

CENTRE FOR CLEAN ENVIRONMENT

Online Seminar on

"Clean Environment & Human Health"

5th June 2023



ABOUT VIT

Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) was founded in 1984 as Vellore Engineering College by the Honorable Chancellor Dr. G. Viswanathan. The Institution has grown steadily since its humble beginning. VIT attracts students from all over India and more than 50 countries because of its excellence. VIT has emerged as one of India's best institutes and aspires to become a global leader in education. Quality in teaching, learning, research and innovation make VIT a unique place to learn. The credentials in academics and research have placed VIT in the 12th position among the engineering institutions in India by NIRF, Govt. of India. VIT is Ranked within the top 200 in Asia (QS-Asia University Rankings 2022). VIT achieved NAAC Accreditation with A++ grade in the 4th cycle.

VIT is one of the top 3 institutions of India and Within the top 601-700 Universities of the world as Per Shanghai ARWU Ranking 2022. VIT is also Ranked by QS World University Ranking, Times Higher Education (THE) World University Ranking, US News Ranking, Round University Ranking, Russia and others. VIT is the first institute of India to receive QS 4-Star rating in the overall category and QS 5-Star rating in teaching, employability, facilities, innovation, and inclusiveness.

ABOUT CCE

Centre for Clean Environment (CCE) at Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) was established in 2022 with the intention to associate with Global Sustainable Development Goals adopted by the United Nations. CCE focuses on finding innovative technologies and sustainable solutions for the environmental issues from local to global scale. The centre address environmental concerns by collaborating with government, industry, non-government organizations and leading academic partners through national and international research networks.

Our thrust area of research and consultancy revolves around water & wastewater treatment & management, solid waste management, waste to wealth, emerging contaminants, novel methods for environmental remediation, multidisciplinary approach towards environmental monitoring, bioremediation of organic pollutants in soil and water, environmental systems design, computations & modelling, heavy metal removal, air pollution & climate change, environmental forensic analysis, health risks & environmental impact assessment, environmental awareness, and other relevant areas of environmental concerns. The centre has several ongoing consultancy and research projects both at regional, national, and international level. The centre targets to use transdisciplinary approach in solving the environmental issues.



ABOUT THE SEMINAR

World Environment Day is an annual global event held on June 5th since 1973, aiming to raise awareness and drive action for the protection of our environment. With participation from over 143 countries each year, World Environment Day serves as a significant platform for public outreach, uniting businesses, non-governmental organizations, communities, governments, and celebrities in advocating for environmental causes. The theme for World Environment Day 2023 is 'Beat Plastic Pollution', emphasizing the need to find global solutions to combat the pervasive issue of plastic pollution. Plastic waste has become a severe environmental challenge, with detrimental effects on ecosystems, wildlife, and human health. This year's theme underscores the urgency of addressing this problem and seeking effective strategies to mitigate its impact.

In connection with World Environment Day celebrations, the Centre for Clean Environment at Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT), Vellore, is organizing a online seminar on 'Clean Environment and Human Health'. The primary objective of this seminar is to create awareness about relevant environmental issues and their profound effects on human health.

The seminar will focus on the current environmental issues stemming from plastic pollution, shedding light on the various aspects of this problem. Attendees will gain insights into the sources of plastic pollution, the far-reaching consequences it has on ecosystems, and, most importantly, its impact on public health. The seminar will feature lectures delivered by experts from premier academic institutions and industry.

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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Clean Earth, Fresh Beginnings: Our Commitment, Our Legacy

WHO CAN ATTEND

Participation is open to all professionals, researchers, academia, industries and students.

REGISTRATION



CLICK HERE TO REGISTER

Last Date -02-06-2023

EVENT MODE: ONLINE

Time -10:30 am to 12:30 pm

Seminar link will be shared to the registered participants

E-Certificate will be provided for the registered participants.

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From Pollution to Solution: Join the Clean Environment Revolution