

## Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology, Burla

## IQAC Cell

## Institutional Distinctiveness

The area distinctive to the vision of this premier University of the nation is to provide affordable quality higher technical education. In the process of attaining the vision, short term and long term strategic plans have been drawn. Emphasize is being given to initiate various quality measures such as augmentation of physical infrastructure, quality of teaching staff, increase in need based new programmes, quality certification, interaction with other institutions of repute, placement and emerge as an institute of excellence on bar with eminent institutions. To provide an affordable quality higher education to all at all times is the functioning strength, formulating morale and formatting spirit of our University. In order to achieve these things, the University follows a steadfast principle of collecting affordable fee for self-financed stream students. This practice is in vogue since 1995. The University stringently follows Government regulations on reservation policy and merit in admission. No capitation fee is collected in both aided and self-finance stream. Quality standards prescribed by the UGC are strictly adhered in appointing staff members and Career Advance Scheme(CAS) is followed in promotion of Assistant Professors with the committee constituted as per the guidelines of AICTE/UGC and Department of Skill Development and Technical Education, Government of Odisha and maintain teacher — student ratio as 1:20.

Considering the willingness of students in pursuing higher education in this University, programmes are introduced in each department with nominal fees. The research cell, with well-defined research policy, motivates teachers and students to pursue research by way of providing facilities and incentives. 123 faculty members are doctorates. There are 352 scholars are persuing research here. In the way of promotion of research, the University houses recognized research centres and a common instrumentation centre with active research evidenced by publications and operation of major and minor research projects. Quality education is complemented with an ever enhanced infrastructure. The university constantly augments its infrastructure, catering to the needs of all levels of academic programmes. The fruition of quality education is career readiness and a lucrative placement. This cell offers precampus training, conducts on-campus placement drives and effectively bridges the gap between the demands of the industries and our skilled students. Every year, the number of students getting placed through on and off campus interviews increases with a reasonable median salary. Socially backward students are facilitated with backward class, scheduled caste and scheduled tribe scholarships from the state government. Economically backward students are helped to get scholarships from State Government and Central Government. Research scholars are given University Scholarship. Besides value based teaching, the University also inculcates values by practice. In our journey towards excellence, the University has been ranked 119th by NIRF in 2020.

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