Dear Members,

In the last one year, the Hyderabad Centre focused attention on conducting Endowment Lectures, Award Lectures, Workshops, inaugurations ISF etc. Apart from the technical activities, the Centre is also conducting regular classes for the ALCCS, short term courses, workshops etc. for the benefit of students, faculty and other members of the industry.

It gives me great pleasure to inform you about our recent major activities held at our Centre i.e. celebration of IETE Foundation Day on the Theme “Internet a Vehicle of Mass Communication and its Impacts” on 30th October, 2013. Dr. Surendra Pal, President, IETE was the Chief Guest for the Celebrations. He spoke on the theme enlightening the audience present. Along with this celebrations, we had conducted Prof. S. Narayana 5th Endowment Lecture and Dr. K. Lal Kishore, Vice-Chancellor, JNTU-A, Ananthapur delivered lecture on “Nano Technology – Device Perspectives” on the occasion. In addition to the above, we had also conducted a two-day Workshop on “Advances in Image Processing and Applications” jointly with BITS-Pilani, Hyderabad Campus on 26th and 27th October, 2013. A 14 week Integrated Course on “Core and Advanced Java” was conducted from 12th September to 10th December, 2013 for the benefit of the B.Tech. & M.Tech. students. Apart from this, the Centre inaugurated IETE Student Forums at Nalla Narasimha Reddy Engineering College on 9th October, 2013 and at Sreenidhi Institute of Science & Technology on 20.11.2013.

We are now looking forward to organize IETE Zonal Seminar-cum-National Symposium on 29th and 30th March, 2014, Prof. Ganti Subrahmanyam 2nd Memorial Lecture on 13th April, 2014, annual event i.e. World Telecommunication Day and Information Society Day along with Dr. T.H. Chowdary 10th Endowment Lecture on 17th May, 2014 and IETE HQ event - APEX Forum in May, 2014.

All of you are aware that IETE Hyderabad Centre is actively engaged in conducting R&D Students’ Projects (Major / Mini) for M. Tech., AMIETE, B.E. / B.Tech., M.Sc., courses for the past few years. I request the distinguished members to come forward to guide students for their project works. ISFs are welcome to make use of infrastructure of IETE, Hyderabad Centre for their project work.

I am happy to inform that AU Alumni Association has contributed Rs.25,000/- for Prof. Ganti Subrahmanyam Memorial Lecture Fund.

I once again request all the Corporate Members to participate actively in the activities of the Centre and give their valuable suggestions and advices for further improvement in the activities of the Centre to reach greater heights.

February, 2014
Hyderabad

(K. SUBBI REDDY)
CHAIRMAN
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES:

Foundations Day Celebrations and Prof. S. Narayana 5th Endowment Lecture programmes organized on 30th October, 2013:

IETE Hyderabad Centre celebrated IETE Foundation Day on the theme “Internet a Vehicle of Mass Communication and its Impacts” on 30th October, 2013 at 5.30 P.M. in the Mekaster Auditorium of this Institution. The programme started with the prayer song and Lighting of the lamp by the Chief Guest, Dr. Surendra Pal, President, IETE, New Delhi and other dignitaries. The Chief Guest has spoken on the Theme of the Foundation Day. The following Senior Members of the IETE Hyderabad Centre were felicitated on this occasion.

1. Dr. K. Lal Kishore, 2. Dr. M. Lakshminarayana, 3. Dr. K.M.M. Rao, 4. Dr. K.S. Nayanathara, 5. Dr. B. Visvesvara Rao, 6. Shri V.V. Nageswara Sastry

The Celebrations was followed by Prof. S. Narayana 5th Endowment Lecture on “Nano Technology – Device Perspectives” by Dr. K. Lal Kishore, Vice-Chancellor, JNTU-A, Ananthapur on 30th October, 2013 at 7.30 P.M. in the Mekaster Auditorium of this Institution. Prof. S. Narayana, Past-President and Distinguished Fellow, Honorary Secretary presented vote of thanks. The above programmes were attended by Scientists, Professors, Students and also Members of the Centre.

WORKSHOP: 2-day Workshop on “Advances in Image Processing and Applications” on 26th and 27th October, 2013:

The IETE Hyderabad Centre jointly with BITS-Pilani, Hyderabad Campus organized a 2-day Workshop on “Advances in Image Processing and Applications” on 26th and 27th October, 2013 at BITS-Pilani, Hyderabad Campus.

SHORT TERM COURSE: 14-Week Integrated Course on “Core and Advanced Java” from 12th September to 10th December, 2013:

The IETE Hyderabad Centre conducted a 14-Week Short Term Course on “Core and Advanced Java” from 12th September to 10th December, 2013 at the Centre. Participants attended the course and completed project work as part of the course.

TRAINING PROGRAMME: M/s. Haier India Appliances Ltd. has conducted one-day training on 16th December, 2013 at IETE Hyderabad Centre. The training started at 9.00 A.M. and concluded at 6.30 P.M. The Hyderabad Centre provided infrastructure facilities, hospitality etc. A total of 46 participants attended the training.

ISF INAUGURATIONS: The IETE Students’ Forum was inaugurated 9th October, 2013 at Nalla Narasimha Reddy Engineering College, Hyderabad. Shri K. Subbi Reddy, Chairman, IETE, Hyderabad Centre was the Chief Guest and inaugurated the Student Forum. Dr. K. M.M. Rao, Executive Committee Member of the Centre delivered keynote address on the above occasion. Shri K. Gnaneshwar Rao, Honorary Secretary, IETE Hyderabad Centre also attended the programme.

The IETE Student Forum at Sreenidhi Institute of Science & Technology was inaugurated on 20th November, 2013. Shri K. Subbi Reddy, Chairman, IETE Hyderabad Centre was the Chief Guest and inaugurated the Student Forum. Shri K. Gnaneshwar Rao, Honorary Secretary, IETE Hyderabad Centre also attended the programme.
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