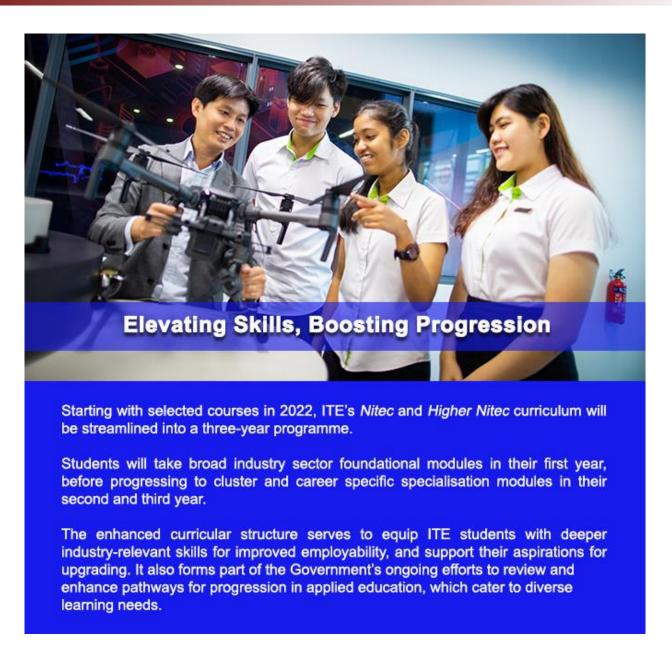


March/April 2021 Pushing New Frontiers



Infographic on ITE's Enhanced Curricular Structure >>



In crowded places, enforcement of COVID-19 safe management measures may be challenging.

This inspired three ITE College West students to develop a multi-functional scanner called SmartSafe, which can detect (i) temperatures, (ii) whether masks are worn properly, and (iii) whether people are keeping a safe distance from each other. Photos of people who are detected not wearing a mask properly will be sent to a linked Telegram account, for follow-up by safe management enforcement officers.

The team – comprising Go Si Wei, Tileron Levi Jan Lacang, and Muhammad Izaaq Bin Idris – hopes that their invention can help safe management enforcement officers to carry out their duties more efficiently and safely.

Well done!

<u>News Story on ITE Students' SmartSafe Innovation >></u>



Through a short film about a victim of bullying, a team of seven ITE College Central students won the Best Overall Film award at the Film Together Smartphone Filmmaking Competition.

Titled "The Race for Inclusion", their film tells the story of a boy with speech impediment who is being bullied. It was created to raise awareness about the effects of bullying on victims. The students received their award at a prize presentation ceremony on 29 April 2021.

With a theme of "Diversity and Inclusion", the Competition was jointly organised by the National Youth Achievement Award (NYAA) Council of Singapore, the High Commission of Canada, and filmmaker Tejas Ewing.

Two teams of students from ITE College East also won the Best Creative Entry award and Honourable Mention award respectively.

Congratulations to the winning students!

Awards Won by ITE Students at Smartphone Filmmaking Competition >> Winning Films of ITE Students >>

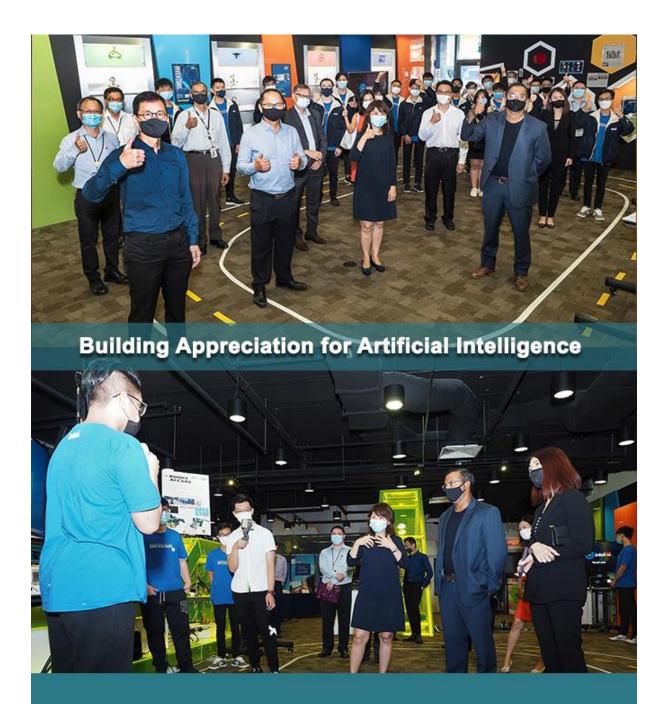


On 30 April 2021, the ITE-Sembcorp Centre for Sustainable Solutions was launched at ITE College East.

Developed as part of a partnership between ITE and Sembcorp Industries, the Centre will train students from ITE's electrical engineering and electrical technology courses on the maintenance of solar energy systems. It is the first-of-its-kind to be set up in an Institute of Higher Learning in Singapore.

Second Minister for Education, Dr Maliki Osman, officiated the launch of the facility.

Launch of ITE-Sembcorp Centre for Sustainable Solutions >>



ITE has partnered Intel to roll out a free online microlearning course, which aims to demystify artificial intelligence (AI) for the general public.

Called Intel AI for Citizens, it caters to those with no prior knowledge of AI. Besides providing them a basic understanding of AI, it also aims to help them appreciate the uses of AI.

The course was launched at ITE College West on 16 March 2021, and can be accessed through the Gnowbe self-learning platform. At the launch, AI projects by ITE students were also showcased.

Launch of AI for Citizens by ITE and Intel >>



On 24 March 2021, a virtual celebration was held to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the Global Education Network (GEN).

GEN is an international network of post-secondary education institutions, which comprises ITE, Australia's Box Hill Institute, Canada's Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, and the United States' Kirkwood Community College. It seeks to provide global educational and cultural exchanges for students of these institutions.

A strategic planning conference was also held after the celebration, where GEN members discussed plans for advancing student learning and staff development.

Cheers to many more years of friendship and growth!

GEN 20th Anniversary Celebration >>



For delivering exemplary service, 36 ITE staff were awarded the WOW Service Commendation on 1 April 2021.

The WOW Service Commendation recognises staff who have received compliments from the public, including parents, for service excellence.

The winners were symbolically presented a special ITE Care Bear by Ms Low Khah Gek, CEO of ITE, via a virtual ceremony.

From inspiring students to showing high levels of dedication on duty, all winners had gone the extra mile to make a difference.

Congratulations to them!

WOW Service Commendation Winners >>