

# GOVERNMENT ENGINEERING COLLEGE

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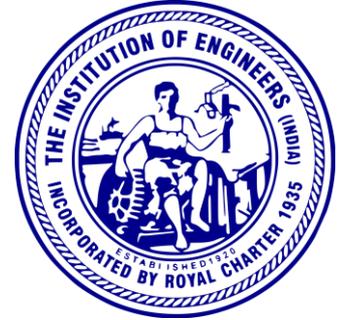
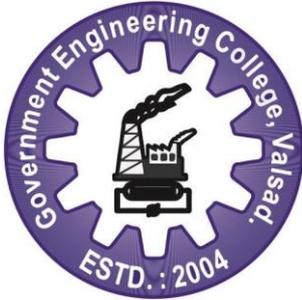
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Report on

Inaugural Ceremony of

Student Chapter

In association with



## Institution of Engineers (India)

Inaugurated By:

**Mr. Kirti Shethna**

**Chairman**

**IE(I) South Gujarat Local Chapter**

**Mr. M. M. Chaudhari**

**Executive Engineer**

**R. & B. Dept, Valsad**

**Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2019, Thursday**

**Venue: Seminar Hall, Civil Engg Dept., GEC Valsad**

### **I.E.I. Students' Chapter – Government Engg. College ,Valsad**

Government Engineering College, Valsad is one of the premier engineering institutes in south Gujarat region, approved by AICTE and affiliated to Gujarat Technological University. Along with the academic suppliant, learning of the industry's best practices is quite essential for the students and faculties. Hence throughout the academic year, industrial visits are organized in different industrial units for various departments.



At G.E.C., Valsad, with students' first approach, it is our highest priorities to groom the students to meet with industry exposure and enforce them with all human value qualities for their successful career. We seek opening of frontiers of knowledge and reveal new horizons of change at GEC Valsad. It will help students in strengthening of their mindset and will improve upon the professional attitudes of them.

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The complete planning, administration and execution of this auspicious inauguration ceremony had its roots from an idea; an idea to collaborate with one of INDIA's well known technical association, the Institution of Engineers (India).



The Institution of Engineering (India) is going to celebrate its 100 glorious years on this 19<sup>th</sup> of September. Thus Govt. Engg. College, Valsad were quite eager to collaborate with this esteemed institution. With the dedicative efforts of Institute coordinator of IEI Students' Chapter Prof. K.D.Panchal (Senior Faculty, Mechanical Dept.) and his team alongside the invaluable guidance of Visionary Principal of Institute Dr. V.S. Purani, this task of merging both the institutions ended positively .

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The Inauguration ceremony held on 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2019 in Seminar Hall of Civil Department of GEC Valsad. This step towards students' chapter was encouraged with kind support of Principal Dr.V.S. Purani; Mr. M. M. Chaudhari, (Executive Engineer, Road & Building Department, Valsad), Dr. V. S. Purani, (Principal, GEC Valsad); Institute Coordinator Prof. K. D. Panchal (Senior faculty, Mech. Engg. Dept.) Mr. U.K. Jethwa (Retired Sr. Vice President, Reliance Industries Limited, Navi Mumbai) Er. Mukundbhai Master, (Past Hon. Secretary of IE(I)SGLC) shared the dais along with the chief guest of the inaugural function Mr.KirtiShethna, (Chairman, IE(I) SGLC). Off the Dias many dignitaries like Mr. Nikhil Panchal, Deputy Engineer, R & B Department, Valsad, Head of all departments; faculty members as well as staff of GEC Valsad grace the seminar by their valuable presence.



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The inaugural ceremony started with a warm welcome of the dignitaries.



After the introduction, all the dignitaries kindled the lamp before the statue of Goddess Saraswati followed by the felicitation of all the dignitaries.

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Institute Coordinator Prof K.D. Panchal triggered the students' intellectual thinking, made them aware with the creative activities which can be plan under the aegis of IEI. He has also motivated them to contribute in nation building as an engineer of future by planning of few community services under the banner of IEI students' chapter.



Principal Dr. V. S.Purani initiated the thought process of all the audience present and delivered a speech regarding journey of GEC Valsad and the importance of student chapter as well as IE(I). He also encouraged the students to make the use of IE(I) platform to be creative in every aspect of engineering.

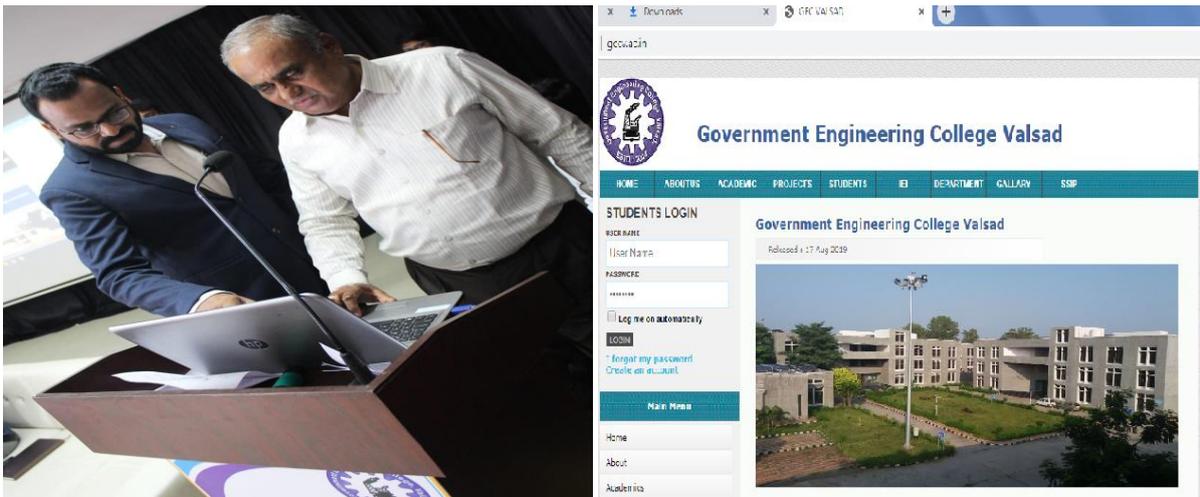
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Chief Guest Mr. Kirti Shethna (Chairman, IE(I), South Gujarat Local Chapter) started his speech with the introduction of IE(I) and its various programs aimed for the development of students. He also addressed the students regarding the benefits of being a member of student chapter. The students' chapter benefits its members to access for IE(I) library, IE(I) guest houses all over India, research funding and many more facilities very much essential for engineers to update and enhance their knowledge.

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Official Inauguration of students' chapter was done by unwrapping of the brochure IE(I) Students' chapter by all invited dignitaries. It was followed by official launching of brand new institute's website (URL: [www.gecv.ac.in](http://www.gecv.ac.in)) which is in-house development with the valuable inputs of visionary principal Dr. V.S. Purani. Amongst new features, this website contains individual login facility for each student to foster improved communication with them.

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Then, Prof. S. V. Damania (Head of Mech. Engg. Dept.) proposed vote of thanks to all the dignitaries on the dais as well as all the faculties and students present in the ceremony. The ceremony ended with national anthem at 12:45 PM. Student Coordinators organized overall process of inauguration ceremony of IEI students' chapter.

### **Along with inauguration ceremony three expert talks were also arranged under IEI students' chapter activities.**

Mr. Kirti Shethna delivered expert talk on the topic "Environment Safety and water conservation" to the students of Mechanical and Environmental Engg. of the institute. He has discussed about various practices to be followed that ensures that a surrounding environment, including work areas, laboratories facilities, is free of dangers that could cause harm to the human being in those areas.

Mr. U. K. Jethwa(Retired Sr. Vice President, Reliance Industries Limited, Navi Mumbai) delivered expert session on "Effective Electrical Maintenance" to pre final and final year students of electrical engineering. He has discussed about various electrical maintenance strategies for petro chemical industries and refineries to achieve optimum asset management. He has also focused on electrical installation, testing, commissioning and maintenance of assorted plant and machinery like power generators, transformers, switch gears, switch yards etc.

Er. Mukundbhai Master, (Past Hon. Secretary of IE(I)SGLC)delivered a expert lecture on " Job Scope after engineering" to the first year students of civil engg. and chemical engg. In this session the students were made aware regarding job scope in public and private sector. He gave information about Public sector, Limited, private limited as well as corporate bodies. He has discussed the idea about job awareness and about different sectors where they can make fruitful careers. He has also inspired students to become members of students' chapter and get benefits of its privileges.