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About the Institute and Warangal
National Institute of Technology, Warangal (formerly known as Regional Engineering College) is the first among 17 RECs set up as joint ventures of the Government of India and respective State Governments. Over the years, the college has established itself as a premier institution imparting technical education of a very high standard leading to B.Tech and M.Tech and Ph.D. degrees in various disciplines. With a view to giving further impetus to technical education, the Central Govt. upgraded the RECs into NITs, and conferred on them Deemed to be University status and further elevated them to the rank of Institute of National Importance on a par with IITs. Warangal is renowned for its rich historical and cultural heritage. Warangal is well- connected by rail and road to various places in the country. The NITW campus is 2 km. away from Kazipet railway station and 12 km. away from the Warangal railway station. Participants are advised to get off either at Kazipet or Warangal depending on their train of travel. Warangal is a place of many tourist attractions like Thousand Pillars Temple, Warangal Fort, Bhadrakali Temple, Ramappa Temple and Lakhnavaram Lake.

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About the Department
The Department of Humanities and Social Sciences is a reputed one offering Soft Skills, Corporate Communication and English for Communication at the undergraduate level and Business Communication for MBA and English for Scientific Communication for Ph.D. scholars. There is also a doctoral programme in Literature, Linguistics and ELT for full-time scholars.

Who Can Attend?
Faculty of English in Engineering, Management and Pharmacy Colleges, University and Degree Colleges, Research Scholars, PG students and members from industry and R & D organizations.

Background: Engineering and technology have come to play a key role in many spheres of life including education. In these times, technology has enriched education in a variety of ways including the use of not only aural and video equipment but new concepts as well. STEM education is being given top priority in US and other advanced countries. Asian giants like India and China have already made big strides in STEM and are even offering outsourcing help to western countries. However, beginning with the American government, a resonant and insistent appeal is being made for some much-needed additions to STEM education. It is being realized across the countries that STEM education has to be enlivened with perspectives of Humanities and Social Sciences and the methods of teaching engineering have to be more and more student-centric and with an increasing emphasis on not only communication skills but team work and leadership and management skills. In this context, it would be a profitable academic exercise to explore the interface between engineering and sciences on the one hand and humanities and social sciences on the other through this workshop.

Objectives:
- To explore the areas where engineering and humanities education meet and overlap
- To try to expand the present degree and scope of engineering education from the perspective of Humanities and Social Sciences
- To identify problem areas by focusing on workplace deficiencies of engineering graduates and discuss solutions
- To provide a common platform for academicians from universities and scientists and engineers and placement professionals in the country to discuss this approach
- To identify the new areas of interdisciplinary research in the chosen sub-themes for societal needs

Sub-Themes:

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