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Report on Guest Lecture on "Electronics Systems Design-Challenges and Opportunities"

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ECE Department conducted a guest lecture on "Electronics Systems Design-Challenges and Opportunities" on 01-11-2014 in Seminar Hall for final year B.Tech and M.Tech students.

The resource person for the guest lecture: Dr. Cyril Prasanna Raj, Dean (R&D) and Professor, M.S. Engineering College, Bangalore.

Dr. Cyril Prasanna Raj is in - charge for R&D activities at MSEC, involved in industry, Research collaboration and carrier development training. He is a professor with 15 years of teaching and research experience in the area of System level design and modeling of signal and image processing applications, VLSI design, SOC design, sensors and Instrumentation focusing on Nano-electronic circuits and sensors for biological applications. He is also director of company Aaron Research Labs, Bangalore.

The main focus of the guest lecture is to motivate and create awareness among the students on opportunity available in VLSI industry.

The speaker spoke in detail about the image fusion technique using his own VLSI design tool. The VLSI tool is similar to cadence and is very economical, easily accessible.

He explained about some of his funded project such automatic glass cleaning-mini robot etc. He motivated the students to join technical forums to get visibility and industrial exposure. A video on VLSI technology is presented during guest lecture. The lecture was interactive and addressed the following topics:

- Scope of VLSI
- Career guidance
- FPGA, CPLD
- Image fusion techniques on FPGA
- Embedded System and Cadence tool