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From the Director's Desk

Dear all,

The academic and research activities of the institute are geared up and is reflected in conduction of workshops and award of many sponsored projects. I encourage the faculty to write more project proposals and actively participate in the academic and research activities.

Prof M Chidambaram

Faculty Development Programme under TEQIP

- Dr. B. Karthikeyan, Lecturer/ Physics International Conference on “Nanomaterials” 8th – 13th October 2007 organized by Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore at Hotel Grand Ashok, Bangalore
- Dr.A.K.Bakthavatsalam, Professor & Head/ Training and Placement undergone training in Mentoring and Career Development at 8th – 10th October 2007 at Administrative Staff College of India, Bella Vista, Raj Bhavan Road, Hyderabad – 500 082
- Ms. G. Thamaraiselvi, Librarian(S.S)/Library Application of Genisis Web for Web Based Information Services 29th – 31st October 2007 IIITM, Kozhikode, Technopark, Thiruvananthapuram-695581
- Mr. R. Mohan, Lecturer of CSE attended **Network Design and Implementation**” at Engineering Staff College of India, Hyderabad 30th October – 2nd November 2007

TEQIP PERFORMANCE INDEX

Sl. No.	Area of Performance Audit	Third Performance Audit (30 th NOV and 1 st DEC 2006)	Fourth Performance Audit (24 th to 26 th APR 2007)	Fifth Performance Audit (30 th October to 1 st November 2007)
		Perceived score out of 10	Perceived score out of 10	Perceived score out of 10
1.	Project Implementation	7.8	8.8	9.5
2.	Implementation of institutional reforms	7.8	8.7	8.7
3.	Administrative and managerial efficiency improvement	8.4	9.0	9.0
4.	Quality of education, training and services	8.2	8.9	9.3
		8.0	8.8	9.1

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Awards

- The 25th All India Budokan karate Federation Open Karate Championship was held on 26 - 28 october,2007 ,Students of NITT along with instructor participated and won the following Medals

C.T Santhosh	III Chem.	Silver medal
Ashish Pandey	II Mech	Bronze medal
V.Ganesh	III Prod	Bronze medal
Lokesh	II CSE	Bronze medal

- SOPCW 2007 was conducted at Bangalore on 23rd October 2007 .The following prizes were won by NITT students Prasad Reddy , Rashmi HM , Dhirendra Tripathi of II M-Tech VLSI ,won first prize US\$ 1500 and Professor B .Venkataramani ,was selected as out standing academic supervisor
- TRANSPARENCE 2007 ,A National Level Design Competition was conducted in September 2007. M.Rajesh Kumar ,T Gopala Krishanan and S Sree Premjith of final year Architecture won the 3rd Prize out of 133 entries.

Forth Coming Events

- Dr. T.S Sudarshan of USA will be delivering special lectures from 17/11/07-21/11/07
- Prof. R Natarajan ,Former Chairman,AICTE and Former director,IIT Madras will be delivering special lecture “ Promoting R&D Culture in our Higher Education” on 19/11/2007
- Seminar on Challenges & Opportunities in Surface Engineering Research November 21, 2007 Organised by Dept. of Metallurgical Engineering
- Workshop on Basics of Electronics And Communication Networking for Higher Secondary School Teachers on November 26
- Two Day Workshop on Finite Element Methods and Applications in Engineering using ANSYS on November 26-27

Services to the Community

- The Department of Physics organized Non-Destructive Testing – Quality – 2007 12th – 13th October 2007
- The Department of Chemistry organised Special Topics in Chemistry – 12th – 13th October 2007
- The Department of Civil Engg organized Geotechnical Investigation and Decision Making in Foundations on 23rd October 2007