## **LEAD VALEDICTORY PROGRAM at SGBIT**

LEAD Belgaum of Deshpande foundation Hubballi celebrated its annual Valedictory, with the theme "Recognizing the Unrecognized LEADers" in the premises of S.G.BALEKUNDRI INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Belagavi to promote youth who are making positive changes in the community.

LEAD Valedictory ceremony was organised to appreciate the hard work, innovation and achievement of young leaders during entire academic year. The innovative projects of this academic year were identified, showcased and awarded in the occasion. Individual students of various colleges have shared their journey of success and obstacles faced their in.

Mr. Rajendra Belgaumkar (Chairman Governing Council, KLS IMER), Dr. S. S. Salimath (Principal SGBIT, Belgavi), Mr. Veeranna D K(Faculty coordinator, SGBIT Belgaum) and Abhinandan K (LEAD program Karnataka) took part in this occasion. Many LEAD students were recognized with Best LEADer and Best Project awards. Awards were also presented for Best Supporting Faculty and Best Supporting College.

Chief Guest of the program Mr. Rajendra Belgaumkar appreciated the leadership qualities of the students. He said the requirement of service oriented mind to serve the society, at large the nation. The participation in this kind of programs will help students to become good decision makers in their professional and personal life.

Principal Dr.S.S.Salimath in his presidential remarks said if one person is good in a family the family will improve, the same way if one take a lead in a village, the village will prosper similarly the state and country will also flourish by the good governance of a leader. The youth have to use their knowledge and skill for the nation building.

The Program was welcomed by Dr.Veeranna.D.K, Program Coordinator of LEAD Cell-SGBIT, The vote of thanks by Mr. Makarand and hosted by Ms.Pooja Hirekodi and Ms.Raveena Savadi of SGBIT The faculty members and students from various colleges of Belagavi District were participated in the program.

SGBIT has received successively second time the "BEST SUPPORTING COLLEGE" for the year 2016-17. Ms.Savita B, Ms.Deesha Patavekar were received "MASTER LEADER" awards and Ms.Pooja Hirekodi, Ms.Raveena Savadi and Mr.Lakshimikanth Patra have been selected as "BRAND AMBOSSODERS" for the year 2017 from SGBIT.











