

*One Day National Seminar*  
on  
**Human-Centric & Responsible AI**

**May 26, 2026**

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**Department of Computer Science & Engineering,  
Harcourt Butler Technical University, Kanpur**

*In Association with*

**The Institution of Engineers (India)**



**Kanpur Local Centre**

*Under the Aegis of*

**Computer Engineering Division Board, IEI**

**Venue**

**Radhakrishnan Auditorium, HBTU, Kanpur**

## About Harcourt Butler Technical University, Kanpur

Harcourt Butler Technical University, Kanpur, a more than 100 years Institute and a University in its infancy has secured a NAAC Grade A+ in its First Cycle. Harcourt Butler Technical University Kanpur has been established in year 2016 by the Government of Uttar Pradesh with a view for making it a leading Residential University to become a Centre of Excellence with focus on Research and Development and Incubation in the field of Engineering, Technology, Basic & Applied Sciences, Humanities, Social Science & Management Architecture and other professional courses. HBTU aims to promote studies, research & innovation in Engineering areas of higher education, to enhance skill development through continuing education programme and knowledge and to achieve excellence in higher Technical education.

## About Department of Computer Science & Engineering, HBTU, Kanpur

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering was established in the year 1984 with a B. Tech. program in Computer Science & Engineering, having an intake of 30 students. A Post Graduate Program, Master of Computer Applications (MCA), with an intake of 60 students was introduced in the year 1987. B. Tech. in Information Technology Program was introduced in the year 2000, with an intake of 30 students. Currently the Department is running B. Tech. Computer Science and Engineering, B. Tech. Information Technology, MCA, and M. Tech. in Computer Science & Engineering with the student intake of 60, 60, 60 and 30 respectively. A new program of B. Tech. in Computer Science and Engineering (AI-ML) is being introduced from Session 2026-27 with an intake of 60 students. One of the youngest, but among the most efficient Departments, it is reputed for producing the best quality software engineers who serve in leading companies, not only in India but abroad. The students are given an in-depth exposure to computing environment consisting of state-of-the-art machines in different laboratories. In order to identify Industrial projects for the students and to expose them to the industrial environment, the Department has continuous interaction with the Industries. B. Tech. Computer Science & Engineering program is accredited by the NBA / AICTE.

The Department of Computer Science and Engineering at HBTU Kanpur also offers a Ph.D. Program in Computer Science and Engineering focused on advanced research and innovation in key areas such as Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Cloud Computing, Data Analytics, Networks and Security. The Program aims to develop research scholars with strong analytical, technical and problem solving skills capable of contributing to academia, industry and society. Admission is based on academic merit, a written test and an interview as per UGC norms. The department provides well equipped research facilities, experienced faculty, and a collaborative environment to promote high quality research and publications aligned with national and global standards.

## About The Institution of Engineers (India)

The Institution of Engineers (India) or IEI is the largest multidisciplinary professional body that encompasses 15 engineering disciplines and gives engineers a global platform for sharing professional interest. IEI has membership strength of above 2.6 lakh. Established in 1920, with its headquarter Kolkata, IEI has served the engineering fraternity close to a century. During this period of time, IEI has been inextricably linked with the history of modern-day engineering. In 1935, IEI was incorporated by Royal Charter and remains the only professional body in India which has been accorded this honour. Today, its quest for professional excellence has given it a place of pride in almost every prestigious and relevant organization across the globe. It provides a vast array of technical, professional and supporting services to the Government, Industries, Academia and the Engineering fraternity, operating through its 124 Centres located across the country and 6 overseas chapters. Besides, IEI has bilateral agreements with about 31 international bodies and membership of another 8 international bodies of the developed nations across the globe.

Being recognized as a Scientific and Research Organisation (SIRO) by the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India, IEI promotes the cause of research and development by providing Grant-in-Aid support to undergraduate, post graduate students and PhD Research Scholars of Engineering Institutions and Universities.

IEI holds the International Professional Engineers (IntPE) Register for India under the global International Professional Engineers Alliance (IntPEA). The institution also awards the Professional Engineers (PE) Certification.

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## About IEI (Kanpur Local Centre)

The Kanpur Sub Centre of the Institution of Engineers (India) was established in the year 1967 in a small room at the residence of Shri J. S. Murdia, FIE. The first Chairman was Late Er. Shobham FIE, Chief Engineer Kanpur Nagar Mahapalika. The first Honorary Secretary was Shri J. S. Murdia, Chief Engineer, Elgin Mills no.1, Kanpur. The Kanpur Sub-centre Committee has unanimously decided to start Memorial Lecture series at the Kanpur Centre in the sweet memory of Late. Dr. Daya Swaroop FIE, who was the Great Metallurgist of India, our past Chairman and the most active member of the Executive Committee. The memorial lecture was decided to be organised every year on the occasion of the Annual General Meeting of the Corporate Members by the persons of eminence. With the best efforts made by Shri N .C. Vaish FIE, Chairman, Prof. Dinesh Narayan FIE, Honorary Secretary as well as members of the executive committee, the sub center was upgraded and re-named as Kanpur Local Center in 1988 During that period an All India Council Meeting of the Institution of Engineers (India) was held at the Local Center in August 1988 under the best supervision of Shri N.C. Vaish FIE, Dr. G.K. Lal FIE etc. all India Council Members of the Institution of Engineers (India). Kanpur Local Centre was conferred with best Local Chapter. Out of the above Local Centre has organized 2nd & 34th All India National Convention of Aerospace Engineers in 1979 & 2022. 14th National Convocation of Mechanical Engineers and 34th All India National Convention of Textile Engineers in 2022 were also organised.

## About the Theme of Seminar

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is rapidly transforming every facet of human life—from healthcare and education to governance, industry, and social systems. While the technological advancements in AI promise unprecedented efficiency and innovation, they also raise critical concerns related to ethics, transparency, accountability, and societal impact. In this context, the concept of *Human-Centric and Responsible AI* has emerged as a guiding paradigm to ensure that AI systems are designed, developed, and deployed in ways that prioritize human values, fairness, and well-being.

This one-day seminar on **Human-Centric & Responsible AI** aims to bring together academicians, researchers, industry experts, and students to deliberate on the evolving landscape of AI with a focus on responsibility, inclusivity, and ethical integrity. The seminar seeks to foster meaningful discussions on aligning technological progress with societal needs while mitigating risks associated with misuse, bias, and lack of transparency.

## Sub Themes

1. Latest trends in Deep Learning
2. Explainable AI and AI Ethics
3. Sustainable AI for Society
4. AI Agents: Uses and Abuses
5. Collaborative AI

## Call for Paper and Participation

Interested persons are requested to contribute technical/ research papers and case studies detailing concept, innovation, idea or practical experiences for oral presentation. Each paper should begin with a synopsis of about 200 words and preferably within 3000 words excluding figures, tables and references. Paper can be send via email at “**hbtucse2026@gmail.com**” in the template prescribed by the Springer for journal paper publication.

Online Registration is mandatory for participation. Please fill the registration form using the link /QR Code given in this leaflet.

## Important Dates

Submission of Full Length Paper	: May 15, 2026
Communication of Acceptance of the paper	: May 17, 2026
Submission of Camera ready paper	: May 18, 2026
Date of the Seminar	: May 26, 2026

## Registration Fee (Including GST)

Member of IEI & Associate Organizations	: Rs. 750 .00
Industry Person / Non-Member	: Rs. 1000.00
Research Scholar / Students	: Rs. 500.00

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