

# Dr. S Srikantan Memorial Award - SUSIEC 2018

ASM Technologies Limited, along with The Institution of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineers (IETE) Bangalore Centre has been organising 'Summer School in Electronics & Computers' (SUSIEC) for 9th and 10th standard students during their summer vacations for the past three decades. SUSIEC drives with the motto "Catch them young" and facilitates these curious young minds the fascinating field of Electronics and Telecommunication. Thus, motivating them to opt Electronics and Telecommunication as a forerunning option for their profession/career.

**SUSIEC 2018** was held from 29th April 2018 to 20th May 2018. The summer school (SUSIEC) curriculum includes learning electronics from the fundamentals right up to the state-of-the-art technology. The participants also got an opportunity to interact with Industry Experts/Eminent Academicians. This year, the syllabus was enhanced to include the state-of-the-art topics of current day relevance like the Internet of Things (IoT), Embedded Systems with Arduino Platform, Wireless Technologies, MATLAB Android Application, and Hardware Design. These are in addition to the regular syllabus of basics of Electronics and Telecommunications.

At the end of the course, an exhibition was arranged to showcase the projects and evaluated and rated by a panel of distinguished academicians and corporate leaders. The best project teams were awarded 1st, 2nd, 3rd and consolation prizes. The Valedictory function of SUSIEC 2018 was held on 20th May 2018 at IETE Bangalore Centre.

**Dr. Kailasavadivoo Sivan** (Chairman, ISRO Satellite Centre, Bangalore / Secretary Dept of Space, Govt of India) was the Chief Guest of the event along with **Sri. Rabindra Srikantan**, Managing Director ASM Technologies Ltd., **Smt. Preeti Rabindra**, Director ASM Technologies Ltd. & **Dr. Ajit T Kalghatgi**, Director (R&D) Bharat Electronics Ltd., Bangalore as Guest of Honor.

The awards for SUSIEC, "Dr. S Srikantan Memorial Award" was instituted by ASM Technologies Limited in memory of their former Chairman Late Dr. S Srikantan. This is the second year, ASM has extended their support to The Institution of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineers (IETE) Bangalore Centre.

