

### **Launch of Prof. EGR chair in Physics Department – IIT Madras**



Prof. E G. Ramachandran was one of the first Professor and Head of the department of metallurgical engineering in IIT Madras .A great teacher and scientist, he has endeared well to several generations of metallurgists.

**The Occupant of Prof. EGR chair is Dr. S. Ramaprabhu, Physics Department.**



He is currently Professor in the Department of Physics at IIT Madras. He obtained his Ph.D in Physics in 1984 from IIT Madras. He joined IITM as a professor in 1993. Professor is widely recognized for his research in Energy related applications of Nano materials, Environmental applications of Nano materials, Industrial wastewater treatment, CO<sub>2</sub> capture and conversion, Biomedical applications of nanomaterials etc... He won several awards such as Thomson Reuter citation award India 2015 Alexander von Humboldt-StiftungAvHFellow, Germany DAAD Fellow, Germany etc... He has 43 patents and Published extensively in International Journals.