

Press Release

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SRM University- AP observes Research Day 5th edition

Research Day 5th edition was held on Tuesday, September 27, 2022, at SRM University-AP to foster the exchange of information across disciplines, encourage extensive research projects, and appreciate innovative efforts. Dr Buddha Chandrasekhar, Chief Coordinating Officer of All India Council for Technical Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India, was the chief guest of the event. He lauded the fundamental ideology of the Research Day and highlighted the need to develop Indian students as world-class skilled workforce and entrepreneurs by providing real-time internship opportunities where industry and academia stay connected.

Prof D Narayana Rao, Pro Vice-Chancellor, SRM AP, welcomed Dr Buddha Chandrasekhar, Chief Coordinating Officer, All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), and other esteemed dignitaries. "Research and innovations are integral to growing and sustaining a large and vibrant society and economy. Innovations in science and technology are an integral part of the long-term growth and dynamism of any nation," he stated and proceeded to elaborate how universities are proven as creators of new knowledge, innovative ideas, providers of skilled manpower, agents of social change, and symbols of international attention and research.

Dr Buddha Chandrasekhar shared his concerns regarding the widening gap between academy and industry and expressed his determination to reduce at least 5% unemployment in the country. He also demonstrated the websites 1crore aicte and aicte internship developed under the Ministry of Education and explained the arena of possibilities it opens to the youth of India.

As part of Research Day, a total of 210 papers were presented by students and faculty. A special issue of the research abstracts booklet comprising all the selected abstracts was unveiled during the event. Gold medals and certificates have been awarded to qualified students and their mentors for their research work in various thematic areas. Dr Buddha Chandrasekhar interacted with all the medal winners in person following the event.

Research Day celebration at SRM University- AP uplifts the momentum of various research endeavours at the university and actuates the agenda of a research-oriented educational institution.