

Office of Students' Welfare



Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore

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"By common endeavor, we can raise the country to a new greatness, while a lack of unity will expose us to fresh calamities". - Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel

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Educating the mind without educating the heart is no education at all.





 Student Council Inauguration

• Prima Vera

Aristotle

Student Council Inauguration

November 15, 2022



The Student Council Inauguration 2022-23 was held on the 15th of November, 2022 at 12:00 PM in Dr. M. Channa Reddy Auditorium.The Student Council was inaugurated by the chief guest Mr. Shanti Lal Jain, Managing Director & CEO, Indian Bank, Corporate Office, Chennai and presided by Honourable Chancellor Dr. G. Viswanathan and students took oath. Chancellor insisted the council members to work responsibly for the welfare of students and in turn that will elevate the institute to the higher levels in all the aspects. Vice presidents, registrar, and faculty graced the occasion and conveyed their wishes to newly elected council members. The Student Council comprises of a diverse pool of students across all schools who act as a bridge between the students and the management. These Student Council members identify and report the problems encountered by the students and play an instrumental role in communicating the opinion of all the students to the Students' Welfare Office on any subject that is concerned to the students. They are also part of all the events organized by the Office of Students' Welfare and other committees like the Academic Council, IQAC, Library, etc.



Prima Vera 2022 Season II

Prima Vera 2022

Presenting to you, Freshers Cultural Fest: Prima Vera 2022, two weeks of cultural entertainment, housing the various arts and cultural competitions for 2022 batch students in dance, music, design, acting, photography, and art with loads of exciting prizes to win.



Solo Vocal Eastern

1st - (22BEE0135) Mukund B. L. 2nd - (22BIT0103) Madhuvanthi S. 3rd - (22BEI0029)Angiras S. Nazar



Solo Vocal Western

1st - (22BCE0916) Neya Balaji 2nd - (22BCE3065) Soumojit G. 3rd - (22BEE0335) Tanmay Tripathi Special Mention for Innovation & Originality -(22MIS0581)A. Venu Siva Ram



Solo Dance Western

1st - (22BCE3290) Shubh Mohanka 2nd - (22BEC0941) Jiya Gidwani 3rd - (22BCE0279) Chirag M V G.



Solo Dance Eastern

1st - (22BCE3704) Malavika R. 2nd - (22BEC0183) Sneha Banerjee 3rd - (22MDT0143) Ann Mariya S.



Monologue

1st - (22BCM0084) Sagnik Banerjee 2nd - (22BCT0282) Parth Sharma 3rd - (22BCE0630) Shaik Sajith Consolation Prize -(22BCE0138)Harshit Gaur

Group Dance Western

Position	Name	Reg. No.
	Mr. M. Shanmukh Krishna	22BCE3370
	Mr. Chirag M V Gowda	22BCE0279
	Ms. Varsha Kesarla	22BBT0309
1	Ms. Sarayu Gulla	22BME0501
1	Mr. Shubh Mohanka	22BCE3290
	Ms. Sanjith B. S.	22BIT0119
	Ms. Aastha Singh	22BCM0122
	Ms. Snighda Sharma	22BME0475
	Ms. Nishita Choudhary N. P.	22BCE2272
	Ms. Apoorva Saini	22BCE2366
2	Ms. Harshini Sunkara	22BCE2373
Z Ms. M Ms. A	Ms. Madisetty Harshitha	22BCE0722
	Ms. Anushika Verma	22BCE2301
	Ms. Diksha Tripathi	22BCE2322
Ms. Aisl	Ms. Aishwarya Vinod	22MSI0078
	Ms. Andrea Sara Ani	22BAR0001
	Ms. Diyaa Sunil	22BBT0263
3	Ms. Hrithika Sreenish	22MSI0102
	Ms. Keziah Sibi	22BAR0029
	Ms. Nandana S.	22BBA0210
	Ms. Neha Shibil	22BBT0186
	Ms. Nikhita James	22BCE0271

Group Dance Eastern

Position	Name	Reg. No.
1	Mr. Prajesh B. U.	22MID0343
	Mr. Raghul G.	22MID0150
	Mr. Uvhan Kharthik S. G.	22MID0149
	Mr. Rithick Kanna A. P.	22MID0129
	Mr. Pragatheesh P.	22MIS0231
	Mr. Muralidharan V.	22MIS0179
	Mr. Hitesh Varshan M.	22BEC0930
2	Ms. Kondath Shwetha Sreekumar	22MSI0014
	Ms. Dhanya Prathiba Manivannan	22MID0242
	Ms. Rujaa Santosh	22BID0036
	Ms. Swarnika A.	22MFI0003
	Ms. Tanya Sharma	22MIS0444
	Ms. Kharwadkar Arya Dilip	22MIC0042
	Mr. Nalla Venkata Pranathi	22MSI0074
3	Mr. Venkata Shanmukha Sriram Kothagundu	22BIT0272
	Mr. Kommaraju Vamsi Krishna Mohan	22BIT0344
	Mr. Somu Teja Gopal	22BIT0339
	Mr. Alapati Prajith	22BME0710
	Mr. Chitturi Durga Sri Rahul	22BCE3417
	Mr. Pithani Honey Siddhartha Roy	22BME0241

Prima Vera 2022 Winners



Aghilan S. 22MBE0012

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Prd

D. Keerthna 22BAM0043

Nakul G. Prasad 22BID0018

Prima Vera 2022 Winners



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Digital Painting



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Shivanee K. M. 22BAM0062

Neha Sachan 22BCE3133



2nd

Sruthi Seetharaman 22BCB0021 & Ankit Yadav 22MIS0018

Prima Vera 2022 Winners



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2nd

Hand Painting

Anusha Sarkar 21MIS0052

Kumar Shalibhadra M. 21BBT0176



Shreya Gupta 22BCE3818 & Aleesha Abdul Rasheed 22MPI0007



Events Of The Month

9 November National Legal Services Day

Limelight Law FEPSI

An Instagram quiz to spread awareness about the legal system.

10 November World Science Day for Peace and Development

Travel Diaries FEPSI

An exciting quiz on the evolution of transport.

13 November World Kindness Day

The Kindness Cure FEPSI

On a day devoted to the positive potential of both large and small acts of kindness, an event was conducted where the participants were requested to join the Instagram Story and submit a kind message to anyone.

14 November Children's Day

Nehru adhyayam Sahiti Telugu Literary Association

A special quiz to learn about Chacha Nehru's deeds before and after Independence with a few questions, and additional pictures to make participants recall and remember Chacha's life through the questions on his Birth Anniversary.

Children's Day Celebrations Visual Bloggers' Club

An interesting trivia as well as a fun-filled Q&A with the online audience

17 November National Legal Services Day

Seize the Day FEPSI

An event providing information about epilepsy disease and a quiz to assist raise understanding the condition, its causes, symptoms, and treatments for epilepsy.

21 November World Television Day

Aanaati Doordarshan Sahiti Telugu Literary Association

An event in which participants were asked to participate in the world puzzle competition that contains the questions regarding the history of television, and how it has been useful to the people.

26 November Constitution Day

Constitution Day Quiz Uddeshya VIT

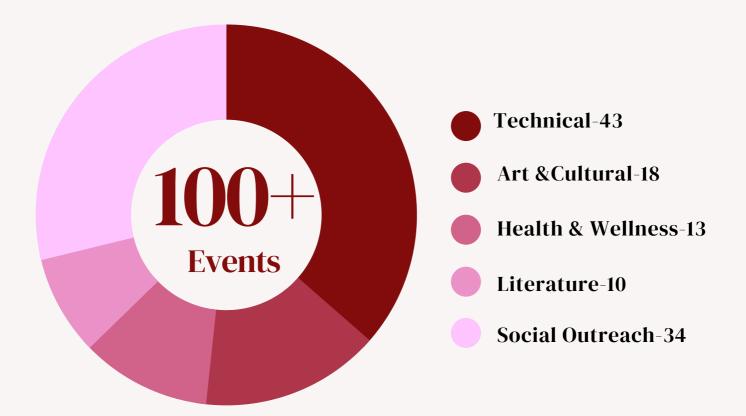
A quiz about the Indian constitution to jog one's memory about the constitution.

Events Of The Month

VIT Vellore boasts a total of 150 clubs and chapters, as part of the Office of Students' Welfare, led by the student and faculty community organizes a wide array of events daily.

A total of 118 events, that were conducted by Clubs & Chapters in the month of November, ranged not only from technical but to art & cultural, literature, social outreach, and health & wellness. There were numerous guest speakers - experts in their domains, who took sessions on various topics from all the domains and spread their knowledge to the participants.

We would like to thank all the student Clubs & Chapters for taking the initiative to conduct the events to spread knowledge, awareness and encourage leadership.



Eminent Talks



Dr. Kishore Kumar Rokkam completed his MBBS and MD from SV Medical College, Andhra Pradesh. He is serving as Associate Professor in the Psychiatry department at Santhiram Medical College, Andhra Pradesh. According to him, drugs have a harmful impact on not only the one who is consuming them but also on all his family and friends. Government and enterprise communities also do not favor these types of noxious undertakings. He hoped students would learn more about the ways to abstain from substance abuse and how to manage it if they encounter such an issue.

Ms. Tanvi Daulatabadkar, currently pursuing double majors (psychology and sociology) at Sophia college Mumbai. Apart from psychology, music is another field that she likes. She is fond of music and sports too. She reflected light on the campaign against substance abuse. A holistic view from the biological and psychological perspectives of how drugs make you a fool. The session's main agenda was to know if you are using the substance or if the substances are using you.





Mr. Veekas Doshi is the Founder of youth nation (say no to drugs) NGO, and owner of cocohigh. He is the Managing Director and Managing Partner at Ecocare Retails Pvt Ltd. He gave us insight into drug abuse, and how can we protect ourselves and answered our queries. It was an informative session that aimed to increase awareness among the students.

Ms. Erin Vogt, Associate Director, Graduate Recruitment & Admissions. She came to GW in 2017 and oversees graduate recruitment and admissions operations for the School of Engineering and Applied Science. With ten years of experience in higher and international education, Erin is passionate about helping students find the best-fit university for their personal and professional goals. Erin has a B.A. in Intercultural Communication from the University of Pittsburgh and an M.A. in International Affairs from Florida State University.



Eminent Talks



Dr. Makarand Pimplapure is the founder and MD (MakSpeed Technologies). MTech from IITM & Ph.D. from the University of Twente (Netherlands). Over 22 years of research and leadership experience in areas of Process Engineering, Process Intensification, Reaction Engineering, and Flow Chemistry. Rich working experience with various multinational corporations like Corning, DOW Chemicals, GE Plastics, and Indo Rama. Expertise in the area of Flow Chemistry with working experience of more than 12 years in a customer-facing role and supporting customers.

Mr. Ravikiran Anapagaddi completed his B.Tech and M.Tech in Chemical Engineering. He is a technology-driven professional with over 10.5 years of experience in - Research & Development involving modeling and simulation of multi-physics systems in process plants. Expertise in fluid flow, heat and mass transfer, thermodynamics and reaction kinetics, chemical kinetics, combustion and gasification, spray, numerical methods, and computational fluid dynamics (CFD). Experience in data analytics and machine learning, network optimization approaches. Proficient in developing computer codes and analysis of simulation results. Experience in project management. Strong organizational, analytical, problem-solving skills and communication skills.





Alumni Talks



Ms. Ramya Sravanthi Kakarlapudi completed her B.Tech (Chemical Engineering) from VIT, Vellore, and MS (Chemical Engineering) from the University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. She is having 4+ years of experience in troubleshooting and developing chemistries on semiconductor equipment and 2 years of experience with designing installation packages for utility equipment. Worked with Pipe-flo, AFT, and Solid works simulation to predict and design accurate mechanical systems. Collaborated with equipment suppliers, Environmental, Safety, and utility teams to develop safe and reliable designs.

Mr. Gautham S Kumar started his journey in team Chargers of VIT Dance Club right from his 1st year in 2018 and still, his vibe is going on magnificently. Did his first choreo in Jipmer 2019 for a salsa performance and won a prize as he is completely worthy. His moves and style are unique, and his attitude in delivering expressions and perfection in a step will give you the essence of true DANCE. His hard work and passion made him a "Team head of the Chargers 2020 batch"- a very successful and innovative year of dance in which he completely coped in bringing a new version of dance covers and competitions. His personal favorite western style is nothing but for us to feel like dancing with him. He is the pack of a complete dance.



Mr. Pragatheshwaran Narayanan is a VIT Star student and completed his B.Tech in Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering in the year 2020. In his talk, he has given basic ideas about petroleum technology and detailed the industry machine with real-time pictures. Qualities required from freshers in the petroleum industry. He is working as an Operations Officer (L.P.G) at Indian Oil Corporation Limited Indane Bottling Plant - Cochin, Kerala.



Talent Forage

The Power Of Education

India, when faced with the question of what kind of country it would want to be, chose to be a democratic and egalitarian society as it broke away from the shackles of centuries of imperial rule inflicted upon its people. In this new India, the son had the same opportunity as the daughter, the social outcast the same as the patrician, and the laborer the same as the rich and wealthy. This was enshrined in the constitution of our nation, but the social realities of the country were, of course, far different from this utopian outlook. India's women were denied the right to an independent life, society was still heavily stratified based on social classes, and the economically underprivileged did not see great improvement in their lives. However, there was a path to achieve that utopia, that prosperous nation.

The path was education In a society where sons largely took up the same familial profession as their fathers did, and the daughters were sent away after marriage to live as homemakers, education opened up a large array of opportunities. As Indian society slowly warmed up to the idea of sending children to schools, the country's social fabric slowly, but surely started changing. As young boys started going to schools and colleges, the teenagers and young men that came out of them were now much better equipped and capable of handling more advanced jobs and serving their families and country better. With changing attitudes and policies by successive governments, girls were enrolled in schools as well, and literate women were stronger than their ancestors ever could be, empowered with the knowledge of their rights and how to protect them, and the ability to lead financially independent lives with the power academics had given them.

Education has shown that in a way, it is a panacea for almost all problems plaguing modern society. It is the only thing in the world that has the power to empower anyone who seeks it. India is full of examples of the downtrodden escaping poverty with the liberties education granted them. The stories of our university's very own STARS, or Support The Advancement of Rural Students program, show how children from penurious families now live comfortable and dignified lives solely through reaping the benefits of their education. A literate child also has self-confidence and the courage to dream big, and oftentimes, the simple act of dreaming big is all it takes to ignite a success story.

However, it is still not a story with a happy ending, Girls continue to drop out of school much earlier than their male counterparts in most cases, and public school infrastructure is in a deplorable state in much of the country. While the country has some world-class education facilities, from international schools to reputed universities, many of them are beyond the reach of the common man, with fees that would burn gaping holes in people's pockets. We have seen the positive impacts universal education has on human development, be it better empowered and employed women, higher rates of social upliftment, and greater prosperity to the average Indian The Government, and we as the people of India should continue our journey towards an India where no child is left behind when it comes to being schooled. An educated populace ta more aware, more prosperous, and more confident populace, and that is the new, better India that we all dream about and aspire for.

Sports Achievements

Congratulations!!



Mr. N. Dhanasekaran (22BVC0016), a student of VIT has brought laurels and represented India at the international level by winning the Bronze medal in the 4th World Chess Boxing Championship held in Turkey. VIT is extremely proud of such talent and appreciates the efforts and hard work put in by our students.





Believe in yourself and have dedication and pride and never qut, you'll be the winner. We are extremely happy that **Ms. S. Varshini (22BBA0051)** has brought laurels to VIT by winning the Gold medal in Downhill and Silver Medal in the Alpine category in the Tamil Nadu State Roller Skating Championship held at Chennai.



We are extremely happy to announce that **Mr. Aakash Makhija** (19BCL0101) has represented Tamil Nadu, and the team has bagged Bronze Medal in the 2nd Federation National 9 A Side Cricket Championship 2022, held at Delhi from 21st to 23rd November 2022.



Champions keep playing until they get it right. Another achievement by students of VIT is that of **Mr. Darshan. A R** (22BAG0016) has got selected to represent Tamil Nadu in the 17th Junior National Soft Tennis Championship to be held from 8th to 14th December,2022 at Lucknow.



You were born to win, but to be a winner, you must plan to win, prepare to win, and expect to win. We are extremely happy to announce that **Mr. JAYAMARUTHI. M (21BCS0106)** has represented India and won the Gold Medal in Commonwealth Powerlifting Championship held in New Zealand.

Student Achievements

Congratulations!!

Team RoverX



We are glad to announce that **Team RoverX**, one of the technical teams **working in the Projects Lab under the Office of Students' Welfare**, participated in the 3rd International **Rover Design Challenge conducted by the Space Robotics Society(SPROS)** and secured **1st position worldwide among 24 teams from various countries**.

The competition tested the problem-solving and concept-designing skills for exploration of the polar soil-ice boundary region on Mars. The Rovers designed by the team were judged on the basis of an elaborate engineering report along with a detailed presentation explaining all aspects of the design. The judges were truly impressed by our submission and engaged in a detailed cross-questioning session where we explained to them the reasoning behind our design choices.



Dr. Rita Rani Bhattacharjee - Head of the Department (HOD), Counselling Division, DSW was invited to be the Resource Person at IIST, Trivandrum. She gave a lecture on Building assertiveness and resilience to students present there.

Entries Invited!!





Scan the QR given below and get a chance to be featured in the SW Newsletter.



We invite all our students to showcase their masterpieces with talent and skills. Submit your entries by 30th December: designs/articles /artworks or poems- based on the themes: Energy Consumer / Consumer Rights





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