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From Dean's Desk

Greetings!

On behalf of the Office of International Relations, IIT Kanpur, I extend a warm welcome to you all. As a Dean of this premier institution, I am extremely proud to say that since its inception, IIT Kanpur has held a position of repute in the academic world. Befitting an institution of its stature, IIT Kanpur boasts of world-renowned faculty, top-notch facilities and an excellent research environment. We take great pride in training our students not only in their academic fields but also in important life skills that help them make their way through the competitive world outside. Our esteemed and successful alumni all over the world are a testament to this fact!

The Office of International Relations at IIT Kanpur has been conceived keeping in mind the growing need for cross-cultural exchange of ideas and capabilities, especially in the field of academics. Since its establishment, the office has worked tirelessly on increasing the Institute's global outreach and footprint by way of inter-university academic alliances.

Our strategic objectives in the context of international relations encompass:

- Semester Exchange Programs and internship opportunities for students at IITK and our partner institutes so as to enhance their mobility and promote intermingling of ideas,
- faculty and research scholar exchanges with research laboratories and academic institutions where their research interests converge,
- MOUs with like-minded Institutes of high caliber to streamline interactions, and
- joint degree programs where faculty & student collaborations are strong & sustainable.

Our mission at the Office of International Relations is to develop strong and sustainable international partnerships with research laboratories, academic institutions, industry, and entrepreneurs in order to meet the aspirations of our faculty and student communities as well as our international partners. You, our international visitors, are our cherished allies in this undertaking. Our Office has been providing essential facilities and services to cater to the needs of international visitors at IIT Kanpur and we hope to take this tradition forward by making your stay in our campus a memorable one.

With Best Regards,
Dr. Yogesh M. Joshi
Dean of International Relations

The Institute



Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, established in 1959, is one of the premier institutes established by the Government of India. The aim of the Institute is to provide meaningful education, to conduct original research of the highest standard and to provide leadership in technological innovation.

Motto

तमसो मा ज्योतरिगमय

Transliteration: tamaso mā jyotir gamaya

Translation: Lead me from darkness to light

Faculty

Faculty Members: 418 Faculty awardees: Our faculty are the recent recipients of Major National and International awards. These include Padma Shri, Infosys Prize, Humboldt Research Award, Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar Award, TWAS Prize, National J.C. Bose Fellowship, Fulkerson Prize, Gödel Prize, National Academy of Sciences (NASc), Indian National Science Academy (INSA), Fellow of the Indian Academy of Sciences (FASc), Indian National Academy of Engineering (INAe), Swaranjayanti Fellowship.
Student to Faculty ratio: 13.1

Research

Number of publications in last 3 years: 5532

Number of PhD students registered: 1648

Number of patents published in last 3 years: 203

Externally funded ongoing projects: 563

IITK KIAP

The Kanpur Indo-American Programme (KIAP) from 1962 to 1972 at IITK was set up to collaborate closely with the outside world and thereby keep pace with the ever changing world of science and technology. Under the Kanpur Indo-American Programme, the Institute received technical assistance from a consortium of nine leading institutions of the USA. The institutions are listed below:

- California Institute of Technology
- Carnegie Institute of Technology
- Case Institute of Technology
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Ohio State University
- Princeton University
- Purdue University
- University of California at Berkeley
- University of Michigan

Some of the institutions involved are Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Princeton University, California Institute of Technology.



Institute Facilities

Banking Facilities

The following banks have their branches and ATMs in IIT Kanpur campus:

1. State Bank of India(SBI)
2. Union Bank of India(UBI)
3. ICICI Bank ATMs are located at new and old shopping centers, in front of Hall-3, and in front of Hall-7.

Computer Centre (CC)

It caters to the computing needs of faculty, staff and students for their research and teaching. This fully air-conditioned chamber has a number of state-of-the-art servers, high-end Linux and Windows Labs, and application softwares .The main facilities provided by CC are: 1. High Performance Computing(HPC) 2. Institute Local Area Network covering academic area, residential area and students' hostels 3. Email facility to over 10000 users 4. Computer Labs 5. Various softwares for specialized research and general use by the campus. Moreover, a wireless network spanning over most of the academic area and some parts of hostels allows easy access to the network.Students are provided email accounts with 1GB of disk space and a facility to host their own website.

Health Centre (HC)

The on-campus Health Centre(HC) is equipped with a clinical lab, ECG facility, Pathology lab, Homeotherapy and physiotherapy sessions, a radiology(X-ray) unit, 30-bed indoor room and a pharmacy. Emergency care is provided round the clock. The HC may also refer students to medical facilities in the city, but any hospitalisation cost outside the campus has to be partially borne by the student. There is also a dispensary in Hall of Residence 10.

P.K. Kelkar Library

P.K Kelkar Library is ranked amongst the best libraries in the country. P. K. Kelkar Library is housed with all modern amenities, and is situated in a magnificent three-storied building covering an area of 5730 square meters. The library has a collection of more than 2,50,000 volumes; subscription to about 2000 periodicals and more than 10,000 online journals. The collection includes abstract and indexed periodicals, CD-ROM databases, technical reports, standards and theses.The Library remains open, from 8am to 12 midnight on all working days; 9 a.m. to 12 midnight on Saturdays; 9am to 5.30 p.m. on Sundays and Gazetted holidays and for 24 hours during the two examinations each semester.

Railway Reservation Counter

A railway reservation counter is located near the IIT Kanpur main gate.

Shopping Complex

The shopping complex is a host of stores for general needs of students like chemist, hairdresser, dry cleaner, bakery and sweets shop, stationery stores, restaurant, electrician, tailor, shoe store, and cycle sales, and repairs shop, The complex also has a Post Office, Courier Service and Telecom Center.

The IR Wing, AnC



The Academics and Career (AnC) Council of the Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur is a council under the umbrella of the Students' Gymkhana which is entrusted with the responsibility of managing executive activities in two of the most crucial aspects of student life - Academics and Career. It aims to foster all needs related to academics and research for the campus dwellers.

The International Relations(IR) wing of the Council is a student organisation dedicated to work along with the Dean of International Relations (DoIR) and OIR (Office of International Relations) towards improving the relations of IIT Kanpur with its

Areas Of Work

The four major areas of its work are:

Student Contact body for foreign students on campus: The IR Wing serves as a student point of contact for all foreign students on campus for all their program-related queries/clarifications.

The IR Wing also conducts year-long sessions to acquaint the students with various procedures like shaping resumes, SOPs, and emails involved while applying for foreign interns and exchanges.

They are also provided assistance for the preparation of exams like GRE, GMAT, IELTS, PTE, etc. The IR Wing also works to establish a network with faculty and alumni to provide valuable suggestions about institutions excelling in a specific area, a possible point of contact for help in a foreign country for IIT Kanpur students and the living conditions there. The IR wing represents the students, works for their interests and is motivated to make itself as approachable as possible

In a nutshell, any problem comes your way, we're there for you!

Exchange programmes: The IR Wing aims to increase the opportunities for semester exchanges available for the students of IITK.

Internships: The IR Wing works to increase the opportunities for internships (sponsored and exchanges) available for the students of IIT Kanpur.

Career Opportunities in Academia: The IR Wing promotes awareness amongst students about career opportunities and guides them about the complete procedure of application in foreign universities. It works alongside the Career Development Wing to build an



Excellence in R&D

Advanced Centre for Material Science (ACMS)

The Advanced center for Material Science was established in 1978. This center has been completely rejuvenated with augmentation of research equipment worth more than 70 crores in the last 2 years. The newly added equipment are the state-of-art in their category and provided the much needed research infrastructure to do cutting edge, high quality research.

Center for Environmental Science & Engineering (CESE)

CESE was conceived with the specific objective of creating an interdisciplinary research facility that integrates the fields of engineering, science and medicine to address environmental issues. The CESE building is conceptualized, designed and constructed as a "building in the garden" that is sustainable and environment friendly. The facility has obtained a 5 star TERI-GRIHA Green Building certification.

Center for Lasers and Photonics (CELP)

CELP is an interdisciplinary center of excellence that combines cutting-edge technology from engineering and theoretical advances in science to create new horizons in the field of photonics science and engineering. The faculty pursue research in the fields of nanobiophotonics, ultra-fast optics, quantum optics and related fields. Center for Mechatronics The Center for Mechatronics serves as a laboratory support for students (for undergraduate projects & postgraduate theses) and a research & development unit. It helps in training & information dissemination through educational programs. It also maintains a reference library.

Flight Laboratory

It is a unique national facility with an 800m long runway capable of handling single engine aircrafts like Piper Super Club: a two-seater aircraft, Cessna Skylane: a four-seater aircraft and Piper Saratoga: a six-seater aircraft. The flight laboratory runs courses in flight testing wherein students collect data to analyze & evaluate the performance and handling qualities of the airplanes.

Language Laboratory

A state-of-the-art Language Laboratory with a computer controlled audio-visual system forms an important part of the language education in the institute. Courses are conducted for teaching English and foreign languages like French, German and Japanese.

Computer Aided Design Laboratory (CAD)

The CAD Lab was established for concept design and product realization. This lab facilitates students to evolve concepts and convert them into complete products. The facility has been designed and structured to take care of professional certification programs for students and act as a consultancy for industries.

Excellence in R&D



National Center for Flexible Electronics

The aim of this Center is to act as a catalyst for the development of the flexible electronics industry in the country. Its objectives include development of a national technology roadmap in coordination with other academic and industrial partners, establishment of a broad research program that leads to development of a critical set of electronic components and partner with industry to develop unique prototypes. The Center will function as a National Resource Center functioning closely with the industry.

National Information Center of Earthquake Engineering (NICEE)

NICEE, established in 1999, collects and maintains informational resources & publications on earthquake engineering and makes these available to interested users. It also undertakes other outreach activities with a view to mitigate earthquake disaster.

National Wind Tunnel Facility (NWTF)

NWTF was established in 1999 to meet the national needs in areas of aeronautical and non-aeronautical R&D activities, houses the most versatile and efficient wind tunnel in India. It has various simulation and measurement systems with interchangeable test sections. It is capable of testing at wind speeds of up to 80 metres/second. NWTF is committed to take up sponsored & consultancy projects and supports the academic research at IIT Kanpur.

SAMTEL Center for Display Technologies (SCDT)

SCDT was formally established in 2000 through a memorandum of understanding between SAMTEL group of Industries and IIT Kanpur. This was the beginning of one of the most significant efforts towards meaningful industry-academia interaction to meet the challenge of emerging technologies in electronic displays. Faculty members from a variety of disciplines participate to bring and conduct research projects at the center.

SIDBI Innovation and Incubation Center (SIIC)

This center was set up in collaboration with the Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) to foster innovation, research and entrepreneurial activities in technology based areas. It is a one point contact for all matters related to innovation, incubation, entrepreneurship, technology transfer and commercialization at IIT Kanpur. It is supported by SIDBI, DIT, DST, MSME, BIRAC and DSIR so as to boost the entrepreneurial ecosystem in the country.

Thematic Unit of Excellence

The basic thrust of Thematic Unit of Excellence is to develop soft materials, structures and devices within 100 nm size based on soft (e.g., polymeric, biological, organic) materials & polymer-derived carbons. The developed products have applications in three areas: energy, environment and biology. Tinkering Laboratory Tinkering laboratory is a platform for creative minds to come out of their 'Think-Space' to hands-on 'Tinker-Space'. This laboratory was set-up in conjunction with Ta201 (Academic Lab), 4-i lab, Central workshop, Design Program, and SIIC Advanced Imaging Center Advanced Imaging Center with a generous internal grant from the Institute transmission electron microscope for researchers materials research. The building houses microscopes, wet laboratory facility, and conference rooms.



Travel & Tourism

The city of Kanpur is among the many Cities in Uttar Pradesh, which are washed by the holy waters of the River Ganges. Situated on the banks of the Ganga. The location of Kanpur alongside the Ganges near its upper course has also rendered optimum fertility to the soil, hence making it suitable for agricultural activities. This, in turn, has paved the way for the establishment and development of various industries in Kanpur that is further complemented by the huge manpower resources in the region, owing to its high population density.

Kanpur belongs to the category of those few cities in India, which boasts of having a unique blend of Historical, Social, Religious, Cultural, Commercial, and Industrial significance. Undoubtedly, Uttar Pradesh Tour is meaningless without thinking about Tours to Kanpur.

Tourist Attractions

Apart from being an agricultural and industrial hub, Kanpur has attained a special position among the Tourist Destinations in Uttar Pradesh. Sightseeing in Kanpur is not hectic at all since all the Tourist Attractions in Kanpur are closely located.

The Kanpur Memorial Church was constructed in the year 1875. The construction of the Church is based on Lombardy Gothic. Built of red bricks, the All Soul's Cathedral (as 'Kanpur Memorial Church' is also known) also showcases a magnificent figure of an angel sculpted by Baron Carlo Marochetti, which symbolizes 'peace'.

The Jajmau, the name for a mound located alongside the Ganga to the east of Kanpur is of great historic significance. Several antique items of the period from 600 to 1600 A.D. were dug out during the excavations carried out in 1957-58. Historians have concluded that the items are representatives of the kingdom of Yayati.

The Jain Glass Temple is a striking temple that is aesthetically adorned with glass and enamel works. It is located in Maheshwari Mohal at the back of the Kamla Tower.

Kamla Retreat is a museum situated in Kamala Nehru Road, which showcases a rich assortment of artifacts.

Allen Forest Zoo is one of the popular Zoological Gardens and of India. This zoo, inaugurated in 1971, provides amusements for one and all. Besides the animals, the provision of holding picnics has enhanced the charm of the place.

Green Park in Kanpur is a famous Cricket Stadium, which over the years, has held numerous International Cricket matches.

Moti Jheel holds a reservoir for drinking water under the Kanpur Waterworks. Situated in Benajhabar, the lake has been beautified with gardens and children's parks.

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Monuments in Kanpur

The Monuments in Kanpur hold a special place not as much for their beauty as it is for their historical importance.

The most interesting feature of Monuments of Kanpur is the fact that each and every monument has a story to tell its visitors. Kanpur Monuments also bear evidence to justify the stories behind their foundations.

Among the common Monuments in Kanpur, a special mention needs to be made of the Jajmau and the Massacre Ghat.

Situated alongside the Ganges, the mound called Jajmau reveals the times of a Pauranic king, who ruled this Kingdom of Yayati. The evidence were in the form of pottery, busts, and utensils. The excavations at Jajmau also reveal serious influences of the Vedic Period. The place also has a mausoleum of the renowned Sufi Saint, Makhdoom Shah Ala-ul-Haq, which was built by Feroz Shah Tughlaq, in 1358 A.D. and a mosque built by Kulich Khan in 1679 A.D.

On the other hand, the Massacre Ghat narrates the tragic incident of the mass killing of British men, women, and children in India. The incident was an armed rebellion led by Nana Sahib of Peshwa that occurred during the Sepoy Mutiny of 1857. A white temple has been later built in site to pay tribute to the victims.

Most of the Monuments in Kanpur are located in proximity to the city. Hence, visiting them is not a hectic affair at all. Availability of sufficient modes of transport from any part of the city would also complement the pleasure of sightseeing in Kanpur.

Museums

Talking of Tourist Attractions in Kanpur the Museums in Kanpur, India need a special mention. The importance of Museums of Kanpur is heightened due to the fact that Kanpur has a strong and elaborate influence in the history of India. The antique articles exhibited in the Kanpur Museums would fascinate you. The artistic brilliance reflected by the various wares would surely amaze you.

Two most popular Museums in Kanpur are the Singhania Art Gallery and the Kamla Retreat Museum.

The Singhania Art Gallery would certainly satisfy the artistic tastes of tourists. The paintings of ancient ages would leave you mesmerized. More astounding is the quality of the mediums of paintings that have refused to fade even after the passage of several centuries.

Kamla Retreat is one of the renowned museums of India. The Museum gets its name from the Kamala Nehru Road, where it is situated. Kamala Retreat displays a vast range of artifacts that belong to a wide time span.



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Holy Places

The endless number of Holy Places in Kanpur, India and other tourist attraction places include Jajmau, Shri Radhakrishna Temple (J.K.Temple), Kanpur Memorial Church, Jain Glass Temple, All Souls' Memorial Church, The Temple of Lord Hanumanji Panki, Gurudwara Banno Sahib and many more.

Gardens

There is an endless number of beautiful parks and Gardens in Kanpur. The Kanpur Gardens are extremely beautiful and are a feast for the eyes. Out of all the gardens and parks, the main and the most popular ones are:

1. Buddha Park
2. Phool Bagh
3. Nana Rao Park
4. Moti Jheel Park

Buddha Park is located between the Martyrs Memorial and the Bara Imambara. This beautiful park serves as a recreation and relaxation ground for the children and the aged people for a long time.

Phool Bagh is also called as the 'Ganesh Udyam'. Excellent flower shows are held in the Phool Bagh. The Phool Bagh also has a large Public Library and a Summer House.

Nana Rao Park was previously known as Memorial Well Garden. This park is one of the biggest parks in Kanpur. This park is located at the heart of the city on Mall Road.

Moti Jheel Park is a drinking water reservoir of Kanpur Waterworks. This reservoir is located in the Benajhabar area of the city of Kanpur. This Jheel has been recently renovated and beautiful children's park and recreation grounds have been built around it.

Excursions from Kanpur

There are quite a few destinations for the Kanpur Excursions.

Among all the destinations one of the must-visit places for those who are considering Excursions from Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh is unquestionably **Bithoor**. Situated 22 kilometers from the city of Kanpur, Bithoor is a historical and very important religious town. The town is situated on Kannauj Road and nestled on the banks of the great Ganges. Bithoor is quite a serene and calm spot that is perfused with historical and religious significance.

Musanagar is an important and beautiful town in the region. Musanagar is famous for the excavation works that are done for unearthing the remains of the Indus Valley Civilization. The other beautiful tourist attraction spots include beautiful temples which

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Another place that must surely be visited for people thinking of Excursions from Kanpur is Kannauj. Kannauj is a town with historical significance and is situated on the banks of the holy river Ganga. The beautiful town of Kannauj has maintained and remained in prominence for the most part of the ancient and medieval period. The city rose to prominence and gained huge importance during the reign and rule of Harshavardhana who is considered as one of the most illustrious and notable rulers in India. Kannauj was named the capital city of Harshavardhana in the mid 7th century.

Lucknow is another picturesque city that should definitely be visited. This city is called the 'City of Nawabs'. The city of Lucknow is the proud possessor of a range of aesthetic and attractive monuments. The most important among all the monuments are the Imambaras, the most famous ones being the Chota Imambara, Shah Najaf Imambara, and Bada Imambara.

Agra is the city of architectural wonders and one of the Seven Wonders of the World, the Taj Mahal. Agra, the most romantic city in India, is famous for the marble edifice 'Taj Mahal' hued in the eternal beauty that is immortal. This beautiful marble monument, located on a bank of the Yamuna River in Agra India, has inspired poets and lovers throughout the world. Tours to Agra will take you to many other attractions of the city which include Fort Tomb of Itimad Ud Daulah, Akbar's Tomb at Sikandra, Rambagh Gardens, Dayalbagh Gardens, Chini ka Rauza, Fatehpur Sikri, Jama Masjid Agra, and Buland Darwaza.

While in Kanpur, it is definitely worthwhile to spare some time and go for these Excursions from Kanpur. These are tours are very enjoyable and soothing to the eyes as the tourists have a lifetime experience going around the beautiful places in Kanpur.

Shopping

Shopping in Kanpur is a lifetime experience. Kanpur shopping symbolizes leather. Every year thousands of tourists come from every corner of the world for Shopping in Kanpur, India, especially shopping for leather products. While Shopping in Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh for leather products customers will find each and everything they want in leather.

Kanpur offers a wide range of leather products to its customers like Belts, Shoes, Suitcase, Bags, Airbags, Purses, Wallets, Gloves, Football, Volleyballs, Basketballs, Jackets, Saddles, decorative items and the list goes on and on and on.

There are a massive number of shopping centers making Shopping in Kanpur much easier. The customers will especially find leather shops wherever they look. The major shopping centers in Kanpur include The Z-Square Mall, Rave 3, Rave Moti, Birhana Road, Parade, Matson road, Naveen Market, Gumti No. 5 and P.P.N. Market. The Kanpur city also offers the visitors with a delightful and wonderful range of State Emporia, like the UP Handloom Emporium, UPICA, Phulkari- Punjab Emporium, The Mall and Manjusha-Bengal Emporium.



Functional Bodies

Student's Gymkhana

The Students' Gymkhana is the students' governing organization of IIT Kanpur. Established in 1962, the Gymkhana seeks to cultivate qualities of leadership amongst students to foster a corporate life and to advance the general cause of the student body of the Institute. With advisory support from the faculty, it is run entirely by the students. Gymkhana houses over 25 clubs, 10 hobby groups and 17 wings spread across four councils and two cells. Councils are organized into Clubs, Hobby Groups and Teams. Recently, the Gymkhana has undergone a major restructuring with creation of new entities called Cells. Cells will be independent from the councils and would be led by the Overall Coordinators. They have been further divided into Wings for efficient functioning.

The Students' Gymkhana functions mainly through the Students' Senate, an elected representative body, and the elected executives: the President, Students' Gymkhana; General Secretary, Media and Culture ; General Secretary, Science and Technology; and General Secretary, Games and Sports; UG Secretary and PG Secretary, Academics and Career Council.

Games & Sports Council

The rich culture of sports at IIT Kanpur boasts of immense participation from the 13 halls, in various levels- be it recreational, inter-hall, clubs, or as part of a team; depending on their skill and interest. No wonder, our extensive state-of-the-art facilities and equipments for athletics, badminton, basketball, cricket, football, hockey, lawn tennis, table-tennis, volleyball, weightlifting, squash, wall-climbing, an olympic-size swimming pool and two gyms are all in constant use. There is also a skating rink, a yoga hall, not to mention basket-ball courts and game rooms in all the halls. The well-trained coaches offer you a chance to learn the sport or better your skills.

Media & Cultural Council

The Media and Cultural Council of the Students' Gymkhana is the epitome and embodiment of 'Culture Of IIT Kanpur'. It organizes a plethora of activities spanning the entire calendar year. The council provides students with numerous platforms to pursue a diverse set of interests, train themselves, perform on stage, compete with others and appreciate various art forms.

Events:

- Freshers' night
- Galaxy
- Montage
- Inter IIT Cultural Meet

Functional Bodies



Clubs and Hobby Groups:

- Dance Club
- Music Club
- Dramatics Club
- Fine Arts Club
- English Literary Society(ELS)
- Hindi Sahitya Sabha(HSS)
- Quiz Club
- Film Club
- Photography Club
- Radio 90.4
- Book Club
- Student's Opinion Society
- Student Film Society(SFS)
- Anime Society
- Design and Animation Club
- Debating and Discussion Society

Science and Technology Council

Science and Technology Council is a part of Student's Gymkhana and provides opportunity and a platform for students to pursue their interests in the field of science and technology. The Council currently comprises of 5 clubs, 5 societies and 9 institute teams.

Clubs and Societies:

- Areomodelling Club
- Astronomy Club
- Electronics Club
- Programming Club
- Robotics Club
- Consulting Society
- Descon Society
- Finance Discussion Group
- Science Coffee House
- Speedcubing Society

Institute SnT Teams:

- Team AerialRobotics IITK
- Team AUV-IITK
- Team ERA-IITK
- Team Humanoid
- Team IGVC
- Team Robocon-IITK
- Team IITK Motorsports
- Team ZURA-IITK
- Team iGEM-IITK

Academics and Career Council

The Academics and Career Council, IIT Kanpur is a council directly placed under the Student's Gymkhana and aims to foster all needs related to academics and research for the campus dwellers. It also acts as an interface between the Institute policy makers and the students on matters related to academics, research and foreign collaborations through its elected representatives.

Institute Cells

- Entrepreneurship Cell (E-Cell)
- Community Welfare Cell (CWC)
- Outreach Cell
- Journalism Cell : Vox Populi

Other Important Bodies

- Election Commission
- Women's Cell IITK
- International Complaints Committee (ICC)
- Cell for Differently Abled Persons (CDAP)



Institute Festivals

Antaragni

Antaragni stands for 'the fire within', is one of the biggest cultural extravaganza of India, where students and personalities from all over the country unite. These four days of back-to-back cultural events, talented feats and loads of fun are cherished moments in the life of every student here at IITK.

The arsenal of Antaragni has events that include fashion show, dance, music, drama, photography, art, and the sort. The events are fiercely competed by talented students from all the established colleges and major cities of the country.



Udghosh

Udghosh with it's slogan 'MAYHEM FOR VICTORY', is one of the largest inter-collegiate sports festivals of India, which is organized by IIT Kanpur. Apart from being a major testing ground for IIT Kanpur students in preparation of the Inter-IIT Sports Meet, it also witnesses huge spectator count for each and every sports event.



Techkriti

Techkriti is the annual inter-collegiate Technical and Entrepreneurship festival organised by the students of IIT Kanpur. Techkriti was launched in 1995 with the aim of developing interest and encouraging innovation in technology among students of India. Techkriti hosts a plethora of challenging competitions, quality workshops, exhibitions, lectures and shows.



FAQs



Q1. After completing all formalities related with Registration what should I do?

Ans. After completion of all Registration formalities, you can occupy your hostel room and join the academic activities from the next working day

Q2. When do we receive our University ID card?

Ans. You will get that within a week after you get here

Q3. What should I do if my ID card is damaged or stolen?

Ans. In case of loss or damage of ID card you need to report to the institute ID card cell which is located just besides the computer centre

Q4. What should I do if there is some mistake in my ID card?

Ans. In case of mistake in ID card contact the ID card cell

Q5. How can I check my result, academic details and account details?

Ans. For academic details or results, you can log on to the Pingala portal using your user name. Alternatively, you can log on to OARS portal

Q6. To Whom I have to report regarding problems in Hostel?

Ans. In case of any kind of problems in Hostels feel free to contact the Hall office of your Hall of Residence

Q7. How hostel rooms are allotted?

Ans. Randomly

Q8. Can I install air cooler in my non-AC room?

Ans. Foreign students are allotted AC rooms so you need not worry about buying and installing Air Coolers

Q9. Can I bring refrigerator in my room?

Ans. No, it isn't allowed to keep Refrigerator in your room. However, you will be given the facility of Refrigerators in Hostel

Q10. How do I pay for laundry?

Ans. You will be provided with local laundry services so you can pay the laundry man directly

Q11. How do I open a bank account in Indian Bank?

Ans. There is a bank on campus and the Office of International Relations will help you with the opening of bank account

Q12. How does University cater to security of the students?

Ans. The institute has a on campus Guard Force called the SIS Guards. They can be seen on the entrance of all hostels and on all other prime locations of the campus and are on a constant patrol all over campus at night. We also have a on campus Police Station if need arises

Q13. I dont know another language. Will this be a problem?

Ans. As long as you know English, there will not be any problem either on academic front nor on social front.

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