

ALFA – AGB 2014

President Mr. P. Gopalakrishnan's address

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Good Afternoon everyone,

Respected Padmabushan Dr. T. Ramasami, member of ALFA advisory council.

Respected Shri. C.S. Ganasekaran, member of ALFA advisory council.

Respected Teachers and my Dear ALFA alumni members.

I feel honored to be elected as the president of A.C. Tech Leather & Footwear Alumni Association.

ALFA is one of the esteemed associations for the technologist from Dept. of Leather technology. The membership strength of 1200+ includes alumni of 1945 batch until date.

Eminent scientists, dynamic entrepreneurs, Trend setters, fashion creators & Icons of Leather industry are emerged from this prestigious ALFA association.

Our new ALFA team has the privilege of availing the expert guidance from newly formed advisory council, which consists of prominent personalities.

1. One of the few Renowned Leather Technologist of the world Genius Dr. T. Ramasami, who is a treasure of our ALFA association and country.
2. The star personality of global Leather industry Shri N.R. Jagannathan,
3. 9 decades and 3rd generation successive tanner, from a traditional business family Shri C.S. Ganasekaran

Our new ALFA Team's Action plan for 2014 – 2016

1. To update the data base of ALFA members :

To communicate all the events & developments through internet on time.

- To motivate & involve our members in all activities for the constructive progress of ALFA.
- To make the members realize the value and significance of our association.

2. To conduct 'Technical Seminars' on various current topics like.

- Burning environmental issues – guidance for Eco -friendly Greener Technology & products.
- Innovative concept & technology to face the emerging trendy world.
- Healthy live stock management for the future.
- Enhance the managerial ability of our technologist to face the real Industrial challenges.

3. To conduct various sports & Games for sportive members of our association.
4. ALFA, coordination with LCMA & IFLMEA to organize “technological Salon” to exhibit the innovative concepts, products & designs for the benefit of Leather industry.
5. ALFA’s expertise & enriched knowledge can be utilized to present the “special lectures” to the B. Tech & M. Tech students to update their talents in practical approaches.
6. To build the corpus funds for ALFA, to the tune of minim Rs.10 Lakh,

Apart from the sponsorships. We can think of ‘musical events’ as a benefit performance to raise ALFA fund base.

7. By utilizing the interest of the ‘corpus fund’, deposits.

We can plan a proper use as

1. Scholarship to the needy & deserving B. Tech & M. Tech students.
 2. Awards & Rewards to the off - spring of our Alumni members, as a token of appreciation & recognition of their achievements in academics, culture & sports.
 3. Helping the under privileged children’s education.
8. To publish the ‘Treatise on leather science & Technology’ during 70th year celebration of Dept of Leather Technology (1945).

As a new EC member of ALFA Team, we assure you all that we will dedicate our time & energy sincerely to the progressive & dynamic growth of ALFA.

To make it more vibrant association of Technologist.

With the co-operation of all members and guidance of newly formed Advisory Council, we will work tirelessly to achieve our ambition to take ALFA to a prominent level in the leather world.