

BITS Pilani shines @ Shell Eco-marathon

Ten Indian student teams participated in Shell Eco-marathon Asia 2016 in Manila, Philippines from March 3rd to 6th. The annual competition challenges aspiring young engineers to build vehicles of the future that can go the farthest on the least amount of energy. The teams had reached Manila to put their self-built fuel-efficient vehicles to the test on a street circuit. They competed with over 100 student teams from all across Asia and the Middle East. India is the fourth largest country by participation size, students from various states across India gathered at Manila to test their mettle. Amongst the 10 teams, Team BITS from Birla Institute of Technology and Science (Pilani) bagged the Perseverance and Spirit of the Event Award. "Myriad," their gasoline Urban Concept vehicle was developed in an energy efficient manner, focusing on integrating features to make it energy efficient.



Proud winners. BITS (Pilani) team that won the Perseverance and Spirit of the Event Award for their Urban Concept vehicle