# Department of Metallurgical Engineering Quarterly Report (October to December - 2023)

### **1. Students' Placement**

- (i) B.Tech (2019-2023) student Mr. Vijay Punekar selected in Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd as Graduate Apprentice Trainee.
- (ii) B.Tech (2019-2023) student Mr. Aditya Raju Bhorde selected in Subodh Technologists.
- (iii) Diploma (2023) students Mr. Raunak Tripathi & Mr. Akash Upadhyay selected in Jindal Steel & Power.
- (iv) Diploma (2023) student Mr. Santosh Paswan, Mr. Daneshwar Chandra and Mr. Ravishankar Singh selected in ARJAS STEELS.
- (v) B.Tech VII<sup>th</sup> semester students Mr. Abhiram, Mr. Alla Keshavardhan, Mr. Swastibrata Banerjee, Mr. Abhay Raj Sharma, Mr. Amar Hirachand, Mr. Ujjwal Kesharwani, Mr. Sarode Amol and Mr. Chaitanya Yogesh Bawankar selected in Unominda.
- (vi) B.Tech VII<sup>th</sup> semester students Mr. Abhiram, Mr. Swastibrata Banerjee and Mr. Abhay Raj Sharma selected in JSL.

#### 2. Publications in SCI Journals

- (i) Arjun Kundu, Prasenjit Biswas, Deepak Patel, Jagadish Nayak, Rupesh Kumar Verma, Archana Mallik, Sanjeev Das, Effect of Low Degree Electromagnetic Field on Solidification Mechanism and Mechanical Properties of Twin Roll Cast Al 7075 Alloy, JOM (2023) <u>https://doi.org/10.1007/s11837-023-06173-y</u>
- (ii) Neeraj Kumar, Jaykumar Jasani, Yogesh Sonvane, J.G Korvink, Ashutosh Sharma, Bharat Sharma, Unfolding the hydrogen gas sensing mechanism across 2D Pnictogen/graphene heterostructure sensors, Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical, 399 (2024) 134807.

#### **3. Faculties Achievements**

- (i) Dr. S. Das, Steel Chair Professor listed in the Top 2% Scientist as per the latest research survey by the Stanford University.
- (ii) Department released the second issue of AYAS NEWSLETTER 2023 (Vol.1, No.2).

- (iii) **Prof. Neeraj Kumar Verma, Associate Professor** recommended as a potential reviewer for the journal "The Open Civil Engineering Journal".
- (iv) Prof. Nandalal Acharjee, Sr. Assistant Professor participated in poster presentation in the BPUT Research Conclave 2023 conducted by Biju Patnaik University of Technology, Orissa on December 14, 2023.
- (v) The Department of Mathematics, School of Science, OP Jindal University has invited Dr Trinath Talapaneni (Sr. Assistant Professor) as a Judge on the eve of National Mathematics Day conducted on 22 Dec 2023.
- (vi) Dr Trinath Talapaneni (Sr. Assistant Professor) has been appointed as an Examiner to prepare
  B.Tech ESE Question paper for Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Technology (MGIT, Autonomous)
  Hyderabad.

# **4. Students Achievements**

- (i) B.Tech (Vth sem) student Mr. Kolli Venkatesh selected for OPJEMS Scholarship of Rs. 80,000/-
- (ii) B.Tech (V<sup>th</sup> sem) student Mr. Naresh Ku. Mourya secured second position in Poster Presentation competition on "National Energy Conservation Day" on 14th December 2023 organized at OPJU, Raigarh.

## **5. Conferences Attended**

(i) Dr. Nidhi Khobragade, Assistant Professor participated and presented the paper titled "Graphene reinforced SiC ceramic composites using powder metallurgy route: A short review" at 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Materials Science and Engineering (ICMSE) held on November 23-25, 2023 and organized by the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Dr B R Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, Punjab, India.

## 6. Knowledge Imparted

(i) **Dr. Guru Prakash, Associate Professor** delivered lectures on Oct.31, 2023 to JET, JSPL Raigarh on Fundamentals of Iron & Steel Making, Secondary Steel Making and Continuous Casting of Steel.

- (ii) Dr. Rajesh Jha, Associate Professor delivered lectures on Oct.31, 2023 to JET, JSPL Raigarh on Artificial Intelligence/IoT: Automation & Challenges and Case Studies on DRI, Blast Furnace, LD, Continuous Casting, Plate & Coil Mill.
- (iii) Dr. S. Das, Mr. Vikas Mahato, Dr. Prasenjit Biswas Consultancy project report on Failure Analysis of Flange Web Weld Tee Joint of JSP, Raigarh submitted on 29 December 2023.

# 7. Events and Activities

- (i) B.Tech students (V<sup>th</sup> sem) conducted AICTE activity programme "Swachchta hi seva abhiyan" under Green India Initiative in association with NSS on November 03, 2023 from 9:00 to 11:00 AM. The students collected plastic waste from all around the campus. Mr. Hrishikesh Shastri & Dr. Deepak Patel coordinated the program.
- (ii) B.Tech (V<sup>th</sup> sem) student Mr. Sakir Ali has done cleanliness activity (NSS Activity) in Kirodimalnagar Railway Station, South- East Central Railway Raigarh on 4 Nov. 2023 on the occasion of National Day of Community Services.
- (iii) Department conducted pre-placement training session with Alumni working in Uno-Minda for B.Tech VII<sup>th</sup> sem students on 26 Nov.2023.
- (iv) A session on "Know your University" was conducted at room no. S-01 on December 01, 2023 for the students of B. Tech III<sup>rd</sup> and V<sup>th</sup> semester. Mr. Hrishikesh Shastri, Dr. Guru Prakash and Dr. Deepak Patel supported the session.

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