15th National Conference

on

“Preparing Engineers/Technologists for Role in Industry”

Friday, November 10, 2017

 Principal Supporting Organisation:

All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE)

Venue:
Auditorium
AICTE,
JNU Campus, Nelson Mandela Marg
Vasant Kunj, New Delhi-110067

Engineering Council of India

in association with

Member Associations
Introduction

For accelerated economic growth, massive investments are needed in all sectors. Industry and corporates will require engineers/technologists in large numbers. As several studies have shown, most of the engineers/technologists passing out from technical institutions do not have practical skills to take up jobs in industry and require pre-job training. Many companies have to deploy large amount of funds, time and internal resources in locating, recruiting, training and in trying to retain talent in the absence of availability of 'industry ready' manpower directly from academic institutions in adequate numbers and quality.

All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) has recently decided that, starting from 2017-18, the engineering students should undergo internship training before taking up jobs, in a manner somewhat similar to medical graduates, so that they can gain practical skills and experience and suitably fit in the desired roles in industry. For this purpose, a major initiative has been taken by AICTE by partnering with Engineering Council of India (ECI) in this regard so that the quality of graduates could be enhanced and thereby their employability. ECI & AICTE have entered into an MoU, for providing “Internship” to the students in all disciplines of technical education to enable them to become employable. ECI shall be facilitating hands-on training/internship for these graduates through its member associations, in their respective stream of engineering.

For those engineers/technologists who are already employed, it is important that they undergo Continued Professional Development (CPD) so as to upgrade their knowledge and skills and prepare themselves for required role in the industry. This is necessary in view of rapid technological advancements in all spheres of engineering activities.

Objectives

Preparing engineers/technologists for their future role in industry is a massive task which requires working together of industry, academia and professional associations of engineers. The main objective of the Conference is to deliberate the requirements of the industry for engineering manpower and how these can be met. For this purpose, large scale internship training will have to be organized for fresh engineers coming out of institutions and Continued Professional Development for those engineers/technologists who are already employed. The Conference will deliberate on the role which needs to be played by all the three bodies concerned-industry, academia and professional associations. Additionally, there may be need for some role to be played by the concerned government agencies. Both AICTE and ECI (together with its member associations) will look forward to innovative ideas in these deliberations to carry out this task of 'internship training' effectively and efficiently so as to meet the requirements of industry.

Proposed Topics for Discussion

The main theme may be subdivided into sub-themes dealing with different aspects of preparing engineers for role in industry, such as identification of specific challenges, skills to be developed to remove deficiencies and mismatch, reform of engineering education for orienting it to needs of the industry. The papers may be from industry stalwarts, practitioners, academicians & research scholars, government officials and members of the professional associations of engineers and technologists.
Tentative Programme

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Participants
The Conference would be beneficial to engineers and technologists working at different levels in industry, central and state public sector enterprises, private sector companies, government and defence organizations, power, transport and other utilities, research and development organizations, consultancy organizations, and academia.

Participation Fee* (per delegate)

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Registration
Nominations may please be sent giving full particulars (Name, Organization, Designation, Address, Phone No, Mobile No, Fax No, E-mail address, etc.) along with the participation fee as applicable by DD/Cheque made payable to the Engineering Council of India at New Delhi latest by October 30, 2017 to the following address:

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ECI was established on April 4, 2002, by coming together of a large number of Professional Organizations Institutions of engineers, to work for the advancement of engineering profession in various disciplines, for enhancing the image of engineers in society, by focusing on quality and accountability of engineers and to enable the recognition of expertise of Indian engineers and their mobility at international level in the emerging WTO/GATS environment. It has emerged as a common voice of its member organizations.

Objectives

The main objectives of ECI are to work for the advancement of engineering profession in various disciplines and for enhancing the image of engineers in the society. To this end, ECI is focusing on quality and accountability of engineers, regulation through a statutory body, professionalization and their mobility for delivering quality engineering services in India and other countries.

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