### **TEQIP** Sponsored one day faculty development program on

# "Innovation Practices In Highway Design, Construction , Maintenance And Safety"

TEQIP Sponsored one day faculty development program on "Innovation Practices In Highway Design, Construction, Maintenance And Safety" was conducted on 20<sup>th</sup> February 2014 by the Department of Civil Engineering at Thiagarajar college of Engineering, Madurai. The staff coordinator of the course were Dr.R.Velkennedy Associate Professor and Ms.D.Srividya, Assistant Professor, TCE Madurai. Sessions was handled by experienced resource persons from Anna university, NIT Trichy. Dr.S.Moses Santhakumar from NIT Trichy handled a session on "Intelligent Transporation systems" and "Economic analysis of transportation projects", Dr.G.UmaDevi Associate professor from Anna university Chennai delivered a lecture on "Application of system Dynamics simulation modeling in road safety".

Also a session of lecture on "Soil Stabilization For Highway Project" was delivered by Dr.K.Muthukkumaran, Associate professor,NIT Trichy.Major topics like plastic coated aggregates bituminous pavement, non motorized transport modes, highway safety and audit, and highway maintenance were covered. Around 25 Participants from various colleges were participated in this program.

#### Thiagarajar College of Engineering

TCE is a 56 years old Govt. Aided Autonomous institution, affiliated to Anna University and accredited by National Board of Accreditation. This ISO 9001:2008 certified institution founded by Philanthropist and Industrialist Late. Shri. Karumuttu Thiagarajan Chettiar is funded by Central & State Governments and Management. The college offers seven undergraduate Programmes, eleven Postgraduate Programmes and Doctoral Programmes in Engineering, Sciences and Architecture.

#### TEQIP

The World Bank supported Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme (TEQIP) is a long term programme, being implemented in three phases for a systemic transformation of the Technical Education System in India.

In its second phase (TEQIP II), around 200 engineering institutions spread across India have been competitively selected to implement the project enabling the institutions to improve the quality of technical education through institutional reforms.

#### **Objective of TEQIPII**

To strengthen the Institutions to improve Learning Outcomes and Employability of Graduates.

#### About the Department

The Department of Civil Engineering functions with the prime goal of imparting sound and proper mix of theory and practical courses in the fundamentals and recent technological developments of Civil Engineering and allied disciplines to the students so that the students, on completion of the course, get good opportunities in industries and higher education. The other objectives of the department are: promotion of research and development activities, providing consultancy services to the industries and conducting continuing education programs.

#### Theme of the FDP

"Road Infrastructure Backbone of Nation"

#### Objective

The objective of this programme is to create:

- Awareness on various components of road
  its design, construction, materials and maintenance.
- Awareness on advanced road infrastructure ITS
- Awareness on quality control of materials in pavements

#### Eligibility

The faculty members from engineering colleges, Engineers and Scientists from industry with relevant background.

#### Contents

The major topics planned to be covered are

- Plastic Coated aggregates bituminous pavement
- System Dynamics Simulation Modelling in road safety
- Soil Stabilisation for Highways
- Non Motorised transport modes
- Economic Analysis of Transportation Projects
- Transportation System Management
- Construction Practices of Highways
- Highway Safety and Audit
- Highway Maintenance

### **Resource persons and Organization**

Sessions will be handled by experienced Scientist/Researchers, Faculty members from Anna University, NIT- Trichy, NIT - Calicut, NATPAC -Trivandram, L&T Chennai and TCE.

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#### Accommodation

Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for stay during the programme. However, suggestions for suitable accommodation near the college could be made on request.

#### **Important Dates**

Last date for receiving application :07.02.2014 Intimation to Participants :10.02.2014



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### **TENTATIVE SCHELDUE**

Thrusday 20.02.14	08.30 am – 09:15 am	09:15 am– 09:45 am	09:45 am - 10:00 am	10:00 am – 11:30 am	11:30 am – 13:00 pm	13:00 pm - 14:00 pm	14:00 pm – 15:30 pm	15:30 pm – 17:00 pm	17:30 pm -
	Registration	Inaugural function	T E A B R E A K	Intelligent Transport System (Dr. S.Moses Santhakumar, Professor, NIT, Trichy)	Application of System Dynamics simulation modeling in road safety (Dr.G. Uma Devi, Associate Professor, Anna University,Chennai)	L U N C H B R E A K	Soil Stabilization for Highway Project (Dr. K.Muthukkumaran, Associate Professor,NIT Trichy)	Economic Analysis of Transportation Projects (Dr. S. Moses Santhakumar, Professor, NIT, Trichy)	V A L D T T A O R Y &