

## National Engineers' Day Celebration

On the occasion of the National Engineers' Day on September 15<sup>th</sup>, the School of Engineering, IIT Mandi celebrated the event commemorating the engineering contributions of Bharat Ratna Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya. In-person and online competitions comprising of scientific storytelling, research presentations, posters, and prototype showcasing were organized on the theme "Engineering for Society". The event recorded an overwhelming response from the students. The occasion was graced by the presence of Mr. Sunil Verma, Joint Director (Technical Education), Government of Himachal Pradesh, and Dr. Hemant Kumar from the Aditya Birla Group. The Director of the Institute, Prof. Ajit Kumar Chaturvedi addressed the students and highlighted the importance of interdisciplinary research and emphasized on developing engineering skills that are capable of solving problems across traditional engineering boundaries. Team "Sanrakshanam" and "Glass and Glass-ceramic Group" were jointly declared winners for the prototype showcasing event; Mamta, Deepa, and Charu bagged the first, second, and third prizes, respectively, in the poster presentation event; Abhishek, Arpit, Manish, Bijay, and Mahipal were winners for the video presentation event. The organizers of the event expressed thanks to all the participants, judges, and attendees for their wonderful cooperation and overwhelming response.

