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ENGINEERS DAY CELEBRATIONS



A REPORT ON ENGINEERS DAY CELEBRATIONS

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India observes Engineer's Day on September 15 as a mark of remembrance and tribute to Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya, who is considered as one of the greatest engineers in the country. Vishveshvarya is also known as the father of Indian Engineering because of his enormous contributions and innovations in the field of engineering and development of society. India has been celebrating Visvesvaraya's birth anniversary as Engineer's Day since 1968. He went on to become India's most prolific civil engineer, dam builder, economist and statesman. He was one of the most prominent builders of India in the 20th century. When Visvesvaraya was the Diwan of Mysore from 1912 to 1918, he transformed the state into what was then known as a 'model state'. For his numerous industrial, economic and social projects, he was called "Father of Modern Mysore"

Visvesvaraya was also the chief engineer responsible for the construction of the Krishna Raja Sagara Dam in Mysore, the biggest in Asia at that time. In 1909, when the city of Hyderabad was in danger of getting flooded, Visvesvaraya was appointed as special consultant engineer to make the city flood-proof. His inventive engineering work saved the Visakhapatnam port from sea erosion.



Visvesvaraya is credited with inventing the block system, automated doors that close the water overflows. He designed and patented the floodgates which were first installed at the Khadakwasla reservoir in Pune in 1903. Visvesvaraya established Government Engineering College in 1917 in Bengaluru which was later named University Visvesvaraya College of Engineering in his honour. Due to his outstanding contribution to the building of India, the government conferred 'Bharat Ratna' on him in 1955. He was also awarded the British knighthood by King George V, which put the honorific 'sir' before his name.



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We at Tirumala Engineering College habituated to celebrate the birth celebrations of Sir Sri Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya as a token of gratitude to the legendary Engineer of the country.

Sir M Visvesvaraya was a divine gift to India. He knew his subject, was competent to do great designs of civil engineering structures, and executed what others might have avoided as risks. Present engineering professionals and researchers should follow his example and gain knowledge to minimize risks while launching mega projects.

Our Principal Dr. Y. V Narayana garu instructed all the faculty members to assemble for the celebrations of Sir M Visvesvaraya. All the heads of the departments along with their staff members assembled in the seminar hall. The photo of Sir M Visvesvaraya is respected with garland by the principal sir. Principal sir addressed the gathering with beautiful words of Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya garu. He remembered the importance of an engineer to the society. Engineer is the key position in building the nation in all areas. As an engineering college principal, he wishes every engineer should have some social responsibility towards the society for the betterment. Every engineer needs to identify the problems in the society and try to find the solutions for the problems. Heads of various departments spoke on this occasion and remembered the importance of engineers to the society. They paid tribute to India's most respected engineer Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya garu.



Heads of various departments of TEC on the dais



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Head of the department is addressing the gathering



Engineers day celebrations in TEC