

Report of MoU

2020-2021

All Saints' College, Thiruvananthapuram

In Collaboration with

Vigyanshalaa International

Signed on 15-04-2021

Duration : 1 Year

Training Co- Ordinator : Dr. Veena Suresh Babu

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KALPANA – She for STEM

The mentorship programme ‘Kalpana’ was launched by the Non-Governmental Organisation Vigyan Shaala International, a not for profit organization working to close the access and attainability gap in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) fields through guided mentoring of the youth for encouraging women to explore broader opportunities in STEM careers by equipping girls with tools. The program started with the help and support of Department of Science and Technology (DST). Vigyan Shaala's KALPANA is on a mission to bridge gender based access, attainability and quality gap in STEM education while envisioning to re-imagine STEM disciplines with increased participation of women. **This project** will equip female undergraduates and postgraduates with tools to explore broader possibilities in STEM careers by thorough self-reflection, personal and professional development. They are committed to create an uplifting community of women in STEM that aspires to break gender based stereotypes and advance the ripple effect.

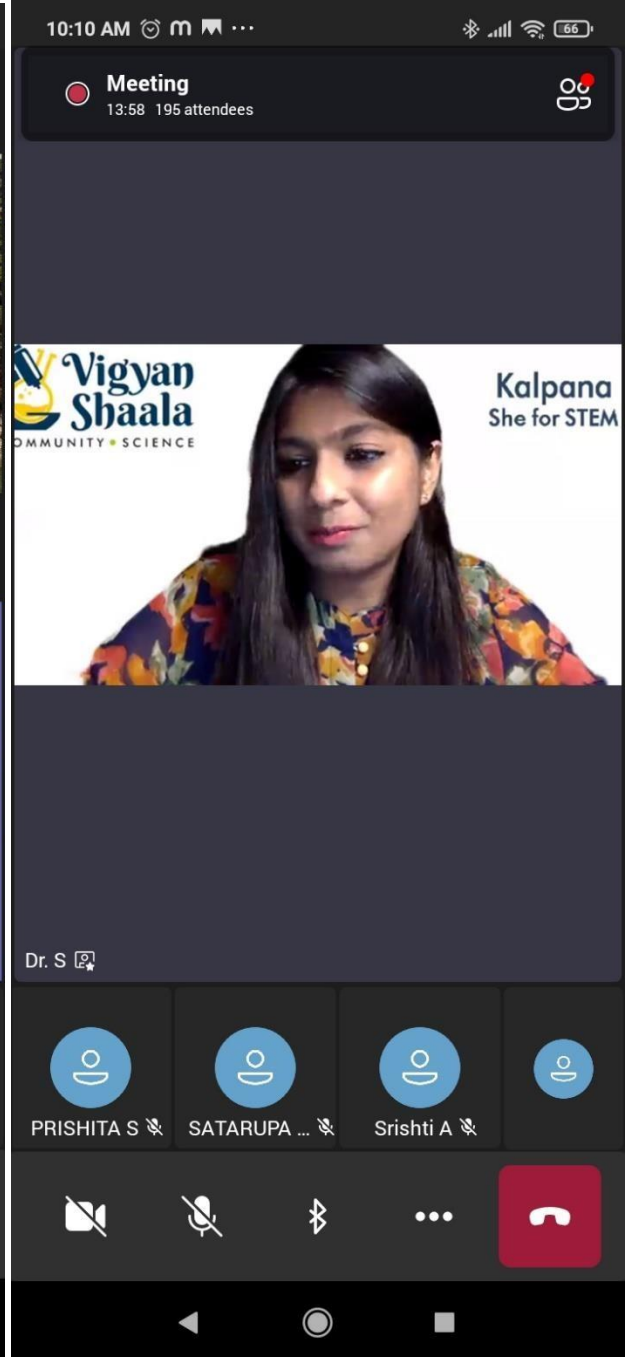
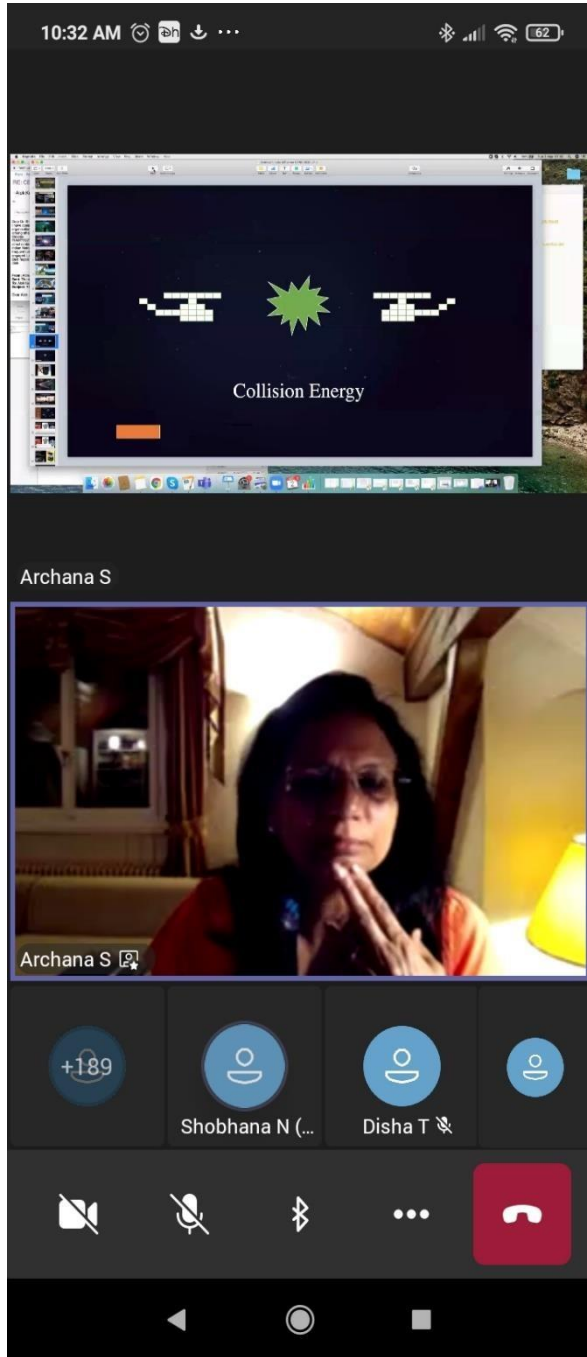
STEM professionals from leading global universities, are serving as mentors in the program. The program is designed to kindle the spirit of innovation and Scientific Temperament, inspire via relatable STEM leaders as role models, provide Professional development tools, bring forth a network of STEM professionals with continuous engagement and widen opportunities.

This is a two phase training program, the first phase being a Mentor Led and the second phase is Self Directed. The first phase started with an induction program on 02-05-2021 and will continue up to 27-06-2021, having mentoring session (5 hours/week). The second Phase will be during 27.06.2021 -21.08.2021

Nearly 110 students from our institution applied for the same, of which 12 students have got selection to second round and the finally 5 are selected.

Sl. No.	Student Name	Class/ Department
1	Shalini RD	DC I Chemistry
2	Jipha B N	DC II Physics
3	Sandra M K	I MSC EVS
4	Varsha G Joseph	I MSC EVS
5	Mili Pratheesh Thomas	DC III Botany





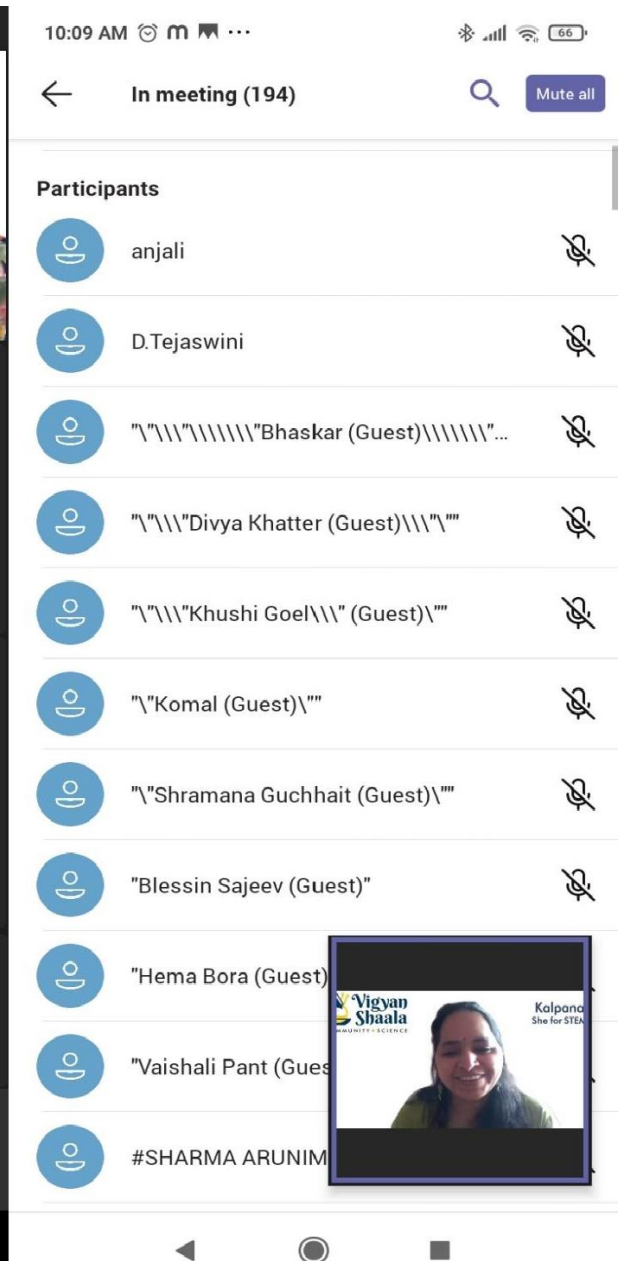
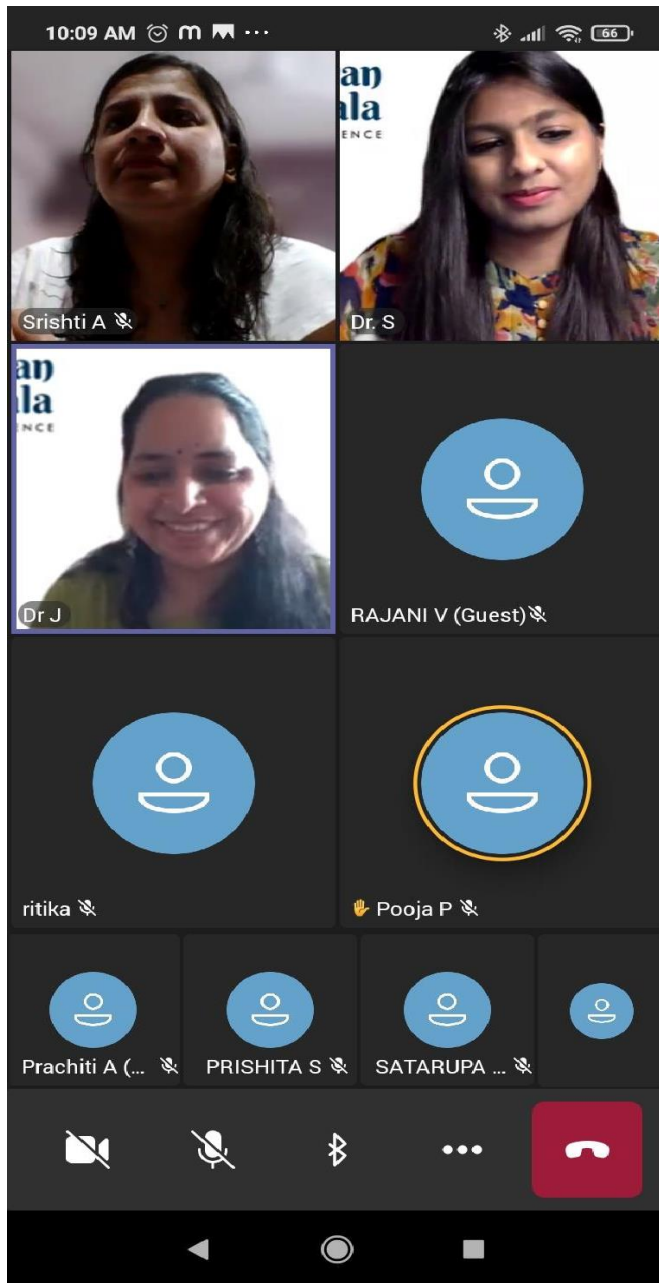
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