

Autonomous Institute, Affiliated to VTU **Department of Chemical Engineering**

1. Name of the Department: Chemical Engineering

2. Name of the Activity: IIChE BRC Best Student Award and Best Project Award

3. Objectives: Annually BRC, IIChE Awards the Best Project among the Chemical Engineering colleges under its purview

4. Date, Time Venue of the Activity:

Date: 14th June, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Venue: BSN Hall, PG Block BMSCE

5. Brief summary of the Programme:

The BEST PROJECT AWARD and BEST OUTGOING STUDENT AWARD, an annual event organized by the Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers (IIChE), Bangalore Regional Centre (BRC), was hosted in partnership with the core committee of the IIChE-BMSCE student chapter on 14th June 2025 at BMS College of Engineering.

The event commenced with a warm welcome from Dr. Chetan A Nayak, the Head of the Department, Department of Chemical Engineering, BMSCE, to the distinguished chief guests, Dr. Y J Rao, Emeritus Professor, BRC-IIChE, Dr. K S Rajanandam, Former Principal, MSRIT, BRC-IIChE and Dr. Koteswara Rao Jammula, Hon. Secretary, BRC-IIChE; Jury members, Prof. K A Badarinarayana, National Executive Council member, IIChE and Dr. Shayam Prasad, Industry Expert, MPM Bengaluru; and the president of the event Dr. Bheemsha Arya, Principal BMSCE. Subsequently, an invocation song was performed, accompanied by the lighting of the lamp by all dignitaries. Dr. Chetan A Nayak, HOD, Department of Chemical Engineering, BMSCE, addressed the gathering regarding the importance of the professional body IIChE and the event. Members of the IIChE-BMSCE student chapter introduced the esteemed chief guests, which was followed by a felicitation ceremony for the chief guests by Dr. Bheemsha Arya, Principal BMSCE, on behalf of the Department of Chemical Engineering. The chief guests delivered a visionary speech that emphasized the progress of IIChE-BRC events. Dr. Bheemsha Arya motivated



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the students through his discourse, underscoring the significance of publishing papers in the realm of research.

A total of five teams took part in the event, representing B.M.S. College of Engineering, R.V. College of Engineering, Dayananda Sagar College of Engineering, M.S. Ramaiah College of Engineering and M.V.J. College of Engineering. The department organized tea and refreshments for the chief guests, jury members, and participants.

Following the tea break, each team presented their project work with great zeal and zest, while jury members scrutinized the work based on the relevance of the work, presentation skills and ability to think on their feet in response to the questions posed by the jury.

Subsequently, the valediction ceremony commenced with the declaration of results. The BEST OUTGOING STUDENT AWARD was awarded to Ms. N Tejhaswini from M.S. Ramaiah College of Engineering, Bengaluru. The first place for the BEST PROJECT AWARD was secured by R. V. College of Engineering for the project titled "Development of nanoparticle doped polymer for radioactive shielding". B.M.S. College of Engineering received the second prize for their project "Biochar doped CeO2: Synthesis, Characterization and Electrochemical Studies". All winners were felicitated by the dignitaries present on the stage, and participation certificates were distributed to every participant.

Dr. G N Rameshaiah, Professor in the Department of Chemical Engineering, BMSCE and the faculty coordinator for the IIChE-BMSCE chapter, wrapped up the program by delivering a vote of thanks. The jury members were presented with a memento as a gesture of appreciation. Following the lunch was arranged by the department for the chief guests, jury members and the participants at BMSCE.



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9. Photographs

Invocation programme and Honorary Felicitation



Photograph of felicitation ceremony for the chief guests



Photograph of Dr. Chetan A Nayak, HoD, Department of Chemical Engineering, BMSCE, addressed the gathering



Photograph of Dr. GN Rameshaiah, Professor & IIChE Coordinator, Department of Chemical Engineering, BMSCE, giving vote of thanks



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Project Presentation and Award Felicitation



Photograph of the students during the presentation



Photograph of Best outgoing student award was awarded to Ms. N Tejhaswini from M.S. Ramaiah College of Engineering, Bengaluru.



Photograph of the first place for the Best Project Award was secured by R. V. College of Engineering for the project.



Photograph of the Second place for the Best Project Award was secured by B.M.S. College of Engineering for the project.



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10. Banner and Invitation





IICHE - BANGALORE REGIONALCENTER (BRC) BEST OUTGOING STUDENT AWARD



BEST PROJECT AWARD

ORGANIZED BY

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING, BMSCE

DATE: 14.06.2025 VENUE: BSN HALL, GROUND FLOOR PG BLOCK, BMSCE, BENGALURU



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B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-19
Department of Chemical Engineering

Student Chapter, IIChE
Chemical Engineering Association
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Programme: BRC, IIChE -Best Outgoing Student Award &
Best Project Award 2024-25

Annually BRC, IIChE Awards the Best Project among the Chemical Engineering colleges under its purview. Awards for 2024-2025 will be held at B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru

Inauguration

14th June 2025 at 10:00 am

Venue

BSN Hall, Ground Floor, PG block, BMSCE

Guests

Dr. Y J Rao, Emeritus Professor, BRC- IIChE.
Dr. K S Rajanandam, Former Principal MSRIT, BRC- IIChE.
Dr. G M Madhu, Chairman, BRC- IIChE.
Dr. Koteswara Rao Jammula, Hon. Secretary BRC- IIChE.

Presided by

Dr. Bheemsha Arya, Principal, BMSCE.

Invitees

BRC-IIChE office bearers
Faculty Members and Students from Various Colleges and
Faculty Members and Students of BMSCE

Jury

Dr. Y J Rao, Emeritus Professor, BRC-IIChE.
Dr. Shyam Prasad, Industry Expert, M P M, Bengaluru

ALL ARE WELCOME

HOD and Faculty members
Department of Chemical Engineering BMSCE



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Schedule of Events for Best Out Going Student Award & Best Project Award 2024-2025

14th June 2025

Time	Details
10:00-10:45 AM	Welcome
	Invocation
	Lighting the lamp
	Address by the Head of the Department Department of Chemical Engineering, BMSCE
	Address by the Jury and Chief Guest
	Vote of Thanks
10:45 AM-12:15 PM	Project Presentation
12:15-12:45 PM	Valedictory
12:45-1:30 PM	Lunch