University of Delhi at ANDC SPIE Student Chapter

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The Society of Photo-Optical Instrumentation Engineers (SPIE), an international society advancing an interdisciplinary approach to the science and application of light, has formally approved University of Delhi at Acharya Narendra Dev College SPIE Student Chapter. The SPIE student chapter was inaugurated on 15th February 2011 by Prof. K.N. Tripathi, Ex-vice chancellor Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University Agra. On this occasion, he unveiled the SPIE student chapter poster and complimented the college on being first to have such a chapter in University of Delhi and wished the chapter a great success. With its establishment, college joins the elite group within India of IITs, IISc, NIITs and DCE where this chapter has been successfully running for years besides more than 150 well established chapters in other countries like USA, UK, Europe, China, Russian Federation and Canada etc. With its establishment, chapter will be entitled to receive Activity Grants, Officer Travel Grant, Visiting Lecturer Program, Collaborative Conference Grant and subscriptions to some of the prestigious SPIE online Journals. Ten students of the department are members for International Society in Photonics "SPIE".

Pratik Chakravarty of B. Sc (H) Electronics II has been recommended under the Officer's travel grant to attend Optical Engineering + Applications (SPIE Optics + Photonics) conference to be held from 21-25 August 2011 at San Diego Convention Center, San Diego, California, USA. He will be presenting a paper on Laser based study of geometrical optics at school level in the conference.