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## World Engineering Day organized by Civil Engineering & EEE Department- 2020

### A talk on ‘Contribution of Engineers for the Sustainable Development of the Country’, on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2020

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A talk on ‘Contribution of Engineers for the Sustainable Development of the Country’ was organized by the Departments of Civil Engineering and Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MVJCE, at 10 am on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2020, in Rajalakshmi Jayaraman Seminar Hall, to commemorate World Engineering Day. Around 200 students, faculty members and non-teaching staff of the Civil Engineering and Electrical and Electronics Engineering Departments participated in this program. The objective of the session was to enable the participants to know the importance of Engineering skills and become aware of their responsibilities towards technological development, to promote the culture of working with advanced techniques, and to create an awareness on the contribution by every Engineer, for global advancement.

The event started with the arrival of the dignitaries on the dais. The dignitaries present were Dr. K Rajani Kanth (Former Principal, M S Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bengaluru), Dr P Mahabaleswarappa (Principal, MVJCE), Prof. Muralidhara R (Head of Civil Engineering Department, MVJCE) and Prof. Premalatha (Head of Electrical and Electronics Engineering Department, MVJCE). The Master of Ceremony was Prof. Apoorva Kiran (Assistant Professor, Department of Civil Engineering).

The event started with an Invocation song by Prof. T R Dakshayini (Assistant Professor, Department of Civil Engineering). Prof. Premalatha delivered the Welcome address, welcoming the Chief Guest, Principal and the gathering. She introduced the Chief Guest to the gathering. The opening remarks were given by Principal, Dr. P Mahabaleswarappa.

The session was then taken over by the Guest Speaker Dr. K Rajani Kanth. He started by talking about the importance of World Engineering Day that is celebrated on March 4<sup>th</sup>, as per the proposal of WFEO, towards a sustainable development of the country. He created an awareness about the roles and responsibilities of an Engineer towards the society. He cited many

examples of Engineers who have contributed to the development of our country. He presented a motivational video which highlighted the importance of Engineers and Engineering.

The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Prof. Muralidhara R, extending gratitude to the esteemed Chief Guest Dr. K Rajani Kanth, to the Principal for his constant support and encouragement, and to Prof. Premalatha, Head of Electrical and Electronics Engineering Department for the cooperation in conducting the event successfully. He also thanked the faculty, non-teaching staff, technicians and all the participants.

### **Outcome of the Event:**

The session helped students to restate the importance and contribution of every Engineer towards National Development. The talk gave an insight into the latest technology to enhance one's Engineering skills and evaluate the condition of the working environment so as to meet international requirements.



Participants at World Engineering Day celebration organized by Department of Civil Engineering & Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MVJCE on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2020.



Prof. Premalatha, Head of Electrical and Electronics Engineering department delivering the welcome speech



Principal Dr P Mahabaleshwarappa and Head of the Civil Engineering Department Prof Muralidhara R welcoming the Guest, Dr. K. Rajani Kanth.



Chief Guest Dr K. Rajani Kanth Inaugurating the event by lighting the lamp.





Principal Dr P Mahabaleshwarappa addressing the gathering.



Chief Guest Dr K Rajani Kanth delivering his talk on 'Contribution of Engineers for the Sustainable Development of the Country' on World Engineering Day.