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MESSAGE

This year IETE will be celebrating its 66th Foundation Day on 2nd Nov 2019 at the HQ and centres all across the country on the theme "Role of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in the development of Society". Foundation Day is very special to the entire IETE fraternity as this is a chance to reflect not only on the beginnings of the Institution and its founders, but also on the significant development since the Institution's inception. It is a day to celebrate our history and revisit and reconnect with the continuing journey of the Institution. On this significant day we memorize and express our deepest honor to the Founding Fathers for their committed, resilient and dedicated endeavors to make their vision turn into a reality and pledge to take their efforts, towards the development of the Institution.

We are a privileged generation to live in this era full of technological advancements. The Artificial Intelligence systems are efficient enough to reduce human efforts in various areas. In order to perform various activities in the industry, many of them are using artificial intelligence to create machine slaves that perform various activities on a regular basis. Scientists, are riding on the back of Artificial Intelligence when machine intelligence will surpass the human intelligence. Scientists believe that once the AI system starts working in its full capacity, it will reinvent the world that we know today. Although, it is one of the great challenges in engineering, but still a lot has been accomplished from where we began the journey of artificial intelligence.

I appeal to all IETE centres to celebrate the 66th Foundation Day with vigor and enthusiasm. I am sanguine that it will provide an effective platform to scientists and engineers to discuss, deliberate, understand, educate and spread awareness on the latest trends and advances in Artifical Intelligence.

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