

MOVING TO THE DESTINATION

103 students of 2017-18 have started residing in the permanent campus at Jagti. The 400 acres Jagti campus about 20 km away from Jammu airport and Jammu Tawi Railway Station spreads over 25 acres of a beautiful landscape close to Trikuta hills. The hostels are well equipped currently for a comfortable lodging and boarding for 650 students. The hostels are provided with laundry centers apart from other routine facilities. There is a common hall that provides facilities for indoor recreation and snooker table. J&K Bank has established an ATM alongside the hostels.

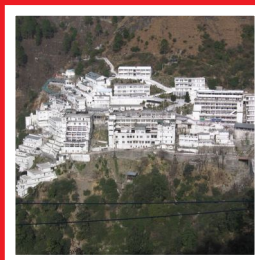


VISION INTO REALITY

Establishing a new IIT is an immense challenge, yet it gives an opportunity to create an institution that can remain vibrant for next decades through its well chosen faculty and free environment provided to them and the young creative minds to pave paths of entrepreneurship, innovation and leadership in fields of engineering, technology, science and social responsibility. I wish that this new IIT in Jammu provides resources to the state of J&K to develop its productivity and contribute to provide better future to its people by addressing their technological needs. Let it also help prepare responsible citizens on whom India can be proud. Let its students usher in a technologically advanced India of their dreams.

Prof. D.K. Pandya, Founder Member & Dean Administration, IIT Jammu

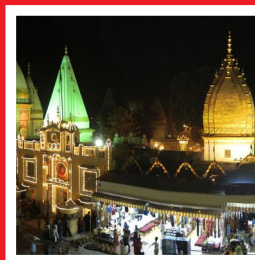
ATTRACTIONS NEAR IIT JAMMU



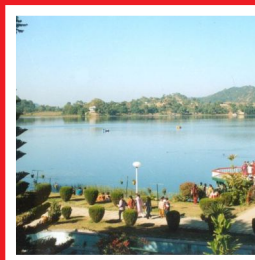
VAISHNO MATA (33 Kms)



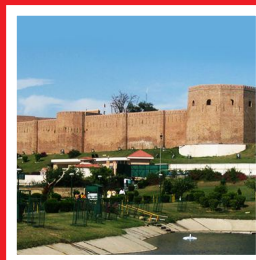
PATNITOP (95 Km)



RAGHUNATH TEMPLE (12 Km)



MANSAR LAKE (63 Km)



BAHU FORT (16 Km)

GIVING BACK TO SOCIETY

India's major ongoing thrust on digital literacy needs digital safety instruction. The Social club of students who are interested in making a positive contribution to the society has started conducting the "Be safe in cyberspace" workshop in schools under the supervision of project associate Mr. Pranjal Ranjan who specializes in network security.



MUSE

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The Beginning

It was a memorable day on May 01, 2016 at Jammu, when a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Department of Higher Education, MHRD, Government of India and Department of Higher Education Government of Jammu & Kashmir, was signed, setting the ball rolling to set up an IIT campus at village Jagti, Tehsil Nagrota at Jammu.

The inauguration was held on 6th of August 2016 by the HRD minister Mr. Prakash Javadekar and was graced by the presence of Dr. Jitendra Singh, Minister of State, Govt. of India, Dr. Nirmal Kumar Singh, Deputy Chief Minister, J&K and Smt. Priya Sethi, Minister of State for Education, J&K.

Director's Message

The role of Director in any Institute is limited to a strategic direction. Though the Director is expected to give an oversight for the Institute but leadership is not about titles, it should be focussed on delivery.

Leadership is about service that makes many of IIT Jammu students' cherish for volunteering their time on the weekend serving the society. It is about innovation that makes our faculty to lead as they research and develop teaching methods to help our students not to learn but to transform.

Leadership is about the vision that makes our mentors leaders, as they see not just where we are now but where we should be in future.

I believe that together, we can do what has never been done before. I hope that the successive issues of Muse will bring out an impressive range of skills, talents, passion of the aspiring students and faculty. Our faculty will inspire all of us for changing the world to be a better place to live in.

I invite you to be a part of the story of building IIT Jammu and keep sharing your insight, your comments and feedback.



Best Wishes
Prof. Manoj Singh Gaur

Our Mentor : IIT Delhi

It is a universally known fact that the strength of a structure depends, to a great extent, on the strength of its foundation. As the mentor Institute, IIT Delhi has been providing a very effective academic and administrative support to the IIT Jammu.

The following Professors acted as conveners of the IIT Jammu. We consider ourselves fortunate to have been afforded the chance to work alongside such distinguished & knowledgeable personalities.



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(In Academic Year 2016-17)

BIGS OF THE YEAR



"Life is not about finding yourself, Its about creating yourself"

On this philosophy our senior batch has taken the following initiatives

- "Learn to speak" was an initiative of an exuberant group of students who helped in refining oratory and stage confidence skills amongst the people who were keen to learn.
- A few students, who had significant knowledge about coding, started "Silver classes" to give fellow students exposure in the field of programming. These classes helped students in their computer courses, and convinced them to take coding seriously.

Memories & Celebrations



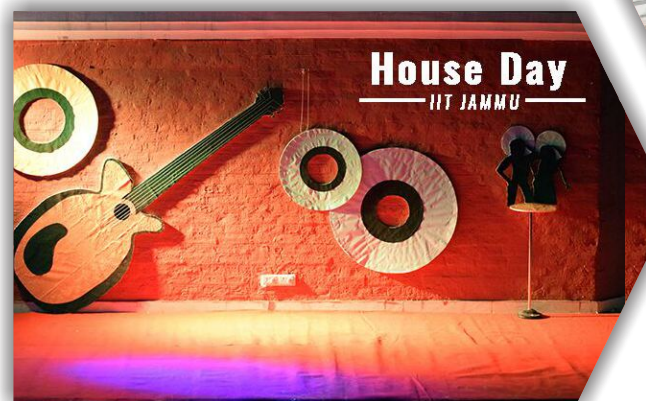
1st batch students organized Fresher's Party on the theme of Halloween .



Students got to visit Mansar Lake and Dalhousie



An event was organised on the Seventy first Independence Day at the permanent campus of IIT Jammu, at Jagti .



The event turned into cultural aura with the melodious performance by the music club.

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FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

IIT Jammu welcomed the 2nd Batch of Undergraduate Students on 10th August 2017. All 103 students were inducted into IIT Jammu with a one week foundation programme. The Programme was designed to initiate creativity with knowledge was aimed to facilitate a comfortable initiation of their life at IIT, Jammu.

The programme was inaugurated by Prof. D.P. Aggarwal, Ex-Chairman UPSC and Prof. Adit Singh from Auburn University. A motivational session from Prof. Aggarwal guided the students to connect with values, ethics and integrity. Prof. Adit Singh's presentation on IIT's history and legacy enthused students to realize the purpose and passion behind engineering.

Workshops on sketching, theatre, dance, singing, block printing, yoga and Logo designing were conducted to enhance analytical skills, creative potential and boost innovation amongst our students. Daily physical workout with Zumba marked the fun filled and an energetic conclusion for each evening.

The new batch of students also visited the campus at Paloura for a formal interaction and a get together with senior students and workshops with them on block printing, dance and theatre. A stand up comedy show by Mr. Vinay Sharma, an IIT Bombay alumnus was organised to mark the closing of the seven day event.



A feedback survey by Foundation Programme Team found some really positive reviews by the freshers. 95% of students said that programme helped them to gel better with their batch mates.

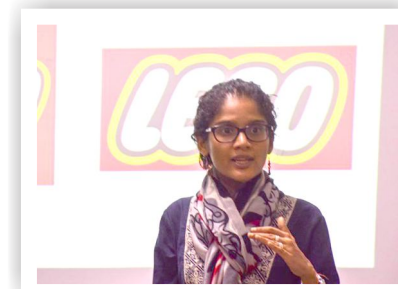
WORKSHOPS



Aero modeling Workshop was conducted by Mr. Aditya Chundi of Skyfi labs under the guidance of Prof. PVM Rao.



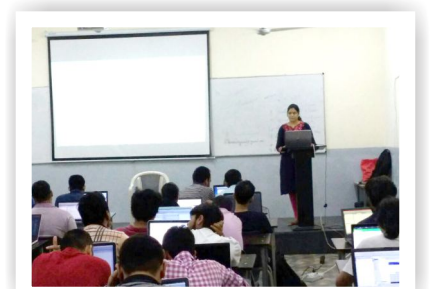
Dr. Amit Kumar of IIIT Kota taught students the fundamentals of Internet of Things (IoT).



Logo and Template Designing workshop by Ms. Shreya Sharda, Founder of Design flyover.



Mr. Yogesh Kalia of Medhaavi Centre for Automotive Research, Punjab conducted the workshop for student of Mechanical Engineering.



Students learnt the basics of android application development through a workshop. It was conducted by Ms. Shweta Bhandari and Vineeta Jain from MNIT Jaipur.