

Indus students bag third prize at national meet

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Students of Metallurgical and Materials Engineering Department of the Indus Institute of Technology and Engineering (IIT&E) bagged third spot in paper presentation and quiz organised at a national seminar 'Behind the teacher's Desk' on March 25-26 at Jamshedpur. Tata Steel's National Metallurgical Laboratory (NML), Indian Institute of Metals (IIM) and the Jamshedpur chapter at NML jointly organised the seminar.

"This was the first event for the students of metallurgical engineering across the country. In all, 36 technical papers were selected for presentation in the seminar, of which, six papers were from students of our college. All papers were highly in-



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novative in nature," said Hitendra Desai of final year, who along with Malkesh Mistry, was awarded for the paper 'Development of new lining for coreless induction furnace to enable refining of steel'. The team that won third prize in the competition on March 26, consisted of Varun Shah, Tapas Desai and Hitendra De-

sai, all final year students.

"It was an unique opportunity for the students. They got to interact with renowned professional metallurgists from NML, Tata Steel and NIT and fellow undergraduate and postgraduate students of other institutes," said Metallurgical and Materials Engineering Department Head D K Basa.