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(Constituent College of Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation – Deemed to be University) Department of Computer Science and Engineering

GAILS 2025 – Participant Report

Event Overview

- Summit: Global AI Leaders' Summit (GAILS 2025)
- Date & Venue: 21 August 2025, IIT Madras, IC&SR Auditorium
- Theme: Empowering Academia & Industry for the Future of AI
- **Participants Included:** Faculty from AVIT and Vinayaka Mission institutions among panelists and moderators

Department Delegates

The following faculty members from our department were nominated and participated as delegates at GAILS 2025:

- 1. **Dr. M. Muthukumaran** Professor, CSE
- 2. Dr. Pitchumani Angayarkanni Professor, CSE
- 3. Mr. B. S. Seshadri Professor of Practice, CSE
- 4. **Dr. Thilagavathi** Associate Professor, CSE
- 5. **Dr. Rajesh M** Associate Professor, CSE
- 6. **Dr. R. Shobana** Associate Professor, CSE
- 7. Dr. K. Shantha Shalini Associate Professor, CSE
- 8. Mr. S. Simonthomas Assistant Professor, CSE
- 9. **Dr. Sarika N** Associate Professor, CSE
- 10. Mr. Nuzhat Ahmad Yatoo Assistant Professor, CSE

Institutional Representation in Sessions

- AI in Education & Research & Development
 - o Speaker: Dr. J. Janet, Principal, AVIT
- AI in Healthcare & Bio-Sciences

- Moderator: Dr. Parthiban Srinivasan, Professor & Director, Centre for AI in Medicine, VMRF–AV Medical College & Hospital
- AI in Legal Studies & Ethics
 - o Speaker: Dr. Ananth Padmanabhan, Dean, Vinayaka Mission's Law School

Session Highlights & Key Takeaways

1. AI in Education & Research & Development

Panelists—including **Dr. J. Janet (AVIT Principal)**—delved into how academic institutions can transform AI education.

Key Insights:

- Curricular Evolution: Emphasis on integrating AI across disciplines, especially adding hands-on lab experiences and real-world problem-solving projects to create AI-ready graduates.
- **Industry-Academia Collaboration:** Building partnerships that drive innovation, joint research, and curriculum relevance.
- **Learning Ecosystems:** Encouraging interdisciplinary programs (e.g., tech + ethics, AI + domain sciences) to foster adaptability and critical thinking.

2. AI in Industries & Security

Led by senior industry leaders, this session explored AI's industrial impact and security considerations.

Key Insights:

- **Scalable AI Systems:** Designing robust AI architectures to meet scale and real-world reliability.
- Security & Trust: Incorporating AI safety protocols, data privacy, and resilience into deployment pipelines.
- Workforce Readiness: Preparing professionals with both technical and ethical skills to manage AI systems in sensitive industrial environments.

3. AI in Healthcare & Bio-Sciences

Moderated by *Dr. Parthiban Srinivasan*, Professor & Director, Centre for AI in Medicine, VMRF–AV Medical College & Hospital, this session featured robust discussions on AI in healthcare.

Key Insights:

• **Multi-Stakeholder Integration:** Success in AI healthcare depends on collaboration between clinicians, technologists, and administrators.

- **Ethical Validation:** Establishing clinical-grade validation, patient safety standards, and ethical oversight in AI deployment.
- **Regulatory Frameworks:** Navigating medical regulations and compliance for AI tools (e.g., diagnostics, imaging analytics).
- Access & Equity: Focusing on inclusive design to reach diverse patient demographics and settings.

4. AI in Legal Studies & Ethics

The session, including **Dr. Ananth Padmanabhan (Vinayaka Mission's Law School)**, addressed AI's intersection with legal systems and ethical governance.

Key Insights:

- Ethical Education: Embedding AI ethics and digital justice components into law curricula.
- Transparency & Accountability: Advocating for legal frameworks that regulate algorithmic decisions, data integrity, and bias mitigation.
- Cross-Disciplinary Collaboration: Establishing joint workshops between law and AI faculties to co-develop policy-relevant competencies.

5. AI in Human Resources & Upskilling

Showcasing AI's role in workforce development, this session featured leaders from Infosys, Wipro, Zoho, and others.

Key Insights:

- **Skill-AI Synergy:** AI should augment—not replace—human capabilities, focusing on co-learning and augmentation.
- Adaptive Learning Paths: Personalized training modules and AI-driven assessments to reskill employees rapidly and efficiently.
- **Ethical HR Practice:** Ensuring AI-powered HR tools are transparent, equitable, and bias-free.

Summary Table

Session	Major Themes
AI in Education & Research	Curriculum revamp, hands-on labs, interdisciplinary ecosystems, academia–industry links
AI in Industries & Security	Enterprise scalability, AI safety, data protection, secure adoption
AI in Healthcare & Bio- Sciences	Ethical validation, stakeholder synergy, regulatory alignment, equitable access

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AI in Legal Studies & Ethics	AI policy integration, fairness, legal-AI education synergy
AI in HR & Upskilling	Human-AI collaboration, personalized training, bias-conscious systems

Recommended Departmental Actions

1. Curriculum Development:

Integrate hands-on AI modules, clinical validation case studies (for health-related programs), and AI policy components in legal education.

2. Institutional Workshops:

 Conduct cross-disciplinary seminars—e.g., joint AI ethics workshops for law and engineering faculties.

3. Collaborative Pilots:

 Initiate pilot projects linking medical and engineering departments for AI tool prototyping in diagnostics.

4. Upskilling Programs:

• Launch short-term certificate courses targeting AI literacy for HR, legal, healthcare, and tech sectors within the institution.

5. Ethics & Governance Frameworks:

o Develop internal guidelines for AI deployment in institutional processes, ensuring transparency, fairness, and regulatory compliance.

Closing Reflections

GAILS 2025 reinforced the imperative of interdisciplinary integration, ethical AI governance, and human-centric application across sectors. These insights can meaningfully shape our academic programs, research initiatives, and future collaborations.



