Dr V Ramamurti Faculty Fellow Endowment Launch Program

14th August 2018

We are happy to announce that IIT Madras launched Dr. V. Ramamurti Faculty Fellow endowment on 14th of August 2018. The event started with a talk by Prof. Amrutur V Anilkumar (1982/BT/ME) Professor of practise of Aerospace and Mechanical engineering, Vanderbilt University, USA on "**a new Paradigm for top class engineering education**" where the talk focused on the path breaking extreme Engineering of Vanderbilt Aerospace design laboratory with an annual budget under \$20,000, has propelled the national standing of Vanderbilt University.

Below gives you the video link for the lecture:

https://youtu.be/Xk7nOxz25yk

The Faculty fellowship program was inaugurated with lamp lighting by Mrs Ramamurthi and Mrs Rama Sivaraman (D/O Late Dr. V Ramamurthi) and his family in the presence of Director Prof. Bhaskar Ramamurti and Prof. Amrutur V Anilkumar followed by a MoU signing by Prof. V Anilkumar (representing alumni donors) and Ravindra Gettu, Dean IC & SR in the presence of Director Prof. Bhaskar Ramamurthi. Several friends and family of Dr V Ramamurthi gave their tributes. Prof. Bhaskar Ramamurthi addressed the audience and finally the Lecture closed with a vote of thanks by Dr Amrutur V Anilkumar.

Video link for faculty fellow launch program as under:

https://goo.gl/r8jkst

Please find below the link for copy of:

- 1. Faculty fellow Endowment MoU. https://goo.gl/cS3P6L
- 2. Photos taken during the occasion. <u>https://goo.gl/z5TJBL</u>