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#### **EDITORIAL**

We had initially planned this edition to be themed as "Teachers Day Special". But due to various reasons, we could not take it forward. We promise to accomplish this idea in the coming editions. However, we do have a special event update where the 73 Mechanical batch of alumni celebrated the Teachers Day in a unique way inside this edition. We, Team Sampada, were invited to this online event last year and we are thankful to the senior alumni who were kind enough to ask us to join this year as well. Remembering Teachers is not something that we do on a particular day. Most of us recite "*Gurur Brahma Gurur Vishnu, Gurur Devo Maheshwarah, Guru Saakshaata Parabrahma, Tasmai Shri Guruve Namah*" on a daily basis. Here's wishing all the teachers who have shaped our life, taught us how to face challenges, explore opportunities, search solutions and not settle for low dreams - A Very Happy Teachers Day. It is because of those wonderful people and their efforts, a future of the entire society is decided. As Chanakya says "A Teacher is never ordinary. Both construction and annihilation play on his lap". You can share your thoughts on teachers with us and we will publish it in the future editions of Sampada.

We are grateful to the 1973 Mechanical Batch who have shared profiles of few of the faculty members along with some memorable photos. We decided to start publishing atleast one profile in every Sampada going forward. Meanwhile, we will be glad if you can share details of your lecturers with us. We will consolidate those too. In shaping UVCE's legacy, the role of teachers is very large. Students are like guests for 4 years, but teachers are those who are permanent residents at UVCE. Be it good or bad, they will be responsible for all the aspects and we hope that they acknowledge it. They are not just taking classes for a batch or valuating their exam papers or conducting practical labs, but infact moulding their entire life which has a huge impact in the long run. We always heard senior alumni from 60s and 70s batch fondly remembering their teachers. A practical experience was during the 1972 Batch Reunion when we saw how they treated, interacted with their faculty (even after 50 years). Many of them hesitated to sit in front of them but the teachers insisted them to do so. And we actually understood the warm bonding between a teacher and a student and the deep mutual respect that runs within them. All these traits are something we (both current students and faculty) need to emulate.

Engineers Day is around the corner too and each UVCEian is so proud to be part of his

legacy - our alma mater. We are glad to inform that on 15th September, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai is visiting the college and officially inaugurating it as University of Visvesvaraya College of Engineering, an autonomous institute. You can find the details about it and more inside the edition. From UVCEGA, we are organizing Sammilana on 24th September and all the alumni are invited. Inside this edition, you will find what the first year students have to share about their experience at UVCE so far. We have students expressing their thoughts in various languages and we hope it will take you down the memory lane and bring some smile on your face!!



We have write-ups about couple of meetups and events which are published for precisely the reason we have been propagating from past few months - building the personal connection within alumni community irrespective of the batches and age difference. When we understand the real bonding within this UVCE family, we can actually appreciate the impact of UVCE Graduates Association. We need to take this forward and so, few of the initiatives are being planned. One of them is to help/ support the aspiring students/recent graduates of UVCE for Higher Studies. You can find more information when you browse through this edition. But, either this initiative or be anything else, it will be a success only with the active participation of everyone - students, faculty and alumni of UVCE. We hope that with the autonomous status being announced, a new dawn in the chapter of UVCE will be forged and we will get to witness it in the near future. Happy Engineers Day !!

- Team Sampada

## **SAMMILANA - ENGINEERS DAY**

We are glad to inform you that we are organizing "SAMMILANA" - Engineers Day Celebrations from UVCE Graduates Association on 24th September, 2022 (4th Saturday) at Century Club. We have been organizing Sammilana from past few years regularly, even during the Covid pandemic period in online mode.

It is an event where the alumni can interact, get to know about each other, create awareness about the contribution of UVCE Engineers to the country and society in general. It is an event to remember Sir M Visvesvaraya and his achievements. Along with it, we intend to make it more productive by announcing the activities of the Association and tell them how they can get involved. From UVCEGA we believe such events are essential to help building the UVCE alumni community. We would be glad if you can join us for the event. As discussed during the UVCEGA AGM, we will be making it a small-fee registration based event. Please ask your friends/ batchmates to join the event as well. If you have any queries or suggestions, feel free to write to us - info@uvcega.org



#### **CAMPUS SAYS**

I believe that UVCE college is a gift to me from god. I am very lucky to have joined a college built by Sir M Visvesvaraya. I was very excited to go the college on the first day. The classes began, we had very wonderful lecture sessions with Professors who explained all the Engineering concepts very well. I really thank the Professors for teaching and clearing our doubts. I participated in all the IEEE events were I learnt self development.

The laboratories were amazing and very informative. The 1st Semester days passed away too fast. We also had a visit to Visvesvaraya museum which was informative and we gained knowledge. Exams went

very good.. Thank you all my friends and teachers for giving me this opportunity to be a part of UVCE.

- Rithik Adtihya, 1st Year Civ B



After the end of the admission process and entering into the college as a fresher I got to see many faces which are quite familiar to me now as my friends, seniors, classmates and teachers. I enjoy the family like atmosphere that surrounds me at college and I am grateful for it.

Being in the first semester as a new bee, you get plenty of free time and there is not too much to study, it's all about your past knowledge and efforts. Apart from studies, you can do a lot of things like attending workshops conducted by different clubs like IEEE, GDSC, and MARVEL which can teach you a bunch of things in a very short interval

of time. I attended most of them and learnt a lot.

I got the chance to join different clubs of UVCE and auditioned for all of them from Paradox, Memento, and Tattva to the technical ones like IEEE, GDSC and MARVEL, regardless of me being good at it or not, which gave me a great network in college and helped me make new friends and to come out of my comfort zone. Just after completing our first internals came IMPETUS (the annual national level technical extravaganza) which was filled with bags of learning and fun. In a week came INSPIRON x MILAGRO, which was again full of new learnings. I got to participate in many events like kannadi, aNFT, Mr. and Miss. UVCE, Dhrishyam to name a few and lastly not to forget about the Fresher's day (Reconfig 2.0).

As we approached towards the semester exams I started focusing on academic stuff and all thanks to a month of study holidays which helped me cover the syllabus and write my exams, the result of which is not announced yet (fingers crossed).

In a nutshell, first semester is a boon in its own way. This is the time to explore new things and find something which you are good at. I hope that the upcoming semesters bring loads of good memories and experiences.

- Nikita K, 1st Year ECE A

UVCE being a government college, my expectations were not too high. But you know what they say-life is full of surprises. And damn me if I hadn't opted for this college. It feels like home, unlike other crowded colleges which pump out graduates like a factory. This college teaches you thatt, Hey! having a bank account in SBI isn't that bad. And well, let's talk a bit about our syllabus (by the way it existed before the big bang, you know) aka the stuff we study, (wait, do we really study? Hmm.. I think I'll get back to this topic the way we do it one day before an exam! (>\_<)



But hey let's talk about the bright side, How we met new friends and how seniors are \*tumbha chanagidde ( I don't know any Kannada) you know. And mother nature thou blessed us with pigeons perpetual constipation. And the diverse fauna of the workshop had always made me wonder why UVCE isn't a National Park. Well jokes aside the college is pretty accessible probably because it is situated in the center of Bangalore. The metro station is super close to our college, so straight to Mantri or Orion after classes ;-). Our year long semester which finally ended after our friends from other colleges passed to 2nd year, was like a roller coaster of

emotions. It felt good and bad, adventurous (using a broken traveling microscope is pretty adventurous you know) and boorinnggg at times, and so on.

And can I forget the Fresher's party? I thank my seniors for that superb party (thenkies, seniors!). The fests were great but the dance after Impethon or on Ethnic Day, that was when I realized that this college is a paradise. My comrades who danced with me on that day, you have my seal of approval. And college life has just begun - let's see where this strange yet familiar college takes me!

-Deepak Panwar, 1st Year CSE

College start hue 5 din nikal gaye the..

Haan college jaana nahi hua kyu ki kuch sapne jo baaki the, un sapno ko pura kar 10jan ka intezaar tha...

10jan tha woh din...

Paseene sei bheega mei ,class dhoodh rha tha ...

Pehela din aur pehele hi 15 min late tha...

Sab apne kaam mei vyast the maano har saal,

Mere jaise kayi baache dekh rakhe ho...

Par woh mera pehela din jo tha, class mei kaise jaunga, kya karunga, yaha kaise dost milenge, sab theek toh hoga na?...

Saare sawaal liye class ja hi rha tha ....

Mei bahot hi khush aur ghabraya bhi.. Kaise na kaise kar class jo dhudh li thi ...

Woh baccha jisne sirf college ki haseen duniya khyaalo mei buuni thi aaj uss darwaje ke saamne khada tha...

Maano darwaja bhi ke he rha ho. . "Oye vishwa tayaar hai na"

Zindagi jo badalane wali thi. . ..

Haan sab naya tha saare anjaan cheharon ki nazar jo mujh par thi...

Aur meri sirf woh last bench pe..

School ka vishwa aaj bhi nahi badla tha..

Maano last bench sirf mere liye bachaya tha

Dhool bahot thi uspei... Par meri nazar sirf bahar sei aate halki si roshni aur kaan sirf gadiyo ki awaaz mei magana the...

Kaise na kaise peheli class khatam hui

Pehela din inn cheharon ko padhne mei nikal gaya...

Din bitate gaye pata hi nahi chala

Yeh anjaan chehere kab dost mei badal gaye...

Inn chehero mei kuch khaas tha...

Koi baat jada karta tha , tha koi chup reh saare baate keh daalta tha...





Kisi ko coding ka bukhar tha toh koi mazze karne ke liye bekaar ....

Kisi sei bahoot baate hui, toh kisi sei aaj bhi haan na mei jawaab diye jatei hai \*First sem nei sab sikhya ... \*

Dosto ki yaari aur ghar ki zimmedaari

Udne ke liye khula aasma aur neeche giraane ke liye backlog

Dosto mei kush rehena toh professors ke class mei sona. . . \*

Workshop attend na karne ka bahana

Attendance kam hai toh kya hua bhai ...proxy lagane ke liye dost jo hai na..

Canteen ki Mehengayi,

Bahar ki kachori aur kuch dur pani puri

Haan sab yaad hai mujhe

Woh freshers party ka couple dance toh woh hamari kabaddi ki peheli haar.

Woh dosto ke sath mall mei ghumna, acchi movie lagi hai yarr chal na!!. .

Woh museum ki science trip toh usske baad 5rupai ki ice cream ke liye 5 km chalna \*\*

Maths mei peheli baar fail hona, koi nahi yarr there is always agli baar hai na...

Workshop ke fitting mei hath ghisna but the 'so called perfect shape ka kabhi nahi dikhna'.. Woh dj mei dil khol kar nachana,

Fest mei kuch bhi ho.. Par woh last tak dj mei ruk jana...

Chem lab mei dusro ke readings par guzara chalana ....

toh pps mei error pe error ka peecha na chodana.....

1st sem kya tha?

Dosto mei bitaye pal ya fir woh bade sapno ko lagaye jaane wale paar...

Woh mera college bahoot hi chota hona ya logo ke bade dil mei samana...

Har din kuch naya karna, yaar zindagi mei kuch miss na ho jaye iska daar satana...

1st sem ek khidki hai jo college ki duniya sei rubaru karati hai...

Tum kon ho iska ehsaas, aur aage aane wali manzilon sei daat ke saamna karne ka prayas.

1st sem sab hai,halki Sharaarat aur unnsei aane wali badi muskurahatei...:) \*

Dhanyavaad...

~Vishwa, Naam toh suna hi hoga\*

- Vishwajeet, 1st Year ISE



UVCE is one among the top engineering colleges of Karnataka and also the first engineering college here. I was so happy that I'm going to spend my coming 4 years in such a college. The environment of the college is awesome. We get a lot of free time in which we can learn things apart from our syllabus and also explore a lot. The best place to chill with your friends and feel fresh is the rock garden where we have a small nandini parlour which has limited food items. Rather than this our college has lot of interesting clubs and events. These clubs conduct many events and workshops, which while being fun are also very helpful. The teachers of our college are good, supportive and friendly

with everybody. There are a lot of helpful and supportive seniors, who encourage us to be more creative. We enjoy with them, have fun and make a lot of memories. UVCE not only teaches the lessons that are in a book, but also lessons that are needed in your life. Going further we can solve problems in an effective way. And I'm sure that, the four years I'm going to spend in UVCE will be the best 4 years of my life.

- Shrushti Bhalkiker, 1st Year CSE

ನನ್ನ ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇ ಯಲ್ಲಿನ ಅನುಭವ ಹೇಳಿಕೊಳ್ಳೋಷ್ಟೇನು ದೊಡ್ಡದಲ್ಲ. ಏಕೆಂದರೆ ನಾನು ಇನ್ನೂ ಸಹ ಮೊದಲನೆಯ ವರ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು, ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಸಮಯ ಕಳೆದಿಲ್ಲ. ಕಳೆದಿರೋ ಬಹಳಷ್ಟು ಸಮಯ, ಹಾಸ್ಟೆಲ್ ಅಥವಾ ಚಿತ್ರಮಂದಿರದಲ್ಲಿ. ಆದರೂ ಕೊಂಚ ಅನುಭವ ಹಂಚಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ನಾನು ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ . ಮೊದಲಿಗೆ ನನಗೆ ತುಂಬಾ ಮರೆವು, ಆದರೆ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ವಿಷಯಗಳು ಮನಸ್ಸಿಗೆ ತಾಕಿ ಮರೆಯಲಾಗದೆ ಹಾಗೆ ಅಚ್ಚಳಿಯದಂತೆ ಇರುವ ಕೆಲವನ್ನು ನಾನು ಹಂಚಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಇಚ್ಟಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಇನ್ನೂ ಕೆಲವು ಹಂಚಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗದ ವಿಷಯಗಳಿವೆ, ಅದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಚಿಂತನೆ ಬೇಡ.

ಮೊದಲಿಗೆ ಹೇಳಬೇಕೆಂದರೆ ನನಗೆ ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಸೀಟು ಸಿಕ್ಕಿದ್ದೇ ಅದೃಷ್ಟ. ನಾನು ಬಹಳ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಅಂಕಗಳನ್ನುಗಳಿಸಿಲ್ಲವಾದರೂ ಏನೋ ದೇವರ ದಯೆಯಿಂದ ಸಿಕ್ಕಿದೆ ಅಷ್ಟೇ. ಇನ್ನು ಮೊದಮೊದಲು ತುಂಬಾ ಉತ್ಸಕತೆಯಿಂದ ಕಾಲೇಜಿಗೆ ಬೆಳಗ್ಗೆಯೇ ಬೇಗ ಎದ್ದು ಬಂದು ಬರುವುದೆಲ್ಲಾ ಮಾಡಿದೆ. ಆದರೆ ನನಗೆ ಬೇರೆಯವರ ತರಗತಿಗೆ ಹೋಗಿ ಅಲ್ಲಿನ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ ಕೇಳುವ ಹುಚ್ಚು, ಅದು ಈಗಲೂ ಇದೆ. ಇನ್ನು ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಹೇಳುವುದಾದರೆ ನಮ್ಮಂತಹ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಹೇಳಿ ಮಾಡಿಸಿದ ಕಾಲೇಜು. ಹಾಗಂತ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಇರೋರೆಲ್ಲಾ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯರಲ್ಲ. ಕೆಲವೊಮ್ಮೆ ತುಂಬಾ ಉತ್ಸಾಹದಿಂದ ಹೊಸ ಹೊಸ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲಾಗಲೀ, ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯದ ಬಗ್ಗೆಯಾಗಲಿ, ಸಂಗೀತ ಸಂಬಂಧಿತ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲಾಗಲೀ, ತಮ್ಮನ್ನು ತಾವು ತೊಡಗಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದರೆ, ಅರೇ ನಾವು ಈ ರೀತಿ ಏನೋ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು ಅನಿಸುತ್ತದೆ! ಆದರೆ ಅದು ಆ ನಿಮಿಷಕ್ಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಸೀಮಿತವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇ ಯಲ್ಲಿ ನನ್ನ ಪ್ರಯಾಣ ಜನವರಿ ೩ ರಿಂದ ಶುರುವಾಯಿತು. ಹೇಳಿದಹಾಗೆ ಮೊದಲ ದಿನ ತುಂಬ ಉತ್ಸಾಹದಿಂದ ಕಾಲೇಜಿಗೆ ಬಂದೆ. ಹೊಸ ಜಾಗ, ಹೊಸ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಗಳ ಪರಿಚಯ, ಮೇಲಾಗಿ ಅಬ್ಬಾ .. ಕೊನೆಗೂ ಡಿಗ್ರೀ! ಅನ್ನೋದ್ರಲ್ಲಿ ಇರೋ ಮಜಾ! ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಒಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿ ಅದೇನೋ ಹೇಳಲಾಗದ ಆನಂದ. ಅಂದಹಾಗೆ ನಾನು ಓದುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ಮೊದಲ ವರ್ಷ (ಮೆಕಾನಿಕಲ್ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್). ಆದರೆ ಕುರೋದು ಮಾತ್ರ CSE, ISE ತರಗತಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ, ಬೇರೆ ತರಗತಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕೂರಲ್ಲ ಅಂತಲ್ಲಾ ... ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಕಮ್ಮಿ ಅಷ್ಟೇ.

ಮೊದಲಿಗೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಸೀನಿಯರ್ಸ್-ಗೆ ತುಂಬಾ ಧನ್ಯವಾದಗಳನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಬೇಕು. ಅವರಿಲ್ಲ ಅಂದ್ರೆ ನಮಗೆ ಓದೋ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ, ಪುಸ್ತಕಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ, ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅಷ್ಟು ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಸಿಗದೇ ಹೋಗಿ ತೊಂದರೆ ಜಾಸ್ತಿ. ಹಾಗೆ ವಿವಿಧ ಕ್ಲಬ್-ಗಳು ಇರೋದ್ರಿಂದ ನಮ್ಮನ್ನು ನಾವು ವಿವಿಧ ವಿಷಯಗಳಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ತೊಡಗಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಕೇವಲ ಓದು ಒಂದೇ ಅಲ್ಲದೆ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ ಹಾಗೂ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ವಿಷಯಗಳ ಅವಗಾಹಾನೆ ಮಾಡಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಬಲು ಉಪಯೋಗಿವಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ.

ಇನ್ನೂ ನಮ್ಮ ಕಾಲೇಜು ನನಗೆ ಬೆಲೆ ಕಟ್ಟಲಾರದ ಸ್ನೇಹಿತರನ್ನು ನೀಡಿದೆ. ಅವರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಹೇಳಿದರು ಕಮ್ಮಿಯೇ, ಉತ್ಪ್ರೇಕ್ಷೆಯೇನಲ್ಲಾ. ಸ್ನೇಹತರಿಂದ ತುಂಬಾ ಕಲಿತಿದ್ದೀನಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಮುಂದೆಯೂ ಕಲಿಯುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಅದರಲ್ಲೂ ಮುಖ್ಯವಾಗಿ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಜನರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಹೇಳಲೇ ಬೇಕು. ಇಬ್ಬರು ನನ್ನ ಪ್ರಾಣ ಸ್ನೇಹಿತರಾದರೆ, ಇನ್ನೊಬ್ಬ ನನ್ನದೇ ಮನಸ್ಸಿತಿಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ,ಹೇಳುವ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಚಲನಚಿತ್ರಗಳಿಗೂ ಇಲ್ಲಾ ಎನ್ನದೇ ಬರುವ ವಿಚಿತ್ರ ಗೆಳೆಯ. ಮತ್ತೇ ಇನ್ನೂ ಹೇಳಬೇಕಂದರೆ ಎಲ್ಲರ ಹುಡುಗರ ಜೀವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಆಗುವ ಪ್ರೀತಿ. ಹಾಗೆ ನಾನೇನು ಸಾಚಾನೆ? ನನಗೂ ಪ್ರೀತಿಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಅವಳ ಪರಿಚಯವಾದ ಮೇಲೆ ನನ್ನಲೇ ಏನೋ ತಿಳಿಯದ ಭಾರೀ ವ್ಯತ್ಯಾಸ. ಸೋಮಾರಿಯಾಗಿದ್ದವ ದಿಢೀರ್ ಲವಲವಿಕೆಯಿಂದ ಕಾಲೇಜಿಗೆ ಬರಲು ಶುರು ಮಾಡಿದೆ. ಅವಳ ಪರಿಚಯವಾದ ಮೇಲೆ ನನ್ನಲ್ಲಿ ಒಬ್ಬ ಕವಿ ಅಡಗಿದ್ದಾನೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಸಿದೆ. ಇನ್ನೂ ಎಷ್ಟೋ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಹಂಚಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಆಸೆ ಮನದಲ್ಲಿ, ಆದರೆ ಲೇಖನಿಯು ಹೊರಡದೇ ಕೈಯನ್ನು ಇಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತೆನೆ. ನನ್ನ ಮೊದಲ ವರ್ಷದ ಅನುಭವದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ - ಈ ಅಂಕಣ..... ಧನ್ಯವಾದಗಳು !!

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**UVCE IN NEWSPAPERS** 

Govt Sponsored Ads about UVCE was published in major newspapers. We will be covering them in detail in our next edition

# **72 BATCH ECE REUNION**

We, the graduates from UVCE, 1972 batch Electronics stream are Jubilant to have completed 50yrs, in 2022 & there is a great sense of satisfaction, of achieving in various facet of public life, — like Academics, Aviation, Space department, leading private sector, dealing defence oriented projects, Private Telecom sector, Global consultancy service — both within the country & abroad.

While we were 34 in the class, we could network with some 20+ friends, thanks to Email & Whatsapp means,



in the last few years. We felt that we should celebrate the golden Jubilee meaningfully. A visit to our college, in Dec'21, by the magnificent 7 of us, after a nice breakfast at Nisarga Grand, on Nrupatunga Road, made us feel good on the moderately improved infrastructure ,but a visit to a few labs of Electronics Department, were disappointing to say the least, we decided that we should contribute our little mite in aiding the lab infrastructure.

We coordinated with Dr.B P Harish & the Principal Dr.H N Ramesh, on a couple of meetings & narrowed down to the specific 3 types of Equipment, needed urgently.

\* Multi-wave form signal generator

\* ARM development board Trainer kits

\* Digital storage Oscilloscope.

- together costing around 4.2 lakhs. The purchase orders have been placed on the firms & the deliveries are expected shortly.

We had to hurriedly conduct the programme at 3 pm on 25th July, 2022, Monday, (as one of our colleague who had come from U S, had planned to get back shortly), at the newly renovated, air-conditioned Sir MV Senate Hall. Mr. H N Shivashankar, our guru, was our guest of Honour, in the August presence of Dr.H N Ramesh, the present Principal & Dr.B P Harish, HOD & the Chairman of Electronics Dept. Few of the faculty from Electrical & Mechanical branches were also present along with some students from 6th Semester and witnessed the function & listened to the views aired by the alumni. Presentations were made on "My Days at UVCE", "My Days after UVCE" and other topics. Some 16 of our Alumnae, within India & from Abroad, generously contributed with enthusiasm to help the college to benefit the students.

Prof H N S was all in praise for the nice gesture of visiting the college after 50 yrs & showing the attachment to the Alma mater & expressed his happiness and also lauded our efforts of donating the lab equipment. Both the Principal & Dr.Harish, after profusely thanking the old students, assured that the Equipment will be put to good. The Principal desired that the Alumina should aid the college in academics by teaching students & give motivational lectures. We were delighted to have Mr Dwarakanath, a 1965 alumni & one of the office bearer of the UVCEGA, who sat throughout ,with rapt attention. He subsequently, networked with us and shared few thoughts with us. A group photograph was taken, mementos & refreshments were distributed to everyone before dispersal. All of us enjoyed the programme.

We are thankful to Raghavendra Rao sir from 1972 batch for sharing the details with us along with this wonderful B&W photo of Electronics batch. We apologize for publishing this article late. Last month, we had enough content for Sampada and hence decided to publish it in this edition.



## **TEACHERS DAY ONLINE EVENT—73 MECH**

Teachers mould students' lives in ways that leave indelible marks, such that they aren't forgotten even decades down the line.

The Mechanical students from Batch of 1973 relived 49 years of memories with their teachers over a virtual meeting with them on September 4th, 2022. A very unique Teacher's Day celebration, organized by Sri Jagdish Sagar, Sri Sundar, Sri S C Shekar, Sri Suresh H, Sri B N Rajshekhar, Sri M C Ramkumar and Sri Maruthi Vishwanathrao, saw attendance by over 30 alumni and teachers, as well as their families. It was a meeting across time zones and batches.

The event started with an invocation by Smt Usha Sundar and a lamp was lit by Prof. B L Subramanya in the comfort of his house. Sri Rajshekhar welcomed everyone to a meet that began with hearty smiles on seeing old comrades and teachers.

The Professors in attendance were Professors B. L. Subramanya, B. Divyananda, S. Makam, T. Yella Reddy B.L.Subramanya, B.Divyananda, T. Yella A.C. Bhaskara Naidu, K. Ramakrishna, & H. K. Balakrishna in 1973

Reddy, Satyanarayana Makam, A.C. Bhaskara Naidu, K. Ramakrishna and H.K. Balakrishna.

The program began with Sri Jagadish walking everyone down the memory lane with pictures from back in 1973. Fun fact, this was the first batch from UVCE to have semester classes. Sri S Muralidhar recited a teacher's day poem full of anecdotes.



Pictures of the teachers from 50 years ago as well as recent ones were displayed, with a walk-through of their several accomplishments. These teachers, one of a kind, truly embodied the spirit of education. Not only did they teach subjects, they taught them a wide variety of worldly wisdom, taking them on Pan-Indian tours as well.

Some of these great teachers became Chairmen at UVCE. Some of them worked at research labs as renowned as Bell Labs, some at government institutions, each having an impactful career in their own way. Some even came back to UVCE to teach during the testing times of COVID. They made significant contributions to our academic legacy, with several instruments and acclaimed research papers. Their personal lives were also momentous, with several of them having golden weddings, of which pictures were shown as well.

Despite the event going on till 11 PM IST, everyone was rapt with attention. Team Sampada, of course, was all eyes and ears for this wonderful meeting that we have genuinely started looking forward to each year! There was so much to say that some events planned had to be put off, like a travelogue of Qatar before the impending FIFA World Cup, 2022.

As is the environment in a class, after some learning, inevitably comes a test or two. The results of a fun quiz conducted previously were declared. The winners were apparently no surprise to their batchmates; perhaps it is the saying about old habits.

Team Sampada really enjoyed the energy throughout the meeting. It was a very well organized meeting but everyone involved had fun. It was wonderful to see that these alumni had ways of keeping in touch despite all odds, nearly half a century down the line. That's almost half the college's age! The brilliance and dedication of teachers, and their students following in their footsteps was a great learning to us. In these times of rapid change, it is good to see endurance working hand in hand with adaptability.

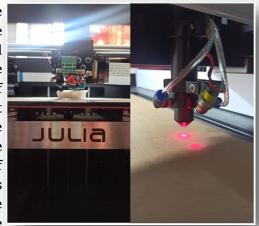
(We are thankful for the invitation from the 73 Mechanical batch and will be publishing couple of slides from the presentation in the next few editions of Sampada for our readers)

#### **MARVEL - FIRST BIRTHDAY !**

MARVEL is celebrating its first anniversary on 15th September 2022, with hopes to scale greater heights than ever! Abhishek, the developer of our website has a few insights to share:

Developing an enterprise software can only be as exciting as the enterprise itself, and MARVEL is exactly that. In typical scenarios, the product specs will be defined beforehand, but for MARVEL's website, the fog got clearer only as we walked through it. What started as a simple gallery to showcase students' work, evolved into an application that can have structured courses, student/coordinator profiles, progress tracking and to also house blog posts, project reports, and resource articles written by people at Marvel. Working with people, and building a product that'll be used out there in the real world challenged me to think not just as a developer but also as a product designer. I had to make decisions for the product while keeping long-term sustainability, cost efficiency and maintainability in mind. Today, I find it very rewarding/satisfying when I see people making use of the website. It motivates me to further improve and continue building the site based on the feedback I receive.

On 1st September, Team MARVEL visited the Department of Mechanical Engineering. We would like to give our best compliments to the Chairperson of Mechanical Engineering Dr C K Umesh, for facilitating this visit. We learnt to use Fracktal works 3D printer. Sanjay, a student of Mechanical Engineering explained to us its working without jargon. We also learnt how to use the Laser engraver in the workshop. This visit was truly inspiring for us indeed. We used the laser engraving machine to engrave the logo of MARVEL ! It was wonderful and very informative to all of us who visited and would like to urge more people in the college to understand the usefulness of these tools which will be helpful in the long run.



From MARVEL, few of the students visited CMTI (Central Manufacturing Technology Institute) on its open day on 9th Sept 2022.

"We had an amazing experience there. Industry 4.0 and all its wonders like Industrial IoT, metal 3D printing, smart manufacturing, and insights into society 5.0 in Japan were discussed. We were glad to meet and be well-received by several alumni from UVCE who work at CMTI.



CMTI currently offers consultancy services to industries and MSMEs. The most wonderful thing is that it supports students of various universities to make use of their state-of -the-art infra for making our projects. They have myriad different internships and courses for students which are highly niche in the manufacturing industry. This visit was a monumental opportunity for us, as we look to

widen our bases slowly but surely." - Rahul Sandhli, MARVEL Coordinator.

MARVEL warmly welcomes the students of Batch 2, and awaits them with a growing set of challenges. We hope for them to make the best of their term as students here, and keep up their enthusiasm for learning. We will also be introducing a "Project Track", where students across UVCE will be able to create diverse projects of their choice, under MARVEL's wing. Projects currently ongoing at MARVEL, like the RC plane, have seen steady progress. Anish, Meghashyama, Nitin, Pranava Shastry and Rahul are working on the RC plane. We will be flying it soon in Jnanabharati Campus. Wishing everyone a happy Engineer's Day in advance !!

# **UVCEIANS MEET AT BAY AREA**

After a lot of discussions and efforts, an informal meetup was planned at Bay Area, San Francisco, USA with Kamesh (of 1971 batch) spearheading the idea. Announcements were made in the social media, emails were sent, messages were forwarded in the WhatsApp groups within a short span of time of a week. We are glad that around 12 people across batches met and exchanged views and thoughts on 10th September. People who were present:

- Hredyesh Sharma Mech 1990
- Sagar Devasam CSE 2010
- AliKanna Mech 1987
- Rajan Rastogi EEE 2012
- Ramesh Babu ECE 1971
- Kameswaran EEE 1971
- Shreyas ECE 2011
- Gayatri ECE 2012
- Janani CSE 2010
- Srihari EEE 2012
- Dwarakanath NS 1971 Mech
- Vishwa 1995 ECE



We are glad that this event happened and has kick-started discussions about organizing more such events across various locations of USA. From UVCEGA, we will provide the support needed from our end and will be glad if people can take up initiative to co-ordinate and organize it. We can always be reached out at <u>info@uvcega.org</u>. We have been mentioning that UVCE Graduates Association is a platform which can be used to connect, network and build the bond amongst the alumni. It is upto the people to make the best use of it and take it forward..

#### **SPECIAL BIRTHDAY TO REMEMBER**



It was a pleasant surprise when we were invited to join Dwarakanath sir to celebrate his 80th birthday celebrations. Aravind, Dwarakanath sir's son took on the initiative to call his classmates and friends from UVCE. We had to keep it a secret as we were part of this huge surprise representing the UVCE family at the gathering.

Dwarakanath sir was surprised to see us there and brimmed with joy and pride that his UVCE gang was also present for his special day. It was a small, beautiful ceremony with his close family and to see all his classmates (Venkatasubbarao sir,

Harinath Sir, Venkatadri Sir, Nanjappa sir) and friends (Neelakantappa sir, Anand sir, Satish anna and myself) join him was heart-warming. To be called family and be part of such gettogethers happened because all of us represent UVCE through our alumni network, UVCEGA where alumni from all around with similar ideals and thoughts joined to give back to our college. Our meetings, our interactions, our plans, and our actions truly have bonded us into this beautiful family, and I will always be grateful to be in the presence of these people.

- Meghashree G, 2016 Batch

# **PROF B L SUBRAMANYA PROFILE**



# **Prof. B. L. Subramanya**

Taught us Engineering Drawing, Workshop Practice. Our 'North India study tour' guide

1952-1957 BE Mech UVCE

1957 - Joined Karnataka Electricity Board as Junior Engineer in 1957

1957-1961 Mahatma Gandhi Hydro Electric Project, Jog Falls

1961-64 Assistant Engineer at New Receiving Station, Rajajinagar, Blore

1964-76 Deputation to UVCE as Gazetted Lecturer, Dept Of Mechanical Engineering

1976-79 Assistant Executive Engineer (Material Management And Purchase), Cauvery Bhavan. Blore.

1979-88 Executive Engineer at K. E. B, Shimoga, Cauvery Bhavan, Blore, and Sagar, Shimoga District

1988-90 Superintendent Engineer, K. E. B, (Material management and Purchase), Cauvery Bhavan, Blore.

1990-91 Chief Vigilance Officer, Cauvery Bhavan, Blore

1991-94 KEB Chief Engineer, (Material Management And Purchase) Retired In 1994.

1991-94 Elected As President Of Graduate Engineer's Association. K. E. B.

Raised funds around 90 Lakhs by arranging Dr. Rajkumar Musical Night in Bengaluru. Utilizing the funds constructed K. E. B Engineer's Silver Jubilee Association Building, at Ananda Rao Circle, consisting of an Auditorium with a capacity of 650 Seats, a Computer Lab, a Conference Hall, and also accommodation for K. E. B Engineers visiting Bengaluru from other districts.

One of the Founder Members of Janatha Education Society, Bengaluru, running 16 Educational Institutions, starting from Kindergarten to Degree Colleges Like Pharmacy, Law, Management, B. Ed & Engineering.

After retirement an active member of several committees of Janatha Education Society

Spending a peaceful retired life with Blessings of Almighty and wishes of all well wishers

# **UVCEIANS & HIGHER EDUCATION**

We are working to come up with a new initiative to help recent grads/aspiring students with Higher Education. There has been lot of buzz in recent years in the student community about doing Post Graduation across streams - MTech, MS, MBA, PhD etc. We believe that UVCE Graduates Association can build a platform for such students/ alumni and give them guidance and support to the bets possible extent. In order to do that, we will need info of UVCEians (who have completed/ studying Higher education) both in India and



abroad, who are interested to share their experience and knowledge with others.

So, here is a simple Google Form (which will take not more than 5 minutes of your time) that we request you to fill and also share it with anyone whom you know (batchmates, friends, colleagues) from UVCE - <u>https://forms.gle/bU8e7VWVprWUQ4taA</u>

We intend to connect every one of you also with each other and see how it can be helpful (if you are located in same city, company etc). We will be announcing the details of this initiative in the upcoming event "Sammilana" on 24th September. We are more than happy to receive suggestions/ideas from your end (based on experience from your other alma-maters). Please reach out to us at info@uvcega.org

# **SAMPADA PRINT - COURTESY 71 BATCH**

We are thankful to the 1971 batch for sponsoring the printing of some special editions of Sampada. We had done 149th edition of Sampada dedicated to the Golden Jubilee of 1971 batch. When they approached us to print few copies of that particular issue, we requested them to help us to get few copies of other editions too. They willingly agreed and now we have them placed it in the college - for students to check and read them to know about the legacy of UVCE and the contributions/achievements of our alumni. One round of applause for the 1971 batch for always being supportive and encouraging us, especially from Sampada Team who could actually see the result of our works in the past 13 years and hold them in our hands... Thank you !!



# **AUTONOMOUS UVCE & ENGINEERS DAY EVENT**

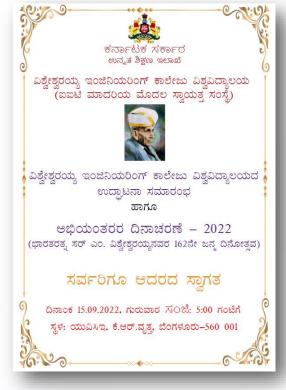
All the dreams and efforts put by UVCE alumni in various forms and groups is turning into reality.. It has been a long journey and we thank you for the sustained effort. UVCE Act 2021 was passed last December and Gazette Notification was issued by the State Govt in February 2022. You can find more details about it here - https://uvcega.news.blog/2022/02/28/uvce-act-2021-is -published-in-gazette-notification/

We are glad that Sri Basavaraj Bommai, Hon'ble Chief Minister; Dr. Ashwath Narayan, Minister for Higher Education; Sri Rizvan Arshad, MLA; Mr. B. Muthuraman, Chairman, BoG, UVCE; Prof S Sadagopan, Chairman of UVCE Upgradation Committee will grace the occasion. Along with the Inauguration of University Visvesvaraya College of Engineering, a document "UVCE Vision 2030" will be released by the dignitaries. Many MLA, MPs, Vice Chancellors, Govt Officials and others have also been invited to witness this historic moment.

We insist that you be part of the event at UVCE Quadrangle on the "Engineers Day" and make it memorable. As alumni, we will have even more responsibility going forward to make sure that UVCE regains its glory and we assure you that UVCE Graduates Association will be assisting it in all possible manner. Looking forward for the same kind of support from all of you in this new journey of UVCE.

For people who are outside or cannot join personally, watch it LIVE in <u>this link</u> (or scan QR code)

### **UVCEGA, TPO & CAMPUS PLACEMENTS**





We are glad to inform that UVCE Graduates Association has successfully been able to assist in campus recruitment officially this year. Sanjeev Joshi (1995 batch), Director at Extreme Networks reached out to us citing that his company is looking for interns and he wanted to visit UVCE for the same. We immediately got in touch with the Training and Placement Office and got the process started. Based on the applications, few students were shortlisted and finally 7 students were taken for internship positions.

In the past 13 years, we have been requesting the alumni to help with campus recruitment and always there has been positive response from the community. Even last year, alumni from Target (Naveen), Celona (Satish Ananthaiyer), CrowdAnalytix VeenaPrasad) had approached the TPO via UVCEGA. Earlier to many more companies had visited the campus because of UVCE alumni in those companies. We will be further streamlining the process so that it will be more easier for alumni. Thanks to all the alumni for their unwavering support and making sure that the flag of their alma-mater stays flying high !!!