

IIT Hyderabad Successfully Concludes the "Future Inventors Fair 2024" **Celebrating Young Innovators!**

Highlights:

- *The Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad proudly hosted the second edition of the "Future Inventors Fair", a remarkable event dedicated to nurturing the creative and innovative talents of young students from class of 8 & 9 from across Telangana*
- *The event witnessed an impressive turnout, with students presenting a diverse array of projects that highlighted their creativity, technical skills, and forward-thinking solutions.*
- *Prof. B.S. Murty, Director, IIT Hyderabad, had the honour of presenting the awards and cash prize to the top three projects, and have been offered the unique opportunity to participate in internships with leading scientists and researchers at IIT Hyderabad.*

Hyderabad: 18th August 2024 — The Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad (IITH) proudly hosted the second edition of the "*Future Inventors Fair*" (FIF), a remarkable annual event dedicated to nurturing the creative and innovative talents of young students from across Telangana. Held on August 18th, 2024, the fair brought together some of the brightest young minds from Class 8 and 9, showcasing their innovative projects and ideas on a prestigious platform. Total 18 schools participated in the final round of FIF.

The event witnessed an impressive turnout, with students presenting a diverse array of projects that highlighted their creativity, technical skills, and forward-thinking solutions. The projects spanned various domains, reflecting the wide-ranging interests and talents of these young inventors.

The highlight of the day was the much-anticipated prize distribution ceremony. The Director of IIT Hyderabad, *Prof. B.S. Murty*, had presented the awards to the top three projects. The winners were as follows:

First Prize (Rs.20,000): Niharika and Shivangi from Army Public School, Bolarum for the project ANTI-SLEEP DETECTOR

Second Prize (Rs. 10,000): Swastiksha and T Lakshay from Hyderabad Public School, Ramanthapur for the project DYNAMIC TEMPERATURE MANAGEMENT

Third Prize (Rs. 5,000): Ridhiman Singh, Mayur and Aananya Pakki from ST. Andrews High School, Suchitra for the project MICROALGAE FOR SUSTAINABLE AIR PURIFICATION

In addition to the cash prizes, the winners have been offered the unique opportunity to participate in internships with Excellent faculty members at IIT Hyderabad. This experience will provide them with invaluable insights into advanced research and innovation, further fuelling their passion for science and technology.

The "Future Inventors Fair 2024" was more than just a competition; it was a celebration of young talent, innovation, and the boundless possibilities of the future. IITH commitment to nurturing young minds and promoting a culture of curiosity and exploration in science and technology was evident throughout the event. The event drew a large and enthusiastic audience, including educators, parents, and industry professionals, all eager to witness the remarkable talents of the participants. The exhibition offered a glimpse into the future of innovation, as envisioned by these young minds, and served as an inspiration to all attendees.

Prof BS Murty, Director, IIT Hyderabad Congratulated the winners and said: "I extend my heartfelt congratulations to all participants and winners and look forward to continuing its mission of fostering innovation and excellence in the years to come. Technology thrives on innovation, and IITH has taken the initiative to foster innovation on campus. This remarkable event is dedicated to nurturing the creative and innovative talents of young students from across Telangana. Collaboration is key to growth, so let's collaborate and innovate together. We are always here to guide and support students in becoming leaders in Science and Technology for our country.

Prof Deepak John Mathew from the Design Department congratulated all the participants and thanked the team behind the event and delivered the vote of thanks.

About IIT Hyderabad:

IITH, established in 2008, as one of the second Generation IITs, has reached a respectable position in both academics, research, technology development and startups in the short span of 16 years. In the recent Indian National Ranking (NIRF-2024), IITH is placed at 3rd in Innovation and 8th among Engineering institutes in India.

It has 320+ full-time faculty, 5,200+ students (PG + PhD students accounting for about 60%). The institute has a strong research focus with Rs. 1100+ Cr of R&D funding, 10,500+ publications, 295+ Patents, and about 190+ startups (that have generated 1100+ jobs and a revenue of Rs. 1500+ Cr). Follow us on [Instagram](#), [LinkedIn](#), [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), [Koo](#), and [YouTube](#) for the latest updates.

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