

## **Hindusthan College of Engineering and Technology Inaugurated Industry Enabled Centre of Excellence of Honeywell Funded by ICT Academy**

Recognising India's need for a future ready workforce, Honeywell Center of Excellence for Youth Empowerment/Women Empowerment Inaugurated in (Hindusthan College of Engineering and Technology) by ICT Academy. The center aims to empower the students of the institution with digital skills such as Big Data Analytics, AI, ML, RPA etc. The Center of Excellence will train 100 students on advanced technologies, provide global certification from tech giants, facilitating placements for certified students.

As Industry 4.0 transforms the world of work, new tech-tools are increasingly being adopted. This globally recognized certification program will benefit engineering, arts and science colleges in tier 1 & 2 cities of Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Maharashtra, and budding bright students from rural and marginalized sections of the society. Dedicated centers for students demonstrates ICT Academy's commitment towards women & youth empowerment, with the objective of realizing a diverse and inclusive workforce in the country.

The training program comprises of 100 hours of learning and opportunities for the students to participate in the hackathons, and youth empowerment summit. Apart from the students four faculty members will be trained on the advanced technology.

**The grand inauguration has been held with the blessing of respected Managing Trustee Smt.Sarasuwathi Khannaiyann & Secretary Dr.Priya, Hindusthan Institutions, Coimbatore**

**Inaugural address was given by Dr.J.Jaya, Principal, Hindusthan College of Engineering and Technology, Coimbatore. Presidential address was given by Dr.K.Karunakar, CEO, Hindusthan Institutions. The Chief guest was Dr.Anbuthambi Bhojarajan, President, ICT Academy.**

In his provoking speech he said "Technology has become part of every business. As technologies evolve, skilling will be key to employment and economic development. At ICT Academy, we continuously strive to develop a sustainable skill ecosystem right from the bottom of the pyramid by collaborating with corporates, government, and academia. This program is a step forward to serve society and will enable needy students to get trained in technologies required in the fourth industrial revolution. He also said "Honeywell being a technology leader, is deeply committed to educating the younger generation with the right knowledge specially in STEM Programs. It is our desire that these technology programs must be affordable and accessible to all sections of the society, all get access to high quality education to pursue better career and build a better life. From this point of view this engagement with ICT Academy in upskilling 5000 young lives is a significant step for us."

Dr.P.N.Magudeswaran, Dean Academics, Hindusthan College of Engineering and Technology, facilitated the gathering. Followed with vote of thanks delivered by Prof.N.Krishnamurthy ,Director, Corporate relations, Hindusthan College of Engineering and Technology .

