

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS) Report

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Topic: Participated in National Youth Festival –

Viksit Bharat-Young Leader's Dialogue 2025

Vivek Y from the Department of Mechanical Engineering participated in the National Youth Festival, representing New Horizon College of Engineering at the national level. Young leaders throughout the country participated in various events to articulate their ideas of Viksit Bharat, with close to 30 lakh youth taking part in the initiative. A total of 3,000 dynamic and motivated youngsters were selected to participate in the Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue, following a merit-based, multi-level selection process designed to identify and showcase the most promising voices from across the nation.

The selection process consisted of three stages. Stage 1, the Viksit Bharat Quiz, was a nationwide online initiative that tested participants' knowledge and awareness of India's achievements over the last decade. Conducted in 12 languages to ensure inclusivity, it witnessed participation from nearly 30 lakh young minds. Stage 2, the Viksit Bharat Essay, required qualified participants to articulate their ideas on ten identified key themes aligned with the vision of a "Viksit Bharat." Over 2 lakh essays were submitted and evaluated by academicians and professionals appointed by state agencies. Stage 3, the Viksit Bharat State Vision Deck Challenge, allowed participants to present their essays through PowerPoint presentations, which were evaluated by leadership moderators who assessed their ability to lead and collaborate.

The selected 3,000 participants included 1,500 from the Viksit Bharat Track, representing the top 500 teams from State Championships; 1,000 from the Traditional Track, chosen through state-level youth festivals and cultural programs and exhibitions on innovation in Science and Technology by young innovators; and 500 Pathbreakers, invited for their groundbreaking contributions across ten thematic tracks. The participants received a grand send-off from the Chief Ministers and Governors in their respective States/UTs. The participants further went on to showcase their innovative ideas at Bharat Mandapam, marking a historic convergence of youth leadership and the vision for a Viksit Bharat.

Activities Conducted

- Young Leader's Dialogue (non-competitive)
- Declamation (non-competitive)
- Art and Design (competitive)
- Traditional Folk Song (competitive)
- Traditional Folk Dance (competitive)

Topics in Young Leader's Dialogue

(continued from district to national level):

- Tech for Viksit Bharat
- Vikas Bhi Virasat Bhi
- Empowering Youth for Viksit Bharat
- Enhancing Productivity in Agriculture
- Making India the Startup Capital of the World
- Making India a Sporting and FIT Nation
- Making India the Global Manufacturing Powerhouse
- Steering India Towards a Sustainable Future
- Building the Infrastructure for the Future
- Empowering Women and Improving Social Indicators

National Level (10th –12th Jan 2025)

On Day 1, the event began with a speech by Dr. Mansukh L. Mandaviya, Minister of Labour and Employment. This was followed by a presentation round on the ten topics, including the user's topic, "Making India the Global Manufacturing Powerhouse." On Day 2, the Plenary Session featured distinguished personalities such as Mr. Anand Mahindra and Mr. Jonty Rhodes. Participants then moved to the ten designated venues for theme-based deliberations led by mentors and domain experts like Shri S. Somnath, Shri Pawan Goenka, Shri Amitabh Kant, Shri Sachin Bansal, Shri Ronnie Screwvala, Shri Anand Kumar, Shri Ritesh Aggarwal, Shri Bhaichung Bhutia, Ms. Chavvi Rajawat, and Ms. Kalpana Saroj. These discussions explored critical issues such as sustainability, agriculture, and manufacturing. Day 3 was celebrated as National Youth Day in honor of Swami Vivekananda; ten impactful presentations were showcased before the Prime Minister of India. The Prime Minister addressed the gathering and delivered an inspiring speech encouraging the youth to contribute to the vision of Viksit Bharat.

Proposed Ideas at the National Level

- Addressing red-tapism by reducing clearance delays (noted to be over 6 months compared to Vietnam) and resolving Inter-Departmental conflicts through a single-window clearance platform like the Sakala System.
- Developing 10 industrial corridors and 100 smart cities.
- Enhancing skills through initiatives like Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), NPTEL courses, Udaan, and India International Skill Centres (IISCs).
- Negotiating trade agreements to boost exports and attract FDI.
- Promoting the adoption of Industry 4.0 technologies, including AI and sustainable practices.

Conclusion

The Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue ignited a spark of innovation and leadership among India's youth. By bringing together diverse minds, it fostered a culture of collaboration and creativity. The initiative's emphasis on sustainable development and skill enhancement paved the way for a brighter future. With impactful ideas and proposals, the dialogue set the tone for a developed India. By empowering the youth, it unlocked the Nation's true

potential.

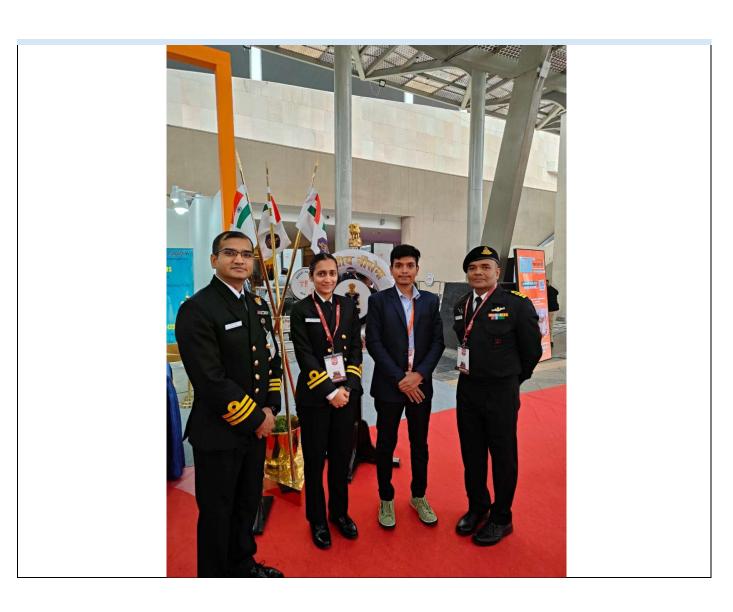
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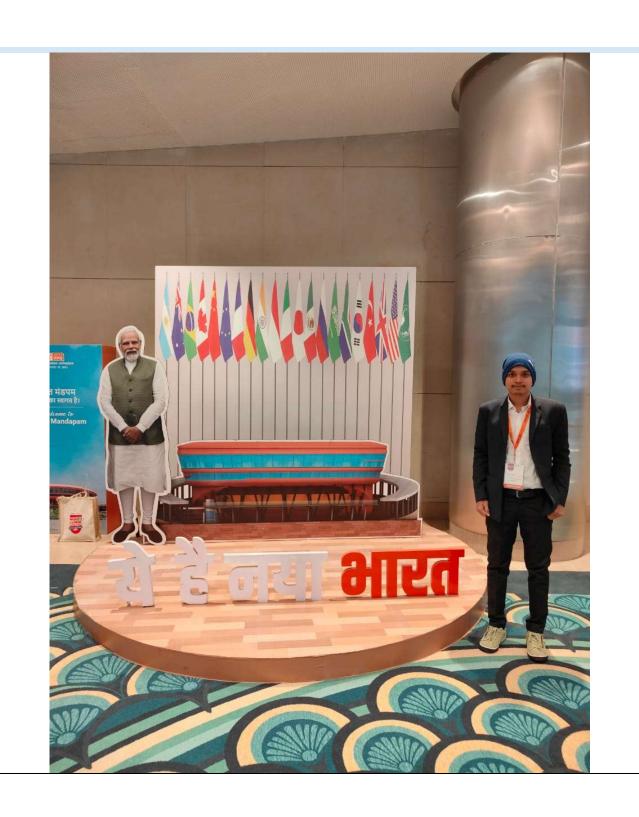
After the event, the Ministry included all 1,000 VBYLD finalists in policy proposal initiatives and planned to invite them for roundtable conferences throughout the year.





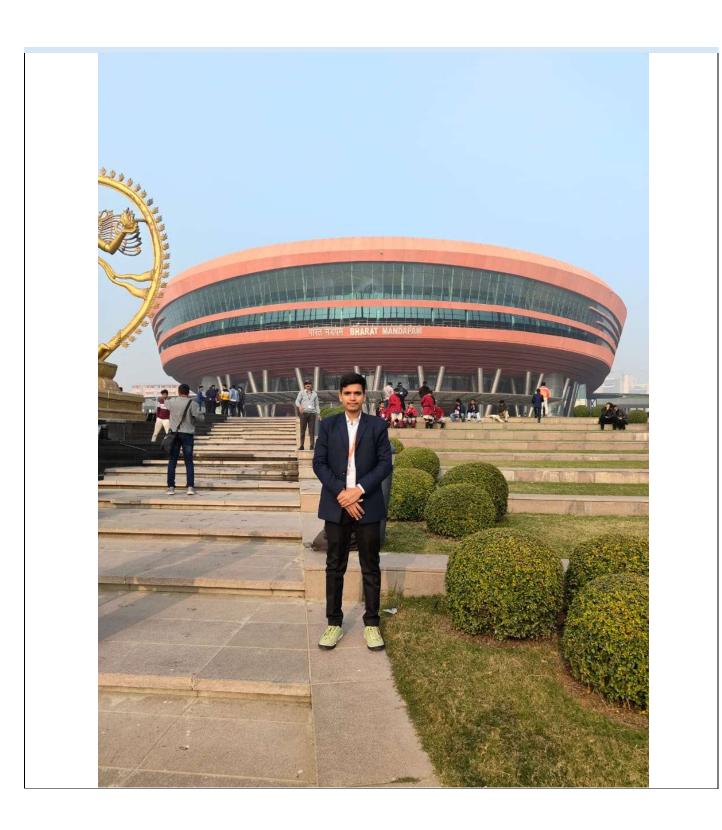








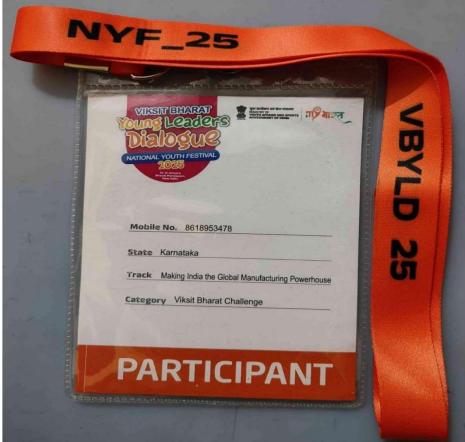


















Certificate of Leadership

This certificate has been awarded to

Vivek Y

for your remarkable leadership and path breaking ideas presented at the Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue at Bharat Mandapam, Delhi, 10th to 12th January 2025. Continue to lead with innovation as we traverse this journey towards Viksit Bharat together.

> Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya Union Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports