



**INFORMATIVE** 'Paper Presentation' in progress.

# A platform for enlightening young minds

**T**atva 2011, a technical festival organised by the BNM Institute of Technology, Banashankari 2nd Stage recently, provided a challenging and exhilarating arena for young minds to exhibit their competence in an array of hard core technical events. The competitions were fun and enlightening with a total of 222 teams taking part in the event. Conducted over a period of two days, *Tatva* got an outstanding response from the participants. Events like Treasure Hunt and Circuit Design saw a large turnout.

The first day was restricted to intra-collegiate events like games, circuit design, circuit debugging, puzzles and treasure hunt.

Inter-college events were conducted on the second day and included paper presentation, software coding contest and technical quiz. For the paper presentation contest, 36 papers were received from different colleges out of which, 22 were accepted for the presentation. The theme of this event was 'Energy' and teams had to design a

white LED torch.

The event, 'Software Coding', had two problems to be solved in stipulated time and this on-the-spot contest tested the prowess of future engineers. 'Technical Quiz' was conducted by Vinay Bhushan, an alumnus of BNM-IT, who works for one of India's largest on-stage quizzing companies.

Fourteen teams battled

out in the preliminary rounds of the quiz among which four teams made it to the final round.

In the 'Circuit Debugging' competition, the students had the complicated task of debugging the errors in the circuits which provided them an opportunity to showcase their talent in debugging circuits of higher complexities.

"We successfully concluded

'Tatva' for the second time with the support of the management and faculty. Though the events were few in number, we had fun during these two days. The paper presentation round especially was really challenging and helpful to the students of all branches of engineering," said Arohan, a computer science student of BNM-IT.

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**WINNERS** Students collecting their prizes.