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Industry R&D Roundtables/Meetups

**AI and Digital Transformation:
Bridging Industry and Academia**

30 April 2026
09:00 AM - 05:00 PM
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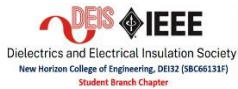
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Event Report

Title	Industry R&D Roundtables/ Meetups: AI and Digital Transformation: Bridging Industry and Academia	
Department	Electrical and Electronics Engineering /Electronics and Communication Engineering and Research and Development	
Date	From: 30.04.2026	To: 30.04.2026
Time	From: 09:00 AM	To: 05:00 PM
Brief Description (4-5 Lines Max)	<p>The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (EEE), Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE), and the Department of R&D successfully organised an insightful programme titled “Industry R&D Roundtables / Meetups: AI and Digital Transformation – Bridging Industry and Academia” on 30th April 2026, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. The event was conducted in collaboration with the IEEE Dielectrics and Electrical Insulation Society (DEIS) Student Branch Chapters (SBCs) of NHCE.</p> <p>The roundtable session was led by Mr Sridharan Venkataramanan, Digital Transformation Leader, Educator, Startup Mentor, and AI ML Evangelist at GlobalLogic India Pvt. Ltd., along with Mr K. Jeykishan Kumar, Engineering Officer Grade I, Central Power Research Institute (CPRI), Bengaluru.</p> <p>The expert speakers highlighted how rapid advancements in Artificial Intelligence (AI) and digital transformation are significantly reshaping industries, with particular emphasis on the energy and mobility sectors. The session aimed to bring together industry professionals, academic researchers, and policymakers to encourage collaboration, innovation, and meaningful knowledge exchange.</p> <p>Key topics discussed included AI-enabled solutions aligned with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in academia, advancements in solar panel technologies, and emerging trends in electric vehicles (EVs). The event witnessed the active participation of 13 faculty members and students, all of whom gained valuable insights and practical perspectives from the discussions.</p>	



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