

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

An integral part of the Cochin University of Science and Technology, the Cochin University College of Engineering Kuttanad, located in the picturesque, serene and pollution free rural atmosphere is presenting a technical feast to the scientific world, named as ***INNOVIA 2k18***. An ideal location where research elements for engineering are available in abundance, blossoms the institution and brings its best fruits through technical ideas and talents of its disciples, faculty and staff. Let it be Civil Engineering, Computer Science & Engineering, Electrical & Electronics Engineering, Electronics & Communication Engineering, Information Technology, Mechanical Engineering or Computer Applications, the students are brilliant and awesome in meeting their goals through planned technical competitions, quizzes, expert talks, project and paper presentations and exhibitions. The notion of “fruits of science and engineering to society” is well understood by the faculty and students of this institution, thanks to the motivation through CUCEK's working exhibits which were presented with much appreciation in the *Sasthrayan 2017* at the main campus of CUSAT, in the recent past. My best wishes are there for all the participants and knowledge aspirants among the student community from various technical institutions in the country for a thorough and useful understanding of the ideas and exhibitions. Healthy competitions are expected to better technical outlook of the participants. The general public and budding school children are also welcome to visit and watch the proceedings and benefit from the technical events.