

Brief Report of IEEE Student Branch Inauguration on 12th Nov 2011 at KITS, Warangal

The Institution of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Student Branch (IEEE KITS SB) was inaugurated on 12th November, 2011 at KITS, Warangal which comes under IEEE, Hyderabad Section. The Event guests, **Shri R. Kannan** and **Dr. D.V.S.S. Sivasarma** of IEEE, Hyderabad Section addressed the faculty and students of various engineering disciplines.

The former briefed that IEEE is a worldwide organization consisting of Ten Regions and Hyderabad Section stands under region 10 along with Asia Pacific countries like China, Japan etc. He detailed about the professional societies for addressing various issues and how IEEE can act as communication channel for knowledge aspirants. He also stressed about the requirement of Research & Development centers in academia in addition to industries for the growth of nation, which is now purely depending on borrowed technologies which are outdated rather than self innovation. The latter emphasized about IEEE Student branches in India and their competencies and activities carried out under different sections. IEEE network opens resources for learning; motivation required for today's technocrats and creates know-how of developments in various fields of Engineering.

Dr. K. Ashoka Reddy, Principal, KITS briefed about the institute and how the faculty, staff and management are putting their efforts for professionalism development in the students. **Sri G. Raghobham Reddy, HOD, ECE** gave a message for students, in what way; the IEEE helps in improving the knowledge skills. **Sri M. Raghu Ram, Branch counselor** briefed about the IEEE KITS SB, its Vision and Mission to strengthen the activities of student branch. **Mr. M. Manoj Kumar, Student Chair** reported about his team strength and their participation in organizing activities till now.

After Inaugural ceremony, a guest lecture on “**Budding Engineers for Industry**” was organized for the benefit of students in improving their professional growth towards stepping into latest industrial arena.