

Press Note

Department of Civil Engineering, Giani Zail Singh Campus College of Engineering & Technology, MRSSTU Bathinda has organized a one day industrial visit for 2nd and 4th year students of B.Tech on October 22, 2016 to show various construction sites at Amritsar under ”**Beautification of Galleyara**” project and **Harikke Berrage**. In line with teaching methods in place this one day industrial visit was organized. It was a group of 150 students escorted by three faculty members Er. .Shamita Garg, Er. Parmveer Singh Bahia and Er. Gagandeep Singh. The students have seen the construction of different concrete structures in Amritsar which also includes Harike diversion head works constructed on river Satluj. Apart from it students also got opportunity to see other components of head works like flood Gates, Cross Regulator, and Head Regulator, Silt Excluder and Diverting Canals and study the function of whole head works. They went through an hour presentation on the working of the barrage as a prelude to the visit. Professor Manjeet Bansal, Head of the Civil Engineering department, appreciated the efforts of the faculty members and said all these site visits are very necessary for the students apart from the basic knowledge of education. He further said that these types of site visits not only helped them to understand the concept of the process and some issues in a working environment, which can prove very crucial in the practical field. The overall experience was enriching and acquainted the students with the knowledge of technical principles in practice. Professor Mohan Paul Singh Ishar, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor of Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University, Bathinda appreciated the efforts of Civil Engineering department for providing such practical exposures to the students. Such practical exposures add to the academic knowledge of the students.