

A Brief Report on “Enviro Olympiad”, A National Level Quiz held on 5th June 2020

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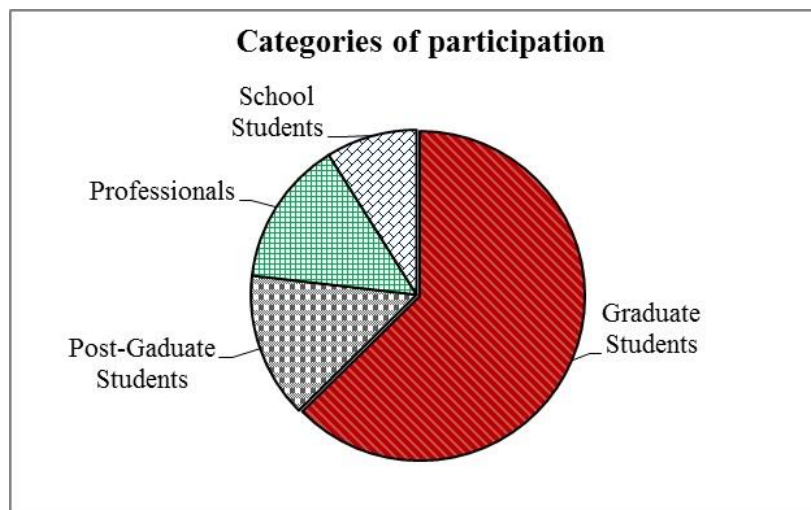
On the occasion of **World Environment Day**, the Department of Civil Engineering, Integral University, Lucknow has organized **The Enviro Olympiad**, a National level quiz on the topic '**Basics of Environmental Science and Engineering**' on June 5, 2020, at 4:00 pm.

The COVID-19 pandemic spread across the globe in the year 2020, a majority of countries announced the temporary closure of schools and institutions, impacting more than 91% of students worldwide. The United Nations Development Program, **Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 4 - Target 7** states to '**Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all**'. In the light of Sustainable Development Goals, the event Enviro Olympiad also reaffirms SDG 4.7 to inculcate knowledge and to break the monotony due to COVID-19 lockdown. Thus, the quiz was opened for all age-groups and was free of charge. It comprised of multiple-choice questions that tested participants' knowledge, application, and analytical skills; and simultaneously spread awareness on various topics related to the environment. The selection criteria of the winner in each category were the earliest response time and maximum score. The winners are listed below:

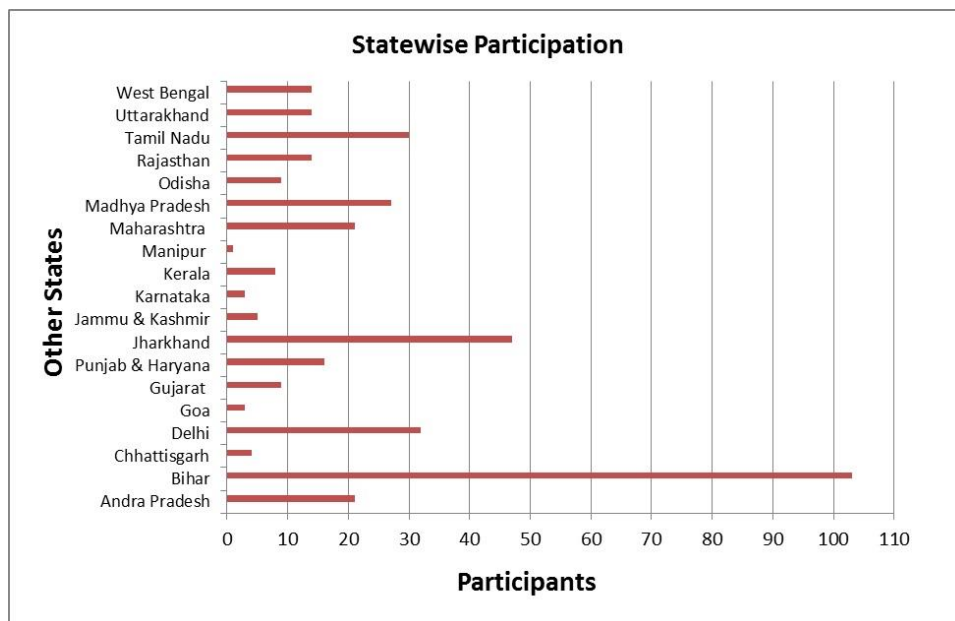
Name	Category	City
Atmadul Hasan	Professional – Tech Mahindra	Ballia
Raj Shekhar	Graduate Student - National University of Study and Research in Law, Ranchi	Ranchi
Saif Ahmad	School Student – City Montessori School	Lucknow

Major Highlights:

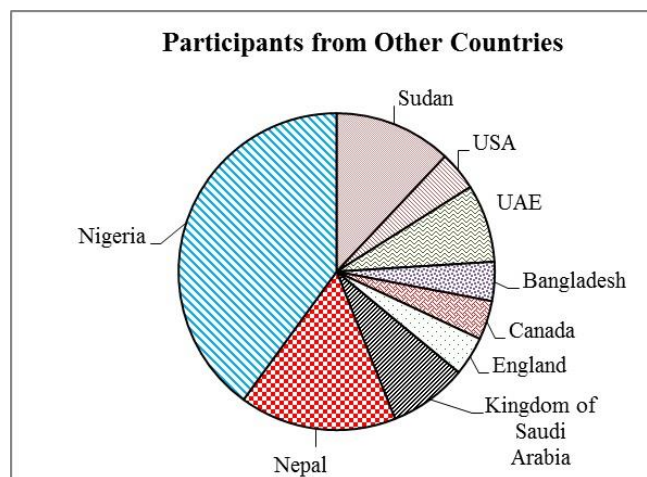
- Total Participant: 2188 from 10 countries and 22 states of India.
- Participants ranged from School Students, Under-Graduates, Post-Graduates, Academicians, Engineers to Medical Professionals.
- Students from 93 Schools and 320 Institutes participated in the quiz.



Students from many renowned institutions like IIT Bombay, IIT Roorkee, AIIMS Delhi, KGMU, Banaras Hindu University, Jamia University, Jadavpur University, Aligarh Muslim University, BITs Pilani, Chandigarh University, Pondicherry University, SPA Delhi and many more in the row have Participated in the Quiz.



Maximum participation has been observed from home state Uttar Pradesh (1780), followed by Bihar(103), Jharkhand (47) and etc. Many International Participants have also taken part in the quiz from the USA, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, UAE, Canada, London, Nigeria, Nepal, Sudan, and Bangladesh made this event an International one.



This Olympiad was successfully managed by –

Faculty Coordinators: Mrs. Neha Mumtaz and Mr. Tabish Izhar, Assistant Professors, Department of Civil Engineering respectively.

Student Coordinators: Iqbal Ahmad and Md Suhel Ansari, Students of B.Tech 3rd Year Department of Civil Engineering.

Link of the quiz: <https://forms.gle/Cd5Tio38PwUnjfcw9>