On 10th October 2013, CCE-IEEE student chapter organized a day-long visit to Al Hassan Switchgear Mfg. Co. LLC, Oman, for the students of Level-4 BSc Electrical Power Engineering with the objective of giving them a detailed overview of switchgear operations in an Electrical Power System. The study trip was accompanied by Dr. Dharmasa, CCE-IEEE branch counselor.

The visit started with a technical video and talk by Mr. Mani Khadem Asst. General Manager and Mr. Feras Al Lawati of HR Dept. to enhance the students’ knowledge about the safety, manufacturing and trading process. After the presentation, students visited the assembly and design of various voltage level products and services to meet national and international standards along with Production Manager Mr. Vittal. Al Hassan has updated its role in innovative design using Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system. During the visit to the computer aided manufacture of cabinets, the workshop floor was thrown open for an interactive question-answer session followed by a detailed walkthrough of the industry.

The students showed keen interest to learn about the technical significance behind introducing innovative products and services that make a difference to the lives of customers. Al Hassan staff were happy to interact with the students who were not just enthusiastic and intelligent, but also had a good understanding of the subject as indicated with all alacrity by Al Hassan Switchgear team.

The CCE-IEEE student chapter will continue to organize such worthwhile study trips for the benefit of CCE student community, which will strengthen their skills to embark on successful careers in the power industry.
Students and staff on Industrial visit to Al Hassan Switchgear Mfg. Co. LLC, Muscat, Oman organized by IEEE- Student Chapter of Caledonian College of Engineering, Oman