

## **A Seminar on "Youth - The future of India" on 22/12/2015 a for all Final year B.Tech students by Chennupati Vidya, Ex-M.P**

Seminar on “Youth - The Future of India” organized by the “Women Empowerment Cell”, a wing of Grievance Redressal Unit of LBRCE on 22-12-2015 addressed by distinguished speaker and Eminent Social Worker , Smt.Chennupati Vidya garu, former M.P. and President, Vasvya Mahila Mandali (VMM)-NGO, Vijayawada to Final Year B.Tech students of all branches and MBA Final year students to teach and aware them about the essentialities of moral, culture and spiritual values in human life.

Dr.M.UmaVani, Professor and Head of EEE Department, coordinated the seminar and welcomed the dignitaries and participants to the seminar. Dr.E.V.Prasad,Director of the institute congratulated the Women Empowerment Cell of the Grievance Resressal Unit of the institute for arranging a useful seminar to the Final Year B.Tech students. Ms.B.V.Bhargavi, Assistant Professor of Mechanical Department introduced the resource person to the audience.

As per the survey which was conducted by Vasavya Mahila Mandali, Vijayawada, LBRCE got first place in ragging free campuses among all Engineering colleges in Krishna & Guntur districts. So, speaker selected LBRCE as Model College for conducting Social Labs.

She shared her feelings with the audience from her childhood days (i.e., before independence). She said we, children, used to help our freedom fighters secretly by supplying food and water. At the age of thirteen, Ms.Vidya passed all the entry level exams in Gandhiji’s Sevagram for taking training in social labs – service to society and got trained. From then onwards, she started her carrier as a village level elected representative worked in various capacities and finally as a Member of Parliament twice from Vijayawada constancy.





She suggested students to contribute their might to the society. She opined “Elected representatives are the representatives of people but not parties”. At present there are no social practical labs to students to get awareness on social activities. Youth should have social outlook and come with zeal to work for society. During vacation students should come forward to help improve sanitation works in their respective villages by organizing events like Swatcha Bharath, Energy from waste etc.

She suggested LBRCE students to volunteer in conducting social labs, inter - college exhibitions, entrepreneurship programs etc. as a service to the society. Mrs.Chennupati Vidya congratulated the Institute Management for according permission to the seminar and the students for their valuable suggestions and participation in the seminar.