



TECHOPEDIA 2K18

Techopedia is a national level festival organised under IEEE Student Chapter of SIES GST. It was for the first time that the events were being held independently. This year Techopedia was conducted on 6th of September 2018. It included 3 events, namely Inquisitive (national level quiz), Squabble (debate) and Circuit Maniacs. There was a great response from the students of our college and from other colleges all over the city. The feedback that we have received from the participants was very much positive and appreciative. The inauguration was attended by all the faculty members of EXTC branch and also from other branches, also by participants and other students. The festival was inaugurated at 9:45 AM by our respected chief guest Mr. Barure Omprakash N. Later, the events commenced at 10:30 am and winded up by 6pm. Following is the detailed report for the day:

Inquisitive is a National level quiz competition, conducted every year by IEEE SIESGST under Techopedia. It started at 11:10 AM and ended at 5:10 PM. It was a one-day event wherein all your knowledge was tested in all fields especially in technical. It consisted of three rounds, first was a pen and paper round followed by a buzzer round and ending with a rapid-fire round. The participants were in a team of two. In all of these levels' participants had to dangle with mental evaluation of mathematics, aptitude test and general knowledge-based questions within the time limits. It was a team event and we had 101 teams participating. The winners of the event were Siddharth Sridhar and Omkar Wagh, the runner ups were Prasad Koli and Hrishikesh Venkatesh. According to the feedback the event was thrilling and also very informative.

Squabble is a debate competition and a platform to showcase your oratory skills with technical perspective. It started at 11:00 AM and ended at 5:15 PM. It was held under the guidance of our respected judge Mr. Sameer Valse. We had group discussion and one-on-one debate with time limitation. It was a team of two event with 84 teams participating. Participants were given guidelines about communication ethics before

their performance. This event was quite helpful for participants to build their confidence on stage and to enhance their communication skills. The winners of the event were Aditi Thorat and Swapnil Singh, runner ups were Tanavi Joshi and Dhananjay Rao.

Circuit maniacs- An event which will provide opportunity for all electronic geeks to showcase their knowledge about circuit designing and implementation by competing with others with interest in similar fields. It began at 11:00 AM sharp and ended at 5:15 PM. It was exclusively for students of first and second years. We had 89 teams participating. The first round consisted testing of knowledge based on electronic components followed by a buzzer round and lastly circuit making and problem-solving techniques. The winners of Circuit Maniacs were Pratik Shinde and Vaishnavi Mukku, runner ups were Siddhesh Ghagare and Siddarth Jain.

Lastly the prize distribution ceremony was conducted at 5:30 PM. All the winners of respective events were given certificates by IEEE, medals and cash prizes. Thus, the festival ended on a good note.



