

It's dream come true for achievers

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Prerit Sharma, who studied M Tech in Thermal Engineering at NITK, Surathkal, bagged the highest number of gold medals at the convocation.

Prerit, who clinched four gold medals, said working in the energy sector had always been his passion. "In all fields, energy is the fundamental necessity. That is why I chose to pursue an M Tech in Thermal Engineering. Winning a gold medal was beyond my expectation, but receiving four medals has filled me with joy."

Sindam Snikitha, a student of M Tech in Water Resources Engineering and Management, who also won a gold medal, said, "I have been fascinated by the construction of bridges and dams since childhood. This passion led me to choose water resources engineering for higher studies. Currently, I am working with



Gold medalist Prerit Sharma receives medals from IISc Bengaluru Director Prof Govindan Rangarajan and KIMS Foundation and Research Centre Chairman Dr Bhujanga Rao Vepakomma, during the 22nd annual convocation of NITK, Surathkal, on Saturday. DH PHOTO

AARVEE Associates in Hyderabad on similar projects. Winning a gold medal is a milestone. I am grateful to my mother and mentors who supported me."

Another gold medalist Atanu Chatterjee from Computer Science and Engineering

said, "This is the age of computers. With the rise of artificial intelligence, new opportunities are emerging in the field of computer engineering. I am currently working in this domain. Earning a gold medal and a rank has been a proud and joyful achievement."