



HCCC Shiva Vishnu Temple and DIYA (The Livermore Young Adults Team for 18-32 years olds) were honored to welcome our esteemed speaker Mr.Keerti Melkote for our first event on Saturday November 3rd.

Mr. Melkote is the Co-Founder and President of Aruba, a Hewlett Packard Enterprise Company. During his talk, Mr. Melkote shared his story and journey of becoming the man he is today. From humble beginnings in Hyderabad, India, to completing his Masters at Purdue University, Mr. Melkote fought hard for his chance to provide for his family. Following stints at Intel and Cisco, Mr. Melkote decided to continue his career and learning by starting his own company, Aruba.

Attendees had the privilege of hearing first-hand about his opinions on when the right time is to start your own company, the struggles he faced in building his company, his experience through the 08' crisis, and even career advice he has been giving to his daughter as she decides what she wants to pursue in college and beyond.

Mr. Melkote was inspirational, humble, and gracious in the advice and time he provided to DIYA's first event. We are extremely grateful Mr. Melkote took time out of his busy schedule to share in this experience and are even more excited about future events to come.

Thank you, Mr. Melkote, for your willingness to support us in this cause.

If you are interested in hearing more from esteemed speakers, please like the DIYA page to stay up to date on when we will be hosting our next event.

Best,
DIYA Team