# REPORT

of

# IEEE Day Celebration and Quiz Competition

Organized by:
IEEE SCET Student Branch, with the support of
IEEE Gujarat Section and IEEE VTS SCET SBC

## EVENT DETAILS:

**Event Mode:** Offline

**Event Date:** $13^{th}$ October 2025

**Event Venue:** EC-AV Hall, E&C Department, SCET

**Total Number of Attendees:** 21

**Faculty Coordinators:** Dr. Chirag Paunwala

Dr. Ketki Pathak

**Student Coordinators:** Masoom Parekh

Dev Patel

Aryan Sariya

Anika Mehta

# INTRODUCTION

The IEEE SCET Student Branch, with the support of IEEE Gujarat Section and IEEE VTS SCET SBC organized a special event titled *"IEEE Day Celebration and Quiz Competition"* to commemorate IEEE Day and promote engagement among student and professional members. The event aimed to celebrate technological collaboration, discuss future initiatives, and encourage student participation in IEEE activities.

# 1. OPENING CEREMONY AND WELCOME ADDRESS

The event commenced with a welcome address and introductory remarks delivered by the student coordinators, Aryan Sariya and Anika Mehta. They extended a warm welcome to all participants and attendees, including both IEEE members and newcomers. The coordinators provided a brief overview of IEEE, the IEEE SCET Student Branch, its various dynamic chapters, and the ongoing initiatives undertaken to promote technical and professional development among students within and beyond the IEEE community.



# 2. INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION SESSION

Following the introduction, an open discussion was held among student members and professional members including Dr. Chirag Paunwala, Dr. Ketki Pathak, Prof. Vandana Joshi, and Prof. Mitali Desai. The discussion primarily focused on the membership drive strategy and its implementation for the upcoming academic sessions. It was noted that while earlier years saw strong early participation from first-year students, this year the enthusiasm declined due to examination schedules and festive engagements.

After deliberation, it was collectively decided that henceforth, the membership drives would be initiated immediately after the induction of first-year students, without waiting for the October discount period. Plain IEEE memberships would be encouraged at the start of the academic year, and subsequent society memberships could be promoted later during the discount period to sustain student interest.

The session also included an important discussion regarding the formation of the new Executive Committee. Dr. Chirag Paunwala and Dr. Ketki Pathak announced that the upcoming Executive Committee would be constituted in November, allowing the newly elected members to receive a four-month transition and mentorship period from the current position holders before their graduation.

Dr. Chirag Paunwala emphasized that the selection process would not only consider current roles but also assess members based on:

- Their level of activity in branch and section-level events (including major events such as AISYWLC).
- Their initiative and leadership potential.
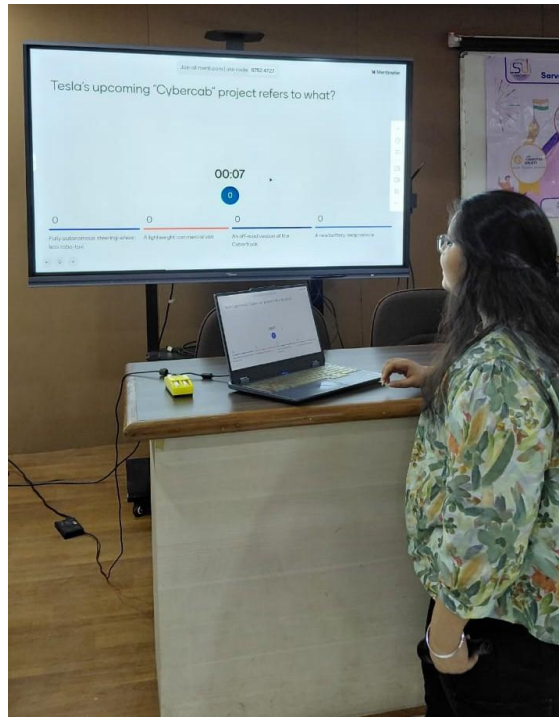- Their ability to contribute towards sponsorships and funding opportunities.

Members were advised to explore funding options available through various IEEE chapters to strengthen the branch's financial foundation and enhance the scope of student-led initiatives.

Dr. Ketki Pathak and Dr. Chirag Paunwala further elaborated on the benefits of IEEE membership, highlighting scholarship programs, learning resources, and global networking                                                                                    opportunities.

# 3. QUIZ COMPETITION

The celebration concluded with an engaging Quiz Competition, moderated by Masoom Parekh and Dev Patel. The quiz consisted of 20 questions—10 technical questions related to Vehicular Technology and 10 non-technical questions. Prior to the quiz, a brief introduction was given about VTS, its objectives, and the forthcoming events planned under the new chapter. Participants displayed great enthusiasm throughout the competition. The quiz winners were felicitated with certificates in recognition of their performance.



# 3. IEEE Day Celebration and Cake Cutting Ceremony

The IEEE Day Cake Cutting Ceremony followed the discussion session. The ceremony was conducted by the chairs of various chapters, symbolizing unity and collaboration among all IEEE members.

During this moment, the achievements and initiatives undertaken by IEEE SCET SB over the past year were acknowledged and celebrated. The event reaffirmed the branch's collective commitment to continue advancing impactful initiatives in the future.

## 8. CONCLUSION

The IEEE Day Celebration and Quiz Competition concluded on a positive and inspiring note. The event not only celebrated the spirit of IEEE but also provided a meaningful platform for discussion, strategic planning, and member engagement. The event reinforced IEEE SCET SB's commitment to continuous growth, technical excellence, and fostering collaboration among students and professionals alike.

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