

ANJUMAN-I-ISLAM'S KALSEKAR TECHNICAL CAMPUS, NEW PANVEL

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DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING (Data Science)

Inauguration Ceremony Report

Date/Duration: 11th September 2025

Mode: Offline

Time: 12:30pm onwards

Staff Coordinators: Dr Tabussum Maktum (HOD, CSE DS) And Renuka Chimankare (S4DS and DNC

faculty Co ordinator)

Event Conducted under: Dr. Ramjan Khatik(Director) & Dr. Rajendra Magar(Dean)

Activity Type:Inauguration of S4DS & Data Nexus Club(DNC)

Target Group: Students of CSE (Data Science) Department

Purpose: The DataNexus Club is to create a dedicated platform/club for students passionate about data science, programming, and technology.

The club aims to:

- 1. Bridge the gap between academic learning and real-world applications by organizing workshops, hackathons, and seminars.
- 2. Foster a collaborative learning environment where students can share knowledge, work on projects, and develop practical skills.
- 3. Build a community that supports personal and professional growth by connecting members with industry experts, alumni, and internships.
- 4. Encourage innovation and research in data science, machine learning, artificial intelligence, and related fields.

This initiative seeks to empower students to become proficient in emerging technologies and prepare them for the evolving demands of the digital economy.

Brief Summary about Activity:

Inauguration Ceremony of the Data Nexus Club

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The inauguration ceremony of the dataNexus Club took place on 11th September 2025 at 12:30 PM at Seminar Hall of Anjuman-I-Islam Kalsekar Technical Campus(AIKTC). The event marked the official launch of the club and was attended by Director, Dean, HODs of various Departments of AIKTC, faculty, student leaders, and interested students from various departments, particularly those in CSE(Data science).

Highlights of the Ceremony:

1. Welcome Address:

The event began with a warm welcome by Madiha Lasne and Baghdadi Mahek, who introduced the vision and mission of the dataNexus Club, setting the tone for the day.

2. Quran Recitation by:

A brief and respectful recitation of the Quran was made, adding a spiritual touch to the occasion.

3. Poster Reveal and Address by Director and Dean:

The Director and Dean of AIKTC revealed the official launch of the club and delivered an address, emphasizing the importance of clubs like dataNexus in enhancing both academic and extracurricular experiences.

4. Address by Head of Department (HOD):

The Head of the Department highlighted the significance of data science in today's world and encouraged students to engage actively with the club's activities.

5. Badge Distribution:

The office bearers of the club - President, Vice President, Secretary, and other key members - were formally inducted and presented with badges, symbolizing their leadership roles and commitment to the club.

6. Academic Calendar and Website Introduction by Mueez Hajwani(President, DNC):

Mr Mueez Hajwani, The Charter President of the Club, presented the academic calendar for the club's activities and showcased the newly launched club website, outlining upcoming events such as workshops, competitions, and Hackathon.

7. Address by Renuka Chimankare (S4DS and DNC faculty Co ordinator):

Renuka Ma'am delivered an inspiring speech, emphasizing the value of extracurricular engagement and the potential impact of data science in shaping the future.

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8. Vote of Thanks:

The event concluded with a formal vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to all attendees, organizers, and special guests for their support and participation.

Outcome of Event: The inauguration successfully

- Established a vibrant student community focused on data science and technology with a significant number of students expressing interest in joining and participating in future activities.
- Boosted student engagement by providing a clear roadmap of events and opportunities for skill development beyond the classroom.
- Strengthened collaboration between students and faculty, fostering a supportive environment for innovation and learning.
- Set the foundation for future initiatives such as hackathons, guest lectures, and industry partnerships, which will further enhance the club's impact on campus.

The event was widely appreciated for its organization, energy, and the sense of belonging it created among attendees, marking a promising start for the DataNexus Club at AIKTC.

Photo Gallery:



Figure 1: Poster Reveal by Director(Right) & Dean(Left)

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Vision : To be the most sought after academic, research and practice based department of Computer Science & Engineering (Data Science) that others would wish to emulate.



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Figure 2: Photo with Director, Dean, HODs, Faculty Coordinator & Core Team of DNC



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Figure 3: Photo with HOD, Faculty Coordinator & Core Team of DNC

Sd/-Prof. Renuka Chimankare Faculty Coordinator, S4DS & Data Nexus Club

Sd/-**Dr.Tabassum Maktum HOD**, CSE-DS