

## LAKIREDDY BALI REDDY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

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### DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING

## IE (I) STUDENT CHAPTER, MYLAVARAM

# Report on the World Habitat Day Celebrations Held at Lakireddy Bali Reddy College of Engineering, Mylavaram on 03<sup>rd</sup> October, 2023

Event Type	A Guest lecture and Drawing competition (On the occasion of World Habitat			
	day)			
Date / Duration	03.10.2023			
Name of the	Sri K. Harish Kumar, Sr. Assistant Professor			
Coordinator				
Target Audience	B Tech Ist year students			
Total no of	Guest lecture – All B.Tech first years - 400			
Participants	Drawing Competition - 61			
Objective of the	To create awareness to the 1st year B. Tech students about the importance of			
event	World Habitat Day, its history, and the critical theme for 2023			
Outcome of event	A little change of our habits in the way we manage land, water, sanitation,			
	household waste, energy will go a long way in building a better urban future.			
Feedback /	Received positive feedback from participants regarding events conducted and			
Suggestions	about organizing the event			

### **Photographs**



Dr. K. Appa Rao, Principal-LBRCE addressing the gathering



Prof. (Dr.) M L S Deva Kumar, FIE Hon. Secretary, IEI APSC, addressing the gathering



Dr. P. Polu Raju, Professor, KLU and Past Chairman of Indian Concrete Institution delivering the Guest Lecture on "Resilient urban economies, cities as drivers of growth and recovery"



Dr. C. V Sriram, FIE Chairman, IEI APSC, addressing the gathering



Dr. V. Ramakrishna, Professor, Civil-LBRCE addressing the gathering



Dr. J. Venkateswara Rao, Professor & HOD, Civil-LBRCE addressing the gathering



Section of gathering



Students participation in drawing competition



Prize distribution to winners



Felicitation to the Dr. C. V Sriram garu by Principal, LBRCE



Felicitation to the Guest speaker Dr. P. Polu Raju garu by Principal, LBRCE



A group photo with organisers

#### **REPORT**

World Habitat Day, observed on the first Monday of October each year, serves as a global platform to contemplate the state of our habitats and emphasize the fundamental right of every individual to have access to adequate shelter. This year World Habitat Day observed on 2nd October. In the year 2023, this day takes on a special significance as urban economies around the world grapple with unprecedented challenges. Against the backdrop of a declining global economy, exacerbated by the lingering effects of the COVID-19 pandemic and conflicts, World Habitat Day 2023 focuses on the theme of "Resilient Urban Economies: Cities as Drivers of Growth and Recovery."

The Department of Civil Engineering of Lakireddy Bali Reddy College of Engineering has organized a Guest Lecture and drawing competition on "Resilient Urban Economies: Cities as Drivers of Growth and Recovery" for 1<sup>st</sup> year B.Tech Students in association with IE AP State Centre under the banner of IE (I) Student Chapter Mylavaram and Prakruthi Club of LBRCE

on 03<sup>rd</sup> October, 2023.

The objective of the program is to create awareness to the 1st year B. Tech students about the importance of World Habitat Day, its history, and the critical theme for 2023.

Dr. P. Polu Raju, Professor, Civil Engg Dept, KLU and Past Chairman of Indian Concrete Institution acted as the Resource person in the guest lecture programme along with Dr. C. V Sriram, FIE Chairman, IEI APSC, Prof. (Dr.) M L S Deva Kumar, FIE Hon. Secretary, IEI APSC and Dr D. Ramesh Kumar, EC member, IE APSC. Dr Polu Raju highlighted the need for ecofriendly construction techniques to meet the increased habitation needs. He illustrated the same with a few case studies.

All the I B.Tech. Students and faculty members participated in the Guest Lecture. Students interacted with the resource persons and have enjoyed the sessions. This program is helpful for the students to understand the importance of World Habitat Day, its history, and the critical theme for 2023.

The resource persons were felicitated by Dr.K. Appa Rao, Principal LBRCE and distributed prizes to the winners in this regard.

### The list of winners is given below:

S.No	Event	Name of the winners	Dept	Prize
		R. Prathyusha, 23ECE139	ECE	I
1.	Drawing Competition	M. Raga Pranathi, 23CSE132	CSE	II
		I. Tanuja, 23AID075	AI&DS	III