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# Energy Science And Technology

SHAPING THE FUTURE OF ENERGY





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# Greenko School of Sustainability

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## About the School

Greenko Group and IIT Hyderabad are collaborating to establish the Greenko School of Sustainability at the Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad. The School of Sustainability is designed to shape a world that harmonizes with nature and empowers future generations toward a more sustainable tomorrow. The objectives of the school are to conduct research and development, education programs. The Greenko School of Sustainability will be structured as a cross-disciplinary center that manages seamless participation and knowledge flow from all existing departments and centers of IIT Hyderabad.





## About Us

*MTech in Energy Science and Technology (EST) is being offered from the academic year 2020 at IITH. The Department of Chemistry is initially coordinating this course. Currently, M.Tech. in EST comes under the Centre for Interdisciplinary Program. Faculty members from different departments (CHY, EE, MSE, PH) across the Institute with expertise in Energy, Materials, and Technology serve as instructors for the diverse curriculum*

## How to apply and selection criteria?

*Eligible Candidates may register and apply through COAP portal Department may conduct a written exam and/or an interview Reservations as per the MHRD, GOI norms will be applicable MHRD scholarship will be available for GATE qualified selected candidates.*

*Program Duration: 2 yrs.*

*Student Intake: Under GATE is 5 & Sponsored is 15*

*Admission: GATE Score, written test and/or interview*

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- o B Tech/ BE in BT/ Chemical/ Civil/ EE/ ME/MSME/ MSc with CY/PH with a valid GATE Score.*
- o GATE Subjects: AE/BT/CH/CE/CY/ EC /EE/ IN/ ME/MN/MT/PE/PH/PI/XE-C/XE-E/XE-F/XE-H/XLP/ES*
- o Ministry of Education Supported students: These students will either be admitted based on GATE score or if they have a BTech from an IIT, they should have 8.0 or more CGPA.*
- o Govt Lab/Industry Sponsored students: These candidates should have first class BTech with a minimum experience of 2 years in any Public industry or any Government research lab. GATE qualification is exempted for them. They will be selected based on a written test and/or an interview. They will not receive any scholarship.*
- o Self-Sponsored students: These students should have first class BTech and will be selected based on a written test and/or an interview. They will pay a tuition fee of Rs. 20,000 per credit for 48 credit in 24 months. The admission fee of Rs. 1 lakh will be absorbed in the tuition fee. They will not receive any scholarship.*

# Message from the GSS Chair



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*The Master of Technology (M.Tech.) program in Energy Science and Technology (EST) is an interdisciplinary program being launched from the academic year 2020 at IIT Hyderabad. The Department of Chemistry is initially coordinating this program. Currently, 12 faculty members from various Departments (i.e., Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Physics and Materials Science and Metallurgical Engineering) across the Institute with numerous expertise in Energy, Materials, and Technology are serving as instructors to this diverse curriculum. The goal of the program is to impart and foster knowledge in energy research and development and also encompasses state-of-the-art approaches to shape the future of energy. Broad areas include, but are not limited to Fossil Fuels, Power Engineering, General Energy, Renewable Energy, Energy Storage, Nuclear Energy, and so forth.*

*The M.Tech. course curriculum does not only help the students to develop the theoretical knowledge of energy but also provides practical knowledge on various aspects like renewable energy systems, energy storage systems, electric vehicles, and energy-battery management systems.*

*The two year course has been incorporated with one-year project work, which will make the students develop advanced practical knowledge of their choice and most importantly, enable the students with a very good amount of research flavor. I believe the program will continue to grow and will open up a new realm of possibility for funding, facilities, new energy systems development, and would contribute significantly to the growth of the Institute*



# Message from Faculty-in-Charge, EST



*Energy has evolved to be the central theme of the global economy. Availability of continuous and inexpensive power is the need of the hour for the entire world including India. The Government of India, under the National Electric Mobility Mission Plan (NEMMP) 2020 has set an ambitious target of 40 crore hybrid and electric vehicle customers by 2030. In addition, GoI has set a target of 500 GW installed renewable energy capacity by 2030. In order to meet these targets, the most important considerations are large scale energy conversion and storage. As our contribution to the societal needs of energy, IIT Hyderabad started an inter-disciplinary M. Tech program “Energy Science and Technology (EST)” in 2020. The overall goal of the program to impart knowledge related to various aspects of energy covering both science and technology. EST curriculum is designed to equip students from a variety of backgrounds with state-of-the-art energy principles, their integration and device development to transform them to energy engineers.*

*The course curriculum offers a plethora of subjects that span from the basics of electrochemistry to materials challenges to systems engineering to energy audit. Energetic faculty of the program offer high quality courses and research that will get the students ready for both academia as well as industry. The students of the program are nurtured with ample opportunities and freedom to shape their future as per their wishes. As a coordinator of the program, I wish to ensure students have a happy and productive outcome, here at EST. Finally, I warmly welcome all potential applicants to the EST program and I hope this course can fulfill your future dreams.*



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# Courses Offered

Total of 14 credits of courses needs to be done in first semester

Total of 14 credits of courses needs to be done in second semester

Third and Fourth Semester includes MTech Thesis of 12 credits in each semester

Students can choose either Industry related or Lab related work for their MTech Thesis

## Core Courses

- *Fundamentals of Electrochemistry*
- *Non-conventional Energy Sources and Environment*
- *Energy management*
- *Material Synthesis and Characterization*
- *Electrochemical energy storage systems*
- *Power converters for renewable energy sources*
- *Control of Power converters for Solar Photovoltaic*
- *Energy Audit*
- *Bioenergy*
- *Photovoltaic(PV) Technology*
- *Lab: Energy Conversion and Storage Devices\**
- *English Communication*
- *Industry lecture Series*

\*Compulsary Course

## Electives

- *Hydrogen Economy*
- *Electric Vehicles*
- *Computational fluid dynamics*
- *Bio-Refinery*
- *Energy System analysis*
- *Fuel cell technology*
- *Computational Methods for Chemical Engineers*
- *Petroleum refinery*
- *Combustion engineering*
- *Data analysis tools for experimental research*
- *Statistical design and analysis*
- *Optimization techniques*
- *Introduction to smart grids*
- *Advanced transport phenomenon*
- *Molecular Thermodynamics*
- *Nuclear energy*
- *Lab: Laboratory Methods in Electrochemistry and Related Analysis*
- *Data Science and Analysis*
- *Machine Learning and it's Application.*



# Our Faculty Members

## Dr Ch. Subrahmanyam

PhD-2003, IIT Madras  
*Research Interests:*  
Heterogeneous Catalysis,  
Nanomaterial Synthesis  
with Energy and  
Environmental Applications.

## Prof. M. Deepa

PhD-2004, CSIR-NPL, New-Delhi  
*Research Interests*  
Materials Electrochemistry,  
Quantum Dot Solar Cells,  
Beyond Li-ion Batteries &  
Electrochromic Devices.

## Dr. Narendra Kurra

Ph.D: JNCASR, Bangalore  
*Research Interests:*  
Materials  
(electro)chemistry, Two-  
dimensional materials,  
Energy Storage.

## Dr. Surendra K. Martha

PhD-2006, IISc Bangalore  
*Research Interests:*  
Materials Electrochemistry  
with special emphasis on  
Li-ion, Na-ion, Lead acid  
Batteries, Ultracapacitors  
and Recycling Batteries.

## Department of Chemistry.

## Dr. Arup Mahta

PhD-2017, IIT Indore  
*Research Interests:*  
Perovskites Optoelectronics,  
Surface Catalysis, Energy  
Storage, Spintronics, First  
Principle Calculations,  
Catalysis, Nanoscience &  
Technology

## Dr. Siva Kumar K

PhD-2010, IISc Bangalore  
*Research Interests:*  
Multilevel Inverters, Open-  
end Winding Induction,  
Motor Drives, Switched  
Mode Power Conversion,  
Microgrids, Power Quality  
and Control.

## Dr. Pradeep Kumar Yemula

PhD: IIT Bombay  
*Research Interests:*  
Smart Grids, Power System  
Control Centers, Information  
Technology Architectures,  
Ontologies for Power System  
Events, Common Information  
Model (CIM), Interoperability  
and Standards.

## Dr. Rupesh Ganpatrao Wandhare

PhD-2014, IIT Bombay  
*Research Interests*  
Power Electronics,  
Renewable Energy Sources,  
Distributed Energy  
Generation Standalone and  
Hybrid Energy Generation.

## Department of Chemistry.

## Department of Electrical Engineering

## Department of Chemical Engineering



**Dr. Debaprasad  
Shee**

*PhD-2008, IIT Kanpur*

*Research Interests:*

*Catalysis over supported metals and metal oxides, Nanostructured catalysts, Structure property correlations, Fuels and chemicals from renewable sources and reaction engineering.*



## Department of Physics



**Dr. Sai Santosh  
Kumar Raavi**

*Ph.D. 2009: University of Hyderabad*

*Research Interests:*

*Optics and Spectroscopy of Energy Conversion Material*

## Department of Material Science and Metallurgical Engineering



**Dr. Suhash  
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*Ph.D-2006 University PaulVerlaine Metz, France*

*Research Interests:*

*Advanced Multi-Functional Nanostructured Materials/High Entropy Alloys, Combinatorial Alloy Design of Emerging Materials.*



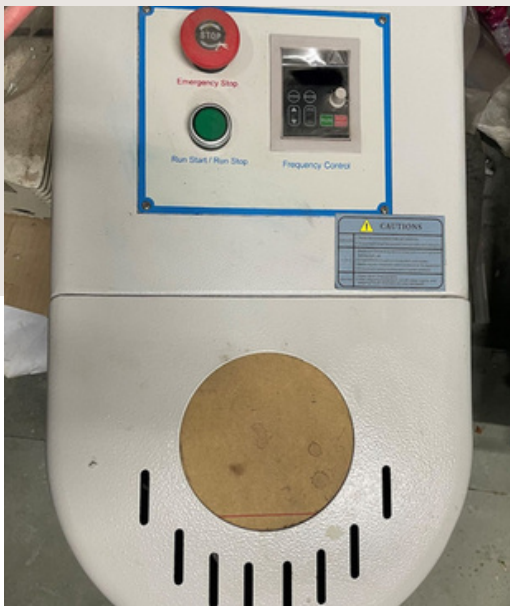
**Dr. Atul  
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*PhD-2004, Max Planck Institute of Colloids and Interfaces*

*Research Interests:*

*Nanostructured Materials for Energy Conversion and Storage, Catalytic and Biomedical Applications.*

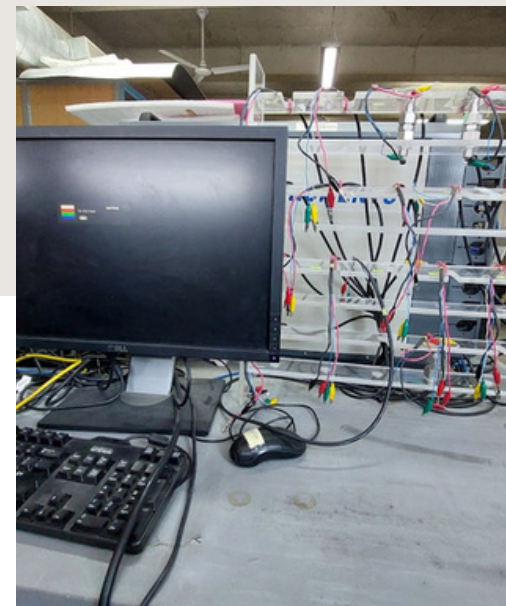




*Ball Milling Setup*



*Glove Box Assembly*



*Battery tester setup*

# EST Facilities

*Synthesis Apparatus*



*Cell Characterization*



*Ultracapacitor*





Chemi-sorption Apparatus



Electrical machines Lab



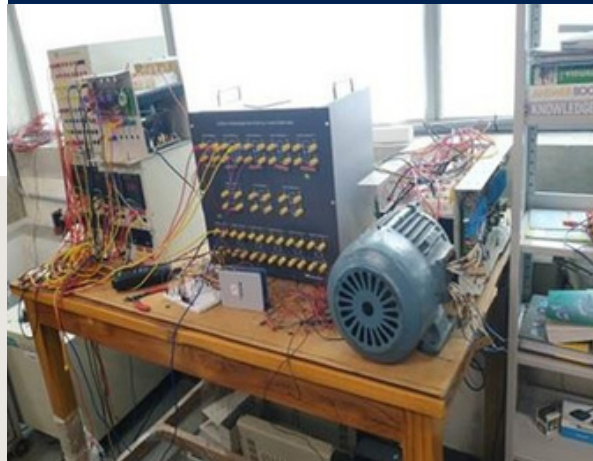
Power aPhysi-sorption (BET) adsorption apparatus

# EST Facilities

Solar Cell Testing



Power Electronics Lab



Solar Simulator







# INDUSTRY LECTURE SERIES



**Company Name:** Green Avni Solutions LLP, Hyderabad  
**Speaker:** Mr. Prakash Rapolu, Managing Partner and Founder  
**Title of talk:** Environment and Energy: Insights from Green Avni Team



**Company Name:** Log 9 Materials, HQ and R&D Centre, Bengaluru, India  
**Speaker:** Mr. Hemant Charya, VP, R&D  
**Title of talk:** Alternative energy storage solutions for Electric Vehicles and stationary applications



**Company Name:** ARCI, IITM Research Park, Chennai  
**Speaker:** Dr. Tata Narasinga Rao, Director-in-Charge  
**Title of talk:** Nanomaterials-Based Technologies-From Laboratory to Market

**Company Name:** Tata Steel Ltd  
**Speaker:** Dr. Supriya Sarkar, Head Environmental Research R&D,  
**Title of talk:** Recovery of Energy: Iron and Steel Industry



**Company Name:** Roshan Energy Technologies Pvt. Ltd. Hyderabad  
**Speaker:** Mr. S. A. Gaffoor, Director and CEO  
**Title of talk:** Battery Energy Storage Systems and Challenges.



**Company Name:** Godi India Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad  
**Speaker:** Dr. Veerababu Medabalmi, Manager of Energy Technology  
**Title of talk:** An Overview and Godi Approach to various Advanced Energy Storage Technologies



**Company Name:** High Energy Batteries (India) Ltd, TN  
**Speaker:** Mr. V Ravichandran, Head of R & D  
**Title of talk:** Batteries for strategic Defense Needs

**Company Name:** Rechargion Energy Pvt Ltd, Pune India  
**Speaker:** Dr. Vilas Shelke, CEO  
**Title of talk:** Energy, Entertainment, and Entrepreneurship



**Company Name:** ABB Global Industries & Services Pvt. Ltd  
**Speaker:** Dr. Mayukha Pal  
**Title of talk:** Energy Resilient Smart Distribution System

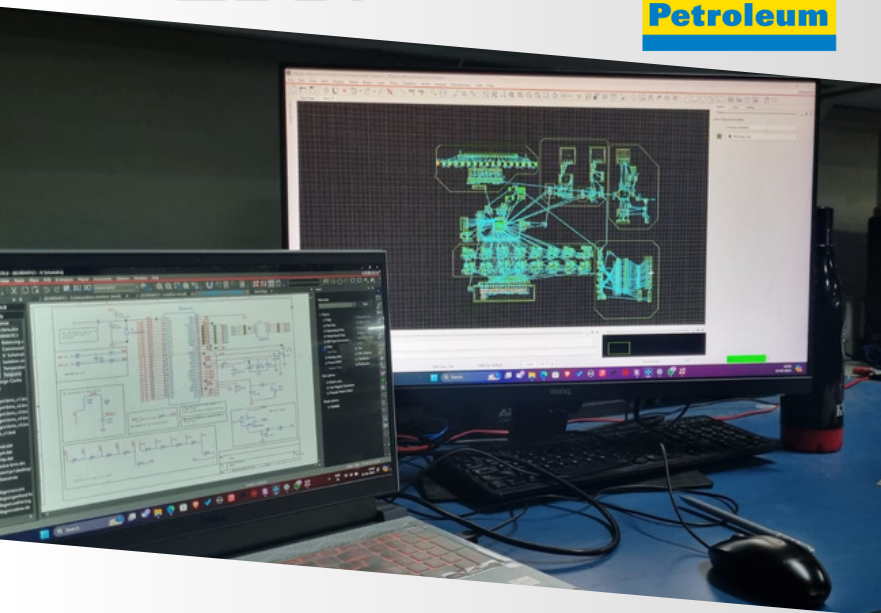


**Company Name:** IBM Industry Academy, IBM Consulting, Frankfurt, Germany.  
**Speaker:** Mr. Biren Gandhi, Global Industry CoE Leader - Energy, Environment & Utilities, Executive Partner & Member,  
**Title of talk:** Digitalization of the Energy Transition

And many More



# INDUSTRY COLLABORATIONS





# EST Students



**Background:** Mechanical Engineering  
**Areas of Interest:**  
Hydrogen Production, Pv Technology  
Machine Learning, Lithium ion batteries.

Kabir Gupta



**Background:** Mechanical Engineering  
**Area of Interest:** EV Technology, Data  
Science, AI/ML in Renewable Energy,  
Battery Management Systems, CFD,  
Li-ion batteries



Surajit Middya



**Background:** Mechanical Engineering  
**Areas of Interest:**  
Cell Modelling & Simulation, Battery  
Thermal Management system, Energy  
study by CFD ,Electric Vehicles, fuel  
cell technology, Sodium Ion batteries

Prabhakar Maurya





# EST Students



**Background:** Mechanical Engineering  
**Area of Interest:** Li-ion Batteries,  
Electric Vehicle, Sodium-Ion Batteries,  
Solar Cells and Hydrogen Storage.

Purva Warke



**Background:** Mechanical Engineering  
**Areas of Interest:** Organic & Perovskite  
PV, Li-Ion Batteries, Finite element  
method, Fuel cells, Electric Vehicles



Himanshu Prasad



**Background:** Electrical &  
Electronics Eng.  
**Area of Interest:** Sustainability  
Management, Energy Management,  
Photovoltaics, Electronics Systems

Alan Sam





# EST Students



**Background:** Electrical Engineering  
**Area of interest:** Battery Management system, Thermal , Solar Power plant , Electric Vehicle.

Arjit Dubey



**Background:** Electrical and Electronics Engineering  
**Area of interest:** Battery management system for high voltage, Electric Vehicles, Lithium ion batteries, photovoltaics, Power Converters.

G Vijender



**Background:** Mechanical engineering  
**Area of Interest:** lithium ion battery , Finance , photovoltaics, AI/ML in Renewable Energy

Ayush Pratap Singh





# PRESENT YEAR RECRUITERS



# PAST YEAR RECRUITERS

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SUZUKI MOTORS



Rastriya Chemicals &  
Fertilizers Ltd.



L & W Constructions  
Pvt Ltd



ZF India Pvt Ltd



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Deloitte.

Infosys



# LETS CONNECT ...



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## An Interdisciplinary Approach...

We are a group of people with diverse backgrounds in engineering and technology. With an interdisciplinary approach towards the program, faculty members from different disciplines impart knowledge and latest research in different aspects related to energy and sustainability. The students then deep dive into different areas in energy research and development to shape the future of energy!



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