



Draft Minutes of the 11th meeting of the Governing Body (GB)

The 11th meeting of the Governing Body of Shri Vile Parle Kelvani Mandal's Dwarkadas J. Sanghvi College of Engineering was held on **Thursday, 10th of July 2025 at 12.00 p.m.** The meeting was held in the Conference Room of SVKM President's Office on 9th Road, JVPD. Online provision to attend the meeting on MS Teams platform was also arranged.

The following members were present:

1. Shri. Amrish R. Patel, President, SVKM & Chairman, Governing Body, DJSCE.
2. Shri. Bharat M. Sanghvi, Vice-President & Trustee SVKM and I/C, DJSCE.
3. Shri Chintan A. Patel, Vice President and Trustee, SVKM & I/C, DJSCE.
4. Dr. Sharad Mhaikar, Pro-Vice Chancellor, NMIMS (Deemed to be University).
5. Dr. R. K. Shevgaonkar, Member, Former Professor at Department of Electrical Engineering IIT Bombay, Powai, Mumbai, Ex Director IIT Delhi, Ex Vice Chancellor of University of Pune.
6. Dr. Vidyagauri Lele, University Vice Chancellor Nominee, Former Principal, N. G. Acharya & D. K. Marathe College, Chembur, Mumbai.
7. Dr. Prasad S. Joshi, HOD Electronics Engineering Department, DJSCE.
8. Dr. Meenakshi Dr. Rananaware, Assistant Professor, Science & Humanities, DJSCE.
9. Ms. Shreeya Hadkar, Registrar, DJSCE.
10. Dr. Narendra Shekokar, Vice Principal, DJSCE (By Invitation).
11. Dr. Hari Vasudevan, Principal, DJSCE & Member-Secretary.

Leave of Absence was granted to Dr. Jayant P. Gandhi, Hon. Secretary, SVKM and Shri. Nayan Patel, Member, Executive Committee & Managing Committee, SVKM and Shri. Pramod Naik, Director, Joint DTE, Maharashtra.

Item 1: Welcome to the members of the Governing Body.

Shri. Bharat Sanghvi, I/C DJSCE wished everyone present for the meeting and asked the principal, Dr Hari Vasudevan to start with the meeting. The Principal, thanked Shri. Bharat Sanghvi and also sought the permission of the Chairman of the Governing Body, Shri. Amrish R Patel and then greeted all the members and welcomed them. He further thanked all the members present for attending the meeting and for the continued guidance.

Item 2: To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the GB held on 10th January 2025 at 03.00 p.m.

The Principal, requested the members to once again go through the minutes of the last meeting of the Governing Body, which was originally sent by e-mail to the members. No suggestions were received and few of the members had confirmed the minutes, then. After going through the minutes once again, the members approved the same and the minutes of the meeting of the Governing Body, held on Friday, 10th January 2025 were then confirmed by the Chairman, Governing Body, DJSCE and President, SVKM, Shri. Amrish R. Patel.



Item 3: To note, discuss and approve the deliberations held in the 12th Academic Council meeting as well as to note the approvals given by the council for the Scheme & Syllabus of all the B.Tech. & M.Tech. programmes (DJS22, DJS23 and DJS24 schemes).

The Principal, informed the members about the Board of Studies (BOS) meetings of various B.Tech. and M.Tech. programs held on the below mentioned dates. He informed the members about the major BOS suggestions as well as approvals given by them and subsequent approval of the Academic Council, the details of which are given below. All the BOS minutes as well as Academic Council minutes were considered by the Governing Body and accordingly ratified.

Sr. No.	Name of the Branch	Date	Highlights
1	Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering	29/04/2025	1. DJS23 Scheme & Syllabus: Sem V, Sem VI 2. DJS23 Scheme & Syllabus: Honors Sem III, Sem IV, Sem V.
2	Information Technology	29/04/2025	3. Examiners panel approved for the forthcoming semesters
3	Computer Engineering	26/04/2025	4. DJS23 Scheme & Syllabus: Sem III, Sem IV
4	Mechanical Engineering	19/04/2025	5. DJS22 Syllabus : Sem VII and Sem VIII
5	Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science)	02/04/2025	1. DJS23 Scheme: <u>Sem V</u> and Honors <u>Sem V</u> 2. DJS22 Scheme: <u>Sem VII</u> and Honors <u>Sem VII</u> 3. Examiners panel approved for the forthcoming semesters
6	Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning	26/04/2025	1. (DJS23) Scheme & Syllabus : Sem V 2. (DJS22) Scheme & Syllabus : Sem VII 3. (DJS23) Scheme & Syllabus: Honors Scheme and Syllabus of Immersive Technologies Sem III, Sem V 4. (DJS23) Scheme & Syllabus: Honors Scheme and Syllabus of FinTech Sem III 5. (DJS22) Scheme & Syllabus : Honours syllabus Sem VII 6. Examiners panel approved for the forthcoming semesters.
7	Artificial Intelligence and Data Science	19/04/2025	1. (DJS23) Scheme & Syllabus : <u>Sem III</u> , <u>Sem V</u> 2. (DJS22) Scheme & Syllabus : <u>Sem VII</u> 3. (DJS23) Scheme & Syllabus: Honors Scheme and Syllabus of <u>Sem III</u> , <u>Sem V</u>
8	Computer Science and Engineering (IoT and Cyber Security with Block Chain Technology)	05/04/2025	4. (DJS22) Scheme & Syllabus : Honors syllabus <u>Sem VII</u> 5. Equivalence scheme for drop out students (DJS22 to DJS23 NEP scheme) 6. Examiners panel approved for the forthcoming semesters.

The Principal then briefed the members about the Ideation and Innovation Laboratory course. He highlighted the following points:

- Collective endeavours by the team of Ideation and Innovation Laboratory, has enabled the college to successfully qualify through all levels for the establishment of **AICTE-IDEA Lab** in AY 2025 – 26.
- The grant from the AICTE entitles a funding of **₹30 Lakhs** from them with the management and Industry / Alumni also expected to contribute **₹30 Lakhs each**.
- The laboratory grant motivated the team to design a laboratory course specifically for First Year B.Tech. students, aiming to ensure that all undergraduate programmes benefit from consistent and equitable access to the laboratory apparatus.
- The laboratory only course shall be of 2-credits, 1-each abstracted from existing courses of – Workshop Practices and Basic Electrical engineering



and Digital Electronics Laboratory, with an engagement of 4 hrs / week contact hours, exclusively conducted as laboratory practical sessions.

- It shall be a course, using project based learning methodology, involving activities built around a project that drives home the aspects of – workshop practices, basic electricity & electronics laws and principles, basic assembly and manufacturing skill – soldering, 3D printing, lathe operations and laser cutting etc.
- Objectives of the course include:
 1. To provide for an experiential learning facility for first-year engineering students, fostering innovation through hands-on activities in electronics, mechanical fabrication, and prototyping. It encourages critical thinking, teamwork, and real-world problem-solving by integrating design, ideation, and fabrication in a collaborative environment.
- Outcomes: On completion of the course, learner will be able to acquire:
 1. *Practical Problem-Solving Skills*: Students will learn to apply engineering principles to real-world challenges through hands-on projects.
 2. *Interdisciplinary Collaboration*: Exposure to diverse domains such as, electronics, mechanical fabrication, and rapid prototyping will encourage teamwork and cross functional learning.
 3. *Innovation & Prototyping Abilities*: Students will develop skills in conceptualizing, designing, and building working prototypes using various tools and materials.
 4. *Critical Thinking & Design Thinking Approach*: The activity will enhance students' ability to analyze problems, generate creative solutions, and iterate designs effectively.

Shri Amrishbhai Patel, Chairman of the Governing Body appreciated the initiative and assured that if any additional financial assistance is required to establish the laboratory that can be world-class one, along with the necessary expert support, all assistance would be extended by the management. Shri Chintan Patel also conveyed his support and expressed his willingness to facilitate a connection with the Chairman of IIT Bombay. He further mentioned that such engagements will be required and are to be supported by management at various levels.

To sum up, the following agenda points were all considered and approved by the members of the Governing Body. All the specific details of the agenda points are reproduced here for further clarity and easy reference.



- a) To discuss & approve the scheme and syllabus of **Semester V and Semester VI (DJS23)** and **Semester V Honors course (DJS23)** for Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering from the academic year 2025-26.

To approve Program Specific Outcomes (PSO) and Program Educational Objectives (PEOs) of the Department of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering.

- b) To discuss & approve the scheme and syllabus of **Semester V (DJS23)** and **Semester V Honors course (DJS23)** in the program of Information Technology, from the academic year 2025-26.
- c) To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus, of **Semester VII and Semester VIII (DJS22)**.

To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of selected courses of Second year (**Sem III & Sem IV**) Autonomous Scheme (**DJS23**) of Computer Engineering (A.Y. 2025-26) to be implemented in Computer Engineering, from the academic year 2025-26.

To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of additional Honors program: "Financial Computing" in Computer Engineering (**DJS23 SEM III**) from the academic year 2025-26 onwards.

- d) To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of **Semester V (DJS23)** and **Semester VII (DJS22)** to be implemented in Mechanical Engineering, from the academic year 2025-26.
- e) To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of **Semester V (DJS23)**, **Semester VII (DJS23)**, **Sem V Honors course (DJS23)**, **Semester VII Honors and Minors course (DJS22)** to be implemented in Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science), from the academic year 2025-26.
- f) To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of **Semester V (DJS23)**, **Sem VII (DJS22)**, **Semester V Honors course (DJS23)** and **Sem VII Honors course (DJS22)** to be implemented in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning, from the academic year 2025-26.

To consider & approve the proposal of introducing additional Honors program: "Fintech" in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (**DJS23 SEM III**) from the academic year 2025-26 onwards.

- g) To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of **Semester III (DJS23)**, **Semester V (DJS23)**, **Semester VII (DJS22)**, **Sem III Honors course (DJS23)**, **Sem V Honors course (DJS23)** and **Sem VII Honors course (DJS22)** to be implemented in Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Data Science, from the academic year 2025-26.

To consider & approve the proposal of introducing additional Honors program: "Business Intelligence" in Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Data Science (**DJS23 SEM III**) from the academic year 2025-26 onwards.



- h) To consider & approve the Scheme and Syllabus of **Semester III (DJS23), Semester V (DJS23), Semester VII (DJS22), Sem III Honors course (DJS23), Sem V Honors course (DJS23) and Sem VII Honors course (DJS22)** to be implemented in Computer Science and Engineering (IOT and Cyber Security with Block Chain Technology) from the odd semester of the academic year 2025-26.
- i) To discuss & approve Equivalence scheme for drop out students (DJ19 to DJS22 and DJS22 to DJS23 NEP scheme).
- j) To approve the panel of paper setters and examiners of Autonomous Schemes (DJS22), (DJS23) and (DJS24) for U.G. and P.G. Engineering programs for the End Semester Examinations.
- k) To approve the incorporation of the course, "Ideation and Innovation Laboratory" in place of the existing courses, "Workshop Practices" & "Basic Electrical Engineering and Digital Electronics Laboratory" at F.Y.B.Tech. for all the programs in the DJS23 scheme from the A.Y. 2025-26 onwards.

All the above approvals given by the Governing Body are then placed on record.

Item 4: To update on the upcoming admissions for the A.Y. 2025-26 as well as to note the schedule of the upcoming Semester (August 2025 – January 2026) of the A.Y. 2025-26.

The Principal then informed the members about the semester start dates and end dates for the upcoming semester. Also, the Academic calendar was displayed for the information of Governing Body members and accordingly approved. The details of which are given below.

 Shri Vile Parle Kelavani Mandal's DWARKADAS J. SANGHVI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (Autonomous College Affiliated to the University of Mumbai) NAAC Accredited with "A" Grade (CGPA : 3.18)  (All the Courses are accredited by the NBA)																																
1ST TERM ACADEMIC YEAR (2025 - 2026) for B.Tech (Sem III, Sem V and Sem VII)																																
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AUG 2025	ACTIVITY	COC																														



Sr. No.	Semester	Start Date	End Date	Oral/Practical Exam	End Sem Exam	Result Declaration
1	B. Tech : Sem III, V and VII M. Tech : Sem III	01 st August 2025	22 nd November 2025	24 th November – 04 th December 2025	08 th December – 20 th December 2025	10 th Jan – 15 th Jan 2026 (tentative)
2	*B. Tech : Sem I *M. Tech : Sem I	01 st August 2025	22 nd November 2025	24 th November – 04 th December 2025	08 th December – 20 th December 2025	10 th Jan – 15 th Jan 2026 (tentative)

*subject to admission rounds to be conducted as per CET cell schedule

Item 5: To review and approve the recruitment of the new teaching staff members to be employed from the A.Y. 2025-26 in various B.Tech. and M.Tech. programmes.

The Principal, then appraised the members about the status of recruitment of the new teaching staff members to be recruited for the A.Y. 2025-26 onwards in various B.Tech. and M.Tech. programs. Written tests and interviews were conducted for various teaching staff positions and the details are as given below.

Teaching staff

Sr. No.	Name of the Staff	Department	Academic designation	Date of joining the institute
1	Dr. Ashok <u>Tadamalle</u>	Mechanical	Professor	15.01.2025
2	Dr. <u>Pradip</u> Patil	Mechanical	Associate Professor	15.01.2025
3	Dr. <u>Ashwini</u> Gotmare	Mechanical	Assistant Professor	15.01.2025
4	Dr. <u>Makrand</u> Rakshe	Mechanical	Assistant Professor	15.01.2025
5	Ms. <u>Renia</u> Dias	EXTC	Assistant Professor	15.01.2025
6	Dr. <u>Santoshkumar</u> Sabat	EXTC	Assistant Professor	15.01.2025
7	Dr. Poonam <u>Deshmukh</u>	Mechanical	Assistant Professor	25.01.2025
8	Ms. <u>Praheela</u> Pai	FE	Assistant Professor	03.02.2025
9	Mr. <u>Vishal</u> Tendulkar	FE	Assistant Professor	04.02.2025

Non-Teaching staff

Sr. No.	Name of the Staff	Department	Academic designation	Date of joining the institute
1	Mr. <u>Chirag</u> Vartak	I.T.	Lab Assistant	20.01.2025
2	Ms. <u>Jyoti</u> Shukla	Library	Library Assistant	01.02.2025
3	Mr. <u>Vignesh</u> Venkatraman	Office	Junior Clerk	01.02.2025
4	Ms. <u>Saloni</u> Varma	Placement Dept	T.P.O Executive	21.04.2025
5	Ms. <u>Mansi</u> Tiwari	Placement Dept	T.P.O Assistant	21.04.2025
6	Mr. <u>Rajendra</u> <u>Mundhe</u>	Office	Peon	02.05.2025
7	Mr. <u>Sachin</u> Patil	Office	Peon	09.06.2025
8	Mr. <u>Sanjay</u> Panchal	Office	Junior Clerk	01.07.2025

Item 6: To review/ratify the budget for the F.Y. 2025-26 as well as to note the fixation of fees of the students admitted in the A.Y. 2025-26.

The Principal then informed the members about the decision of the Fee Regulating Authority (FRA) & the approval of fixation of fees of the students to be admitted in the A.Y. 2025-26. As per the instructions of the management, college had applied for the increase in fees of B.Tech. programs & M.Tech. programs for the A.Y. 2025-26 to the Fee Regulating



Authority (FRA). The proposed fee for B.Tech. programs was Rs. 2,32,540/- and for M.Tech. programs it was Rs. 1,21,136/- for the A.Y. 2025-26. The college received the approval of the fee of Rs. 2,28,500/- for the B.Tech. programmes and Rs. 1,20,500/- for M.Tech. programmes. However, as per management's directions, the fees for the M.Tech. programmes charged is only Rs. 75,000/- per year. This is being done with the intent to promote research as well as to enhance the quality of research and the admissions. It was also informed by the principal that the colleges in Maharashtra are allowed to charge 3 times the FRA approved fees from this year for the institutional Category (20%) seats during the admissions. However, Shri. Amrish R Patel, President, SVKM and Chairman of the Governing Body informed the members that the management has decided not to charge 3 times the fees for the institutional category seats, in order to attract meritorious students as well as to maintain high standards of academic excellence. Members noted the same appreciated this gesture of the management.

Item 7:**To note the report of regular examinations and a brief of the activities of the Examination section.**

The Principal, then briefed the members about the regular examinations and results. Re-exam schedule was also presented to the members, the details of which are as follows:

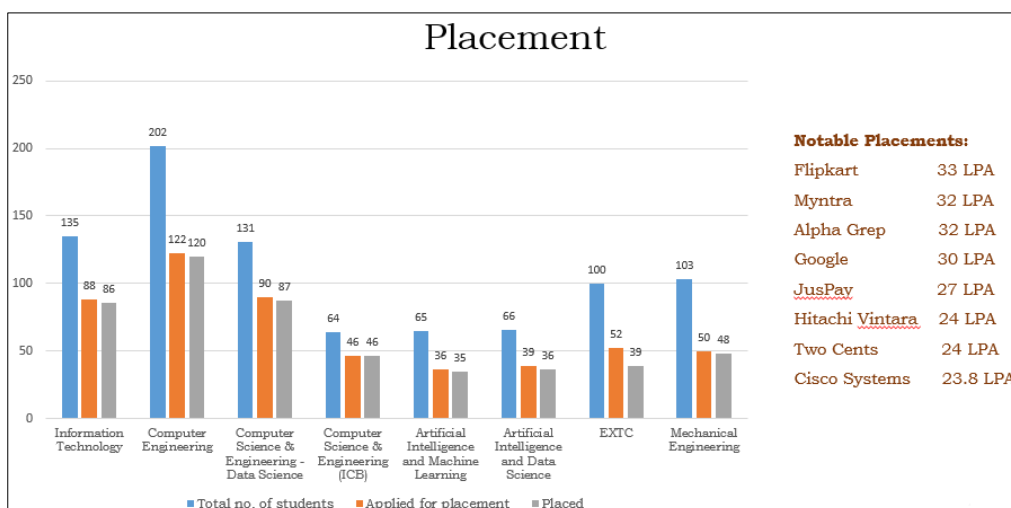
Examination Schedule and Report					
EXAM	EXAM START DATE	EXAM END DATE	STUDENTS		INSTITUTE
			APPEARED	PASS	%
B.TECH. SEM. III	07.12.2024	23.12.2024	1155	1116	96.62
B.TECH. SEM. V	07.12.2024	23.12.2024	1153	1134	98.35
B.TECH. SEM. VII	07.12.2024	20.12.2024	869	869	100
B.TECH. SEM. I	20.01.2025	29.01.2025	1193	1152	96.56
B.TECH. SEM. II	22.05.2025	02.06.2025	1188	1112	93.93
B.TECH. SEM. IV	17.05.2025	30.05.2025	1153	1090	94.35
B.TECH. SEM. VI	20.05.2025	31.05.2025	1144	1125	98.60
B.TECH. SEM. VIII	19.05.2025	30.05.2025	876	871	97.19
M.TECH. SEM. II	29.05.2025	12.06.2025	14	14	100
M.TECH. SEM. IV	29.05.2025	12.06.2025	1	1	100

Re-Examination Schedule		
Year	Re-Exam Application	Re-Examination Commencement
B. TECH SEM. II, IV, VI, VIII	07 – 07 – 2025 to	25 – 07 – 2025
M. TECH SEM. II	10 – 07 – 2025	

Shri Amrishbhai Patel instructed the principal to identify weak students and conduct remedial classes for them to bring down the failure rate. He was of the opinion that the students should be trained very well, such that they don't fail in the exams. Members noted the details of the examination results and approved the same.

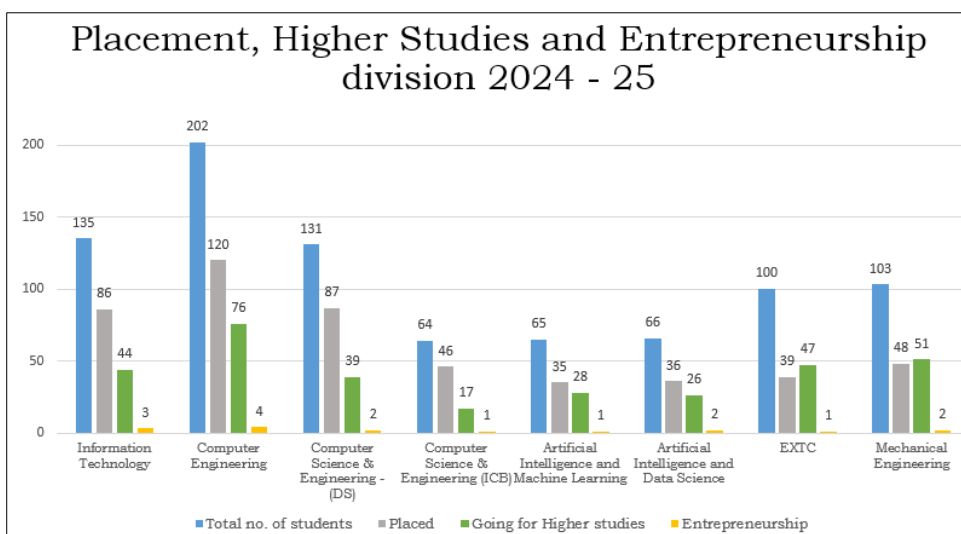
Item 8: To review the overall progress of the college during the semester period, January 2025 to June 2025.

The Principal, then took the GB members through the details of placements activities & higher studies. More than 115 companies visited the campus for the A.Y. 2024-25 for placement activities of students, passing out in July 2025. Also, 19 companies have given summer Internship (2 months) for the students of the batch of 2025-26. The GB members appreciated the same and Chairman, Shri. Amrish R. Patel, complimented the principal and the college for the placements. The details are given below.



Average Salary: 11.28 LPA; Median Salary: 10.34 LPA

#Results awaited for: Alpha Grep of 200 students, TCS Digital and Prime of 80 students





**Summer Internship (2 months) status for the batch of 2025-26
(Batch: 2026 passing out)**

Sr .No.	Name of the company	No. of students placed	Stipend Rs./month
1	Adobe	01	2,30,000
2	Salesforce	01	1,50,000
3	Google	05	1,40,000
4	Goldman Sachs	01	1,00,000
5	Zomato	01	90,000
6	Swiggy	01	90,000
7	Morgan Stanley	01	87,500
8	Apollo Global	05	50,000
9	M&G Global Services	02	50,000
10	Marsh MacIlen	02	50,000
11	UBS Bank	05	40,000
12	Gen Mills	01	40,000
13	Colgate	02	30,000
14	Home First Finance	06	30,000
15	Supervaior.AI	02	30,000
16	Fractal Analytics	06	25,000
17	Arcon	09	25,000
18	5 Paisa	01	25,000
19	Jio Saan	01	25,000

**List of the companies visited for placements of B.Tech.
2026 batch (A.Y. 2025-26) as on 4th July, 2025**

Sr .No.	Name of the company	No. of students placed	Stipend Rs./month
1	UBS Bank	09	18.0
2	ION Group	*	17.3
3	ProCDNA	*	16.0
4	Axxela	02	14.1
5	ZS Associates	25	13.75
6	Wissen Tech	05	11.0
7	JM Finance Ltd.	*	10.0
8	IDFY	*	10.0
9	Arcon	*	10.0
10	Indus Valley Partners	*	10.0

* Results are pending

The principal then mentioned that several of the faculty members have published research papers, books as well as copyrights and patents during the period. Also, notable student's achievements were presented. A brief of the same is given below. Dr. R K Shevgaonkar mentioned that the number of research paper publications by faculty members are less and it needs to be improved.

Academic Progress

Paper Publications Journal: 39

Paper Publications Conferences: 31

Patents and Copyrights : 10

Book Publications : 05

Faculty Development Program
(organized) : 14

Faculty Development Program
(attended) : 50+

Shri Amrish R. Patel assured that appropriate incentives would be provided to faculty members to encourage and promote research activities. Dr. Vidyagauri Lele suggested promoting consultancy activities by leveraging the expertise of skilled faculty members and recommended adopting a 70:30 consultancy fee-sharing model. Shri Amrish R. Patel then instructed that the same Consultancy/Research promotion model as well as the travel grants and financial support for Publications, Patents, Design Registrations and Copyrights etc., currently implemented at NMIMS (Deemed to be University), would be adopted for D.J. Sanghvi College of Engineering as well with immediate effect. He then asked the principal to take the approval on record.

Chairman, Shri. Amrish R. Patel and members congratulated all the teams and faculty mentors as well as the college for the spectacular achievements.

Notable Student Achievements in Hackathons

Maha Hackathon Challenge 1.0

• Soham Patil, Sujal Chaudhari, Surabhi Wainsankar and Sagar Harsora (T.Y. IT) have won ₹15,00,000 in the domain of AI for governance, organized by the "Government of Maharashtra" in collaboration with the "Digital India Bhashini Division" at The Oberoi, Mumbai.

Awiros x Intel Computer Vision App-a-thon

• Atharv Patawar, Satvam Thakkar, Bhaumik Kore and Mohammed Mehdi (T.Y. CSE(DS)) have won 2nd prize of ₹1,50,000 event was organized by Awiros in collaboration with Intel.

Techfest, IIT B, Mumbai.

• Shlok Mansale (Final year IT), Vedant Kesharia, Isha Patade (T.Y. IT) and Surabhi Wainsankar (S.Y. IT) won 1st prize of ₹1,50,000

Union Bank of India's PSB Hackathon-2025

• Aditi Ambasta, Shreya Singh (T.Y. AIDS) and Saumya Mehta (T.Y. Comps.) won 1st prize in "All Females Category" at hosted at K J Somaiya University, Mumbai with a cash prize of ₹1 ,00,000.

DEVOPIA

• Aditi Gaikwad, Aryan Surve, Vaibhav Vanage and Shivam Mustreya (T.Y. CSE(ICB)) won 1st prize of ₹1,00,000 held at K.J. Somaiya University, Mumbai.

ASHA AI hackathon

• Riya Chavan, Fiona Haria, Vaishnavi Shridhar and Reeva Daulatabadkar (final year CSE(DS)) have won 1st prize at with a cash prize of ₹2,00,000, which was organized by Jobs for her and Herkey

Logithon

• Aditi Gaikwad, Aryan Surve, Vaibhav Vanage and Shivam Mustreya (T.Y. CSE(DS)) have won 1st prize of ₹1,00,000 organised by Datta Meghe College of Engineering, Airoli.

HackFx 5.0

• Taher Afsar, Shivam Mustreya, Vaibhav Vanage (final year CSE(DS)) and Vividha Jagtap (final year AIML) have won 1st prize of ₹1,00,000 organized by Bajaj Fin. Services.

Notable Student's Team Achievements

 DJS Antariksh International Rover Challenge 2025, BITS Pilani, Goa 2nd runner-up position	 DJS Racing Formula Bharat 2025 4th place overall Design Finalists: Recognized for outstanding innovation and engineering approach. 4th Place in Cost & Manufacturing: Demonstrating efficiency in design & production	 DJS Karting India GKDC Season 12 held at Kari Motor Speedway in Coimbatore Shree L. R. Tiwari College Quick Piston Cup competition GKDC Season 12 Cost Report presentation: 4th Business Plan presentation: 6th Design Evaluation: 4th Acceleration Test: 5th Skidpad Round: 3rd Autocross Round: 2nd Endurance race: 7th	 DJS Skylark represented India at SAE Aero Design West 2025, held in Van Nuys, Los Angeles MICRO CLASS Oral Presentation: 2nd Worldwide Design Report: 5th Worldwide Overall: 15th Worldwide REGULAR CLASS Oral Presentation: 2nd Worldwide Design Report: 5th Worldwide Overall: 8th Worldwide ADVANCED CLASS Oral Presentation: 2nd Worldwide Design Report: 11th Worldwide	 DJS ARYA International CanSat Competition 2025, American Astronautical Society in collaboration with NASA and the US Naval Research Laboratory All India Rank 1, with a record final score of 90.54%, PDR: 98.40% CDR: 98.45% ETR: 100% FRR: 100% PFR: 91.92% Final Score: 90.54%
 DJS Kronos India ATVC SEASON 8 2025, IES University, Bhopal. AIR 1 - Design Evaluation AIR 3 - Cost Report Evaluation AIR 3 - Business Plan				

The principal then took the members through the various rankings of the college achieved, so far during the year.

Rankings 2025 - 26

India Today Magazine

Ranking	2024	2025
Top 10 Private Engineering institutes of our country	7 th	7 th
West Zone of our country	"Best Private Engineering College" (Rank 1)	"Best Private Engineering College" (Rank 1)
Placement Record	7 th	4 th

Rankings 2025 - 26

Times of India

Ranking	2024	2025
Top 175 Engineering institutes of our country	13 th	11 th
Top 125 Private Engineering institutes	11 th	9 th
West Zone of the country	"2 nd Best Private Engineering College" (Rank 2 nd)	"2 nd Best Private Engineering College" (Rank 2 nd)
Top 30 institutes in Research Capability	15 th	15 th
Top 70 private institutes for Placements in India	25 th	22 nd
Top Engineering colleges in Mumbai	"Best Private Engineering College" (Rank 1 st)	"Best Private Engineering College" (Rank 1 st)

Rankings 2025 - 26

The Week Magazine

Ranking	2024	2025
Top Engineering Colleges of India	35 th	34 th
Top Private Engineering colleges of India	11 th	11 th
West zone of our country	1 st	1 st
Private Engineering Colleges of Maharashtra	1 st	1 st
Private Engineering Colleges of Mumbai	1 st	1 st

Rankings 2025 - 26

Competition Success Review

Ranking	2024	2025
Top Engineering Colleges of Super Excellence in India	7 th	10 th
Private Engineering Colleges of Maharashtra	1 st	1 st
Other Criteria	Amongst the Top 20 Engineering colleges in terms of Faculty, Research, Consultancy, EDP & Other Programmes	Amongst the Top 20 Engineering colleges in terms of Placements, USP, Social Responsibility and Networking & Industry Interface

Notable Faculty Achievements



Dr. Hari Vasudevan
"Education Leadership Award"



Dr. Hari Vasudevan
"Principal of the Year Award for Institutional Excellence"



Dr. Nilesh Patil
Excellence in Research & development in Education award by Global Innovation Foundation



Dr. Nilesh Patil
Excellence Award for Teaching December 2024 awarded by ERDA

The Principal, then informed the members about the various IQAC activities conducted during the academic semester Jan-May 2025. He briefed the members on the activities and dates, on which they were conducted. Few notable ones are as follows:

- Four-Day Orientation Programme for Newly Recruited Faculty members at DJSCE (16th January – 19th January 2025).
- It was informed by the principal that an Academic Review Committee was formed in the college, which is responsible for regularly monitoring the effectiveness of the teaching-learning process, reviewing student feedback related to instructional



quality, addressing any academic grievances, and guiding faculty members with low feedback scores to help them improve and meet the expected teaching standards in the institute.

- Coursera Learning Program – Newly joined faculty members have been advised to complete two courses each from two categories (Improvement in Teaching Learning Process as well as Core domain Subjects) of teaching learning methodologies. This initiative will empower newly joined faculty members with essential skills in teaching, research, and pedagogy.
- To maintain quality, compliance, and continuous improvement, the institution has scheduled academic audits across key areas, including academics, administration, office operations, library resources, and examination processes—each focused on evaluating effectiveness, transparency, and efficiency.
- Degree Distribution Ceremony (15th April 2025)- Mr. Kaustubh Dhavse, Joint Secretary, Government of Maharashtra, and Officer on Special Duty to the Chief Minister, Maharashtra State graced the Degree Distribution Ceremony for the 2024 pass-out batch as the Chief Guest.
- Training Program for non-teaching faculty on “Beyond the Desk: Enhancing Non-Teaching Expertise” was conducted on 20th Jan - 24th Jan 2025.

FDP/STTP	Duration	Conducted by
From Draft to Publication: Essential Steps in Research Article Writing (ISTE approved)	January 6, 2025, to January 10, 2025	Department of Mechanical Engineering
Ethical Hacking and VAPT Mastery: Keystones of Cyber Security for Unnat Bharat	January 06, 2025 to January 11, 2025	Department of Computer Engineering
Quantum Computing: India's Journey Towards Quantum Excellence (ATAL)	January 13, 2025, to January 18, 2025	Department of Information Technology
CROSSROADS OF AI AND SIGNAL PROCESSING (ATAL)	January 27, 2025 to February 01, 2025	Department of Electronics and Telecommunication
Cyber security, AI & Quantum Revolution : Emerging Frontier in Technology (ISTE)	March 03, 2025 to March 08, 2025	Allied branches

- Community Engagement and Wellness- The IQAC of Dwarkadas J. Sanghvi College of Engineering organized a faculty visit to Bamboo First, Palghar district of Maharashtra on 23 January 2025, under its community engagement program. The visit focused on sustainable practices, bamboo's role in industry and ecology, and aimed to enrich faculty understanding for integration into academics and curriculum development.
- In a thoughtful initiative to promote wellness and holistic health among faculty, the college organized a special Pranayam Session exclusively for its faculty members on 28th April 2025.
- Department level Technical Festival – Department of Electronics and Telecommunication



- **DJS WAVES** is the flagship event organized by IETE-ISF, DJSCE, serving as the parent body to two major competitions—DJS STRIKE and DJS SPARK. The event aims to bridge the gap between student innovation and industry insight by encouraging the development of purposeful, application-driven projects.
- **DJS STRIKE** is the department-level project competition in which students from DJSCE presented their technical solutions and innovations. It focuses on encouraging in-house talent to tackle engineering challenges with creativity and rigor.
- **DJS SPARK**, is a national-level project competition that welcomed participation from across the country. Conducted in a hybrid mode (online and offline), SPARK provided a national platform for student innovators to exhibit their hardware and software prototypes with real-world relevance.

The above events were conducted on the 11th of April, 2025

- IQAC Activities planned for July 2025 – December 2025

• Audits planned • To ensure quality, compliance, and continuous improvement, the following audits are scheduled: ❑ Academic Audit – To review curriculum delivery, teaching effectiveness, and learning outcomes. ❑ Administrative Audit – To evaluate the efficiency of institutional processes and governance. ❑ Office Audit – To assess record management, documentation, and workflow systems. ❑ Library Audit – To examine resource availability, usage, and digital access services. ❑ Examination Audit – To ensure transparency, fairness, and integrity in assessment processes.	Strengthening Alumni network ❑ Benefits 1. offered internship for our students 2. Job provider to our Students. 3. Judge for various events of College 4. conducted session for guidance on masters admission ❑ Contribution to the Society 1. Successful Entrepreneur. 2. Helping in achieving SDG goals
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The principal then took the members through several of the various department's achievements and activities for the information of the members. The members appreciated the same and congratulated all those involved in the efforts.

Item 9: Any other item with the permission of the Chairman.

Shri. Amrish R Patel then discussed and recommended strengthening the alumni network and enhancing the social media management for improved outreach and engagement. He suggested to recruit 2 staff members (one at a higher level and the other at an executive level) for the Alumni work and 1 staff member for social media engagement. He further mentioned that all the said 3 posts are approved and the sanctioning of the said posts is to be taken on record. Shri. Bharat Sanghvi, I/C DJSCE thanked the Chairman and instructed the principal to follow up and do the needful. Dr. R. K. Shevgaonkar suggested expanding the M.Tech program and encouraging greater participation from industry professionals. He also recommended motivating faculty members to publish at least a minimum of one research paper annually. As there was no other item on the Agenda, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.



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Dr. Hari Vasudevan
(Principal & Member-Secretary)

Minutes confirmed

Shri. Amrish R. Patel
(Chairman, Governing Body)