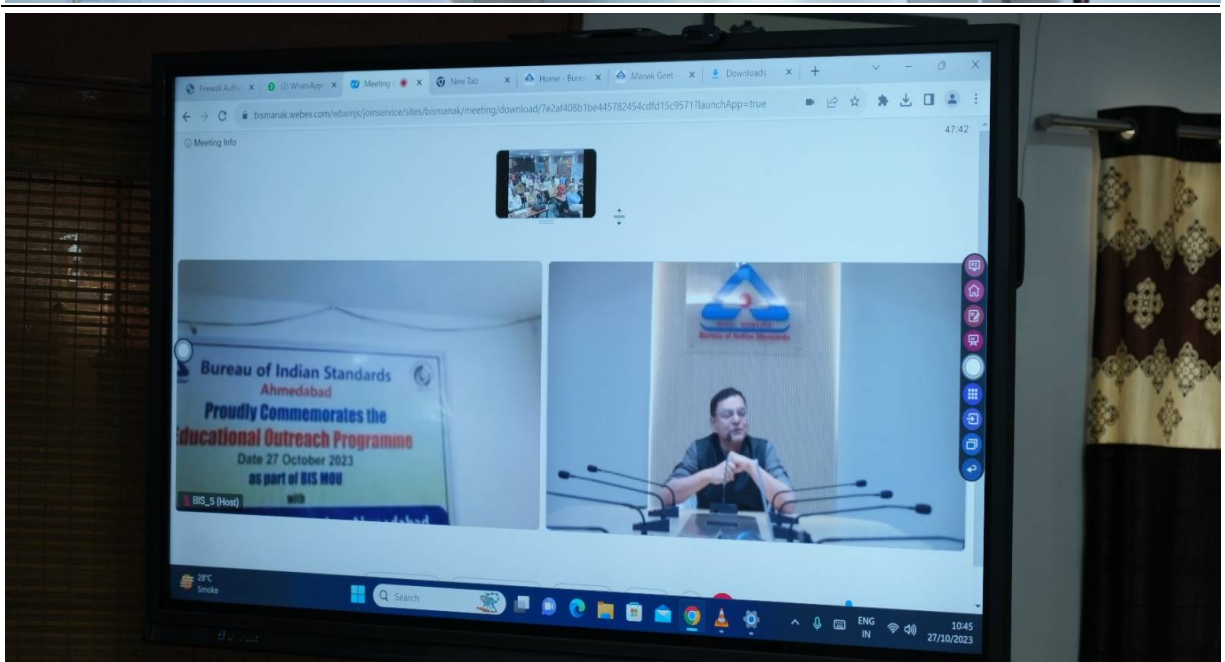


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**The program started with the rendering of the Manak Geet of BIS. Shri Pramod kumar Tiwari IAS, DG BIS addressed the participants of the program through video conference and encouraged all to actively participate in the program. Programme objectives were conveyed by Shri Sumit Sengar Director and Head, BIS Ahmedabad. During the workshop the presentations were delivered by BIS officers on various topics such as the overview of BIS & standardization ecosystem in the country, scope and expectations from the education outreach program, structure of an Indian Standard, role of research projects in standards formulation, demo on digital initiatives of BIS (BIS website, standards portal, BIS care app etc). Group activities were carried out on formulation of draft Standards in which the college faculties participated in formulation Indian Standards relevant to their fields and BIS officers guided throughout the activity. Group discussions were held on mutual benefits of collaboration of BIS with educational institutions and the road map for the implementations of Memorandum of Understanding signed between the Bureau of Indian Standards and L. D. College of Engineering, Ahmedabad**

**Major Dr Chaitanya S Sanghvi, Principal, encouraged all the faculties to participate in standards making process of BIS by sharing their inputs/expert comments on the draft and published Indian standards. Faculties have shown interest in joining as experts in Technical Committees. The information on institutions' strength, R&D experience, ongoing research projects was collected by BIS officers during the workshop. Moreover, during the workshop, information on BIS Internship scheme, standards club, industrial exposure visit etc. was also shared by BIS officers with the faculties and the students who attended the program.**