



DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING  
ONE DAY NATIONAL LEVEL WORKSHOP  
ON

ADVANCEMENT IN GEO-TECHNICAL ENGINEERING

Venue: Av Hall, Kings College of Engineering

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2016

**Background & Objective**

A National level Workshop on “**Advancement in Geo-Technical Engineering**” under Department of Civil Engineering was held on 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2016 at Kings College of Engineering. It aims to provide a platform for the students, who are good in academics, research on the latest advances in Civil Engineering.

In view to it, a perfect resource person was identified (**Mr.S.Vijayabhaskaran – Associate Professor, Higher College of Engineering, Oman**) and requested to give their presence in order to boom the interest of students towards research field.

**Inaugural Session**

On 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2016 by 10.45 am, the workshop has started with incantation given by P.Subasri Third Year Civil Engineering Students. Then the workshop officially inaugurated by following the below mentioned order and dignitaries present Chief Guest Mr.S.Vijayabhaskaran, Dr.R.Saravanan (HOD-CIVIL), Mr.A.Mohamed Mansoor (Workshop Coordinator) and Mr.K.Arun.

**Welcome Session**

In the welcome session, M.P SalaimaniMagudam Third Year, Student of Civil Engineering Department welcomed the gathering.

**Thematic Session**

In this Thematic Session, Mr.A.Mohamed Mansoor, Assistant Professor, Civil Engineering Department and Workshop Coordinator explained the theme of the workshop on “**Advancement in Geo-Technical Engineering**” which is most appropriate theme in today's global environment and also the suitable engineering practice should meet human needs.

### Introducing Session

Then, the chief guest of the inaugural function, **Mr.S.Vijayabhaskaran -Associate Professor, Higher College of Engineering, Oman**, was introduced by Mr.K.Arun., Assistant Professor, Civil Engineering Department about his career track and the awards and achievements received by him. Also she pointed various post held by him.

### Honouring Session

The chief guest was felicitated by shawl and memento as sign of remembrance by Dr.R.Saravanan (HOD-CIVIL).

### Leading Session

Prominent Thinker **Dr.R.Saravanan, HOD - Civil** delivered the presidential speech. HOD appreciated the endeavours of the workshop chair, organizing members and their passion to organize the workshop. He also explained the importance of organizing workshop which will bring together the academic & research fraternity and such activities give a platform towards their research work.

### Inaugural Address

**Mr.S.Vijayabhaskaran -Associate Professor, Higher College of Engineering, Oman**, graced the occasion as Chief Guest and delivered the inaugural address. He congratulated the management and organizing members for organizing workshop at grant level. He advised both students and faculties to give importance to experience learning instead of classroom teaching. **Then he was followed by the invited talk after the tea break.**

### Valedictory Session

The workshop concluded with the valedictory programme. **Dr.R.Saravanan, HOD - Civil & Chief Guest Mr.S.Vijayabhaskaran distributed the certificates** and **Dr.R.Saravanan, HOD - Civil** highlighted that the talks delivered by Chief Guest contributed in making the event a great learning experience.

The Programme was wound up with vote of thanks delivered by **E.Bharathi**, Third Year, and Student of Civil Engineering Department who expressed her sincere gratitude to the esteemed Chief Guest for spending their precious time for the occasion. She heartily thanked the management, principal, HOD - Civil, all faculty & staff members and students were lauded for their fervent efforts with which they carried out the strenuous task of making the workshop a grand success.

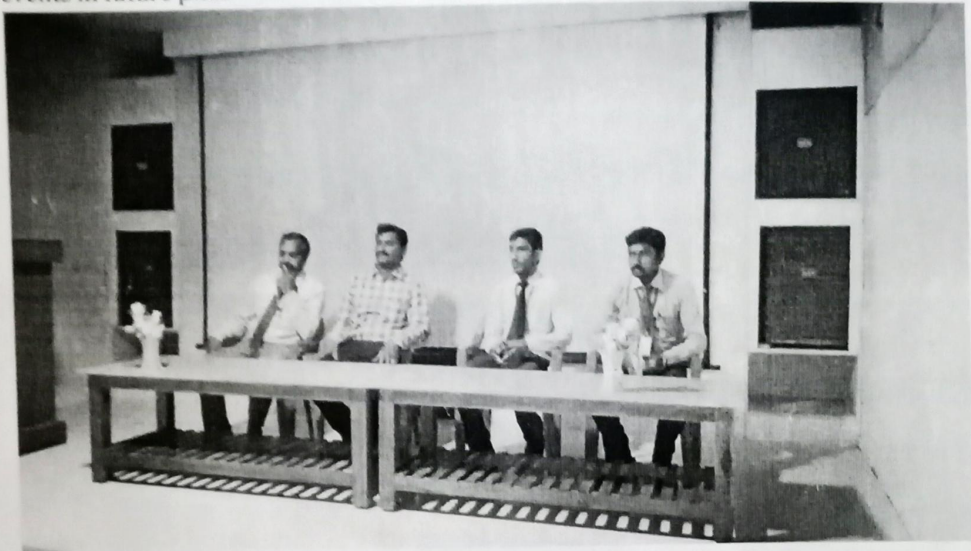
### Participants Details

98 Internal Participants

09 External Participants

### Feedback Details

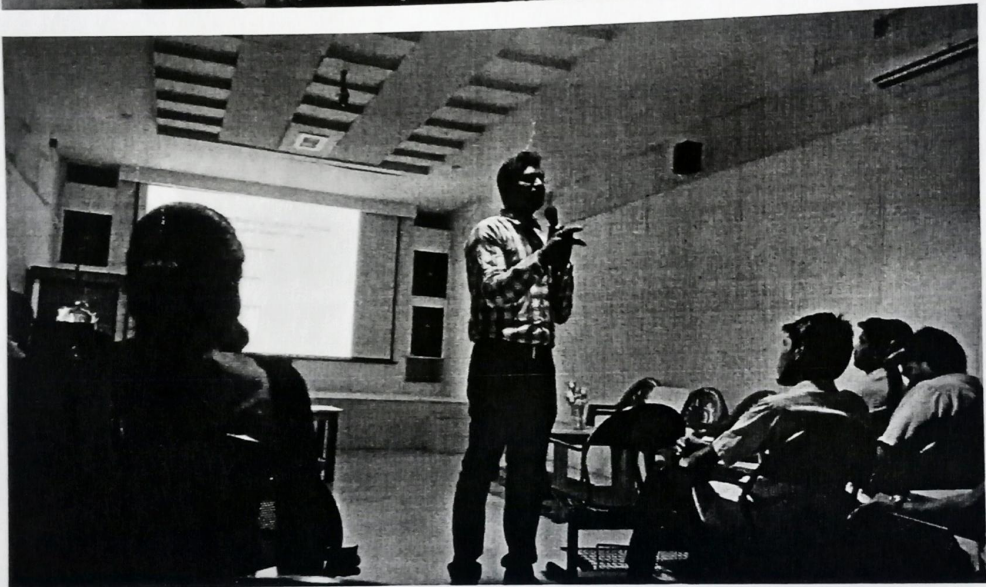
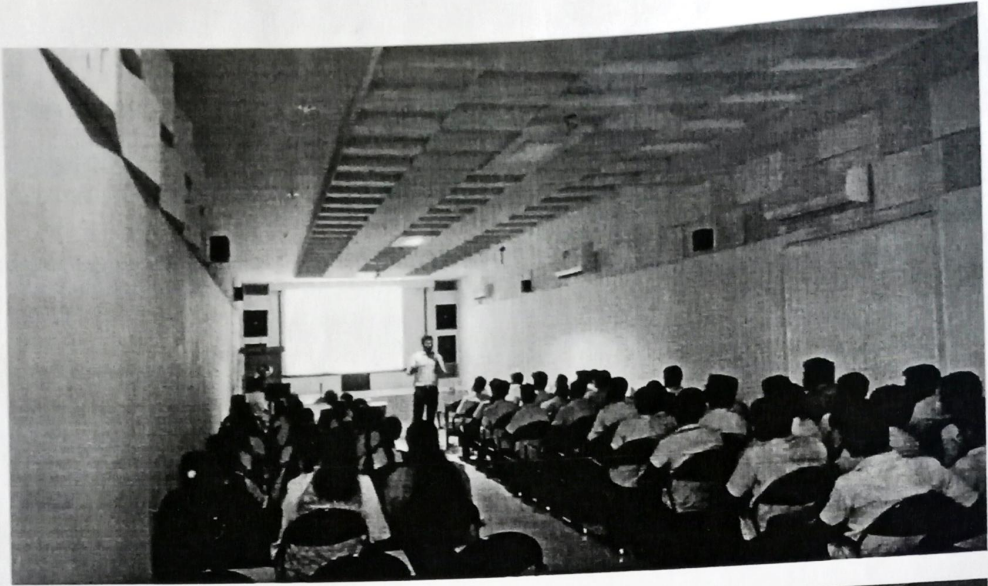
Feedback for the programme has been collected from internal and external participants; the overall rating mentioned by the students is good. They mentioned to conduct some events in future plan.



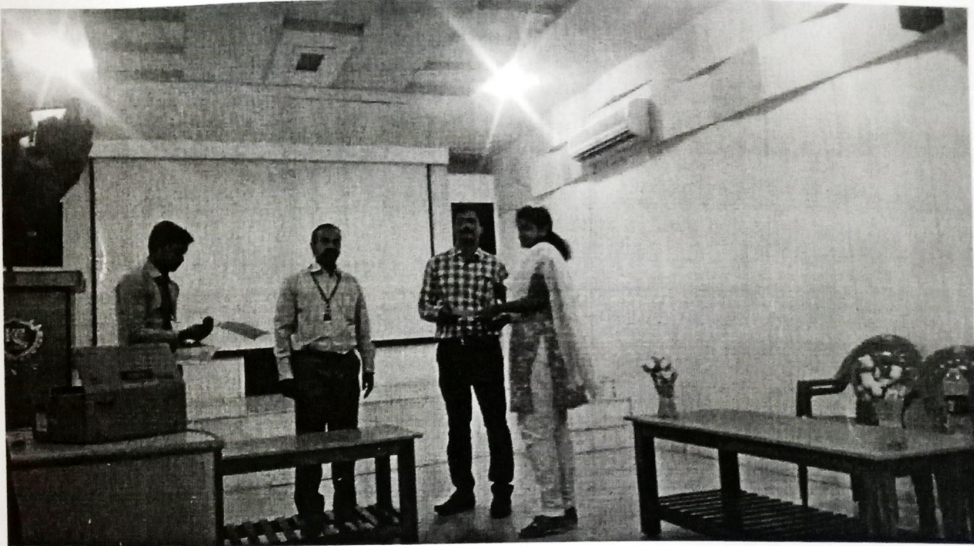
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**Dr.R.Saravanan HOD - CIVIL, Honouring the Chief Guest**



**Mr.S.Vijayabhaskar - Chief Guest, Handling the Session**



Chief Guest, HOD - CIVIL, Distributing Certificates to the Participants

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**WORKSHOP COORDINATOR**  
(A. MOHAMMED MANSOUR)

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Enclosure: - Presentation details.

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