Report on "Lines of Code (LoC) 6.0"

(24hr Hackathon)

Dates: 9th and 10th March, 2024
Duration: 24 hrs.

Embarking on a fascinating journey, celebrating ideas and innovation, DJS ACM was proud to host LoC 6.0. With sheer hard work and dedication of the organizing committee and the faculty, we were overwhelmed by 1100+ registrations from which we shortlisted 55 teams offline, and 16 teams to participate online.
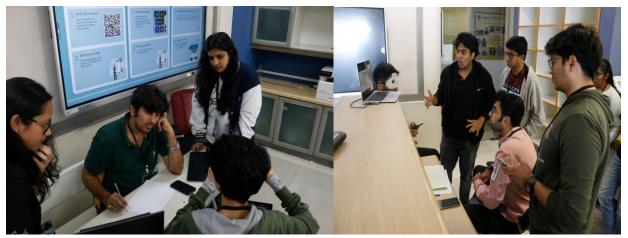

The day of the event started with an Inauguration ceremony, Principal Dr. Hari Vasudevan, HOD Computer Department Dr. Meera Narvekar, ACM Convener Dr. Narendra Shekokar and Faculty coordinators Dr. Kiran Bhowmick and Dr. Aruna Gawde shared words of wisdom with the participants. Dr. Hari Vasudevan's speech inspired us to look beyond what is fathomable and draw lines of control wherever necessary.

The coding round started at 11:30 am and buzzed with ideation among participants to produce the best of ideas. There were two mentoring rounds, at 4 pm and 11 pm respectively, wherein senior students from B.Tech. gave insights on improvement to the teams.

Technical assistance throughout the event for teams that needed technical support to bring their ideas to life. The first judging round started at 12:30 pm on 10th March, wherein judges Mr. Bhavesh Shah (Senior Consultant at Persistent Co.), Mr. Mehul Tuteja (Blockchain expert), Mr. Ankit Gupta (Morgan Stanley), Mr. Manas Sinkar (Deutsche Bank) and Mr. Jay Bhatt (Founder at Airchipp) judged the participants on various parameters.

11 teams made it to the presentation round of LoC 6.0.

The presentation round was filled with excitement and enthusiasm of the participants about displaying their project. Team Pied Pipers (TSEC, Mumbai) emerged victorious, followed by team Syndicate (DJSCE) and team K Means Killers (DJSCE) as 2nd runner up.

The participants were awarded cash prizes Rs. 75,000, Rs. 50,000 and Rs. 30,000. Additionally, winners showered with goodies from sponsors Haphazard. The judges found many teams promising and 4 teams have been offered internship opportunities at Airrchip. Organizing a hackathon fulfils a range of critical needs and benefits that enrich the educational experience.

The event was filled with brainstorming sessions and proved to be of great value. ACM's LoC has always been a beacon of learning, socializing, and innovating, and we are elated to have had an opportunity to host such an exhilarating event. Looking forward for LOC 7.0.