

# SAMPADA

*Your Window to UVCE*

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*Rejig to Reform*



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**Saturday, 17th October**  
**10:30 am**  
**UVCE, KR Circle**

**All are invited!!**

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This was exactly the scene at namma UVCE a month ago with arrival of yet another batch of smart students. This takes me back to my first day at UVCE, awestruck by the natural beauty but a little anxious and tad-bit of disappointed with the maintenance and management, I entered the steps of UVCE. Lost like a puppy, I found my way with help of my seniors to my ECE Department and what was held in store completely radically changed my life and my entire perception. Four years down the lane, I will have no regrets for choosing to be part of this historical college that has blessed me with so much that I can't keep an account of.

Through my time of 3 year and days counting here at UVCE I guess I learnt a lot! Well most important of all is that the college may not have the most of the posh buildings but it's the heart-warming feeling of the people around you that matter more than anything! UVCE isn't less than any other college, right? The history and knowledge held here is inspiring which makes you feel ever more determined and motivating to do something here!

Well this season was all about getting to know new people! Freshers everywhere with the same confused n bizarre looks on their face reminding of us being in the very same position once! Making all the freshers feel right at home with the fresher's party, the seniors have tirelessly worked to give them an awesome time! On the other hand! All the second years meet their new classmates, the diploma freshers joining them! New friends, new talks and spirits renewed! Well that's the way to go UVCE! Our college is buzzing with activities!



Transitions everywhere! Juniors to Seniors! PUC students to ENGINEERING Freshers! 4th Years to starting an entirely different life with the corporate world! Well! From the times that make you feel that God has gone sabbatical to times that renews your faith in Him, the happy or not-so happy changes and every little transition is an experience to cherish!

When did you last watch Tom and Jerry to? You caught up with Monica's blunders in FRIENDS instead! When did you last read Tinkle? You like updating status messages on FB instead! Well, if this transition was easy for you, you'll love the one that's on its way!

This Edition of Sampada is all about Freshers', we also have an article with info about all the food joints around UVCE for namma UVCEians' hungry stomachs. How many of you caught up with the Guinness world record UVCE made with the Bhagat Singh portrait made on September 29th? UVCE Mentorship programme has been kick-started. The mentors and the students have been linked with each other and we hope it will help the students to get guidance from the senior alumni. VisionUVCE Scholarships 2015-16 interviews have been scheduled this Saturday. On behalf of the students and VisionUVCE Team, I thank all the alumni who are supporting this initiative.

**- Chitra S Reddy, 7th sem ECE**



## WORLD RECORD BY UVCE STUDENTS



The Students of UVCE celebrated the 109th Birthday of Shaheed Bhagat Singh in a unique way by constructing a Mosaic Portrait of Shaheed Bhagat Singh using 12,500 coins at the quadrangle of UVCE, K R Circle, Bengaluru at 10.00 am on 28-09-2015. A Team of 11 students constructed the mosaic portrait in a record time of 36 minutes 44 Seconds and was witnessed by Golden Book of World Records USA, Miracles World Records, Delhi and Indian Book of Records, Hyderabad.

[A Report in Deccan Herald about this #UVCE achievement](#)

## HUMOR @ UVCE

me in math class



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HOW OTHERS THINK I GOT  
THE DEGREE



HOW I ACTUALLY GOT THE  
DEGREE



LEGACY OF AWESOME CS/IS FRESHERS PARTY





## MAS FRESCO DIA 2015

The students of third semester ISE, UVCE organized an informal welcome party for the first semester ISE students who had joined the college recently and also for the diploma students who have joined the class with the 3rd semester students. The event happened on 13th September 2015 at Malaika Residency, Rajajinagar.

The event kicked off with an intriguing introduction session, where the juniors were randomly paired up and asked to introduce themselves and discuss one of their hobbies. The seniors then gave them a scenario to recreate. Next, the junior girls took the stage with a breath-taking dance performance. The seniors then organized several games for the juniors. The seniors divided the juniors into teams of eight, and were made to compete. They were made to balance a balloon and race and design swimsuits. The games were fun and competitive.

The event continued with everyone having lunch, which consisted of a delicious north Indian cuisine.



Later, the juniors performed a group song for the seniors. Also, 3rd semester students, Manoj Balaji and Shaina sang a duet. The battle for the title of miss fresher and mister fresher then began. Eight girls and eight boys were chosen as nominees. The competition took place in three rounds. Four girls and four boys moved on to the second round. After a tough, yet entertaining battle between the participants, Miss Anusha Manchi was awarded with the title of miss fresher and Mister Sanchay was awarded the title of mister fresher. Other titles

awarded were, Best dressed boy to Mr. Ankur Gehlawat and Best dressed girl to Ms. Shilpa C.

Lastly, the senior girls gave a thrilling dance performance. The event ended with everyone moving with the beat followed by a photo session. The team of the seniors behind the success of the event was deeply appreciated. The party resulted in a better bonding between the seniors and the juniors. It was a day full of fun and enthusiasm for both the seniors and juniors.

**- Soumya Tiwari, 1st Sem ISE**

## ELECTRICAL FRESHERS' PARTY



## VU POLL

Do you know VisionUVCE?

Yes - 39

No - 7

Had you heard about SAMPADA?

Yes - 31

No - 15

Are you a member of VisionUVCE Facebook group?

Yes - 22

No - 24

Have you visited visionuvce website?

Yes - 27

No - 19

Did your seniors tell about VisionUVCE?

Yes - 30

No - 16

Had you see VisionUVCE Scholarships in college?

Yes - 31

No - 15

Have you traded books via "VINIMAYA"?

Yes - 7

No - 39

Would you like to know more about VisionUVCE & be part of it?

Yes - 30

Maybe - 14

No - 2

*Stats about the Poll Takers - 43 from First Year; 2 from 2nd Year; 1 from 4th year  
**Branchwise:** Civil - 1; CSE - 15; ECE - 9; ISE - 13; Mech - 8*



## CAMPUS SAYS

I had read so much about UVCE on net from the day I entered class 11 that by the end of the year I had almost decided that I will be joining this college, because its a student driven



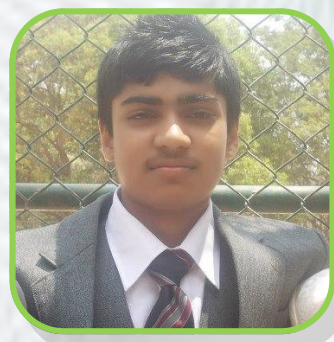
college and honestly I don't appreciate spoon feeding. Though I gave other entrance exams like JEE and COMEDK apart from KCET & also chanced upon to get fancy colleges like RVCE/BMS through comedk, I stuck to UVCE through KCET. On Day 1 When my seniors spoke to us I thought my dreams have come through. Though I felt bit scary when regular classes did not start for many days. But once they were started I regained my confidence & then came a day when I volunteered for placements ongoing for my seniors, that day I confidently came to know that I am in right place and as my seniors told that it's a college "of the students, by the students, for the students". UVCE is not about

talking it's about experiencing.

**-Mohit , 1st Sem ECE**

At first I was not quite sold by the college's infrastructure. But gradually I started liking the college because it was peaceful. It was a drizzle for the mechanical boys who were in a season of drought. The next good thing to happen was football. The best thing in UVCE so far was the 1st year mechanical trip to wonderla! UVCE has been really awesome so far, waiting to see what's more in store!

**-Skanda, 1st Sem Mech**



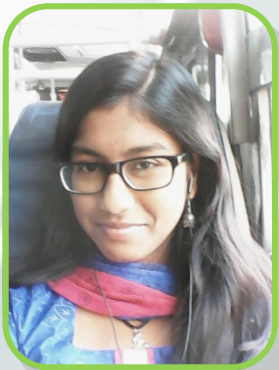
Entering into the degree courses, is one of the most crucial stage in a student's life. From childishness into a stage of 'Maturity' is pretty tough to handle. The first day at UVCE, August 3rd- with mind filled with fear. Looking at new faces, completely strangers. And also fear of being ragged by seniors. As I entered in the scenario was completely the other way around. Seniors warmly welcomed us. As days passed, classes (though seldom) were being conducted. The best part I liked about UVCE is the ever cheerful seniors always busy doing various stuff for us, taking responsibilities of organizing events, technical things etc. I guess UVCE is currently functional because of seniors. And always heard from everyone that being in UVCE. We get to know more and more about ourselves, take up responsibility, get to know new stuff. Well, the infrastructure may not be so good. But if things are taken care of, it may develop to be a better place. So, the 'fresher' word isn't exactly what it means in UVCE, because I never felt so. I was being one among all and even our seniors never treated us as freshers. But treated us like their good old friends. Finally what I'm going to say is that 'I'M PROUD TO BE AN UVCEIAN'

**-Sanjana M, 1st Sem ECE**

When I joined UVCE my friends were actually discouraging me telling that you wouldn't be able to enjoy your engineering life in UVCE as its a Government College. But I was actually amazed to hear that UVCE is the most active college in Bangalore in terms of IEEE and its branches(SIG's). IEEE orientation day helped us to know why we have to be a IEEE member especially in UVCE. The best thing in UVCE is freedom which every student would wish to possess. Bhaag UVCE Bhaag helped all of us to know UVCE better than before and it helped us to make friends from different branches and even the seniors. IEEE UVCE conducted a Field Trip to ISRO(ISAC) which helped us to know more about satellites and rockets. Canteen in UVCE is not bad nor costly too. I was actually surprised to see that 22 students from UVCE ( 11 from EEE) were placed for a company with a package of 22 lakhs. There is no ragging in UVCE which every junior would expect from their seniors. We can't get a better fresher's experience than in UVCE. I would make sure that even my juniors would feel like that or even better than my experience.



**-Karthik Kolle, 1st Sem EEE**



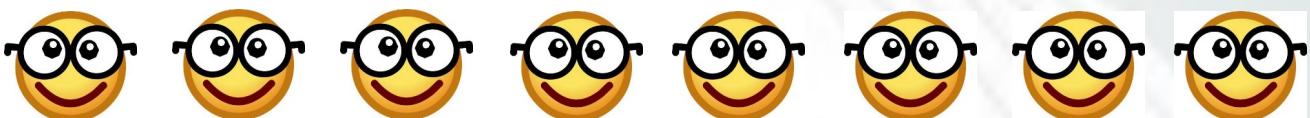
Full of dust, spider webs, pigeons flying all about. Well obviously my first impression about UVCE wasn't that great. I guess I had judged a book by its cover, for I never thought UVCE would slowly transform into a place that I would come to love. On my first day of college, I couldn't help but wonder if I had made a wise choice of choosing UVCE to build up my career, but our first day with the seniors gave us faith. They told us to give it time to surround you and reassured us that this college will definitely grow on you. Our seniors have been very approachable and as for my class I couldn't have asked for a better one! Each one very warm and open to all. To sum it all up. I love being a UVCEian!!

**-Limitha Kumar, 1st Sem ECE**

Its been two months now since we became a part of this institution and since then its only been lots of fun , learning and sheer awesomeness. The not so great infrastructure is more than compensated by the lovely seniors and the absence of a proper canteen by the scenic atmosphere. The pressure free atmosphere is very likable and the easy going nature of college, very comforting. Though the journey as of now is really short UVCE promises to provide us with an experience of a lifetime!



**-Varun, 1st Sem Civil**





## ESCALIBRE 2015

Yes, we **ENJOYED** a lot. Our fresher's day is one of the most memorable day for us. We had a lot of fun the whole day from the moment we entered the hall till the disappointing moment, we dispersed.



Escalibre 15 began with many groups taking selfies but at the end of the day it became a joyful moment where groups turned into a single photo because fresher's party was a whirlpool which mixed seniors and juniors without any damage. Escalibre 15 began at 9 AM on 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2015 with confessions where juniors wrote whatever they wanted seniors to do. My confession was that Saurab Chalke should not be too formal in the party. Koushik NP and Aishwarya Joisa were the mastercomparers. After confessions, juniors were

divided for group events. Each group had two mentors. Round 1 in group event was, each group would get a movie and the group will have to make a small trailer which should be related to that movie. The group which got DDLJ movie did a very nice trailer wherein Zubair Khan was a star performer. Round 2 was about taking 3 photos where first picture should have adidas shoe, second picture should have tie and the last picture should have whole group with weird expressions. All groups took the shoe and weird expression one but everyone were after Saurab Chalke and Me since only we both had ties. It feels good when I am centre of attraction. Round 3 had a common game Dumbcharades. Afterwards every group had to make their mentors dance where A M Deepak's group danced well and came with some nice nagin steps. It marked the end of group events. Though all groups participated well but A M Deepak's group won the group event over all. By then, it was time for "Peth Pooja", seniors and juniors had their lunch. The lunch organized by seniors was awesome especially the Paneer gravy and roti combination taste was good.

By this time Escalibre 15 was half way through. Interesting part is from now, after the group events all juniors wanted senior girls to do ramp walk. Ramp walk started with Aishwarya Joisa and continued with few more girls such Nibha, Rachana, Roshini etc., Juniors had a very good time watching seniors while their ramp walks. Koushik NP called out few juniors for Mr. and Mrs. CSE. There were many rounds to get the title Mr. and Mrs. CSE. At first, all girls and boys were asked to do ramp walk. Many people did the ramp walk nicely but Zubair Khan's ramp walk highlight his was like mixture of Rajni Kanth sir's walking and a he did Michael Jackson's step.

Good that he did not do Moonwalk. Afterwards junior boys had to choose junior girls as their partners. Then we had paper dancing where junior boys started lifting their partners. Afterwards, junior boys had to propose senior girls and junior girls had to propose senior boys. Everyone proposed well but Kaushik's proposal was the funniest.





Next, junior girls would dress their partners with sarees and do ramp walk. Few funny incidents in this ramp was that Prudhvi`s saree was pulled by few members and his saree came off in the middle. At the end only four were selected-Hemant, Zubair, Priya, Sharada. Zubair and Sharada were runner ups whereas Hemant was Mr.CSE and Priya was Mrs.CSE. We had photo session where flash lights covered whole of hall. Many wanted to dance so we had some nice music where we danced till our shirts was full of sweat.

Overall, seniors arranged a nice fresher`s party for us. It was fabulous. The most important thing that we learnt from the seniors was the friendly nature they had on us and the friendly wat we should show towards our juniors. Freashers erased gap which was there between juniors and seniors. We hope that we would also satisfy them in their farewell party . I on behalf of 1<sup>st</sup> year CSE guys whole heartedly thank seniors for the party.” THANK YOU GUYS”

- Devraj, 1st Sem CSE



## CIVIL FRESHERS' PARTY



## NAMMA FOOD HUB

UVCE is placed at the heart of the city and surprisingly offers a lot of places to please your tummy! And yet, if you had to draw up a list of the best places to eat in and around college on a day that many consider the ideal day to step out and loosen their wallet, it stands to reason that a newbie would like to know about all the places that serves him right.



So we set off with the intention of listing the best places to fulfill your appetites taking into account food quality, consistency and service. Armed with nothing but our tastebuds to guide us, this is the list we complied

**SJP canteen:** Home of tasty sandwiches and sugary delicacies this canteen is a crowd favourite. Although the food is a tad bit expensive, their sandwiches are something that is definitely to be devoured by every foodie!



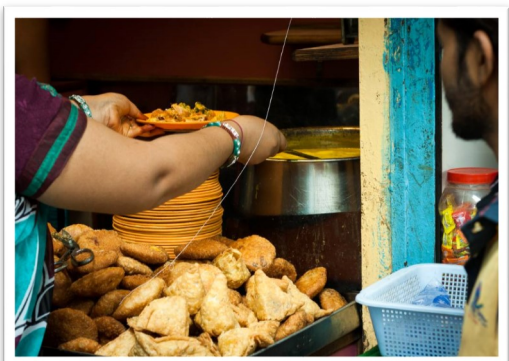
**MS building :** Best known for their budget idlis and mouth-watering sweets, MS building canteen offers food that is not only economical but yummy too. If a quick meal is what you're looking for then search no more cause this is the place for you.

**Civil court canteen :** commonly referred to as cc canteen this place is always over brimming with lawyers who always seem to be in a hurry. Cc canteen offers a wide variety of mouth watering food that makes up for the not so great hospitality and ambience of the place

**Nandini parlour :** This giant in the dairy product industry needs no introduction. Delicious ice cream, refreshing flavored milk, enticing yogurt etc are just some of the extremely gratifying dairy food that the parlor offers. On a hot summer day this is the place to be !

**Cunningham road:** Cunningham Road is one of the busiest commercial streets of Bangalore. The road is named after Francis Cunningham, who was an officer in the Madras Army and a member of the Mysore Commission. It houses several high end hotels like aqua grill, banjara melting point, dominoes, pizza hut, nostradamus and BISO which are the ideal hotels to visit when you have the cash to spare.

**Avenue road:** Centre of textbooks sanctum of knowledge and lots of street vendors! Jalebiwalas, Nimbu soda guys, the capsicum bhajjis, bakeries and juice centres all with the sole motto of filling you up! Its a paradise to all of the junk food lovers and the nerds alike.



Anything you would like to add to the list?!! Maybe a place that rekindles the memories of hanging out with friends and having awesome food during your college days!! [Write to us](#) and share it with other alumni as well

- Vishal Bhatta, 5th Sem ECE