



## DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING Report on Students Development Program at CII EXCON 2021

BMS Institute of Technology and Management (Civil Engineering Department) on MAY 19<sup>TH</sup> 2022, made one day industrial visit on Construction Equipment and Construction Technology Trade Fair, which was held at Bangalore International Exhibition Centre (Bangalore), named as 'EXCON FEST'. It was open to all general public attracting a number of construction equipment enthusiasts. It started on May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022 and went on till the 21th may 2022. This program lead by Prof. Shobha R and Dr. Lalit Kumar Gupta, Assistant Professors, Department of Civil Engineering. More than 30 students got exposure of big events.

## **About the Event**

Infrastructure sector is a key driver for the Indian economy. The sector is highly responsible for propelling India's overall development and enjoys intense focus from Government for initiating policies that would ensure time-bound creation of world class infrastructure in the country. Infrastructure sector includes power, bridges, dams, roads, and urban infrastructure development.

The Government of India is expected to invest highly in the infrastructure sector, mainly highways, renewable energy, and urban transport

- In April 2020, the Government set a target of constructing roads worth Rs. 15 lakh crore (US\$ 212.80 billion) in the next two years.
- In May 2020, Border Roads Organization (BRO) achieved major milestone by digging up a 440-metre long tunnel below the busy Chamba town on Rishikesh-Dharasu road Highway (NH 94).
- Indian energy sector is expected to offer investment opportunities worth US\$ 300 billion over the next 10 years.
- NHAI will be able to generate revenue of Rs one lakh crore (US\$ 14.31 billion) from toll and wayside amenities over the next five years.
- In the Union Budget 2020-21, the Government has given a massive push to the infrastructure sector by allocating Rs 1,69,637 crore (US\$ 24.27 billion) to develop the transport infrastructure.
- Communication sector has been allocated Rs 38,637.46 crore (US\$ 5.36 billion) to develop post and telecommunications departments.









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