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Talk On

“Writing Research Articles for Publication in Q1 Journals”

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Date : **6 March 2015 (Friday)**
Time : **5.30 pm – 7.30 pm** (*Refreshments will be served at 5.00 pm*)
Venue : Auditorium Chin Fung Kee, 3rd Floor, Wisma IEM.
Speaker: **Prof. Dr. Prakash Thamburaja**

SYNOPSIS

The dissemination of knowledge obtained from a scientist's research is generally conducted through the writing of journal articles and conference proceedings. Nowadays, there is a clamour in universities & industry to write research articles for publication in high-impact journals or Q1 journals in ISI parlance. In this seminar, I will give a brief methodology based on my experiences on how to write papers to be accepted in Q1 journals. Particularly, I will share my philosophy on conducting research and methodology for writing high-impact factor research articles. The review process typically undergone by journal papers submitted to Q1-type journals will also be discussed.

BIODATA OF SPEAKER



Prof. Dr. Prakash Thamburaja obtained his BEng from from the Mechanical Engineering Department of Imperial College, London. After his undergraduate studies, he obtained his Masters and PhD from the Mechanical Engineering Department of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). He also served as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the

National University of Singapore (NUS), and currently he is a Full Professor in the Department of Mechanical & Materials Engineering at the Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM). His research is in the areas of continuum mechanics, theoretical & computational solid mechanics and mechanics of materials.

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