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Long ago, Almost 3650 days ago, a few of empathetic engineers (us) driven by impulsive thoughts and a wish for UVCE to be an engineering institute of reverence were sitting under the shades of the two big trees adorning the campus quadrangle of our college. We had a challenge and nobody gave it to us as a challenge and we aren't even sure, why we picked it up ourselves.



We had finished our courses and with every year's CET counselling, we would check, the highest rank of students who had chosen UVCE to be their institute of higher learning. We'd be a tad disappointed with what the number of students under

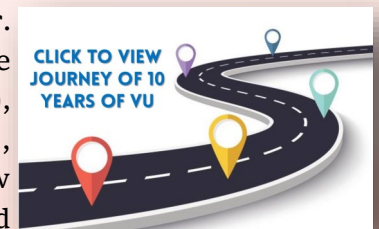
the 1000 rank would be just a handful. Whenever we sit back to hear about UVCE, it always used to be the go-to place for the brightest in the state. And present scenario would always be a bummer. We went to the CET counselling centre in the Malleshwaram 18th Cross with brochures we had created and tried wooing students and parents there. Those were the days, we'd look for immediate results and we were wary of the incremental progress. And to our dismay, the ranks of students who had chosen UVCE hadn't improved.

That brings us to the journey, that we have been on for the last 10 years and still on it. The journey - It tames you, it gives you hope, it shows you the pitfalls, it shows you the hardships, it gives you the adrenaline rush of things going your way, makes you understand why everything in this world works at its own pace and why any change to the status quo needs a long time. And our journey began that day under the shade of trees in our UVCE quadrangle. And we liked to call this journey - VisionUVCE with the tagline being, "Rejig To Reform". We came up with the idea of forming a trust - we only had trust, could only offer trust and that hasn't changed much yet. We came up with a website, paperwork was done, goals were set, tagline written and the first thing to come out was the first edition of Sampada. Its just the start that's the most difficult, beyond that, when you aren't worried about returns, ideas just flow through easy. We've been talking to lots of alumni and we've gatecrashed to most of their re-union gatherings to talk to them about who we are, what we do and to ask the every bubbly alumni to make sure we add a goal to their list which is UVCE. And boy, our alumni have shown huge interest, joined the journey and have been guiding us now. It is like how the small streams make a river bigger. We surely are gathering lots of streams and hopefully, we will be a full-fledged river.

We have embarked on the act of giving scholarships to the needy. We have supported in-house talents for their projects (SAE, Robotics etc), helped out with events in the college (Milagro, Inspiron, Impetus etc), have had a dialogue with the students in regularity (Samvaada), saw few things for college bought (lab equipments, repairs), created harmony based contests for them (Best Class of the Semester). And for

our beloved alumni, we have helped organize a gathering of alumni via Payana, Sammilana, & we have made sure updates about college and alumni reach every member through uninterrupted editions of Sampada. With all these, we now have set our sights on creating a Graduates Association too and we're sure this will formalize and have more alumni getting involved to be decision makers for the good things that are happening to and within UVCE.

And what this has done for us, it has thought us so much and made our lives so easy. We, subconsciously, are better at decision making in whatever we do, we certainly understand the bigger picture rather than the immediate result and to top it all, we have had the pleasure of meeting some of the best minds of our amazing institution. How's that for a journey? We are open for you all to embark on it with us! It'll be one helluva ride for sure. And as we sign off reminiscing our journey, "Hum Ko Mann Ki Shakthi Dena" song from the Guddi movie plays in my mind (For no reason at all).



-Team VisionUVCE

(You can view the list of initiatives and details from VisionUVCE in [this link here](#))

UVCE INDUCTION PROGRAM 2019

An air of exhilaration prevailed among the freshers for an entire week. It is always thrilling to start something new which would play the best part of your life. And the induction program was the perfect start they had for this journey.

As new members were added to our family, a special weeklong orientation program was organized. It started off with a welcome program at the Jnana Jyothi Auditorium. And Vice



Chancellor's speech invoked the students with UVCE legacy and their achievements along with introduction to their respective departments and notable alumni.

And the next day, the students were introduced to their CBCS scheme which was implemented a year ago along with curriculum and syllabus in their respective classrooms. And after the lunch, the students were given an insight of each club in UVCE which in turn dropped the curtain to reveal the fests and other events where everyone gets to enjoy.

The next day of induction program was organized by the Training and Placement Office. They organized a session which intended in giving an insight of how to prepare an individual for the corporate world. Following a list of fun filled events which showed the students the absolute value of teamwork and communication, they made sure that the students have to think outside the box to survive the corporate field.

The final day of induction program began with Yoga and Meditation in the Quadrangle headed by the Principal himself. The students were taken through an exceptional ride which invoked the importance of yoga in helping a person develop physically and mentally. The afternoon session was organized by Vision UVCE. The alumni association made sure they were present amidst their busy schedule which showed their love and passion for the college. They explained their vision and motto and their activities which ensured they had a strong relationship with the college. Sharing few of their experiences and followed by a few activities, they made sure that their session was a fun filled fruitful ride.



- Swaminathan S, 2nd year CSE

ORIENTATION FROM VISIONUVCE

From VisionUVCE Team, we engaged them with fun activities and some special **UVCE GYAN** for couple of hours and welcomed them to UVCE Family !



THE 40 CELEBRATION - REUNION

“It’s been 40 years since we joined UVCE”

I was meeting a few classmates from UVCE a few months ago when one of them remarked “Do you know we joined UVCE on Aug 16, 1979 and it will be 40 years this August 16?” This is when we decided it was time to have a reunion and the last big one we had was way back in 2009. We finally managed to get about 60 students together and while most of them were from Bangalore quite a few had come from outside too.

We were a group of 110 students who joined UVCE way back in 1979 to do our BE in Mechanical Engineering and were part of the last 5 year batch (10 semesters). In those days getting into UVCE was very difficult as it was the most sought after Engineering College in Karnataka. We finally finished 5 ½ years later due to the postponement of our exams for various reasons. Our last exam, was supposed to be held on 31 October 1984, and Smt. Indira Gandhi, Prime Minister of India was assassinated the same day and our final exam got postponed. Finally we got our results on Dec 31, 1984.



Few of our classmates went on to do their Masters in US while many stayed back and started working in Bangalore and other parts of India. Over the last 40 years our classmates have done very well and most of them are still working and some of them have also retired. I am very proud to say that we have amongst us - Professors, Journalists, Yoga Guru, Sanskrit scholar, heads of MNC's, Entrepreneur's, Industrialist's and Software Professionals to name a few.

Even today we reminisce about the good old days we spent in UVCE and sincerely hope that UVCE will regain the glory that it had during our time.

- Giri Tirumale, Batch of 1984 Mech



INDIA INNOVATION CHALLENGE DESIGN CONTEST 2018

It all started with a true incident and a desire to do better for the society!! Ideas hurled in from all directions of imagination and a light bulb (idea) was lit-up. All we needed was a platform to nurture our idea and it knocked our door by one of our seniors who had participated in India Innovation Challenge Design Contest 2017 edition and had made it to the finals. Motivated by their journey we kick-started our journey on 30th August 2018 and filled our registration in the INDIA INNOVATION CHALLENGE DESIGN CONTEST 2018 edition. We took every care to fulfil all the criteria set by the organizers of the event.

QUALIFIED FOR QUARTER-FINALS

Then came the time for our first video submission of technical and business preliminary details. Completely new to this format we wandered the whole college for a “perfect” spot for the background of our video. At last after an hour of search we settled at scenic beauty of rock garden as our background for the video shoot. We recited our script for the camera and headed for the submissions.

QUALIFIED FOR SEMI-FINALS

The day of the announcement of the semi-finalists was the most strenuous day with back-to-back lectures from morning 8 am to 2 pm. The announcement of the semi-finalists filled our hearts with joy and excitement of getting selected among the top 60 teams from the pool of 1200 teams all-over India.

SEMI-FINALS PROTOTYPE DEMO AT IIM Bangalore

The grand and luscious greens of IIM Bangalore dazzled our senses and pumped us with the energy to present our prototype demo in front of evaluators from Texas Instruments India and NSRCEL, IIM Bangalore.

QUALIFIED FOR THE FINALS

The announcement of top 30 finalists filled us with immense joy and pleasure. Wishes and lots of really helpful guidance poured in from our faculty advisor, business mentor and our seniors. We felt extremely privileged at the moment.

FINALS PRODUCT DEMO AT IIM Bangalore

The mesmerizing look of the final products of the top-30 teams made each and every team freaked-out. The nail biting final ceremony made all the teams to keep their fingers crossed. Finally our time arrived and the announcement filled the hall with our college name “University Visvesvaraya College of Engineering”. We are one among the top-10 teams who would be incubated at NSRCEL, IIM Bangalore.

CHERRY ON THE TOP

The cherry on the top was the moment when an alumni of UVCE working at Texas Instruments India walked down to us and said proudly that he was very happy to hear the name of our college after a very long time. He congratulated us and that moment made us proud UVCEians in the true sense.

- Shubham Kumar M



From Left: Shwetha T Pinto, Shubham Kumar M (Team Leader), Manjunath R, Roshan, Sreeranjini M

WE HAVE SOMETHING TO SHARE!

UVCE SAMMILANA - THE MEET

Continuing the tradition, we are having a get-together on Engineers Day this year too. Last year, we had around 65 alumni joining the occasion and spent time sharing their memories and experiences with each other. We will be updating the agenda of the gathering in a day or two. Meanwhile, to help us with the logistics, we request you to RSVP and also spread the word among your friends and other UVCE alumni.

SEP 15th 2019 | 11 AM | Century Club

RSVP NOW



UVCEGA - WE CROSSED 200!



It was just in the last edition that we published about UVCEGA successfully registering 100 members after starting their membership drive. And here UVCEGA is again keeping the momentum of success up by having 200 members registered successfully with this month. We wish the association luck in maintaining the streak in days ahead. We will be updating the list of members in the website shortly. If you have not become a member yet, register today and join the proud “UVCE Graduates Family”

BECOME A MEMBER

VU SCHOLARSHIPS 2019-20

VisionUVCE Scholarships for the academic year 2019-20 are open and will be available until Sep 14th, 2019. You can find more details about the **Scholarships initiative here**

APPLY TODAY

BEST CLASS 2.0

First, Second and Third Year students are invited to participate in this semester's “Best Class” competition. Find more about it **here**

REGISTER TODAY



UPDATE ON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

If you think, with UVCE Graduates Association and VisionUVCE activities, we have totally forgot about Alumni Association, you are wrong. We have kept one eye on the proceedings there as well. Few alumni have been persistent in their efforts and after the fact the present office bearers withdrew their case for “Request to Stay” the Govt Order, they approached the respective officials and requested them to continue with the official proceedings. Based on the same, there has been official Order in the “Gazette Notification” of Aug 22nd, 2019, which can be summarized as below:

- As per the Dep Registrar’s order, the 21 Days Notification was to be issued to all the members and other due procedures had to be followed for conducting the elections.
- Without following these specific orders, the existing office bearers claim to have conducted the elections even before and have failed to abide the rules. The same has been noted by the Observer who was appointed to make a note of the proceedings of the day.
- Based on these reports, a notification was sent to the Alumni Association asking why the Govt should not appoint an “Administrator” to take care of the proceedings.
- The response given from the Alumni Association is that they have been transparent in all manners and followed all the rules & regulations duly. Hence, there is no need to appoint administrator.
- But, since the response is not satisfactory, it has been decided to appoint an Administrator as per the Govt Order (**SAE SASU 70/2018**). Smt Vinutha V, Senior Inspector, Co-Operative Societies Dep. Registrar, 4th Zone, Bangalore has been appointed in this position and has been given directions to conduct elections in a transparent manner and hand over the responsibilities to the new elected team within the period of next 6 months.

The order has been published on Aug 22nd Gazette Notification (which is available online for viewing). FYI, The above is not a literal translation of the order.

Based on this order, the Alumni Association has again approached the High Court for withholding the “Appointment of the Administrator. You can check the status in the below link:

URL: https://karnatakajudiciary.kar.nic.in/caseStatus_CaseNumber.aspx

Bench: **Bengaluru**

Case Type: **WP**

Case Number: **36419**

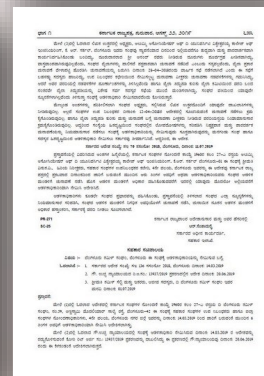
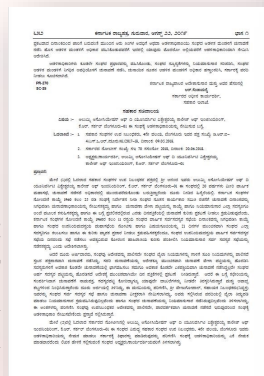
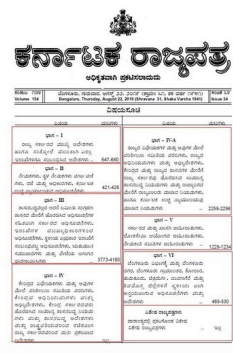
Case Year: **2019**

Current Status: **O/OBJ., IGNORED- HCGP ACCP N TO R1 & R2**

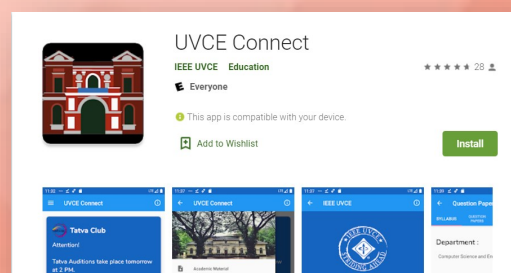
UVCE CONNECT - NAMMA UVCE APP

UVCE Connect is an Android mobile application developed to share authorized and authentic news happening in UVCE to its students, faculty and alumni. This mobile application is designed to establish a point to point communication between the user and all organization affiliated to college to update day-to-day news to its users.

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.uvce.uvceconnect&hl=en_IN



High Court of Karnataka - Bengaluru Bench WP 36419/2019			
Petitioner/Appnt. Name	ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY	Respondent/Defnt. Name	THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
Petnt./Appnt. Advocate	D R RAVISHANKAR & LEX NEXUS	Respt./Defnt. Advocate	GA SD
Date Filed	17/09/2019	Classification	CMK(SR)
		District	Bengaluru City
ORDERS			
Stage	PENDING FOR ADMISSION	Last Posted For	04/09/2019
Last Action Taken	ADJOURNED	Last Date of Action	04/09/2019
Latest Order	O/OBJ., IGNORED- HCGP ACCP N TO R1 & R2	Next Hearing Date	
Before Hon'ble Judge/s	ALOK ARADHE		
Lower Court Details [Appeal from below case]			
Case No	SAE SASU 70/2018	Court Name	THE STATE OF KARNATAKA
		Order Dt	11/07/2019



A GOLDEN UVCEIAN MOMENT ON FB

This was UVCE table tennis, tennis, and shuttle teams which won all the shields in the All India Inter Engineering College meet at Surathkal in 1973. The photo was taken in Verona studio on MG Road and owner's son Mukesh Chetan who played tennis is standing second from right and extreme right standing is Pradeep Padukone (Prakash's elder brother). I am sitting extreme left in University blazer, says **Shivu Balse**

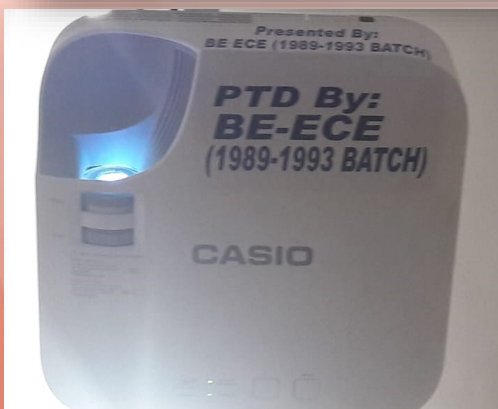


As we scrolled down the pages of Facebook Feed, we stumbled across this post on **“Bangalore - Photos from a Bygone Age”** group. And we jumped at seeing that it was about namma UVCE Alumni. This is a picture of our Alumni from the 70's batch with the laurels that they won at All-India Engineering Sports Meet in Surathkal in 1973. It was a proud moment to see the galore of achievements that namma UVCEians had and upholding the glory of UVCE that since then.

Our efforts are in progress to reach the alumni in this photo to capture the story behind it. Stay Tuned...

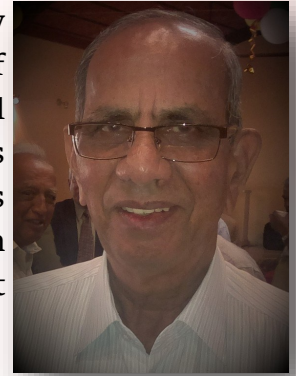
1993 ECE TRIBUTE TO ALMA MATER

Alumni of Batch 1993 Electronics together presented a projector to the Mechanical Department for the use of classes and help the students. It was during the Orientation programme for the first years and few of the seniors interacted with the freshers. Also, Srikanth M (from the same batch) gave a presentation about the “Legacy of UVCE” to the new students and made them aware about the history of our alma-mater. He motivated them to feel proud about the fact that they were part of this rich culture now!



OBITUARY

It is unfortunate that one of our alumni, Mr B Krishna Moorthy Rao passed away. He hails from 'BAPPANADU' now called Moolky of Dakshina Kannada. After his graduation from UCE Electrical Engineering in 1963, he joined State Electricity Board and retired as Superintending Engineer (El) in the year 1998. He had shared his thoughts with us in "Sampada-50". We are republishing the same in his memories in the below portion. Team Sampada offers our deepest condolences to his nearest and dearest for the loss.



In everyone's life there are some dates which can not be forgotten .e.g. our Date of Birth, Graduation Day, Date of our Marriage, Retirement etc. The latest addition to the list is the First Sunday of year 2014 - 5th January 2014- "The UCE Golden Jubilee Meet-1963&64" This date I am sure is etched in our memory as long as we live .

Thanks to the wonderful efforts of Ratan Babu and his team. We, the UCE 1963 and 1964 batch mates met at Bangalore on 5th January 2014 for the G J Meet. For many of us it was a reunion after a separation of 50 long years.

I do not venture to go into the details of the memorable meet but touch a point or two as to share with you how it affected our inner feelings . For us the G J Meet was like meeting our own brothers after a lapse of so many years. The affection was clearly visible . Words were few, but feeling was great .

After the meet, it was time for us to bid goodbye. Did I see a tinge of sadness and eyes getting moist? I am not sure for my eyes were also filling up. But my inner feeling says ' yes' . Many of us simply raised our hands when the time came as if saying 'Well my friend, it might well be our last union, but if we are lucky we will/shall meet again' WORLD IS VERY SMALL. Surely it is a GOLDEN day to remember .

Praying for blessings of LORD SRI KRISHNA OF UDUPI to all our Alumni Brethren and for World peace.

AN UNFORTUNATE LOSS

We deeply mourn the sad demise of one of our beloved alumni, Chaitanya Santhe—Batch of 2005 Electronics. He was killed in an accident while hiking in an Oregon state park in August 2019. was reportedly an engineer at Intel in Hillsboro, Oregon, and had completed his Masters at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc). He was also selected as a Beckman Institute Graduate Fellow in 2012. His research interests were DNA detection using graphene nanopores, and modeling carbon nanotube biomolecular assembly.

May his soul rest in peace.

<https://www.thenewsminute.com/article/iisc-graduate-bengaluru-dies-climbing-accident-us-state-park-107933>



CAMPUS SAYS - THE FRESHER TALK

The absolutely amazing thing an institution can do is not just teach us the subject but rather help us fly with the knowledge etched into our wings. UVCE just celebrated 100 years of doing just that but with loads of fun! Well, to kick it off, the 5-day long induction program was held, with the parents and students flocking into the Jnanabharathi auditorium, to find out what UVCE was all about. Parents were left with the assurance that their wards are in good hands along with the promise of placement opportunities. But the students? Not so much. We were intimidated by the prospect of falling cement, CBCS system, no canteen, a ton of mosquitoes, and god forbid, no fun, the horror! But all those worries ended the day, the seniors stepped into our classrooms.



The entire reason to be in UVCE is not only to get jobs and earn a living but the whole process of going through all the years with the assurance of the absence of the wall between juniors-seniors, branches and anything in between. Various but completely random activities organised by the seniors were exhilarating to put it simply. The host of activities didn't end there, because there's no end to anything in UVCE. Bhaag UVCE Bhaag organised by the no-longer-frightening seniors again was nothing short of doing the most embarrassing things and 'Bhaag'ing until our breaths hitched in our throats. The huge campus became a race track, as we all ran to complete the puzzles. At the end of the day, the feeling of being at ease with newfound friends and camaraderie, and the thought of spending the next 4 years did not sound bad at all, because UVCE already felt like home! All these things within a week into the campus. With the exception of the sad reality of the death of canteen and wifi, I'm eagerly waiting to know how this fantastic opportunity plays out to be and I will not regret one bit of it.

- Neha H , 1st Year EEE



Stepped into Jnana Jyothi auditorium on August 16th, mentally prepared to bear hours of boring speeches. But then Dr Venugopal's speech was something else. His stories were really intriguing. Why do I think so? I wasn't looking at my watch hoping for it to end already. So, the first day provided useful insight into UVCE.

On the next day, my heart skipped a beat as I entered The UVCE campus for the first time as a student. What was to be expected? Great peers, friendly seniors and a few lectures we would listen to half-heartedly. Well, it's true for the most part except we didn't have any lectures, instead, there was a small introduction to the CBCS scheme and then there were fun activities with the IEEE team. We were also introduced to various clubs. Also, the seniors are not friendly, they are

a little too friendly. I had already found a 100 years old building I wanted to call my home and I also got a family! Personality development and stress management were scheduled on Day 3. Many of us were reluctant to come. But as they say - Titles are always deceptive! With every passing hour, we were introduced to a different corporate, each better than the previous one. Their enthusiasm was almost contagious. After about two hours there was humour, excitement and curiosity emanating from each one of us. Day 4 was slow-paced with meditation and yoga activities in the morning. But in the afternoon, Vision UVCE hosted some activities aimed at helping us socialize with other students. Activities? Forming teams from the hundreds of students and playing games like rock paper scissors (sounds trivial but it was one of the best things we did) followed by an opportunity for the freshers to showcase their talents. All in all, we have already begun exploring ourselves and hope to break our shells and mature as time passes by with the support of the UVCE family. I have realized that UVCE will shape and polish us to shining diamonds and leave us with everlasting memories. Looking forward to a new experience.

- Shubham N J, 1st Year CSE

After spending a week in college, I still could not say that I knew our campus well since I kept



putting it off saying, "Hey, I am here for 4 years, I'll eventually get to know the place". Yeah, I would not call myself the most active person in the world. But then came the motivation in the form of an event conducted by IEEE UVCE, 'BHAAG UVCE BHAAG'.

When I heard the name, I thought it might be a marathon around Cubbon park the upcoming Sunday but then when I read that it was a treasure hunt I was intrigued. I circled the date on my calendar and was looking forward to the event and I was definitely not disappointed, to say the least. On the 26th of August at 2:30 PM, all freshers assembled at LH4 and were divided into 40 odd teams of 4 members each and were

given a clue which when cracked would lead us to the next clue and then the next and this would continue until all the clues were cracked at the teams would find themselves searching for the treasure with goodies for keeps. I absolutely loved the event. I got to make friends from branches different from mine, got to meet and interact with seniors from all branches (who ensured that we worked hard for the clues by testing our singing, dancing, stand up and even acting skills). We also got to burn some calories and most importantly managed to familiarize myself with every nook and cranny of our institution. Even though we did not get the goodies, the real gift for me was the motivation it provided me to do the activities stated above and for that, I will forever be grateful to the organizers of this event.

- Akhil, 1st Year CSE

Participating in the Induction Week was probably the best way for the freshers to start the academic year. As a fresher of the 2019-2023 batch, participating in the induction week gave me lots of sweet memories that I will cherish for the rest of my life. Dr Venugopal KR Sir inspired us by telling his life story, the difficulties he overcame and how much UVCE had contributed to his development as a student. The activities on the first day concluded with a presentation on the working and uses of the newly launched UVCE connect app which serves as an excellent link between the students and the latest developments and college activities. The second day, our seniors came to our classrooms conducted various fun games and activities and talked about the various cultural and technical clubs in UVCE. All of us had a blast interacting with our seniors. On the third day, we witnessed various talks and fun-filled activities organised by the training and placement officer. Various industry experts visited our classrooms and talked about stress management, time management, goal setting and much more. On the fourth day, we were taught about the importance of yoga by Dr YR Manjunath followed by a yoga session by Mr Mukund Rao, a prominent yoga guru. Later, the Vision UVCE team interacted with us and talked about the various activities they were involved in. They made their talk come alive with a host of fun activities and games which helped us get to know our peers from other branches. On the fifth and last day of induction week, we had an open day. We were allowed to visit all the departments and interact with the faculty of various departments.



Over the past week, I have made new friends within and outside my branch. The induction program gave us a platform to meet and interact with each other. Meeting people from different backgrounds, interacting with them and learning about their goals and aspirations has been a real eye-opener for me. It has shown me the beauty of college life. I never felt like an outsider or a fresher. I felt like I was a part of a wonderful family. The seniors treated us like their own younger brothers and sisters, took us under their wing and offered us great advice. On behalf of all the freshers, I would like to thank our Principal, the teachers, the alumni and our seniors who made our transition to the world of engineering an extremely enjoyable experience. It is through their constant dedication and hard work that we were able to enjoy the induction week. It is one of the sweetest memories we as freshers could have.

- Adrian P Isaac, 1st Year ECE

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ಒಂದು ದಿನ ನಾನು ನನ್ನ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಕ್ಲಾಸ್ ರೂಮಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕುಳಿತಿದ್ದೆನು. ಆಗ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನ 2:30. ನನ್ನ ಸೀನಿಯರ್ಸ್ ನನ್ನ ಕ್ಲಾಸ್ ರೂಮಿಗೆ ಬಂದು ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾಪಿಸಿದರು. ಉರನ್ನು ಆಗ ತಾನೆ ತೊರೆದು ಬಂದು ಯಾರೂ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲದ ಈ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಸರಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದ ನನ್ನ ಮನಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ಆ ವಿಷಯವು ಎಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ಒಂದು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಸಂಚಾರವನ್ನು, ಸಂತೋಷವನ್ನು ತುಂಬಿತು. ಅದುವೇ 'ಭಾಗ್ ಯುವಿಸಿಇ ಭಾಗ್'. ಕಗ್ಗುಟಾಗಿ ಉಳಿದುಹೋಗಿದ್ದ ಈ ಆಟದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ತಿಳಿಸಲು ನನ್ನ ಸೀನಿಯರ್ಸ್‌ಗಳು ಎಲ್ಲ ಮೊದಲ ವರ್ಷದ ಬಿ.ಟೆಕ್. ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳನ್ನು ಲೆಕ್ಚರ್ ಕಾಂಪ್ಲೆಕ್ಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಒಗ್ಗೂಡಿಸಿದರು.ಆಟದ ನಿಯಮ ವಿವರಿಸಿ, ನಮ್ಮೆಲ್ಲರನ್ನು ತಂಡಗಳಾಗಿ ವಿಂಗಡಿಸಿ, ಮೊದಲ ಸುಳಿವನ್ನು ನೀಡಿದರು. ಅಲ್ಲಿಂದ ಶುರುವಾಯಿತು ನಮ್ಮ ಓಡುವ ಆಟ! ಹಾದಿಯು ಸುಗಮವೋ, ದುರ್ಗಮವೋ ಎಂದೂ ಲೆಕ್ಕಿಸದೆ ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ಓಡಿದೆವು. ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಮುಂದೆ, ಹಿಂದೆ, ಒಳಗೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಹೊರಗೆ ಎಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಡಿದರೂ ಕ್ಲಾ

ಅನ್ನು ಭೇದಿಸಿ ತುಂಬು ಖುಷಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಧನ್ಯತೆಯಿಂದ ಓಡುವ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು. ಗೆಲ್ಲಲು ಬೇಕಾದ ಡಬ್ಬಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಬೇರೆ ಬೇರೆ ಜಾಗಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹುಡುಕಿ ತರುವ ಈ ಆಟ ನಾವು ನೋಡಿರದ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಮೂಲೆಮೂಲೆಗಳನ್ನೂ ಕಣ್ತುಂಬಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಪರ್ಯಟನೆ ಎಂದು ಕೊನೆಗೆ ಅರಿವಾಯಿತು. ಇಷ್ಟಾದರೂ ನಾವು ಹುಡುಕುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ಡಬ್ಬಿ ಸಿಗಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಒಂದೆಡೆ ಡಬ್ಬಿ ನಮಗೆ ಸಿಗಲಿಲ್ಲವಲ್ಲ ಎನ್ನುವ ಬೇಸರವಾದರೆ ಇನ್ನೊಂದೆಡೆ ನಾವು ಓಡಿ ಓಡಿ ಆಯಾಸದಿಂದ ಬಳಲಿ ಬೆಂಟಾಗಿದ್ದರಿಂದ ನಮ್ಮ ಕಾಲುಗಳು. ಆ ಹಠಾಶ ಭಾವನೆಯ ನಡುವೆಯು ಎನೋ ಒಂಥರ ನೆಮ್ಮದಿಯ ಭಾವನೆಯು ನನ್ನ ಮನಸ್ಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೂಡಿತು.

ನನಗೆ ಕೊಂಚವೂ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲದ ಆ ಜಾಗ ಮತ್ತು ಜನರ ಮಧ್ಯೆ ಕಳೆದ ಅಮೂಲ್ಯವಾದ ಕ್ಷಣಗಳು ನನ್ನ ಮನಸ್ಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ತನ್ನದೇ ಆದ ಒಂದು ಛಾಪನ್ನು ಮೂಡಿಸಿತ್ತು. ಯಾರೂ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲದ ಆ ಜಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ನಾನು ಕಳೆದ ಆ ಸಮಯವು ಸುಂದರವಾಗಿ ನನ್ನ ಕಣ್ಣು ಪರದೆಯ ಮೇಲೆ ಒಂದರ ಮೇಲೊಂದರಂತೆ ಮೂಡುತ್ತಿತ್ತು. ಆ ಆಟದ ಆಯೋಜಕರಾದ ನನ್ನ ಸೀನಿಯರ್ಸ್‌ಗಳು ಗೆದ್ದವರಿಗೆ ಶುಭಾಷಯವನ್ನು ಕೋರಿ, ಅವರಿಗೆ ಬಹುಮಾನವನ್ನು ನೀಡಿ, ಅಂದಿನ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಮುಗಿಸಿದರು. ನಾನು ಅಂದಿನ ಆಟದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಯೋಚಿಸುತ್ತ, ನನ್ನ ತಂಡದ ಸದಸ್ಯರಿಗೆ ಬಾಯ್ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿ, ಅವರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಕಳೆದ ಆ ಸವಿನೆನಪುಗಳನ್ನು ಮೆಲುಕು ಹಾಕುತ್ತಾ, ನನ್ನ ಹಾಸ್ಟೆಲ್ಲಿನ ಕಡೆಗೆ ಹೆಜ್ಜೆ ಹಾಕಿದೆ.

~~ ವೃಷಾಂಕ, ೧ನೇ ಸೆಮಿಸ್ಟರ್, ECE

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Few of the alumni from 1974 Architecture had visited the campus to recollect their memories (celebrating 50 years of joining the college). They had their batch photo as well. Can you spot the difference in the background? And also identify everyone in both photos? We did pretty good job on the spot. Can you?



GURU NAMANA

With Teacher's Day being Celebrated on 5th September, Team Sampada reached to Alumni on various Social Media groups to remember their teachers and share their thoughts. Here is an excerpt from there.

During our time, V Keshava Murthy Sir from EEE was the most, respected faculty. Though he was HOD of EEE, he was also temporary HOD for CS Dept and he was one of the best.

- Satish A G, Batch of 2009 ISE



K V Subbaraya was our favourite teacher in 1965-1966 academic year. He along with Mr.Ramaswamy escorted us during our All India Education tour in 1966. A true Gandhian, he always was dressed khadhi suits.

- Dwarakanath Rangaswamy, Batch of 1966 EEE

It was Mr. K V Sharma Sir that I liked out of the lot. He was student friendly and used to be one amongst us.

- Ramesh V, Batch of 1994 Mech

Respectable K V Subbaraya was Teaching Principles of Drawing and Orthographic and Isometric Projection in First Year and Thermodynamics for Second and Third Year and Heat Engines for Fourth Year and Final Year. On our Final Year Class Socials on March 1969 he advised as how we have to face life personally and professionally by narrating a Poem from Respectful Dr D.V.Gundappa's Bhagavad-Gita "Mankuthimmana Kagga." May His Soul Rest in Peace.

- Krishna Hiremagalur, Batch of 1969

K V Subbraya was our guru, he used to take Heat Engines for 1965 batch Mech. I have seen him always wearing Khadi only, a very principled man, Thanks to UVCE and Teachers who really Pumped Engineering Knowledge in us. God bless them.

- Gururaja Rao, Batch of 1965 Mech

Who can forget VKM Sir! The way he used to explain circuit drawings and electrical principles, helped us immensely to get a grip on BL Tereja. GRV was another fine teacher on fields, lines and waves. We used to enjoy his examples and problem solving.

- Mahesh Rao, Batch of 1990 EEE

G Sathyanarana (GS) was a very good faculty in control engineering. He was teaching better than any other faculty in this subject. Proud to be his student!

- Shantharaja Mylariaiah, Batch of Mech 1993

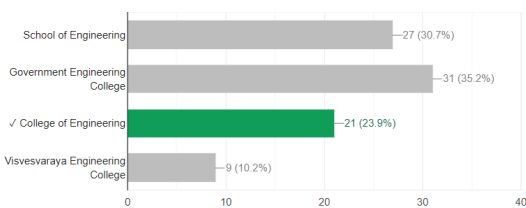
NAMMA UVCE GOTTA?

With the fresh face of UVCE, our new UVCEians arriving on the campus, they have been slowly learning about UVCE, the past and present. So Team Sampada decided to quiz them a little on how well they have digested this information. We found that they a majority answered a minimum of 7 questions right out the 10 asked. That was impressive to know and seems to indicate that they are adapting themselves well and getting closer to UVCE on a faster pace. The common questions they stumbled upon were the college's name when it started in 1917 (it was College of Engineering guys!) ; How much does a blue book cost in society (it is 7 rupees, well no blame! They have not faced their first internals yet!) and Which class won the "UVCE Best Class" Competition last semester? (2nd Year ECE, You can be one soon by participating in Best Class)

Well that was a fun one! Here's the quiz questions and interesting results!

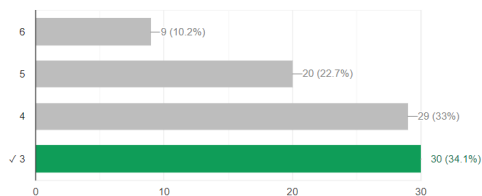
What was the name of UVCE when it was established in 1917?

21 / 88 correct responses



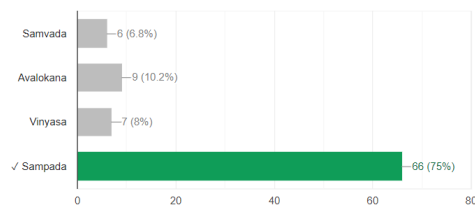
How many of our college alumni have won the Prestigious Padma Vibhushan Award?

30 / 88 correct responses



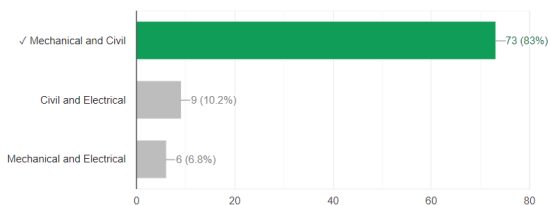
What is the name of our monthly magazine from VisionUVCE?

66 / 88 correct responses



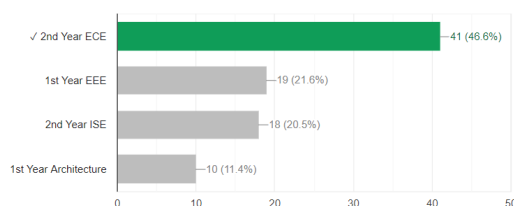
Which were the first two engineering branches to start in UVCE?

73 / 88 correct responses



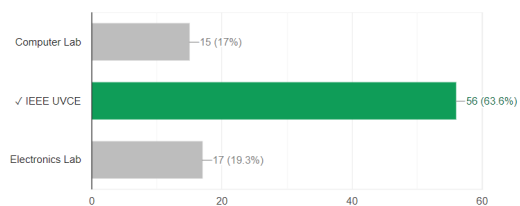
Which class won the "UVCE Best Class" Competition last semester?

41 / 88 correct responses



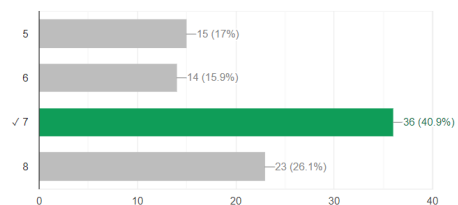
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56 / 88 correct responses



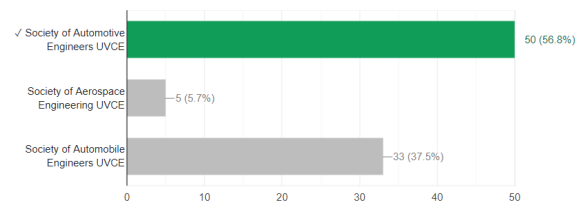
How much does a Blue Book cost in our society?

36 / 88 correct responses



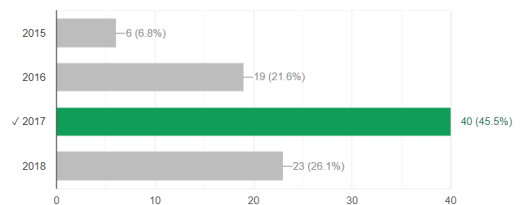
What is the full form of our SAE UVCE?

50 / 88 correct responses



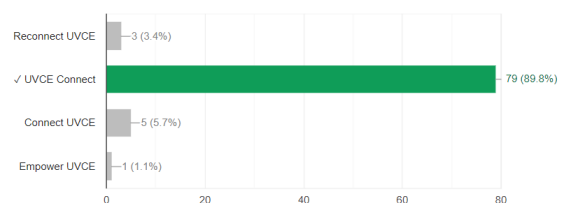
UVCE 5K Run - Centenary Marathon happened in which year?

40 / 88 correct responses



What is the name of the UVCE App designed by our students for the students?

79 / 88 correct responses



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