

## **DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING**

### **Group Discussion on "Current Trends and Happenings"**

**10<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

The Department of Civil Engineering of Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College has organized a Group Discussion on "**Current Trends and Happenings**" under **Indian Geotechnical Society Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College (IGS SVEC) Student Chapter** on 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2019 from 9:00 a.m to 10:30 a.m. in Civil Engineering Seminar Hall. The main objective of the program is to create awareness among the students about the current trends and the things happening around the world. This program is helpful for students to develop the oratory skills, interpersonal skills and leadership skills.

A total 20 students of 4 teams from II and III B.Tech. II Semester CE has participated in the event. The students participated in the event were with zeal and enthusiasm throughout the event. Group Discussion went on various topics namely "Ban of Plastics - Impacts and Alternatives; Reservation System of India; Technology and Environment; and Importance of Vote & Individual Responsibility". Dr. O. Eswara Reddy, Convener & Mrs. G. Gnana Prasanna, Coordinator together judged the teams on different criteria such as knowledge on the given topic, communication skills, attitude, interpersonal skills and body language.

Dr. O. Eswara Reddy, Professor and BOS Chairman, Department of Civil Engineering, Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College; Faculty Advisor, IGS SVEC Student Chapter; Convener of the Event; Mrs. G. Gnana Prasanna, Assistant Professor, Department of Civil Engineering; Coordinator, IGS SVEC Student Chapter; Coordinator of the Event graced the occasion. Office bearers of IGS SVEC Student Chapter were the organizers of this program.

On the whole, the event has proved successful. The First Prizes for the topics "Reservation System in India", "Importance of Vote and Individual Responsibility", "Ban of Plastics – Impacts and Alternatives" and "Technology and Environment" are won by Mr. A. Hari Kiran (16121A0101) of III B.Tech II Semester, Mr. A. Venkata Yeswanth Reddy (17121A0104) of II B.Tech II Semester, Mr. K. Sai Teja (16121A0142) of III B.Tech II Semester and Mr. R. Harsha Vardhan (18125A0116) of II B.Tech II Semester respectively. The appreciation certificates and participation certificates were distributed to all the winners and all other participants by Dr. O. Eswara Reddy, Faculty Advisor, IGS SVEC Student Chapter. Group Discussion is a way of enriching students with the leadership ability, creativity/out-of-the-box thinking, listening and articulation skills, situational handling ability, interpersonal ability to function as a team player. Further, it is believed that this event has ignited the young minds to learn and participate in any event.



*"Group Discussion" organized by IGS SVEC Student Chapter*



*Mrs. G. Gnana Prasanna, Coordinator explaining the Rules of the Group Discussion*



*Group Discussion on "Reservation System of India"*



*Group Discussion on "Importance of Vote and Individual Responsibility"*



*Dr. O. Eswara Reddy distributing Appreciation Certificate and Prize to Mr. A. Hari Kiran of III B.Tech II Semester CE for the topic on “Reservation System in India”*



*Dr. O. Eswara Reddy distributing Appreciation Certificate and Prize to Mr. R. Harsha Vardhan of II B.Tech. II Semester CE for the topic on “Technology and Environment”*



*Dr. O. Eswara Reddy distributing Appreciation Certificate and Prize to Mr. K. Sai Teja of III B.Tech II Semester CE for the topic on “Ban of Plastics – Impacts and Alternatives”*



*Dr. O. Eswara Reddy distributing Appreciation Certificate and Prize to Mr. A. Venkata Yeswanth Reddy of II B.Tech. II Semester CE for the topic on “Importance of Vote and Individual Responsibility”*



*Dr. O. Eswara Reddy distributing Participation Certificates to the participants of the Event*



*Dr. O. Eswara Reddy congratulating the Students participated in the Event*



*Participants with Faculty Advisor and Coordinator of IGS SVEC Student Chapter*