful. Your valuable suggestions on approaching hackathons, understanding problem statements, building innovative solutions, and effectively working as a team were extremely beneficial to our students. The emphasis on time management, creativity, and real-world problem-solving provided great clarity on how to succeed in competitive environments like hackathons.

We deeply appreciate the time and effort you took to interact with our students and guide them with your industry experience as a **Product Controller at Ford Motor Company**. Your practical insights and motivating words have inspired students to actively participate in hackathons and enhance their technical and analytical skills.

Your willingness to mentor and support students reflects a strong commitment to your alma mater. The real-world perspectives and career guidance you provided have helped students better understand industry expectations and future opportunities.

Thank you once again for your valuable contribution and encouragement.

  
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