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Chikkaballapura - 562 101, Karnataka



## 4<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference On

## Knowledge Engineering and Communication Systems (ICKECS 2026)



### Program Schedule

Master of Ceremony: Ms. Shreya      Dates: 24<sup>th</sup> April 2026, Time:9.30AM      Venue: BGS Conference Hall, AE Block

Sl. No.	Timings		Program	Particulars
1	9:30 AM	03 mins	Naadageethe	Recorded
2	9.33 AM	02 mins	Invocation	<b>Bhuvi Y J, AE</b>
3	9.35 AM	10 mins	Welcome Address	<b>Dr. G T Raju</b> Principal, General Chair, ICKECS-2026
4	9.45 AM	05 mins	Lighting the Lamp	Paramapoojya Jagadguru <b>Sri Sri Sri Dr. Nirmalanandanatha Mahaswamiji &amp; Dignitaries</b>
5	9.50 AM	05 mins	About ICKECS-2026	<b>Dr. Bhanumathi S</b> Professor & Head, ISE, Organizing Chair, ICKECS-2026
6	9.55 AM	05 mins	Release of Conference Proceedings	Paramapoojya Jagadguru <b>Sri Sri Sri Dr. Nirmalanandanatha Mahaswamiji &amp; Dignitaries</b>
7	10.00 AM	15 mins	Address by Chief Guest	<b>Dr. Yadati Narahari</b> Professor, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore.
8	10.15 AM	15 mins	Keynote Speech	<b>Dr. Prasant Misra</b> Senior Scientist, Tata Consultancy Services Chair, IEEE Bangalore
9	10.32 AM		Ashirvachana	His Holiness Jagadguru <b>Sri Sri Sri Dr. Nirmalanandanatha Mahaswamiji</b>
10	-		Vote of Thanks	<b>MC</b>
-	-		National Anthem	-

### Plenary Talks

Sl. No.	Timings	Speakers
1	11:30 AM – 12:15 PM	<b>Mr. Manjunatha Bachegowda</b> Executive Council Member, VTU
2	12:15 PM – 1:00 PM	<b>Dr. Thamme Gowda</b> Senior Research Scientist at Microsoft Translator in Redmond, Washington.

**LUNCH BREAK: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM**

### Technical Track Sessions

1	02:00 PM – 04:00 PM	Session 1	.....	Session 14
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**High Tea: 4:00PM -04:30PM**

# Program Schedule

Master of Ceremony: Ms. Shreya

Dates: 25<sup>th</sup> April 2026

Timings: 9:30AM

## INVITED TALK

09:30 AM – 10:15 AM

**Dr. Judith Jakob**  
Professor, Department of Computer Science,  
Fachhochschule Dortmund

## Technical Track Sessions

10:30 AM – 01:00 PM

Session 1

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Session 14

## Tutorials

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM

**Knowledge  
Engineering**

Venue:  
**Gallery Hall,  
AE BLOCK**

**Dr. Srinivasa K. G.**  
Professor, DSPM IIIT Naya Raipur,  
Chhattisgarh

**Communication  
Systems**

Venue:  
**Mechanical  
Seminar Hall,  
Mechanical BLOCK**

**Dr. P. Nagaraju**  
Associate Dean (PG),  
Department of Electronics and  
Telecommunication Engineering, RVCE,  
Bengaluru

## LUNCH BREAK: 1:00 PM - 2:00PM

## PANEL DISCUSSION

2:00PM -3:00PM

Theme:  
**Smart Knowledge for a Connected  
Sustainable Future**

Venue:  
**BGS Conference Hall, AE Block**

**Dr. Srinivasa K. G.**  
Professor, DSPM IIIT Naya Raipur,  
Chhattisgarh

**Dr. B. Sathish Babu**  
Professor and Head, Department of  
AI&ML, RVCE, Bengaluru

**Dr. B. P. Harish**  
Professor and Chairman,  
Department of ECE, UVCE, Bengaluru

**Dr. Chengappa**  
Chair 2027, IEEE Bangalore Section  
Academic Senate Member, VTU

**Dr. Roopa**  
Group Director at ISTRAC/ISRO

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## Valedictory 3:00PM - 4:00PM