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# Indian Engineering Congress

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Theme Engineering for Self-reliance and Sustainable Goals

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## Indian Engineering Congress

The aim of the Indian Engineering Congress is to bring to fore the developments in various fields of engineering and prepare our engineers to face the future challenges for sustainable development of the country.

The objectives of the Indian Engineering Congress are:

- To debate and discuss the theme of the Congress to create awareness, promote ideas, innovations in their respective engineering disciplines.
- To provide Engineers with a forum for exchange of knowledge, updating information and developing a sense of responsibility in their professional functioning.
- To promote and inculcate social responsibilities of engineers towards fulfilling the basic needs of common citizen of our country.

- To promote the Engineering practice that meets the challenges of sustainable resource management.
- To promote Emergent Engineering Challenges.

# Theme of the 35<sup>th</sup> Indian Engineering Congress

## "Engineering for Self-reliance and Sustainable Goals"

Self-reliance and sustainable development are associated with each other. These two do care for the welfare of the human wellbeing, the basic needs of the poor, the prospects of the future generations and preservation of environmental resources. The two key imperatives for achieving sustainable goals include; the first; there is a need to internally identify and adopt realistic indicators of sustainability to steer and guide development in India. Secondly, there is an urgent need for institutional reforms to achieve self-reliance situation in the country..Government of India has been taking several steps to ensure that we are well prepared to face the challenges and threats posed by COVID-19. India has faced the COVID-19 situation with fortitude and a spirit of self-reliance that is evident in the fact that from zero production of Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) before March 2020, India today has created a capacity of producing 2 lakh PPE kits daily, which is also growing steadily. However, engineers of the country have to come forward to give engineering solutions of the complex problems like COVID-19 being faced by the country. The clarion call given by the Hon'ble PM to use these trying times to become self-reliant has been very well received to enable the resurgence of the Indian economy.

The Indian engineering community subscribes to the above philosophy and has done itself proud. The ultimate goal of self-reliant India should be reduction of poverty and livelihood development through equitable pursuit of prosperity. The engineering community will harness and manage the natural resources with equity lens and demand level-playing field.

The country has the resources, the institutions and the mindset too. Engineers do need to work towards a fusion of our positive achievements. This is the essential condition for India's path towards self-reliance and emergent role in global engineering and technology. With the seamless engineering and technology capabilities, tempered by the social and political systems, Indian engineers can be the harbinger to the development of the sustainable economy of the country in the post-pandemic regime.

This congress will provide platform to the researchers, academicians, R&D professionals, policy makers, industry players, young engineering talents to address the critical relationship between self-reliance and sustainable goals. The combination of self-reliance and sustainable development goals will have a positive impact on human capital development.

#### Sub-themes:

- 1) Design and Engineering for a Self-reliant Society.
- 2) Sustainable Manufacturing: Principles, Applications and Directions.
- 3) Managing Risk and Uncertainty in Engineering Design and Application.
- 4) Adaptive Technology for Human capital development.

- 5) Engineering Innovations, Incubation (Start-up) and Entrepreneurship for a Self-reliant Country.
- 6) Innovative Hybrid Teaching Methodologies for Engineering and Technical Education.
- 7) Enhancing Skill, Quality and Safety for a Self-reliant Country.
- Role of Technical Higher Education --- National Education 2020 Perspective

# **Call for Papers**

Engineering professionals from Industries, Academic Institutions, Research & Development Organisations, Government Departments and Entrepreneurs are invited to contribute papers pertaining to the theme and sub-themes of the Congress under each of the following 15 engineering disciplines of IEI. The papers should focus on sharing the experience, concepts, innovative ideas, research findings etc.

Aerospace Engineering	Agricultural Engineering
Architectural Engineering	Chemical Engineering
Computer Engineering	Civil Engineering
Electrical Engineering	Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering
Environmental Engineering	Marine Engineering
Mechanical Engineering	Metallurgical & Materials Engineering
Mining Engineering	Production Engineering
Textile Engineering	The above areas are indicative. Authors may also submit papers on other areas based on the main theme of the 34 <sup>th</sup> Indian Engineering Congress
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