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HAPPY NEW YEAR
2015

EDITORIAL

The start of Sampada was accidental but the journey has been phenomenal. 5 uninterrupted years.! If I were doing that in my college days, this would definitely go into my resume in big font. I am super happy that I have contributed to this magazine till the students took over the work and have been making us proud with their consistency, amazing writing skills and more than anything else, the drive to work on a college magazine without missing an edition when it pays nothing for them. The contributors usually have an anonymous presence since we don't receive regular replies or we don't have their profile built up. Probably that is something we should start so that the contributors get enough flashbulbs.

Working for Sampada has made me know so much more about our college than I knew while I was inside the campus. It has made me interact with wonderful alumni of UVCE. Sampada has always brought me that mellow yellow smile on my face that, am sure, would be seen on your face too when it is read. I hope that it spreads joy to all the alumni. Also every alumni should think of contributing articles speaking of your experiences in the campus. Am sure the team will be glad to receive them from your end.

- SriHarsha D V, 2009 batch

5 Years! Actually it feels sad that we are older by 5 years. Back then we were just a bunch of young UVCE pass outs, just out of the college and planning to give back for our Alma Mater. We still remember those days when we were planning about VisionUVCE and churned out the idea of Sampada. Now I have no regrets growing older with Sampada completing 5 amazing years and it has grown so huge reaching out to a large number of Alumni and keeping them bonded with UVCE. And yes, Sustenance is the key and the most important thing for any good work that is initiated! I am very proud and appreciative about all the effort & hard work put into Sampada by not only our Team but also the contributors (faculty, students, alumni) and not missing out on a single monthly edition for all these years. I look forward to work and build SAMPADA for many more years and decades for spreading the joy of UVCE!

- Lomesh K G, 2009 batch

Seems like it was only yesterday when I was welcome aboard to be part of Sampada Editorial team for the 42nd issue and here is Sampada already celebrating its 60th Issue! When I joined UVCE the thought of a newsletter or magazine existing in college never occurred. After our seniors enlightened us about it and asked for people to come forward and submit articles we were pumped with excitement and curiosity. Since then, even before being on the editorial side of Sampada I turned out to be a vivid reader catching up on every issue of Samapada. Sampada to me has always been a magazine that caters to its audience. Always bringing out articles that are not boring and very student related. Keeping the current events in limelight, articles from students, activities in college happening for students and bridging a gap between alumni and present students through various plans/interactions. It has not only kept us connected more but also provided a nurturing platform and exposure to many budding writers.

Coming to my experience on working with the Sampada team, I must say it has been awesome and really great. I must admit, I wasn't much of a really great writer when I started at Sampada and haven't completely become one now. But I can surely and importantly say one thing, I am a better writer now and I've been having a privilege to learn a ton till date. Also, I got opportunities to interact with many people from alumni to students every month that leaves an impression in my learning and experiences every time. The editorial board itself is like a family learning from each other and having a great time while working on Sampada issue every month! My thoughts of Sampada and how special it has been to me never cease to flow. I must say this, Thank You Sampada! Hope this journey with Sampada continues! "

- Chitra S Reddy, 3rd year ECE

I am happy to know about the wonderful achievement of SAMPADA TEAM. I wish to congratulate everyone in the team. Keep up the good work !.

I am an Alumni of UVCE (1964 Mechanical). Glancing through Sampada helps me recall the nice days I had in the Institute. It also helps me to know about the changes taking place there. We had only three branches then-Mechanical, Electrical and Civil. Now there are many more at B.E. level and also many at PG level. One more change which is very prominently visible to the old timers is that there was not a single girl student at that time, but there are many now. It is a good progress.

I wish great success in all your endeavors.

- Dr.K.S.Anandaram, 1963 batch

HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS for the successful completion of 60 volumes of "SAMPADA" with the kind active support of faculty and students. I wish you all the BEST in your Vision & Mission.

Hearty Congratulations to the young ones with entrepreneurial skills who could reach the Nationals and exhibit their SKILL. Wish them all the BEST. Hope your next edition will cover some more news about them. Our 'U V C E' has really created a nice family environment for the young scholars from different rural parts of KARNATAKA at a very economical way with the support of Faculty & from Trusts like VisionUVCE and others and also other generous social groups. I am sure that the college will reach greater heights in the days to come.

- RathanBabu K B, 1963 batch

It is heartening to note that ' SAMPADA' has completed 5 years journey of its long life to come, serving the varied interests of UVCE students. Apart from extending financial and academic assistance to the deserving and needy students, VisionUVCE Team is supporting other student activities-like innovative technical projects to participate in coveted National awards, and also enabling students to compete with other engineering college of the state. Taking initiatives in upgrading and maintaining needy laboratories of the institution, conducting Placement camps and some fun activities to motivate students is praiseworthy. Its uniqueness lies in publishing 'SAMPADA'- an e-magazine with all the above information, incessantly to connect all students and Alumni as well. I wish SAMPADA-60 and VisionUVCE team a great success in their untiring and sincere efforts.

- Balakrishna H, 1964 batch

It's strange how time flows by, right under our very noses it sprints.. without giving us anytime to comprehend. But not everything stands the test of time; unless it's something great, something special and has lots of efforts of good will put into it. 'SAMPADA' according to me is one such great phenomenon which was thought of by the pioneers of VisionUvce. SAMPADA had been monumental in capturing the Past, Present and Future of UVCE in its 9-10 paged enclosing for the last 5 years without missing a single month. After few years, the collection of SAMPADA's is going to be a great documentation of the glory of UVCE which would bring the flowers of memories to fill our hearts. I am very glad that I am part of the SAMPADA Team and got an opportunity to write couple of editorials and articles. I wish team SAMPADA continuance and success wholeheartedly.

- Yogesha K S, 2011 batch

Personally for me it's a dream come true... Many a times I have been facing this question - " How long will you be able to sustain SAMPADA?" Well, neither me nor anyone in the Team SAMPADA replied to the query nor felt disheartened by it. This 60th issue is definitely a major milestone, which gives a clear message that we have a long way to go. Ofcourse, the consistency and quality do matter . We have never compromised on both these factors. Also we have been always open for suggestions for improvements. Wishing everyone "A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR 2015" and hoping SAMPADA continues its journey with all your continued support.

- Satish A G, 2009 batch

ಸಂಪದ ತಿರುಗುಬಾಣ

ವಿಷನ್ ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇ ತಂಡದ ಕನಸಿನ ಕೂಸು, 5 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಹಿಂದೆ 2010ರ ಜನವರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾದ ಸಂಪದ, ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುವ ಘಟನೆಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ನೀಡುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ ಕಾಲೇಜಿಗೆ ಸೇರುವ ಮಹತ್ವಾಕಾಂಕ್ಷೆಯುಳ್ಳ ಹೊಸ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಕೈಪಿಡಿಯಾಗಿಯೂ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಪ್ರತಿ ಸಂಚಿಕೆ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುವ ಮತ್ತು ವಿಷನ್ ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇ ಯ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳ ಹೊರತಾಗಿ ವಿಶೇಷ ಸಂಪಾದಕೀಯ, ಉದ್ಯೋಗ ಅಂಕಿಅಂಶ, ಕ್ಯಾಂಪಸ್ ಸ್ಪೀಕ್ ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧ ಹಳೆಯ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಸಂದರ್ಶನಗಳನ್ನು ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಹಾಸ್ಟೆಲ್ಲಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುವ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆಯೂ ವರದಿಗಳನ್ನು ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಪ್ರತಿ ಸಂಚಿಕೆಯು ಆ ತಿಂಗಳಿನ ಪ್ರಾಮುಖ್ಯತೆಯ ಅನುಸಾರವಾಗಿ ವಿಧ ವಿಧವಾದ ವಿನ್ಯಾಸಗಳಿಂದ ರೂಪಿಸಲ್ಪಡುತ್ತದೆ. ಆರಂಭಿಕ ಸಂಚಿಕೆಗಳು ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಇತಿಹಾಸ ಮತ್ತು ಪರಂಪರೆಯ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಲೇಖನಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ತಬ್ಧಚಿತ್ರಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿರುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ, ಪ್ರತಿ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾಪಕರು, ಪ್ರವರ್ತಕರು ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೂಡಾ ನೀಡಿದ್ದವು. ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಹಾಲೀ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಸಂಪದದ ಕೆಲಸದಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಷನ್ ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇ ತಂಡದ ಜೊತೆ ಕೈಜೋಡಿಸಿರುವುದು ಈ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಗೆ ಮತ್ತಷ್ಟು ಮೆರುಗು ತಂದಿದೆ. ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯ ಲೇಖನಿಗಳು ಉನ್ನತ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ, ಸ್ವಯಂ ಉದ್ಯೋಗದಂತಹ ಹಲವು ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಬದಲಾಗುತ್ತಿರುವ ಸಮಯದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಬದಲಾಗುತ್ತಾ, ಫೇಸ್ಬುಕ್ ಮೀಮ್ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಯನ್ನು ಅಳವಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಾಗ ಸಂಪದ ಹಿಂದುಳಿಯದೆ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆಗಿನ ಮೀಮ್ ಗಳನ್ನು ತನ್ನ ಸಂಚಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮುದ್ರಿಸುತ್ತದೆ. ತಂಡದ ಶ್ರಮದಿಂದಾಗಿ ಪ್ರತಿ ಲೇಖನಿಯು ಆಕರ್ಷಕ ಮತ್ತು ಗಮನಾರ್ಹವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಎಲ್ಲ ವರದಿಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ, ಸಂಪದ ಉದಯೋನ್ಮುಖ ಲೇಖಕರಿಗೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕವಿಗಳಿಗೆ ತಮ್ಮ ಪ್ರತಿಭೆ ಪ್ರದರ್ಶಿಸಲು ಉತ್ತಮ ವೇದಿಕೆಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಸಂಪದ ವರ್ಷದಿಂದ ವರ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ ಬೆಳೆಯುತ್ತಾ ತನ್ನ ಓದುಗರ ಹಾಗೂ ಬರಹಗಾರರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಿದೆ. ನನ್ನ ನಾಲ್ಕು ವರ್ಷದ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಅವಧಿ ಮುಗಿದಿದ್ದರೂ ಪ್ರತಿ ತಿಂಗಳು ಸಂಪದ ನನ್ನ ಇನ್ಫಾಕ್ಸಿಗೆ ಬಂದಾಗ ನನಗೆ ಮರಳಿ ಕಾಲೇಜಿಗೆ ಹೋದಷ್ಟೆ ಖುಷಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತದೆ. ಸಂಪದ ನನಗೆ ವಿಷನ್ ಯು.ವಿ.ಸಿ.ಇಯ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸುವ ಅವಕಾಶ ನೀಡುತ್ತದೆ. ಸಂಪದದ 5ನೆ ವಾರ್ಷಿಕೋತ್ಸವದ ಈ ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ, ನಾನು ತಂಡಕ್ಕೆ ನನ್ನ ಅಭಿನಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತಾ ಅವರ ಮುಂದಿನ ಪಯಣಕ್ಕೆ ಶುಭ ಕೋರುತ್ತೇನೆ.

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PLACEMENT UPDATES 2014-15

UVCE with its rich heritage and plethora of engineering talent has always been a hub of Placement activities, attracting numerous Organizations- both established as well as start-ups! Staying true to its tradition, this year too has not been any different so far. 49 Companies have visited our campus and lapped up 508 students within the first 4 months of the academic year 2014-15, while 30 odd companies visited to offer internships for ME Batch of 2015!

First time visitors *Linkedin* offered a whopping *INR 24 LPA*, although they are yet to declare their results. Japanese E-Commerce giants *Rakuten* top the roster so far, having offered a package of *INR 19.54 LPA* to H Shashank Koppar of Information Science. *Commvault* are second with an offer of *INR 14.5 LPA* for Bharathkumar Hegde also from Information Science. Other significant recruiters included *Oracle Systems*, *Oracle MySQL*, *Avaya* (offers of *INR 7.5 LPA* each), *MScripts*-previously known as Exeter (offer of *INR 7 LPA*), and *SAP Labs* (offer of *INR 7 LPA*)!

This year also witnessed a good influx of Mechanical related Companies. *General Motors* (offer of *INR 5 LPA*), *Avtec* (offer of *INR 4.5 LPA*), *Tata Technologies* (offer of *INR 4 LPA*), *Royal Enfield* and *Godrej & Boyce* (both offered *INR 3.6 LPA*) were all involved!

Apart from the new and regular visitors, some companies returned after a hiatus. The list includes *Sony India* (offer of *INR 4.75 LPA*), *Mercedes Benz* (offer of *INR 4.5 LPA*), *Cybage* (offer of *INR 3 LPA*), *Cognizant Technology Solutions* and *Rakuten*, among others!

With the semester exams just around the corner, students take a well-deserved break from Placement Activities this month. However with a number of Companies in the pipeline, sky seems to be the only plausible limit for The Training & Placement Office and the students of UVCE!

Placement Team 2015

You can receive all the updates about Placement Office UVCE in this [Facebook Page](#)



SAMPADA BOOMERANG

Couple of years back Sampada started as an idea. An idea to talk, debate, discuss and share thoughts. 5 years.. !!! What a journey it has had. Firstly ..congrats on this major milestone.

It just seems yesterday that vision uvce has started this journey and achieved such milestones . Had a great time being part of this journey.

Personally , I have had a great time reading through the views / thoughts shared in this forum. Looking forward for a fantastic 60th edition. Great work team!!! Keep them coming

Sandeep Hanchanale, 2009 Batch

Congratulations Sampada !!! It all started about 5 years back. Sampada or Some"pada" is a dream of team who wanted a magazine dedicated to our college . Presenting a magazine every month is like holding on to one of your dream and working towards it every single minute. And with the Sampada every month. It s like fulfilling their dream, OUR DREAM .

Starting from articles on Sir . M. Vishwesharayya till the special editions of Sampada every words were of truth about our precious moments in the college. Thank you Sampada for keeping us close to "Namma UVCE". Many more years to come Sampada.. Happy 5th year Birthday !!

Pramod Kumar, 2008 Batch



Dear Sampada Team,
Hearty congratulations on achieving the 5yr milestone.

In the past 5 years I have witnessed that the team has been very dedicated towards all the activities you have taken up. Be it the Samvaada, or the scholarship program. I am really glad that the students of UVCE are gaining a lot from all the activities conducted.

The quality of the content presented in the e-magazine has improved and evolved to a great extent over the years. Every issue of Sampada makes me nostalgic about the time I spent in the college. Thank you for bringing UVCE live to us with the wonderful coverage of the happenings every month.

I wish you many more such milestones in the years ahead.

**Cheers,
Sindhu (Batch of 2008)**



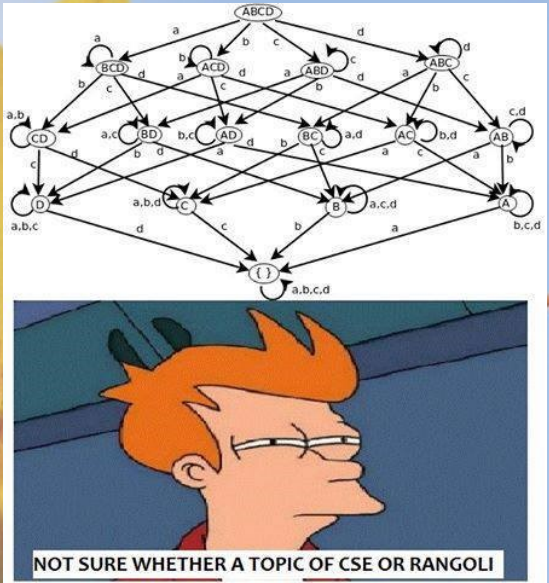
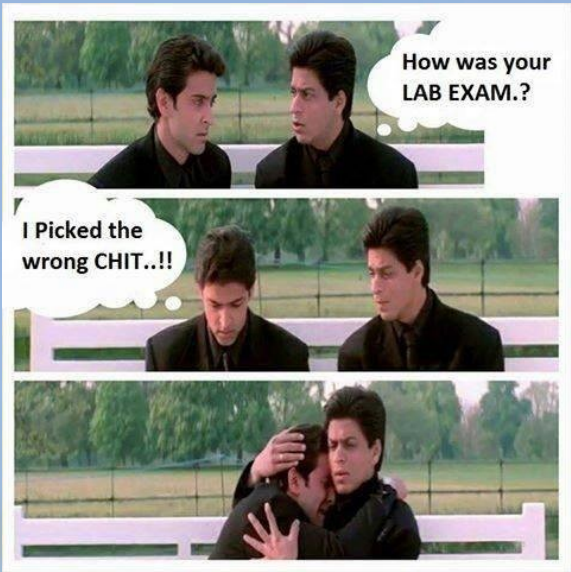
"Tiny drops make mighty Ocean". Congratulations to team Vision UVCE!!

5 years is easy to congratulate the team and feel happy and proud about being part of the team. It is not easy to speak about the efforts the team has put in to bring SAMAPADA and make it a success, if you can call it so. It shows the hard work and determination put in at the back-end by everyone - students, faculty and alumni. The team has done a great job in VU Scholarships, VU SAMMILANA and other team building activities for students. Also for the initiatives taken up such as campus cleanliness, sessions for improving the skills for campus placement, etc...

I would also like to say that students who pass out every year should put in some efforts to build up this team and bring up a bigger impact on our college few years down the line. Keep up the same passion !! Thanks to all who have helped in bringing SAMPADA every single month without a miss in past 5 years !! Hurray!!! Happy 5th Anniversary !!

- Rekha M S, 2009 batch

HUMOR @ UVCE



SAMPADA HIGHLIGHTS SO FAR

Profile Stories of B V Jagadeesh and Pavithra Ratnakar and Mano Murthy by Veena Prasad (in editions 2, 4 & 5 respectively)

B V Jagadeesh—A Profile

B V Jagadeesh grew up in the typical Indian village of Bagalur, some 25 Kilometers from Bangalore. His childhood memories are filled with moments spent in ragi and paddy fields, playing with a calf, the fascination of watching a nondescript insect transform into a cocoon from which silk was made, and all the excitement of a village "santhi" (market). The highlight of every year was the overflowing of the Bagalur Lake, celebrated as a "Droshchruva". The young Jagadeesh was always at the forefront of the celebrations, holding the dows for the traditional sarais.

It was not idyllic however. The village's entire income was dependent on agriculture, which was solely dependent on rains. Too little or too much meant ruin for their finances. Connectivity also pretty much did not exist, notwithstanding the proximity to Bangalore. There was a private bus that made just one trip to Bangalore daily. Girls were so rare in those parts that the occasional one would soon acquire for itself a tail of excited kids running gleefully behind. Further, Bagalur's school provided education till 7th standard only, and for high school and beyond, one had to go to Bangalore.



BV at Bagalur High School

PAVITHRA RATNAKAR—A Profile

A five year old girl watches in fascination as her father starts filing iron in his workshop, and a mishapens piece of iron especially takes form. An expert tool designer with a workshop at home, Mr. Ratnakar, who started Pavithra Toolings after a successful run with Sonny, Shibu and Sonappa, passed on his mechanical and entrepreneurial skills to this remarkable young lady Pavithra Ratnakar, batch of 93, UUCE Mechanical.

She however, joined UUCE in the Civil Engineering department. Having studied the fundamentals of various engineering disciplines in the first year, she was sure that she wanted out of Civil and into Mechanical. It wasn't very clear to get a change of branch, as no process was in place. So she went straight to the Principal and eloquently explained her case. She was so passionate about this that he was soon convinced that not only did she want to be a Mechanical Engineer, she wanted to be the very old star twinkling through every stock and money in a machine! So after having the consent of around 35 girls in the Civil class, she found herself one among just 3 girls in the Mechanical class!

This discrepancy in the bopulatio ratio has always existed in with respect to Mechanical versus other engineering disciplines and apart from the obvious reasons of physical education, I traced Pavithra's tale on this - especially at a time when most gender biases are being broken down. Pavithra says that not just physical stamina, but an equal amount of mental toughness is very essential to make it in the mechanical field. The heavy machinery in the workshop could intimidate the toughest hero, and the being "a mere girl of 19" in some people's eyes, had to track all the new bodies. At every step, she felt casual ones scrutinizing her actions for the slightest mistake, and wanted herself to ignore them. "You will drive more people who can't think beyond gender while assessing capabilities. If you also dwell on that, you will do nothing but bring more pressure upon yourself. The only way is to just go ahead and give your best." She does

ManoMurthy—A Profile

Mano Murthy, Music Composer, Mano Murthy, Entrepreneur. I went into this interview fully intending to focus on the latter, but soon found out that it was not left to me to decide!

"I've always wanted to be a musician", declares Mano Murthy with no hesitation whatsoever. And this was very apparent as the interview progressed - all my questions related to his technical achievements would somehow wind up in music related discussions! But as you will find out, both aspects of his life are equally interesting and inspiring.

As a child he would be glued to the radio, immersed in those immortal melodies created by SD Burman, RD Burman, Madan Mohan and all the other greats. "Radio Ceylon was on most of the time", he reminisces. "Visith Shastri would be on air for a couple of hours a day at most". So he grew up with old Hindi film songs for the most part, but also immensely enjoyed the Classical Music played during the annual Ram Havari Concerts held at the Sheshaganguram College Auditorium. Growing up in the 1970's he could not have missed out on Beatlesmania, and likes most of the '70s bands ranging from ABBA to Santana. He did catch some old Kannada songs too, when he could, but they were not as widely played then. A fact that he says might have helped his popularity as a Kannada film music composer, since his melodies sound fresh.

But first things first. His entire schooling happened in Bangalore - Chury Convent, St. Joseph's, and PUC in National College - after which he joined UUCE in the Electronic Engineering stream. He recalls the UUCE days with fondness, and wonders if a number of lectures are still around. "Half-day Saturdays were the best" he says. "Head straight to Magister to catch the movies" YMCA, Cotton Park canteen, and Coffee House at Avenue Road were the popular hangouts. These days, whenever he drives past UUCE, he marvels that although the landscape around seems changing, this college footprint is just the same - a little today surely is a lot when he was a student.



M K Rajan was the Student Editor of the second magazine in the history of the college. He was from the Batch of 1969, during when, he wrote this poem about our Alma Mater, which was published in Golden Jubilee magazine and available in SAMPADA Edition 8

Gleaming with splendour you stand' midst we comrades dear
O'erwhelmed with mirth we sing of Thee that you hear;
'Tis with love and honour that our heads we bow to Thee,
Our Lord, we're thine children - hail O, UCE
Blessed are we to be thy students, give us the knowledge,
Mighty thou are to be our Lord, grant us the courage;
For thy choicest blessings to shower on, we sing with glee,
Our Friend, echos thou shall hear of - hail O, UCE

Lead us thee Kindly light, show us the way right,
Give us that elixir of life, 'wisdom' to live with might;
Glory to our masters all here and glory to each conferee,
Ave Lord, in thy honour we say - hail O, UCE
Jubilant episodes of thy victory are true and bold,
Fifty - years Youth thou are wit memories carved in gold;
With glory of Golden - Jubilee, here for centuries will thou be,
Our Alma Master, ballads of laurels we chant - hail O, UCE

Article on SV Shetty, who played key role in starting Mechanical School of Engineering in 1913 (SAMPADA Edition 12)


ARTICLE ON SV SHETTY

S V SHETTY - Intelligent, Acclaimed Wizard and an Aviator.

This is the story about a visionary, a savant, an insider who wished to provide wings to the aeronautical revolution in India. It history India's backbone, but have been in the records as the first pilot India had ever witnessed ahead of JRD Tata, the first Indian to gain the practical knowledge of an aeronautical engineer and the first aviator when India had never had even heard of flying machines. Sri Ram Venkatesh Shetty (popularly known as S V Shetty) an unsung, unknown aeronautical wizard from the land of Karnataka, often known as Mysore. As a person with a quest to excel in whatever he does, he went on to accomplish and annihilate the design and development of AVRO Duguid, and the legendary AVRO Sikr biplane that played the vital role in the First World War. He was the dignified figure responsible for establishing the first ever technical institution in the land of Mysore - University Yaverwara College of Engineering, (UYCE), previously known as Government College of Engineering.

Sri Ram Venkatesh Shetty

S V Shetty, the visionary, was born in 1875 in the city of Mysore. Brought up in a family with minimal wealth, he had set his eyes on gaining the expertise in the field of technology, applied science and engineering. This was the propelling force which guided him to be a top ranked student wherever he studied. He graduated from the Madras University in Mathematics and had a rigorous learning stint at College of Engineering, Madras and then in Thomson College of Engineering, Bombay. With a firm bent on more education, he secured the much sought after job of Assistant Engineer in the State Government in 1900, where he learns the nuances of Mechanical Engineering by training in the workshop while he was deployed by the Government. Always with a thirst to



Articles about How College was started, How it Grew were published in Editions 6 and 7. Story about how Alumni Association begun was covered in Edition 29

Special Editions about College Fests, Entrepreneurs, Higher Studies, Kannada Rajyotsava, Humor (SAMPADA Editions 16, 18, 21,22, 51 respectively) were published

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Interview with Retd Wg Cmdr H G Dattatreya (popularly known as Dattanna) in Edition 30

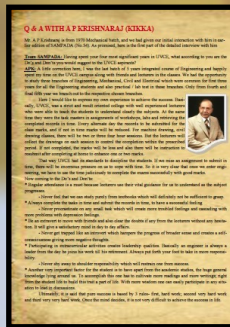


Experimental article series like Sir MV Speech—Address at the College on 27th January 1955 (Editions 25 to 31); “They all invariably came to Quadrangle” (Editions 38 to 41) which showcased a wonderful college days and memories of our friends.

Treasures from PAST - two pieces of wonderful collections commemorate the very own existence of our beloved campus. The first letter discusses about start of operations in our campus and the second regarding the curriculum.



We have covered many sections like - CAMPUS SAYS (a section where students and faculty share their thoughts on what is happening in campus); HUMOR @ UVCE (Memes about college life in Social Media); Alumni Speak (from previous magazines and current conversations); PARICHAYA



UVCE turns a haunt for corporate headhunt

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5th ANNIVERSARY

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[\(Link to article from Deccan Herald\)](#)

Kudos to the Placement Office for such a wonderful achievement. We are very glad to share such an article with our alumni which increases the proud feeling about the college. We hope that more alumni join hands in this initiative of campus drive for students. VisionUVCE Team promises to work towards this direction and convince more companies where UVCE alumni are in higher posts to visit the campus for placements.

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DH News Service

ONCE UPON A TIME IN UVCE

This is a blog written by Tejas Jayasheel, 2012 batch about his experience in UVCE right from the start of the admissions till the graduation day. We all have been through this journey and felt that this article reflected all our thoughts exactly in the same manner.. We are thankful to Tejas for agreeing to share it in SAMPADA in form of series. We hope you will be waiting for the next edition to know what happened next...

It's a bit difficult to forget what we have done in college. For four years, we have been playing around with our life and now the time has come to get serious. College benches are about to get replaced by desks and cubicle. Pocket money becomes salary, or maybe it's the other way round. No more bunking. No more fun. From now on, it's just plain routine. I would have loved routine unless it's forcefully implemented in my life by someone else.

If I remember my college days properly, the routine which I used to love so much was repeatedly broken. One of my friends would think that we should play cricket and counterstrike rather than going home or to do some useful work; and his wish will be willfully granted. There goes our routine down the gutter. How many times we all promised ourselves that we will go home early today; and yet will find ourselves glued to college campus?

Other college students might feel the same but there's something different about this college. Of course apart from the poor infrastructure and excellent non-teaching staff, there's something more. From very first day this college fascinated me. I went for admission and saw the society guy blasting one of my fellow classmates. The poor thing's only mistake was to repeat his request for the Magenta folder which was for future electronics engineers. It was apparent to me from that point that I need to be more patient to survive here. First lesson for life taught on the very first day. By the end of afternoon that day, I was admitted to UVCE and my four years of engineering life was destined to be as colorful as the Magenta folder I got. The fun part started on our official first day at college, September 08th Morning 10 AM. We came at 9:30 to see senior students arranging chairs at Quadrangle and staffs were nowhere to be seen. Around 10:30 function started and that was a historic day as no other function or event in our college started before 11AM. I heard our Principal talk and probably that was how my attention span changed. It was Rakesh sitting next to me who stays at Nandini Layout near Kanthirava studio. Lunch was organized and after filling our stomach we went in search of our ID card only to find a huge crowd near the office. Once I got my ID card, I felt as though I won one Standard Age of Empires game. Actual process took the same amount of time by the way.



Once I copied the time table, I went home, came back next morning at 8:15 to Engineering Mechanics class. I started to doubt what I heard about UVCE when I saw that the class had full strength and there was a lecturer writing something on board. I asked permission to enter and there was no reply. I peaked inside at the friendlier section on the class and found Rakesh waving at me. I directly went in and sat next to him. It was then I was introduced to legendary Ajith K S. We talked and talked while lecturer continued to scribble his prepared notes on board. I was relieved when no one engaged the next class and thought I made the right decision. We were sitting staring at each other talking only to the person next to us when our final year seniors entered the class and that was when the fun stuff began. There was a wonderful "Intro" with some hilarious inputs from seniors. After the 4th year intro there was 3rd year intro and then there was 2nd year intro. By that time we mastered what we're supposed to say when asked to introduce ourselves. I also made a couple of friends by the end of the week.

SAMPADA BOOMERANG FROM CAMPUS

Hey there! I am Avinash from 5th sem ISE. Its been great these 3 years. I haven't been associated directly with the VU team but I do interact with a lot of members of my batch who help them achieve what they have as of today! It has been a wonderful 5 years for them now with 60 editions of the magazine SAMPADA. It brings out many things about our college that not all of us know. I have had chances to work with them a few times before, by writing few articles for the magazine. It is a very proud moment for me to see my article coming up on the next edition! As a whole, SAMPADA is for me is like a solved question paper bank for the exams. It has EVERYTHING and ANYTHING happening in college and keeps me up to date with UVCE. Keep up the good work VU team! Cheers! :D

Avinash, Third year ISE student

It is hardly surprising if I say that Vision UVCE is one of the few things in the college that believes in keeping the promises they make time and again. Proof to that is how sampada has been delivered without fail every month for 5 years now. It is an enormous achievement and I congratulate everyone behind making it such a beautiful success with all my heart.

I have enjoyed reading the editions while in college and I sure I will cherish it even more when I am out. I do hope that the coming editions of Sampada are more student friendly and also that the word about it reaches more people.

Prajna Somyaji, Final Year EEE student

Sampada is more than just a college magazine, but a monthly edition of fun , articles , new enthusiasts, and a whole lot of freshness. The sections creatively cover happenings in college regularly and help discover many things about our college. To members of the Sampada family and to every writer who put in their heart and mind to make it a success , we are grateful because to last it to leave an impression

- Meghashree G, Third year ISE student

When I was first introduced to SAMPADA 3 years back, I saw it as an opportunity to keep my passion for writing fuelled. Soon my view began changing; I would not directly jump to "my article" anymore... I actually started reading the various sections; getting to know what was going on in the campus and learning about successful UVCEians! SAMPADA has grown in leaps and bounds. And what's most impressive is, it has succeeded in its vision of connecting with the student community- not just the alumni! That makes it a must read.

Abhishek Chakma, Final Year ECE student

I, student of UVCE, thank sampada team for realising the magazine frequently. It helps to know every thing, every activity happening in the campus. Infact it will be more interesting to read about the activities in which we have participated and enjoyed. Hope to see many more in the future.

Poojitha S , Third Year ISE Student

Sampada, as it says is, was and will be our window to UVCE. It is a great feeling when I meet some alumni and they discuss about things happening in college they got to know from Sampada. 2 special memories are about when I met a HR of some company from 97 batch and someone in a bus from 63 batch who spoke to me about Sampada. UVCE with it's huge alumni group is connected to the current batches through Sampada. It's really commendable that it is being maintained by an alumni group and has not been missed in the past 60 months even once. Am very glad that I have been able to contribute in little ways by designing couple of editions along with this special one !! We wish Sampada a happy 5th birthday :-D

Swaroop E, Final Year ISE student

Hi, I keep reading SAMPADA. Congratulations for successful completion of five years. Every month when I see Sampada edition, there's always a freshness and the warm feeling it carries. As I stay in BULSH, I request you to carry out more thoughts from people who stay in Hostel and create awareness

Gowrakka Wali , Third Year Civil Student

Sampada has been bridging the gap between thousands of alumni of this college and the current students. Its great to see these working professionals share their experiences and motivate us. Since its inception, Sampada has covered the past, present and future of UVCE! Its always a pleasure to open my mail every month to go through its latest edition.. A great initiative by the Vision UVCE team! Thank you for bringing UVCE so much more closer to the heart!

Madhuri K Madan, Final Year ECE student

Many events, activities, fest happens in our college.
Everything about it is published in Sampada.
Sampada is like a Wikipedia of UVCE !!
Thrilled about its completion of 60 issues.
Best Wishes to the editorial team.
Continue to enrich us all with knowledge and fun ;)

- Kaushik K N, Third year ISE student

A magazine, a newsletter, a writing pad, a think tank. It's everything our college needs and more. Sampada has been one of my favourite initiatives of Vision UVCE, coming second to only UVCE Jaatre. I heartily applaud the team for their efforts and wish for a greater success this new year.

- Vibha Vadul, Third year CSE student

Sampada, as the tagline of which says, has indeed been our window to UVCE. I have been a regular reader of Sampada for the past 4 years and I have seen, heard and also experienced how it has served as a updating-with-college means for most of them. It is really beautiful how each Sampada includes a 'Parichaya' of a UVCE alumnus in it and that has always been my most favorite section in Sampada. It is also wonderful to see UVCE alumni from the older batches sharing their fond memories of UVCE, the pictures of their batches etc. and Sampada is the only means through which I have read and seen them. Team VisionUVCE, you have been doing a great job. Really inspires me to do more to contribute to the college. Congratulations on completing 5 years. I hope you guys keep inspiring a lot more students in the years to come and keep doing good work like you always do :)

Vidhya K Pai, Final Year ISE student

Sampada. Yeah! It has given me the whole knowledge that I have about my college ! Every event/ activity that happens in college is featured! Not only about college, the placement information technical and guidance articles, interesting stories/experiences shared by students and all other activities. As a whole, for me Sampada is a book with the Google of UVCE !

- Deepika T P, Third Year ISE student

Congratulations to Vision UVCE team in completing its 5 years of Sampada! Really appreciate the way it reviews and updates about the activities and developments of college, fests, scholarships, placements etc and yet keeps it short, simple and interesting to read.

- Deepali, Third year EEE student



This edition as you would have observed is a look back at the journey of SAMPADA over the five years. Ofcourse, there are most of the comments which say good things about it and we are happy about it. But there is a saying - "If there is no criticism, then there is something wrong" and hence we would want to know how we can improve SAMPADA further and make sure all your thoughts can be incorporated in future editions... We still have to address the concern about limited participation of Civil and Architecture students in SAMPADA. We are working towards it and you will be able to see the results in coming editions.

Our mail id is sampada@visionuvce.in to which you can send all your thoughts/queries and feedback. To check all the previous editions of SAMPADA, please check [this page](#) in our website. Hope you will enjoy checking the older editions.

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