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4th Alan Turing CSI National Student Quiz 2019

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Office bearers of CSI Coimbatore Chapter, Staff of SRKCAS with all finalists

Alan Turing was highly influential in the development of Computer Science giving a formalization of the concepts of "algorithm" and "computation" with the Turing machine, which can be considered a model of a general purpose computer. Turing is widely considered to be the father of Theoretical Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence. To commemorate his contribution to Computer Science, CSI has initiated a Quiz competition in his name which is in its fourth edition this year.

This is a team event consisting of two CSI student members per team. There were a record number of over 1150 teams (2300 students) who registered online for the quiz. The first two rounds of the quiz were held Online and had a range of questions of various levels of difficulty covering Programming languages, Data Structures, Architecture, Networking and recent developments in Computer Science. Reliscore, Pune as the Technology Partner provided support for conducting the Online rounds. 109 teams based on their performance in the first round were shortlisted for the second round from which the best SIX teams were chosen to attend the National Finals hosted by CSI Coimbatore Chapter. The finals were held jointly with the CSI Student branch of Sri Ramakrishna College of Arts and Science (SRKCAS) who extended excellent support in all aspects relating to the event.

The 2019 finalists are very providential to have participated in this wonderful Quiz. The finals were conducted by noted Quiz master, Dr. M. Rangarajan who has conducted over 1000 quiz shows till date. He conducted the quiz in an innovative way and kept the audience as well as the participants at the edge of their seats. He conducted several rounds including Infinite Bounce, Theme Game, Visual Treat, Talking Straight and the final round of Rapid fire questions. All along the event, the audience was kept in high spirits through several audience questions and freebies. At the end of well fought out rounds, three teams emerged victorious as given below. Cash prize of Rs. 15,000/- as First Prize, Rs. 10,000/- as Second Prize and Rs. 5,000/- as the Third Prize apart from Trophies and Certificates were presented by Dr. K. Karunakaran, Principal, SRKCAS. Prof. A Sivabalan, Chairman, CSI Coimbatore chapter proposed the vote of thanks. Dr. Vijaya Kumar, Controller of Examinations, SRKCAS was a great source of support for the finals while Mr. Gnanasekaran, Manager, Administration, CSI Education Headquarters was the coordinator for the entire event and provided excellent support. Prezantim Events were the creative partner while ABT Info, Applied Controls and V-Link Systems were the event sponsors. The Cash prizes and travel support for outstation participants were provided by CSI Headquarters.

Team Members	Institution	Position
Prasanna J S Rakshith Holla	Srinivas Institute of Technology, Mangalore	WINNER
Nirzari Gupta Shailly Rajput	BVM Engineering College, Vallabh Vidyanagar	1st Runner up
Sri TejaVure Pruthvi Belide	Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderabad	2nd Runner up
Vishal Balaji S Krishnakumar C	National Engineering College, Kovilpatti	Finalist
Atharva Thorat Ankita Sahane	K K Wagh Institute of Engineering Education & Research, Nashik	Finalist
Pradeep K Vignesh S	Karpagam College of Engineering, Coimbatore	Finalist



The National Finals in Progress



Winners of 1st Prize



Winners, 1st & 2nd Runners Up



A section of the audience