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Important Happenings in KIIT & KISS (01 Jun – 10 Aug, 2013)

Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India and Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, Judge, Supreme Court of India visited KIIT & KISS and addressed students of KIIT University on August 9, 2013.

KISS represents Asia in live discussion with Mr. Ban Ki-moon, United Nations Secretary-General on August 5, 2013 - an UNFPA initiative in the run up to International Youth Day.

KIIT hosted Iftar Party during the holy month of Ramzan on August 2, 2013.

Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas visited KIIT & KISS on July 28, 2013.

Public Broadcasting Service (PBS), a popular American TV channel, featured KISS and its Founder Achyuta Samanta prominently in its programme on July 16, 2013. The programme was broadcast during PBS News Hour in all the states of the United States as well as in Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Guam and American Samoa.

His Holiness Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya Swami Nischalananda Saraswatiji Maharaj of Goverdhan Math, Puri visited KISS and addressed the students and faculties in KIIT University on July 15, 2013.

Dutee Chand, a KIIT student, bagged Bronze Medal in 200 metre dash at the 20th Asian Athletics Championship held in Pune from 3 – 7 July 2013.

Aparajita Gochhikar, a KIIT student, bagged silver medal in U-20 girls category of the 19th Commonwealth Chess Championship held at Port Elizabeth, South Africa from July 5 to 14, 2013.

Laxman Hembram, a 17-year old tribal student of KISS, participated in the Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly at the United Nations Headquarters in New York held on July 12, 2013. He represented India at the Assembly.

Annual Rath Yatra (Chariot Festival) was celebrated with religious fervor at Shrivani Kshetra, KISS on July 10, 2013.

Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development graced the 7th Foundation Day of KiiT International School and Faculty Development Programme of KIIT University as Chief Guest on July 2, 2013. He also visited KISS.

KiiT International School was bracketed among Top 20 schools of India in a national survey on public school conducted by Engineering Watch, a prestigious educational magazine. Mr. Sanjay Suar, Principal received the recognition from **Shri Salman Khurshid, Hon'ble Union Minister of External Affairs**.

KiiT International School was accredited under CBSE International Programme, becoming one of only a few schools in the country to achieve this accreditation.

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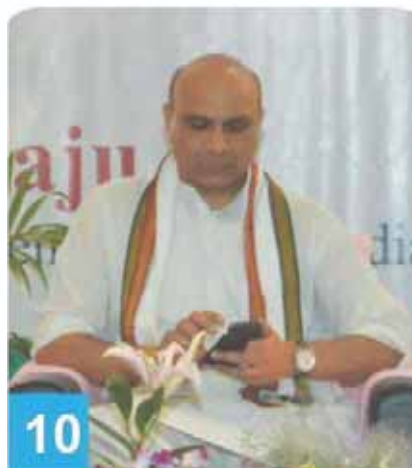
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KALINGA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

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(Approved by Medical Council of India (MCI))



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Special clinical meetings on Tuesdays and topic review or oration lecture on Fridays.



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Super-specialty units comprising of Nephrology, Cardiology, Neurology, Urology, Laproscopic Surgery, Paediatric Surgery, Oncology and Plastic Surgery
Nuro Surgery, Trauma Care

KIMS Gets Permanent Recognition from MCI

Medical Council of India (MCI) has accorded permanent recognition to Kalinga Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS), a constituent of KIIT University, Bhubaneswar. KIMS has been offering M.B.B.S. course from 2007. A medical college becomes eligible for permanent recognition after completion of five years, as per MCI rules and guidelines. MCI had recommended permanent recognition for KIMS to the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India after inspection by a high level MCI team. Acting on the recommendations the Ministry was pleased to grant the permanent recognition, which would further boost to the standing of this premier medical college of the country.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

4 ½ Year MBBS Programme

KIIT University, the center of excellence in quality education in Odisha has been actively fulfilling its social commitment through its various institutes.

KIMS is one such attempt of KIIT to provide quality health care in the State and build up efficient medical professionals.

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- Burns Care Centre
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- Bed side portable X-ray
- Ambulance Services
- 6 Computerized Dialysis Machines
- Phaco Emulsification
- Digital Fundus Cameras
- Sophisticated Laboratory Services
- Computerized Tomography scans facilities

- Auto-analyzers for simultaneous measurements of several hematological and biochemical parameters; & automated blood gas and electrolyte analyzers
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- 3-D echo(real time)
- Color Doppler
- Diagnostic ultrasound
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- State-of-the-art Retinal Surgery
- Cancer Surgery

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Twenty years of Glorious Existence & 16 years of Excellence

KIIT University is abuzz with activities with the start of the new academic session. Though KIIT has made its mark as one of the most promising universities, yet never ever KIIT had the privilege of having a sitting Chief Justice of India in the campus to address the students. President, Vice-President, Prime Minister of India and even President, Prime Minister and Chief Justice from several other countries had visited KIIT and KISS, but never ever the Chief Justice of India came to address the students of KIIT and KISS. Another significant thing to happen to KIIT and KISS was its presence being felt in United Nations, where one student from here represented India on the Malala Day. The video chat between the students of KISS and the UN Secretary-General was another epoch making incident happening in KIIT. Everybody in KIIT and KISS were fortunate to listen to another illustrious man of letters, who came to visit the University. Despite being a very seasoned politician and a very important Cabinet Minister, Dr. Veerappa Moily kept everybody glued to their chairs when he spoke as an accomplished author. It was a highly motivating experience for students and teachers of KiiT International School, celebrating its 7th Foundation Day, and also for faculty members of KIIT University attending Faculty Development Programme to listen to the words of wisdom by Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development, who graced the occasions as Chief Guest. There could not have been a better beginning of the session for any academic institution. The blessings of Jagadguru Shankaracharya of Puri Govardhan Pitha, a great mathematician in his own right, marked the beginning of KIIT's journey for the year 2013-14. Shankaracharya came to address the students on diverse issues and was happy to answer the queries put to him by the students. With the blessings of these great people, KIIT and KISS promise to excel this year. Records and achievements of KIIT and KISS can be gauged from their twenty glorious years of existence and for KIIT it is the 16 years of excellence as an institution of higher learning. Let us make KIIT to grow and achieve even higher degree of excellence in the coming days.

KIIT & KISS have a bright future: Hon'ble Chief Justice of India

"Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) is indeed a pride of our country; it is much more than a school, it is an agent of social change"

--Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India



(From L) Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, Judge, Supreme Court of India, Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India, Prof. N. L. Mitra, Chancellor, KIIT University and Prof. P. P. Mathur, Vice Chancellor at KIIT University.

KIIT University has gained a lot of momentum within a short span of time solely due to the vision, commitment and hard work of its Founder, Achyuta Samanta, said Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India in his address to the students of KIIT University on August 9, 2013. The university provides excellent facility and has a bright future, he told the students and advised them to utilise the opportunity. The Chief Justice of India was accompanied by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, Judge, Supreme Court of India. Madam Saraswathi Sathasivam and Madam Suprama Misra were also present.

"Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) is indeed a pride of our country; it is much more than a school, it is an agent of social change", Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sathasivam stated, adding that it is recognised as a successful model of tribal empowerment through education. Expressing high appreciation for the noble activities of KISS, he said that the institute is giving tribal children an opportunity to dream and realise their dreams. This was the second visit of Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sathasivam to KIIT and KISS. He had visited the institutes with former Chief Justice of India, Mr. Altamas Kabir in 2011.

Showered lavish praise on the Founder of the "unique home for 20000 tribal children", he said that Samanta's achievements as a social entrepreneur within a brief period reminds him of the wisdom words of Swami Vivekananda - "Let us have faith in

ourselves. I see it clear as daylight that we have infinite power in ourselves". Samanta is the living icon for these words, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sathasivam said.

Stating that education is a process by which character is framed and intellect is built, he reminded students to be as much conscious of Fundamental Duties as Fundamental Rights. While innate talent is basic requisite, extraordinary hard work is the formula of success, the Chief Justice of India said, quoting the author Malcolm Gladwell.

In his address, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra outlined the duties of students of law. Presentableness and presentation are two essential characteristics of a successful lawyer, he told the students, while advising them to make books friends for life. Precision, exactitude and concentrated focus are important for success in legal profession, he added.

Earlier, welcoming the legal luminaries, Samanta said that the occasion will be a red letter day in the history of KIIT. Thousands of students of KIIT University belonging to diverse streams of education, particularly from KIIT School of Law, listened to the distinguished speakers in rapt attention. Prof. N. L. Mitra, Chancellor, KIIT University delivered the presidential address, while Prof. P. P. Mathur, Vice Chancellor proposed the vote of thanks. Mr. R. N. Dash, Secretary, KIIT & KISS was also present on the occasion, among others.



Speech of Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India at KIIT University, Bhubaneswar on August 9, 2013



Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India addressing the students of KIIT University.

I am delighted to be invited to Kalinga Institute of Social Science (KISS) & Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology (KIIT University). **Within a short time span, this institute has gained its momentum solely owing to the vision, commitment and hard work of the founder, members-in-charge and last but not the least the students who are the lifeline of this university.** I have learnt that KIIT has the distinction of becoming the youngest institute ever in the country to be declared a deemed university by Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India and with no element of surprise the university earned a place in the Limca Book of Records. Further, I have been made to understand that KISS was started in 1993 as a part of KIIT to nurture and educate the tribal children in the State, which is now recognised as a successful model of tribal empowerment all over the world. My appreciation to all the people who are and were the source of support for this institute in one way or other.

I am glad to have been given the opportunity to speak with you this evening. It is always a pleasure to be in the midst of energetic young minds who are the potential of our country.

Being in the presence of youngsters amplifies the vigor in me. And today is more special because am in the midst of youths who, I believe, have the determination to overcome any hurdle that comes in their way.

On this occasion, I wish to render my wholehearted appreciation to Dr. A. Samanta, Founder of the Kalinga Institute of Social Science (KISS) & Kalinga Institute of Industrial Technology (KIIT University) for establishing this unique home for 20,000 tribal children. **When I observe the tremendous progression that Dr. A. Samanta has accomplished as a social entrepreneurship within this brief interval, it prompts me the wisdom words of Swami Vivekananda. The scholar said – "Let us have faith in ourselves. I see it clear as daylight that we have infinite power in ourselves". Yes, my dear students, there isn't a greater power in this world than one's own will power. Your founder is the living icon for the words of Swami Vivekananda. It is faith that he had in himself even during the worst of times, which gave him the infinite power that guided him in all his ventures. He needed no external drive to conquer success at his ventures, but the power from within did the magic.** Aptly said by the great humanist Abraham Lincoln – "Always bear in mind that your own resolution to succeed is more important than any other thing."

So my beloved students, I urge you to take a vow today that you will improve your will power every day by challenging yourself to accomplish a difficult task, since will power and perseverance strengthens only with combating more confronts.

The genesis of KISS traces back to the realization of the fact that poverty is the biggest hurdle in pursuit of education and all round development of a child. It offers unique opportunity for formal and vocational education to thousands of neglected and deprived tribal children from indigenous society living in inaccessible remote corners of the state.

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, Judge, Supreme Court of India, Madam Saraswathi Sathasivam, Madam Suprama Misra, Smt. Saswati Bal, President, KIIT & KISS and Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS with 20,000 tribal students of KISS.

You must all be wondering why education is so vital in one's life. There may be some students in this auditorium who believes that they don't need top grades in exams to excel in life. Some who considers only high grades can help them climb the ladder of success and few others who are neither here or there. This conflict of thoughts is faced by a number of students everywhere. The answer to this dilemma reposes on our understanding of the term 'education'. **According to me, education is a process, by which character is formed, strength of mind is increased, the intellect is expanded and by which one can stand on one's own feet. It is this pattern of education, which will produce bright young minds who can steer the social and economic front of the country.**

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Dear students, you are already in a lead position by studying in this prestigious university, which has qualified and committed team of teachers and faculty who not only inculcates knowledge of subjects but also imparts the wisdom of values in every one of you. Further, the college curriculum designed for KISS is unique, for it incorporates vocational training, which links education with productivity, economic development and individual prosperity with formal education, thus making a child educated and self-sufficient. It is specifically designed to impart necessary occupational skills among the tribal students to mould them into successful entrepreneurs and make them fit in the job market. **Achievements of KISS students in examinations and other academic events speak volumes about high quality of education at the institute. I look forward to see more students from this college to occupy responsible positions in India and in the international forum and bring more laurels to your institution.**

India is a diverse country with its multicultural, multi-ethnic and multi-religious population where the protection of human rights becomes sine qua non for peaceful existence. **It is vital for you children to know that every child in India is**

entitled to the equivalent human rights as every adult in the country. The Constitution of India, besides considering the fragile status, recognized the need for special protection of children. It enumerates numerous rights both in the nature of affirmative rights, which obliges the State to actively undertake welfare schemes and negative rights, which prohibits any form of discrimination. These guaranteed rights lose its significance if a child is unaware of his/her rights. A child needs to be informed about his/her rights under the prevailing laws. Awareness of rights will only give voice to the oppressed. This can be achieved only by propagation of awareness among the children. I take this opportunity to request the founder of this institute to take the required endeavors to generate awareness of rights among all the age groups of children.

As a responsible citizen, it is equally important that we learn our fundamental duties. In a democratic setup, like ours, the rights of one person are the duties of another. Meaning, it is a correlative right, where one's failure of duty directly infringes upon the right of another person. As a result the knowledge of fundamental duties under Article 51A of the Constitution is as imperative as the fundamental rights cataloged in Part III of our Constitution. Thus, as a responsible citizen, today, take the mission to learn the eleven fundamental duties enumerated in Article 51A of the Constitution, which will not only make you a better person but also helps in making a better society.

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India interacting with students of KIIT School of Law.

I had the privilege of observing at least three generations of clan, i.e. my children, my grand children, and myself. I notice a steady change in the attitude of present generation from the past generations. It is the ability to dare and the terrific urge to succeed in whatever they undertake.

However, there is a bit of blankness as to what is the formula

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for success? Malcolm Gladwell's 'Outliers - The Story of Success' published in 2008 raises three vital questions in Chapter II of this remarkable book. They are – Is achievement the result of innate talent? What roles do hard work and preparation play? Does the particular working environment play an important role? The answer Gladwell gives us is truly astonishing and explains to a great extent the secret behind the

success of many legends.

My beloved students, innate talent is a basic requisite, but extraordinary hard work is an eminent factor in contributing to success. In the words of Mr. Gladwell – "The smaller the role innate talent seems to play, the bigger the role preparation seems to play." So, constant hard work is the formula to success. You might ask me what about luck?

It has been said that luck is the intersection of hard work and opportunity. Therefore, everyone in their profession can reach the pinnacle of success if they are ready to put in abundant hard work. You belong to an era/epoch when there is immense optimism about India's advancement in various fields and there is no doubt that the present generation has outstanding aptitude to take the country forward.

In today's age, it is important to earn well, but the hunt of material triumph should not act as an impediment in working for societal welfare. In my concluding words, I wish to express my appreciation to members of KISS. It is indeed a pride for our country when many world organizations including UNESCO, UNICEF, UNFPA and United States Federal Government have come forward to be associated with various programmes of KISS. **In my view, KISS is more than a school, it is an agent of social change. It gives tribal population an opportunity to dream and turn it into a reality.** I wish all success to KISS & KIIT University for all their prospective endeavours. *God bless you young minds!*

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice P. Sathasivam, Chief Justice of India unveiling a stone plaque in his honour in the presence of Hon'ble Mr. Justice Dipak Misra, Judge, Supreme Court of India, Madam Saraswathi Sathasivam, Madam Suprama Misra, Smt. Saswati Bal, President, KIIT & KISS and Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS in Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS).

Education only way to take country forward: Dr. M. Veerappa Moily



Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas being felicitated by Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS in the presence of Prof. P. P. Mathur, Vice Chancellor, KIIT University and Prof. (Dr.) N. K. Chakrabarti, Director, KIIT School of Law.

India has a window of opportunity up to the year 2035, during which proportion of working population will continue to increase due to declining fertility rates, giving India what is commonly known as the demographic dividend, said Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas at KIIT University on July 27, 2013. Dr. Moily also visited Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), the largest free residential tribal institute of the world.

"Education is the most powerful weapon to fight any problem in the country", he said while expressing his happiness over the fact that KISS is providing free education to 20,000 tribal children. **"After visiting KISS my heart is filled with joy, I salute Samanta's idea to eradicate poverty through education", he stated. KIIT and KISS are more developed than even the most prominent of educational institutions in South India, he said.** He

thanked Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder of KIIT and KISS for his effort and extended his good wishes to him. Dr. Moily promised students of KIIT that he would visit again within two months and spend more time here.

Giving a picture of the employment scenario, he told the students that not everyone of the working age will be in the job market in the coming years. At present 26% of the population in 15 - 24 age group is in education, but this proportion will increase in future, the Union Minister elaborated. Similarly, some adult women will stay at home, he said, adding that presently only a third of the adult women work in India, which is low by Asian standard. India needs to create about 100 million new jobs in the next decade, he forecasted. By 2020, the average Indian will be only 29 years of age, compared with 37 in China and 45 in the U.S., 48 in Western Europe and Japan, he said. India will continue to have this age advantage for at least three decades, Dr. Moily added.

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Speech of Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas at KIIT University on July 27, 2013.



I entered the campuses of both KIIT University and Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences fifteen minutes back and my heart is full. I come from South where you must have heard Manipal, Mangalore. Till I came here I had a lot of pride that I come from hub of institutions, where there are a number of colleges of excellence. I think my pride came down today. I bow down to great Dr. Achyuta Samanta, who single handedly built this gigantic institution.

You should go definitely to Limca Records. After having gone around the biggest campus here of the capital city Bhubaneswar, Odisha - I had gone to Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences - I could find smile with them, sunshine with them, as though Sun God has blessed them. That is the kind of smile that Dr. Samanta has brought in their face. I was so much excited that I assured the students that I will come back again within two or three months and spend four hours talking to them. I think it is a wonderful experience and I am told that 20000 tribal students - poorest of the poor - are being nurtured here. You all know that sometimes we have a wrong notion that people are intelligent by nature because of their birth in a particular family, birth in a particular race or a particular environment. This is not correct. It is the 'nurture' which gives the 'culture'. It is the 'nurture' which brings out a

personality from nowhere. This is quite possible. **I am also running a school - it has only three classes and 100 students. We take people from the dropouts. We pick them up from the streets, from the fields, from hotels - where they have dropped out because of poverty and so many other things. I admit persons who have the least marks. Within three years training they get 90% to 95%. This shows the talent which is within all of you.**

Albert Einstein said, "I am not bothered about the talent, what is necessary is passion and curiosity." If you have the passion to learn, curiosity to go after the knowledge, you excel everybody. Einstein became so bright because of the passion and curiosity. This is how all of us should come up. **I was excited to see the story of Dr. Samanta. Mother, who nurtured you, is a great power. Woman is a great power, which I understand from my own life.** When I was in 4th standard, she used to wake me up at 4.30 am. She was illiterate, but still made me to read and write. She nurtured that kind of a habit with me. Today also I continue. Even when I was Chief Minister of Karnataka, one day I found that when I was doing my literature work - I normally do literature work for one or two hours in the morning - I found that a shadow was around and my mother was there watching me whether I was reading or writing or not. This is why I could write so many books. Because if I don't write what do I

do after getting up at 4.30 in the morning? What do I do after 11.30 at night? I am just telling you - make it a habit. That gives you the real success. **Education is a social process. Education is growth. Education is not preparation for life, but**

education is life itself. This is what Dr. Samanta is realising. He told me - I will eradicate poverty through education. What a great statement, what a great approach. I have come up only because of education. I have become a chief minister, a poet, a union minister only because of education; not the status, not the caste, not the wealth, not the capital. This is how all of you should think about it. All of you are intelligent. Don't think any of your professor who says - you're not as intelligent as the other boy. No! Everybody is intelligent, but you need to discover yourself.

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As Petroleum and Natural Gas Minister, I started telling that you must mine your mind first. Then the oil is available, gas is available. **That's why I am emboldened to say to the country that by 2030, our country is going to become energy independent. And this is possible. If we open our mind and be bold enough to take decisions, our country is going to be rich. China and America are rich because they produce 40% to 50% of their requirement. That is what we have - our country is rich, we are poor. We are poor because our mind is poor. If our mind can become rich, the country will become rich. It does not require so many five year plans. It does not require so much of thinking.**

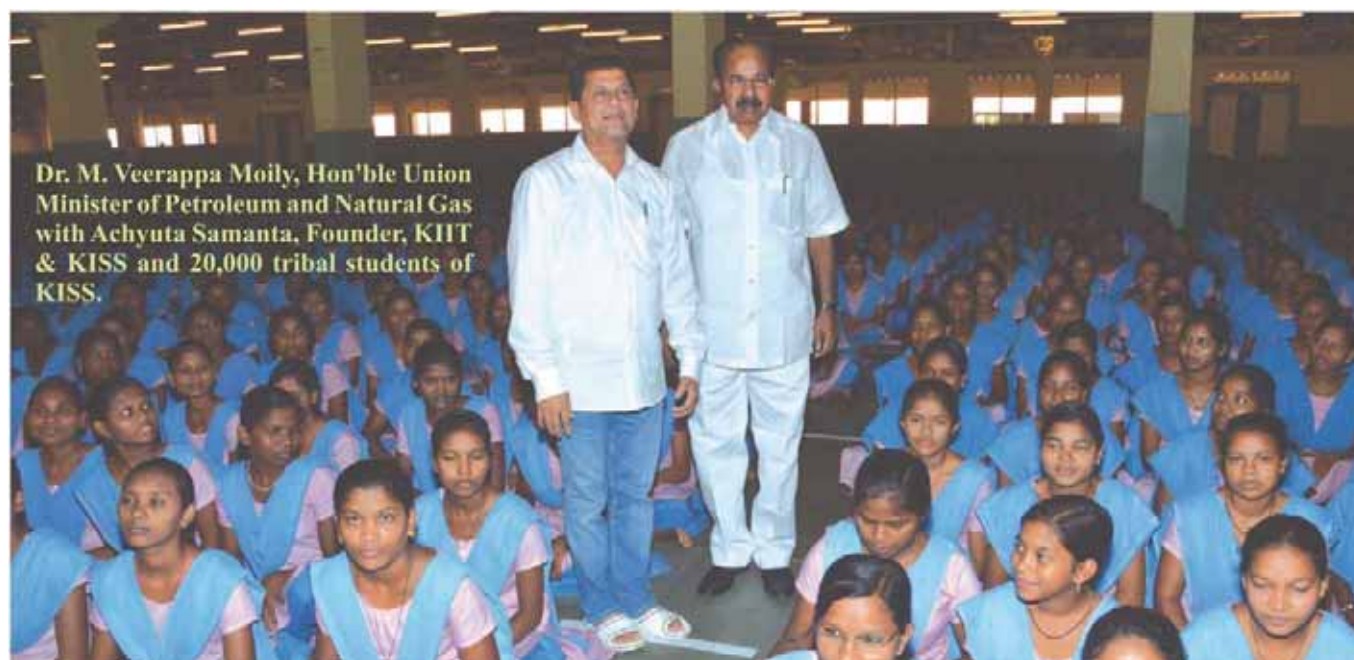
This is what my illiterate father used to say to me. If your mind is rich, everything else outside will become rich. And that is the principle with which, my dear students, you need to do that.

I am very happy that many law students are here. I started the first experiment of opening a national law school university, of which there are 14 now in the country. And that national law

school has now become a model. When I started it, many MLAs in the Assembly said - you are wasting money of two crore which could have been distributed among so many law colleges. I said - this is the college of the future of the country. It happened. Our law students are now much in demand in the international market. This is what education can do.

India has a window of opportunity upto the year 2035. When the proportion of working age population in the total population will increase due to declining fertility rate giving India what is commonly known as the demographic dividend. You are now here in the college at an opportune time. The future belongs to you, provided you possess that future, you own that future. There is a demographic dividend that the country could hope for and ultimately exploit and explore. A paper was brought by International Monetary Fund recently with the title 'Asia and the Pacific: Managing Spillovers and Advancing Economic Rebalancing'. They said - In many Asian countries aging population are now causing a decline in working age ratio.

I am emboldened to say to the country that by 2030, our country is going to become energy independent. And this is possible. If we open our mind and be bold enough to take decisions, our country is going to be rich.



Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas with Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS and 20,000 tribal students of KISS.



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This is the future which beholds you, but you have to achieve it. Unless you take this opportunity, the stronger countries will pass

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by you. It is 250 years back USA had this kind of window of opportunity. They built their educational institutions and they built the manpower. They built infrastructure.

We will also have to grow institutions like this. Excellence should be your motto. I was appointed as the Oversight Committee Chairman by Dr. Manmohan Singh in 2005. He wanted to expand the apex institutions like IITs and IIMs. When he wanted to expand with 27% reservation for backward classes, everybody objected to it. I gave a slogan - expand, include and excel. If you don't expand, you cannot include. You don't include, you cannot excel. Take your colleagues along with you. India's growth should be a teamwork.

Dream, boldness and determination have given Dr. Samanta power to do anything. I am very happy to associate with you. Coming to this institution is itself an inspiration. For you, studying in this institution is an inspiration which will take you along.

Thank you very much and wish you all the best!

Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas unveiling a stone plaque in his honour at KISS in the presence of Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS.



Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas interacting with students of KISS.





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7th Foundation Day of KiiT International School

Education of children deserves more emphasis as they are the future of our country, said Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development at the 7th Foundation Day of KiiT International School in Bhubaneswar on July 2, 2013. Dr. Raju was the Chief Guest of the occasion which was also graced by Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar, Shri R. N. Nanda, Hon'ble Minister of State (Ind.) for School and Mass Education, Govt. of Odisha and Mr. Ruskin Bond, internationally acclaimed author, who is also the Brand Ambassador of the school.

Inaugurating the Foundation Day ceremony, the Union Minister said time has now come to empower our children for becoming responsible citizen of India. We have to provide them good quality education and need to have competent teachers for this, he stated. Government enacted Right to Education as a Fundamental Right three years ago and the positive impact of this move is now visible, he

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said. He commended Achyuta Samanta, Founder of KIIT & KISS for his efforts to bring about empowerment through education and hoped that students of KiiT International School would excel at global level. Speaking on the occasion, Shri Nanda said that the School not only has a beautiful campus, but also made its place among top schools of the country. He thanked Samanta for his effort towards value-added education in the state. Samanta expressed his gratitude towards Dr. Raju and other guests for their visit.

Dr. Mona Lisa Bal, Chairperson, KiiT International School proposed the vote of thanks.



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(From L) Dr. S. Suar, Principal, KiiT International School, Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar, Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD, Shri R. N. Nanda, Hon'ble Minister of State (Ind.) for School and Mass Education, Govt. of Odisha, Mr. Ruskin Bond, internationally acclaimed author and Dr. Mona Lisa Bal, Chairperson, KiiT International School at the 7th Foundation Day celebration of KiiT International School.



Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS felicitating Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD during his visit to KiiT International School. Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar and Shri R. N. Nanda, Hon'ble Minister of State (Ind.) for School and Mass Education, Govt. of Odisha look on.



Mr. Eneja Kumar Sahoo, Teacher, KiiT International School receiving the Award of Excellence from Mr. Ruskin Bond, internationally acclaimed author and Dr. Mona Lisa Bal, Chairperson, KiiT International School. Three more teachers - Ms. Nikita Ahya, Ms. Hiranmayee Padhi and Ms. Theodora Fernandez - were conferred this award on the occasion of the school's 7th Foundation Day.

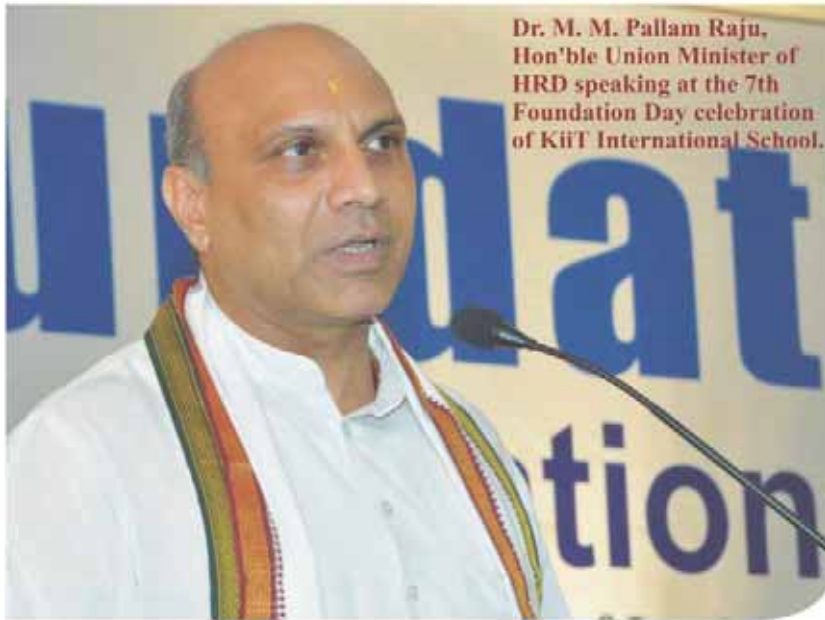


Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD and Mr. Ruskin Bond, internationally acclaimed author going around the campus of KiiT International School.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD interacting with a student of KiiT-IS. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS and Dr. Mona Lisa Bal, Chairperson of the School look on.

Speech of Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development on the occasion of 7th Foundation Day of KiiT International School, Bhubaneswar on July 2, 2013



Good evening, ladies and gentlemen.

My esteemed and respected colleague Dr. Patasani, Hon'ble Minister of Mass Education, Govt. of Odisha Shri Rabi Narayan Nanda, Founder of the institution and KIIT and KISS Dr. Achyuta Samanta, ambassador of the school Padmashree Ruskin Bond, Principal Shri Sanjay Suar, Chairperson of the school Dr. Mona Lisa Bal, parents, teachers, members of the media and my dear students.

I am very happy to be here on the 7th Foundation Day of the school. **I am happy to drive around the campuses of KIIT & KISS and to see the campus of the Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) and to see the good work that has been done by Dr. Samanta.** They say that the smallest good deed is better than the grandest intention. And I think intentions are professed by the governments. But it takes a lot of dedication for individuals and organisations to actually translate intentions into deeds. **If we look at what Dr. Samanta has created in terms of**

institutions and in terms of the number of tribal children he is grooming, I think it definitely translates into a very large good deed. I finally got an opportunity to see all that Dr. Samanta has done.

I must confess that today I am here purely because of the persistent persuasion of Dr. Patasani who had been urging me to come and see what Dr. Samanta has created. **So I am happy to see the institutions, attention to details, and also the kind of facilities he has created for these tribal children. And I am hoping that certainly it would be a sustainable model that will be replicable elsewhere in the country where there are needy children. There are plenty of such children in the country.**

You children here are fortunate to be able to go to a good school like this, and have good teachers and good facilities. This is not the case with most children in India as well as in the world. To give you statistics we have one third of the world's poor in India. So it is for the Government to see that this divide is crossed and we are able to empower and enable most of our children to become responsible citizens of India.

That is why three years ago we have taken up the Right to Education Act. We have made it a Fundamental Right so that every child born in this country is able to go to school. Because of this in the last three years, to give you the latest figure today, we have about 23 crore cases who are in school in India today. And if you look at the Mid-Day Meal Scheme, there are about 11 crore children who enjoy the mid day meals in Government schools all over the country.

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But why are we doing all these? Because we want our children - who are the future of this country - to grow up healthy, to be able to have at least the minimum amount of nutrition so that they are physically able to educate themselves and to grow up to be healthy citizens, who will contribute to the development and growth of this country.

You all know that it is important that a country's economy grows so that it creates employment opportunity to a number of people. That is what we are looking at and since it is a much more close world today we feel that if we empower our children with education and skills today, they will not only be responsible citizens of India, but they will also be global citizens, who would

contribute to the global workforce. So we are focusing on education, we are focusing on creating a lot of skill sets in our children as they grow up. If we can ably empower our children with education and skill sets, they can propel this country to greater heights and also make a beautiful contribution to this world.

I hope that all of you will grow up well, grow up to be responsible citizen of this world. Eventually it is the quality of life that matters, and not the quantity of life. I hope all of you will empower the nation in a very rich way.

Thank you and Jay Hind!

Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS taking Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD around KiiT International School campus.



KiiT International School

Among Country's

Top 20 Schools: Survey

KiiT International School (KiiT-IS), a constituent of KIIT Group of Institutions, has been bracketed among Top 20 schools of India in a national survey on public schools conducted by Engineering Watch, a prestigious educational magazine. It was shortlisted after it matched stringent parameters of excellence in order to feature in this ranking survey. KiiT International School is the only school from Odisha to make it to the coveted list of Top 100 schools out of about 10,000 reputed schools across the country surveyed on the basis of STEM Education, an acronym for Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics; Future Readiness and Value Centricity.

Mr. Sanjay Suar, Principal, KiiT International School received the award from Chief Guest Shri Salman Khurshid, Hon'ble Minister of External Affairs in presence of Dr. V. Bhujanga Rao, Distinguished Scientist, CC R&D (Naval Systems) & International Cooperation, DRDO; Prof Daya Pant, H.O.D, NCERT; and Shri Santosh Goenka, Executive Director, Business India.

The ranking was decided following a presentation before a high level jury, which included Padma Bhusan Mrs. Shyama Chona, Mr. Pravin Sinclair, Director of NCERT, Dr. Amit Nagpal, Branding Expert, Mr. M. Moni, DG NIC and others, who expressed great satisfaction on the students and teachers quality, and facilities of KiiT-IS.

The Creya Learning Studio, for students of Grade 1 to 8, was admired by one and all, as it enables the students to work in a manner that it truly ahead of times and futuristic in leading students to be STEM learners, for life. Exposure to major scientific events like Indian Children's

Science Congress in 2012, together with scientific educursions to NASA, and interface with Nobel Laureates and leaders in the field of science and technology in India has helped them blossom into great STEM learners. Visits to Science Symposiums, and participation in Olympiads etc have only enriched the process. In terms of Future Readiness, the unique emphasis on creativity through destruction which is an epitaph for innovation received exceptional accolades from the jury. The IBDP curriculum with the TOK program has ensured that children are knowledge seekers, rather than passive recipients. It has helped the

process of arriving at the truth by changing certain systems of thought to develop independence and confidence. A School that it truly ahead of times, it international ethos and constant need to update its

pedagogical approach through a series of innovative learning practices like integrated learning, theme based learning, cooperative learning and concept mapping has only echoed its trust towards future readiness through technological and creative innovation of education.

A multi-cultural ethos with belief in a sustainable environment where students from all over the world live and learn in the same campus has made the students global citizens who are truly secular. Faculty from other countries have only enriched the global learning experience and taught KiiTians to stand next to the best in the world as equals. Kloud 9, a unique quarterly magazine, published by the school has given many a budding teen writer an opportunity to find an international platform for their stories, poems and articles in the print media. With students turning their backs on reading and writing in this highly digitized and indifferent world, KiiT International School, under the editorship of eminent writer, Padma Shri Ruskin Bond, Ambassador of the School has been able to reach out to the youth in a very definitive and constructive manner.

Parents of students studying in KiiT International School have heaped praise on it for winning national and international accolades in the midst of several thousand public schools. "KiiT International School is an isle of excellence in the educational landscape of India", said a parent, while taking pride in the fact that his daughter is put in a school which has excellent visibility. Expressing satisfaction over the achievement of the School and its students, Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS said that accredited by all the agencies and acknowledged as one of the best amongst thousands of schools in national level surveys, KiiT International School truly maintains an international standard.



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Mr. Sanjay Suar, Principal, KiiT International School receiving the award for featuring among Top 20 Schools of India from Shri Salman Khurshid, Hon'ble Union Minister of External Affairs.

KiiT-IS Gets CBSE (International) Accreditation

KiiT International School (KiiT-IS) has become one of the first few schools in the country to be accredited under CBSE International Programme. In the first phase, only 50 schools in the country are to be accredited under this new international curriculum programme of CBSE.

Even though KiiT International School is a new school established only in 2007, its excellence has attracted attention of one and all. Not only CBSE, apex bodies of two international curriculum - The International Baccalaureate (IB), Geneva and The International General Certificate of Secondary Education of University of Cambridge (IGCSE) – have expressed satisfaction on academic excellence of the School their annual visits, while certifying KiiT International School as the best IB school in eastern India. Expressing satisfaction over the achievement of the School, Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS said that accredited by all the agencies and acknowledged as one of the best amongst thousands of schools in national level surveys, KiiT International School truly maintains an international standard. "It is a matter of happiness that the School has reached such level within only six years of its inception", said Dr. Mona Lisa Bal, Chairperson, KiiT International School. It is due to combined effort of staff, students and management, she added.

Young Learners: the Future of India

KiiT International School has been the torchbearer for quality standards at the foundation level, with its futuristic Kinder Orland, teacher guided, and child centric learning program for children aged between 4 to 6 years. It is in this area that the school has shown exceptional vision and sensitivity towards the Early Learning Program, as childhood learning and education do not find the mention it deserves in various legislations. Early Childhood Education may have been neglected in the country, but KiiT International School, empowered with the realization that early learning is critical for the child, will be the First School in Odisha to train and sensitize teachers, parents and educationists in the state through Association for Early

Childhood Development (AECED). The emphasis on stress free childhood years for all, irrespective of the social strata of parents makes the program all the more significant.

It addresses not just learning through a process of exploration and discovery by tapping a child's natural curiosity and sense of wonder, but also educates on crucial but oft neglected areas like the importance of health and nutrition for the child in the formative years along with the process of learning. The physical, mental and emotional health of children under 5 years is reflected in their learning curve for life. The programme will focus on this important aspect.

Excellent Result in CBSE Class XII Exam (12th Board)

KiiT-IS has posted excellent result in the Class XII examinations conducted by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), results of which were declared on May 27, 2013. All students of all three streams – Science, Commerce and Arts – passed in first class securing 90% or more marks. Toppers in Science, Arts and Commerce streams secured 96.56%, 94% and 93% percent respectively.

Even though this is only the second batch of Class XII students from KiiT-IS, a large number of students have qualified for national level engineering, medical and law entrance examinations. The school had achieved very good result last year for its first batch students also.



Mr. Sanjay Suar, Principal, KiiT International School & Ms. Nandita Mishra, Dy. Head receiving the prestigious e-India 2013 Award for Use of Technology in Teaching – Learning Process (Education) from Mr. Ponnala Lakshmaiah, Hon'ble Minister of Information Technology and Communication, Andhra Pradesh, Mr. Sanjay Jaju, Secretary, IT & Communication Dept., Govt. of Andhra Pradesh and other dignitaries.

KiiT International School Bags e-INDIA-2013 Award

KiiT International School, a constituent of KIIT Group of Institutions, bagged the prestigious e-India 2013 Award for use of technology in teaching – learning process, under the category of education. Mr. Sanjay Suar, Principal, KiiT International School and Ms. Nandita Mishra, Dy. Head received the award on July 23, 2013 in the presence of Mr. Ponnala Lakshmaiah, Hon'ble Minister of Information Technology and Communication, Andhra Pradesh, Mr. Sanjay Jaju, Secretary, IT & Communication Dept., Govt. of Andhra Pradesh and other dignitaries, including Ministers, Secretaries, Bureaucrats, Technocrats, Academicians, Industry Personnel and civil society members along with ICT experts, practitioners, business leaders and stake holders of the state and abroad at International Convention Center, Hyderabad.

This is the first time an institution from Odisha has got this award. A Conference-cum-Expo was held in the sidelines of the award ceremony. The projects of KIIT – CREYA Learning Studio and KIIT – IAPT Anveshika centre drew attention of educationists, public and eminent jury members. Selection criteria were based on innovation, scalability, replicability, ability to overcome challenges, achievements and impact of the projects. The target group of the award was 6yr to 15yr age group (Std 1 to 10).

The two-day Conference-cum-Expo brought together all stakeholders across the Governance, Education and Health fraternity in one platform to facilitate a productive exchange of

information. The objective of the event was to implement 21st century way teaching-learning enabling the whole school transformation, to provide a comprehensive interdisciplinary program, powerful project based curriculum-driven approach.

KiiT International School, despite being a young institution established only in 2007, has won a string of recognitions at national level recently. It was ranked as the best residential school of Odisha, and placed among the top twenty residential schools of India (Education World, 2012), A++ schools of India (The Pioneer). There are only 19 schools in this league.

KiiT International School has high quality academics with huge infrastructure including Eco-Friendly Green Campus, Wi-Fi air-conditioned classrooms, Multi-gym, Science Park, Amusement Park, Amphitheatre, Multi-purpose activity hall, Temperature regulated swimming pool, Modern digital library, Hi-tech interactive classrooms, Air-conditioned transport facility, Super-specialty hospital, Air-conditioned cafeteria, Indoor & Outdoor Stadium and State of the art laboratories.

Expressing his satisfaction, Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS congratulates the chairperson, principal, teaching and non-teaching staff, and students of the school for their combined efforts to take the school to such level of excellence.



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KiiT International School is proud to have iconic writer
PADMASHREE RUSKIN BOND
as its Ambassador



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FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME 2013

Chief Guest

Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju

Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India



KIIT Review

Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD Inaugurates Faculty Development Programme

It is very important that our curriculum imparts qualitative skill to our young population, who would be able to utilise it not only in India, but also anywhere in the world to find a job, said Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development in his inaugural address at Faculty Development Programme of KIIT University.

Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development was in KIIT to inaugurate the Faculty Development Programme-2013 on July 2, 2013. Eulogizing KIIT's Founder Achyuta Samanta's creation of a beautiful environment for learning and growth, he said that it must be leveraged towards imparting qualitative education. Sharing his concern on India's transformational state, he sounded optimistic stating that a very young population of India would prove to be an asset not only for the nation, but for the entire globe.

Like all previous years, KIIT University organized the Faculty Development Programme with an aim to enhance academic and intellectual environment in the institution. This enables the faculty members to update their teaching research and pedagogical skill with focus on

developing professional skill, communication skill, interpersonal skill, creativity and motivation in teaching and research. This year's FDP was bit different because of the presence of experts who made all efforts to give the programme a new dimension.

While speaking on the faculty members' quality of teaching in India, the Union Minister spoke very high of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), a protégé of KIIT which provides free education from KG to PG, food, accommodation and all other basic amenities to 20,000 tribal children free of cost. **"I think what Dr. Samanta has achieved despite his underprivileged background is truly phenomenal. What he is trying to do in terms of providing qualitative education to the underprivileged is truly noble", Dr. Raju said, while hoping that this model would be replicated in other parts of the country.**

More than 1500 faculty members from different schools of KIIT University attended the Faculty Development Programme-2013. Among others, the inaugural ceremony was graced by Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar, Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Prof. N. L. Mitra, Chancellor, KIIT University and Prof. P. P. Mathur, Vice Chancellor.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD inaugurating Faculty Development Programme – 2013 at KIIT University in the presence of Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar and Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS.

Speech of Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of Human Resource Development at the Inaugural Ceremony of Faculty Development Programme in KIIT University, Bhubaneswar on July 2, 2013

It is indeed a pleasure to be here. My colleague Dr. Patasani had been very persistent about my coming and seeing these institutions. It is said that better late than never. I am so happy that I could come and see what Dr. Samanta has created.

I also had the opportunity to see the KiiT International School, which is celebrating its Foundation Day today. As I said there, the smallest good deed is better than the grandest good intention. And I think what Dr. Samanta has achieved despite his underprivileged background is truly phenomenal. What he is trying to do in terms of providing qualitative education to the underprivileged is truly noble.

I certainly hope that whatever he has built will be sustained and will continue to serve the noble cause that he has set out to serve.

I am glad that young professionals like all of you are also truly involved in the growth of this institution. We are happy that we have people like Dr. Samanta in the Board of University Grants Commission and I hope that he will be able to give better guidance on the cause of education.

I hope that we can replicate this model where he is truly educating the underprivileged kids - 20,000 tribal children in his institution, KISS - everywhere in the country.

Today we are in a very important transformational stage where India has a very young population. It is important to empower them with knowledge and skills. I hope that imparting skill sets would become an integral part of the curriculum of these institutions. I think it is very important that our curriculum impart qualitative skill sets for our young population who will be able to utilise those skill sets not only in India, but also be able to find a job anywhere in the world.

We are hoping that our young population will be an asset not only to the nation, but to the globe. I think that is the objective with which we must impart our education and training. I hope you will all be committed to that.

What I am happy to see is that Dr. Samanta has created an environment for learning and growth and we must leverage on this beautiful environment towards imparting qualitative education. I hope you are all committed to that. May Lord Hanuman give you the strength to do that.

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Thank you and Jai Hind!



Faculty Development Programme - 2013

Distinguished Resource Persons

Prof. N. L. Mitra, Chancellor, KIIT University: Introductory Talk
Prof. K. L. Chopra, Former Director, IIT, Kharagpur: Ethical Values and Issues in Science and Technology
Prof. M. B. Sharan, Emeritus Professor, IIT Patna: Learn to Teach and Develop
Prof. A. K. Mohapatra, Director, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar: Spiritualism and Medicine
Prof. Prem Krishna, Professor, IIT Roorkee: Changing Scenario in Engineering Education and Challenges
Prof. Gautam Barua, Director, IIT, Gawahati: What is means to be a faculty in an educational institute
Dr. K. S. Ramakrishna, DFI India Coordinator & Consultant: Industry Academia Interaction
Prof. Biswajit Ghosh, Jadavpur University, Kolkata: Towards innovative Teaching and Learning Methodologies
Dr. C. B. Akki, Senior Consultant, Wipro Technology: Research Methodology
Prof. Kalyan Kumar, Vice Chancellor, Vinayaka Missions, Sikkim University: University level Research and Innovation
Prof. Amitabha Sinha, Ex-Director, IT, WBUT, Kolkata: VLSI Design
Dr. Chinmaya Kar, Honeywell Fellow, ACS Advanced Technology Lab., Bangalore: Process for Research and Development
Dr. N. Raja, Professor, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai: Logic and Formal, Reasoning in Computer Science
Dr. Chinmaya Kar, Honeywell Fellow ACS Advanced Technology Lab. Bangalore: Decision Support System and Signal Processing Techniques for Condition Monitoring
Prof. Rajib Mall, Professor, IIT, Kharagpur: Soft ware testing
Prof. Rajib Mall, Professor, IIT, Kharagpur: Embedded System
Lt Col (Retd) Renati V Rao, Shapporji Paloonji Ltd., Hyderabad: Importance of Project Management In Civil Engineering
Dr. M.M. Nayak, Professor IISc, Bangalore: MEMS and it's Applications
Dr. Ramakrishna, DFI India Coordinator & Consultant, L & T Geosturcture, Chennai: Deep Foundation Failures
Prof. S. Bandopadhyay, Sr. Scientist, ISRO, H.Q., Bangalore: Advance Applications of Earth observation technology in devp. and management of Water resources
Dr. D. M. Dewaikar, Professor, IIT, Bombay: Analysis of Pile-Load Settlement Data
Dr. S. K. Bhattacharya, Director, CBRI, Roorkee: Response Control of Tall buildings using Liquid dampers.
Dr. M. Kalgal, Sr. V. P. and Head, Technical Services Ultra Tech Cement Ltd.: Applications of Prestressed and Precast Concrete In Building Sector
Dr. S. K. Shrof, General Manager (Projects) Nilachal Ispat Nigam Ltd. Jaipur Road: Competency Mapping (Education-Employability)
Dr. S. Chakraborty, Professor, Jadavpur University, Kolkata: Power System Over-Voltages
Prof. P. K. Hota, Principal, CET, BBSR: Soft Computing Application to Power System Operation
Mr. D. Mahesh Kumar, Head-Electrical Training, L & T Ltd.: Latest trends in Switchgear And Power Quality Management
Dr. B. Subudhi, Professor, NIT, Rourkela: Control Renewal Energy System
Dr. Uma Rajarathnam, head, Enzen Global Solution Pvt., Ltd: Demand side Management- Opportunity for Energy efficiency
Mr. Rakesh Kumar, Director, Solar Energy Corp, of India: Prospects & Challenges for Development of Solar Energy in India
Prof. A. B. Chattopadhyay, Ex. Professor, IIT, Kharagpur: Eco-friendly Machining and Grinding
Dr. Anand Sen, Vice President Tata Steel, Kalinga Nagar: Improvement Journey of Tata Steel
Mr. B. S. Saluja, Head, Welding, L & T: Digitization in Welding Equipment
Mr. B. K. Das, Addl. Director, DRDO, Chandipur: ITR and the Way we test msl
Prof. Prasanta Sahoo, Professor, Jadavpur University, Kolkata: Contact of Solids: Modeling and Related Issues
Mr. R. C. Pattnaik, AGM, NTPC, Kaniha: NTPC in India Power Sector
Prof. Amitabha Sinha, Ex-Director, IT, WBUT, Kolkata: VLSI Design
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Dr. S. Mukhopadhyay, Professor, IIT, Kharagpur: Oracle Towards an For the user with Virtual sensing For HI-FI Feedback
Prof. Rath, Principal, RCE: HSS
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Prof. Subrata Ghosh, IICSS, Kolkata: Ch.
Prof. S. Sundar, IIT, Madras: Math.
Prof. Jayashree Mohanraj, EFLU, Hyderabad: HSS

Dr. M. Mangapati Pallam Raju

Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India

Visits KISS



Tribal students of KISS welcoming Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD and Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar to the institute.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD being accorded a traditional welcome in KISS campus. Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar and Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS look on.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD unveiling a stone plaque in his honour at KISS in the presence of Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar and Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD interacting with tribal boys of KISS.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD and Dr. P. K. Patasani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (L.S.), Bhubaneswar going around mega Dining Hall of KISS.



Dr. M. M. Pallam Raju, Hon'ble Union Minister of HRD planting a sapling in the premises of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) in the presence of Achyuta Samanta, Founder KIIT & KISS.





KISS Represents Asia in Live Discussion with UN Secretary-General UNFPA facilitates the Interaction



"How can more and more girls have access to secondary education in the state?", was the concern raised by young tribal boys and girls from Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), Bhubaneswar, Odisha to the UN Secretary-General, Mr. Ban Ki-moon, on the International Youth Day. **On 5th August 2013, in the run up to the International Youth Day, the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) facilitated live discussions of selected 25 tribal students of KISS with the UN Secretary-General and heads of UN entities.** UNFPA is partnering with KISS for promoting life skills based sexual and reproductive health for adolescents in Odisha. The boys and girls also raised several issues relating to the education of girl child to the UN Secretary-General and a team of panelists consisting of heads of UN entities.

In the live discussion through a video conference about 125 young people from five schools – one each from Asia, Africa, Middle-east, Latin America

and Europe - were connected to the UN Headquarters at New York. KISS was selected to represent Asia continent. Several issues and concerns around education, health, governance, livelihood, employment and science were raised by youth from around the world during the discussions held today.

Working with women and young people is one of the top five priorities of the UN in 2013. The UN aims to address the needs of the largest generation of young people the world has ever known by deepening the youth focus of existing programmes on employment, entrepreneurship, political inclusion, citizenship and protection of rights, and education, including on reproductive health.

Three students Bahelin Minz, Haraprasad Heproka and Nanda Kishore Patra of KISS discussed on life skill based sexuality education, Tribal girl child education in higher secondary level. Among others Dr. Deepa Prasad, State Programme Officer, UNFPA, Odisha; Dr. Prasant Ku. Routray, CEO, KISS and Dr. Sasmitarani Samanta, Registrar, KIIT University were also present on the occasion.

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KISS and Its Founder Achyuta Samanta

Feature in American TV Channel PBS



Public Broadcasting Service (PBS), an American TV channel having the highest TRP, featured Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) and its Founder, Achyuta Samanta prominently in its programme on July 16, 2013. The programme, which is now available on the channel's website, was broadcast during PBS News Hour in all the states of the United States as well as in Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Guam and American Samoa.

PBS had sent its special correspondent Fred De Sam Lazaro to KISS after learning from its sources that the institute provides education in a fully residential setting free of cost to 20,000 tribal children. Lazaro

arrived in Bhubaneswar on February 26 to gather more information on the institute. PBS team visited KISS and interacted with its Founder, Achyuta Samanta to find out the truth about KISS. After three days of investigation, the programme was recorded.

On July 16, a 20-minute programme on KISS titled "Entrepreneur Offers India's Aboriginal Children Opportunity to Attend School" was finally broadcast. **The programme touched 120 million TV viewers as well as 29 million people on internet, who were surprised to know that there is an institution like KISS in the world.**

PBS, which was started in 1969 as a private broadcasting channel, now has 357 member stations. This is the first time any institution from Odisha has featured on this channel, said Non Resident Odias (NROs) settled in America. Expressing their pride and admiration, they congratulated Samanta for this noble initiative. Such coverage of an institution of Odisha during prime time of a prominent American news channel is a matter of pride for Odisha and tribal community, said intellectuals, while recalling another achievement of KISS recently when a student of the institute represented India in Malala Day UN Youth Assembly in New York.

Samanta has expressed gratitude to PBS and its correspondent Lazaro for highlighting the noble activities of the institute at international level.

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KIIT Signs MoU with Two U.K. Universities

KIIT University signed memorandum of understanding with Northumbria University, U.K. and Kingston University, U.K. in the first week of August 2013. Under the provisions of the agreement with Northumbria University, which was signed between Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS and Prof. Peter Francis, Pro Vice Chancellor (Learning & Teaching), the two institutions will co-operate in a broad range of areas and work together for their mutual benefit. KIIT University and Northumbria University will encourage and develop collaborative activities in various ways, including the exchange of scholarly ideas/expertise, the support of specific discipline interaction, the development of programmes and the advanced entry to Northumbria programmes of appropriately qualified students from KIIT University.

Similarly, KIIT and Kingston University will undertake collaborative activities in the areas of the development of dual programmes, research collaboration and student and staff exchanges in fields of mutual interest including, but not limited to, law. The agreement also provides for exchange of materials, publications and information; staff and Student exchanges, study abroad and internships; the development and organization of joint activities, including research projects, meetings, seminars or conferences that address topics of interest to both institutions; the preparation and submission of joint publications; joint applications for funding of collaborative projects; and exchange of cultural and social activities organized by the institutions.

About Northumbria University

Newcastle Polytechnic, which dates back to the late 19th century, was reborn as Northumbria University in 1992. It has two campuses in and near to Newcastle and satellite base in London. It is one of the biggest of the new universities with over 31,000 students and 3,000 staff. More than half of students are full-time undergraduates.

About Kingston University

Kingston University traces its origin from Kingston Tech established in 1899, comprising schools of technology and art. It became a university in 1992. It has four campuses in and around Kingston-Upon-Thames, south-west London and has more than 25,000 students. The University is well known for art and design, surveying, business and aerospace engineering.



MoU signing ceremony with Kingston University, London.



Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS and Professor Peter Francis, Pro Vice Chancellor (Learning & Teaching), Northumbria University, U.K. at the MoU signing ceremony.



RATHAYATRA

celebrated at Shrivani Khetra, KISS

The auspicious chariot festival of Lord Jagannath was celebrated at Shri Banikhetra of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) on 10th July 2013 amid religious fervor and gaiety. About one lakh devotees participated in pulling the three chariots of Lords Jagannath, Balabhadra and Devi Subhadra. The three wooden chariots were richly decorated, festooned with flowers and with appliqué and mural paintings.

The Pahandi and other rituals like Mangala Arati, Mailama, Tadapalagi, Rosha Homi, Abakasha, Surya Puja, chariots inauguration, etc followed by procession of

deities from temple sanctum to the chariots began in the morning as per the ethics and rituals of Mahaprabhu Shri Jagannath Temple of Shri Khetra, Puri. Thousands of devotees gathered to pull the three chariots in the afternoon after Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT and KISS performed the holy ritual of cherapahanra - the ceremonial sweeping of the chariots. The special feature of Ghosayatra here is that, Devadalan, the chariot of Goddess Subhadra was pulled by only females.

Bahuda Yatra – the return journey of the Lord – will take place on July 18, 2013.



Bahuda Yatra of Lord Jagannath, Lord Balabhadra and Devi Subhadra.



Pahandi ritual for Lord Sudarshan, Lord Balabhadra, Devi Subhadra and Lord Jagannath.



Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS performing the ritual of Chhera Pahanra (sweeping of chariot floor).



Lord Jagannath, Lord Balabhadra and Devi Subhadra adorned with gold jewelry during Sunabesha.



His Holiness Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya Swami Nischalananda Saraswatiji Maharaj of Goverdhan Math, Puri in Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS).

We are leading towards 'Vinas' not 'Vikas': **H.H. Shankaracharya**

The world is heading towards catastrophe because of the negation of values and ethics in the society, senseless destruction of natural wealth and environment and the faulty education system, said His Holiness Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya Swami Nischalananda Saraswatiji Maharaj of Goverdhan Math, Puri, while addressing the students and faculties in KIIT University here on July 15, 2013. Citing the example of Uttarakhand, H.H. Shankaracharya cautioned that, unless we stop plundering the wealth of nature, extraction of minerals and deforestation, we will have to face concusses very soon. Speaking about the present education system, H.H. Shankaracharya made a scathing attack on the western education and made it responsible for the division of joint family, desertation of the villages. The present day education gives more importance on building new cities as a result of which the villages are losing out, said H.H. Sankaracharya.

H.H. Sankaracharya was very critical of the governments and political parties. Both the party in power and in the opposition are busy to achieve small gains, but they are not strong enough to protect Indian territories, river Brahmaputra from China, he said. While the British Government divided the country in to four divisions, the Government of India has been dividing the country into many small states for narrow political gains, he added.

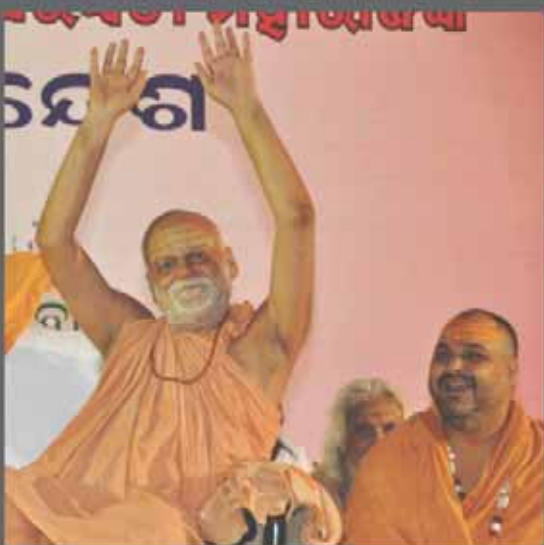
Sankaracharya was in KIIT University on July 15. He addressed 20,000 tribal students in KISS on July 14 in KISS campus. He advised the young students not to run after money and fame, which he believed, is not true education. Lauding the effort of Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, H.H. Sankaracharya praised him for taking care of 20,000 poor children whom he said as the children of God. His Holiness was introduced to audience by Dr. Samanta, where Swami Nirbikalpananda Saraswati, Swami Shiv Chidanad Saraswati, Santh Sanjojaka Swami Abhaidananda Saraswati, Dr. Amiya Mohapatry, Er. Prashant Acharya, Secretary of Aditya Bahini, Pt. Matru Prashad Mishra, Ritu Gupta, Jnana Bhushan Gupta, Ashok Pandey, Ashok Singh, Debendra Samal, Bijay Swain, Manoj Rath and Debendra Prusti were present on the occasion.

His Holiness Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya Swami Nischalananda Saraswatiji Maharaj of Goverdhan Math, Puri delivering talk on 'Role of Governance in Protecting Character and Ideals of Our Nation' at KIIT University.



20,000 tribal students of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) welcoming His Holiness Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya Swami Nischalananda Saraswatiji Maharaj of Goverdhan Math, Puri in the campus.





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Delhi Branch of KISS to Start Functioning from This Year

The Delhi branch of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), a free residential institute for underprivileged children, will start functioning from this academic session. An MoU to this effect was signed on June 27, 2013 between Sh. Lalmalsawma, Principal Secretary, Welfare of SC/ST/OBC/Minorities, Govt. of Delhi and Shri R. N. Dash, Secretary, KISS in the august presence of Smt. Sheila Dikshit, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi, Shri Raj Kumar Chauhan, Dr. (Smt.) Kiran Walia, Shri Haroon Yusuf, Shri Arvinder Singh Lovely, Hon'ble Cabinet Ministers of Govt. of Delhi, Shri Mahabal Mishra, Hon'ble MP, West Delhi, Mr. Bharat Singh, Hon'ble MLA, Najafgarh, Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Mr. Deepak Mohan Spolia, Chief Secretary, Govt. of Delhi and many other senior Govt. and KISS officials.

KISS-Delhi will have 1200 children belonging to SC, ST, Minorities, orphans and other underprivileged sections of the society who will be prepared to become useful citizens of the country, said Smt. Dikshit. She described the commissioning of school a revolutionary step in bringing the wards of the poorest sections at par with other sections of the society. The school will impart education as per CBSE syllabus and make every effort to bring them to the mainstream.

The KISS would maintain and operate the school at Issapur on no-profit no-loss basis. Delhi Government has allotted about 15 acres of land in Najafgarh under Delhi Municipality for this purpose. **Smt. Dikshit, who has visited KISS, Bhubaneswar twice in recent years, lauded Dr. Samanta's two decades of continuous efforts in creating this slice of heaven for the poor underprivileged tribal children where each one is given food, accommodation, health care and education from KG to PG absolutely free. After seeing this unique institute in Bhubaneswar she had**

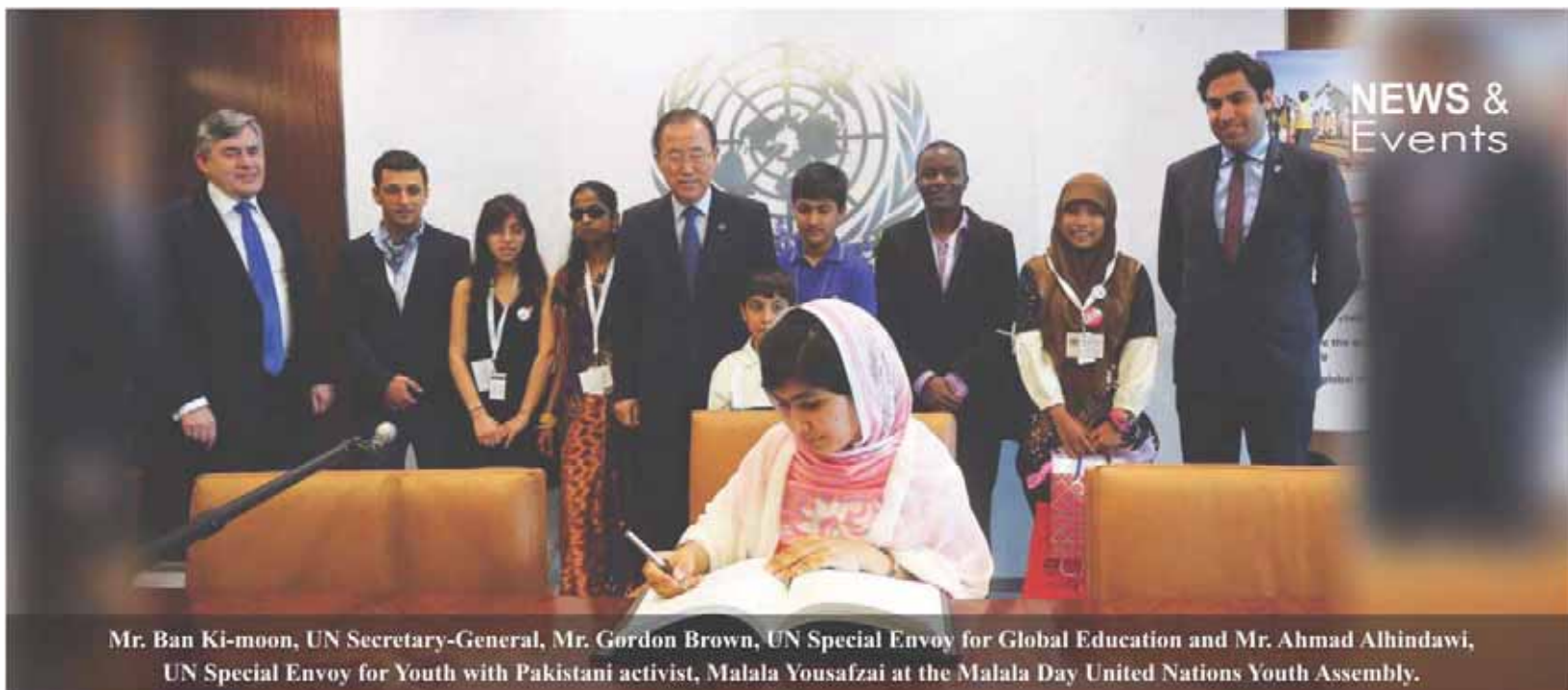


decided to set up its branch in Delhi. All recurring and nonrecurring cost of the Delhi branch will be borne by Govt of NCT of Delhi, informed the Chief Secretary. **Expressing personal gratitude to Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi for taking the initiative, Dr. Samanta said, "Smt. Sheila Dixit is a person of extra ordinary qualities possessing the tender heart of a mother. It was under her leadership, Delhi could become the vibrant city with wide roads, metro rail, flyovers and great airport." She will not only be remembered as the architect of modern Delhi, but also occupy the hearts of everybody because of her dynamic work in the social sector, of which KISS-Delhi is the latest example, he stated, adding that it is a matter of pride for Odisha that a development model which started in the state is now being replicated in Delhi.** A large number of people from Odia community in Delhi also joined the programme. They praised the effort of Dr. Samanta and KISS. Dr. Samanta and his team have shown the world that that empowerment of the underprivileged and their sustainable livelihood is possible through education, they said, adding that given scope these 'children of lesser gods' can outshine everyone.



Smt. Sheila Dikshit, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi and other esteemed dignitaries with Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS and Shri R. N. Dash, Secretary, KIIT & KISS at the MoU signing ceremony.





The Netherlands based Bernard van Leer Foundation (BvLF) Facilitates KISS Boy to Attend Malala Day Youth Assembly at UN Headquarters

Laxman Hembram, a 17-year old tribal student of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), Bhubaneswar participated in the Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly at the United Nations Headquarters in New York held on July 12, 2013.

The Netherlands based Bernard van Leer Foundation (BvLF), which is funding the Multilingual Language Education Centre at KISS, facilitated his attending the Youth Assembly after being on the lookout for a suitable representative. Their interest zeroed in towards KISS knowing well that KISS has students who could proudly represent the indigenous community at a world event.

The Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly coincided with the 16th birthday of Malala Yousafzai, Pakistani activist and a courageous advocate of universal education and girls' rights. It featured a series of events hosted by the President of the UN General Assembly and the UN Special Envoy for Global Education. In support of the United Nations Secretary - General's Global Education First Initiative, international youth leaders convened at the United Nations and in cities around the world in support of reaching the goal of having all children, especially girls, in school and learning by 2015. **Laxman was the only youth leader representative from India selected for the event at United Nations Headquarters.** Hailing from restive SWAT Valley of Pakistan, Malala invited wrath of Taliban for attending school and supporting girls' education. On October 9, 2012, Taliban gunmen shot Malala in the head and neck in an assassination attempt while she was returning home on a school bus. She was seriously wounded in the attack but recovered after a prolonged treatment in the U.K. Her activism and courage attracted global admiration and bagged her nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize, making her the youngest nominee for this honour in the history. Malala attended the Youth Assembly and delivered her first public speech since the shooting, dedicated to the importance of universal education. The global community came together to celebrate Malala Day to highlight the leading role that youth can play in enabling all children to get education. **Mr. Ban Ki-moon, UN Secretary-General, Mr. John W. Ashe, President of the UN General Assembly, Mr. Gordon Brown, UN Special Envoy for Global Education and Mr. Ahmad Alhindawi, UN Special Envoy for Youth were among those who graced the occasion. The outcome of the Youth Assembly was a resolution urging governments, individuals and organizations to take decisive action to include every child within the fold of education.**

Laxman received the invitation to attend the Youth Assembly from the Office of the President of the UN General Assembly. Son of a poor Santhal family from Mayurbhanj district of Odisha, he is one among 20,000 tribal children whom KISS has provided a hope of bright future. A student of KISS since 2006, Laxman has recently passed his +2 (Grade 12) exams and aims to become an engineer. During his studentship he has undergone English Access Program and Youth Leadership Program of US Department of State. In the past, he had the opportunity to travel to Seoul, South Korea, to present a paper on Climate Change under the United Nations Environment Program. It is a matter of great pride for KISS, tribal community and Odisha to have a tribal student from the state to represent the country at this prestigious international meet, said Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS.

In another achievement, Amrita Nayak, a tribal girl from KISS studying in +2 Science, is among 13 student-panelists from India taking part in Ground Level Panel (GLP) to discuss and comment on the recommendations of a United Nations High Level Panel (HLP) on post 2015 goals framework of Millennium Development Goals (MDP). The UN announced a 27-member HLP to advise on the global development framework beyond 2015. The panel, co-chaired by President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono of Indonesia, President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf of Liberia and Prime Minister David Cameron of the United Kingdom, has come up with their report on recommendations.

Amrita will share her experiences with poverty and how KISS is working to eradicate poverty through education. The deliberation - component of a global initiative 'Participate' - is being organized by PRAXIS, a Delhi based organization, in collaboration with KISS in New Delhi from July 14 – 19, 2013. Concurrent GLP meetings will be held in three more countries - Egypt, Brazil and Uganda. Three students from GLP would make it to the HLP. Amrita is an orphan hailing from Gajapati district. She is studying in KISS and has achieved 80% marks in Class X exam. Wishing her a bright future, Dr. Samanta said that she has made the institute, Odisha and the country proud by her achievement.

English Access Microscholarship Program

English Access Microscholarship Program is an enriching initiative of the Department of State, United States of America, being implemented at KISS. It is largest in the country with already 550 students enrolled and being trained. It is an effective training program designed to provide significant English language experience to bright indigenous students. An appreciation of Indian and American democratic principles and culture is emphasized through this program. The program also comprises students from Primitive Tribal Groups, who are pursuing higher education. Laxman Hembram, an English Access student, has presented a paper on Climate Change in Seoul, South Korea organized by UNEP. He was also a part of the Malala Day event as a youth representative at UN Headquarters in New York, USA. Two Access students have been shortlisted by US Consulate Hyderabad, to pursue higher professional education in USA. Many Access students are now pursuing higher professional education. This program has been able to curb alienation and has contributed to mainstreaming of poor indigenous children.



Laxman Hembram with Pakistani activist, Malala Yousafzai and youth leader representatives from different countries at the the Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly at United Nations Headquarters in New York.

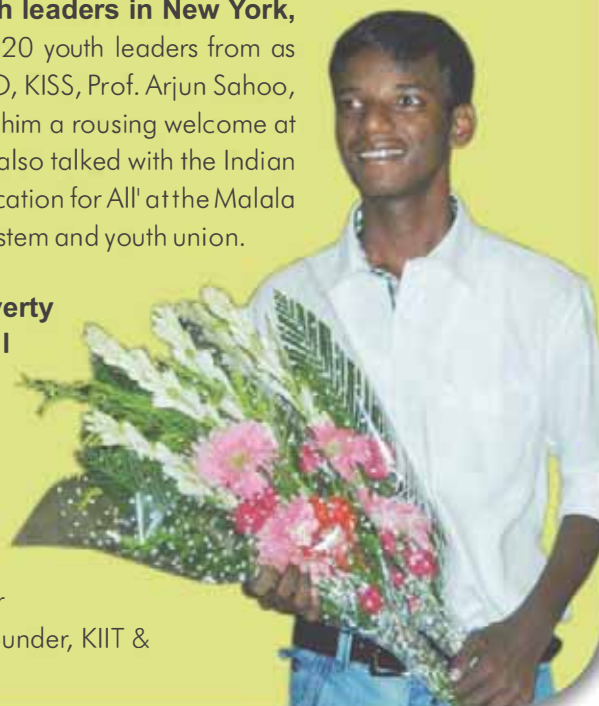


Informed UN About Role of KISS in Education: Laxman

Laxman was the only youth leader representative from India selected for the event at United Nations Headquarters.

"I informed the Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly about free education being provided in KISS to 20,000 tribal children", said Laxman Hembram, who was representing India at the international meet of youth leaders in New York, after his return to Bhubaneswar on July 16, 2013. Total 120 youth leaders from as many countries participated in the Assembly. Dr. P. K. Routray, CEO, KISS, Prof. Arjun Sahoo, Principal, Mr. Pramod Patra, Asst. CEO and Mr. Rudra Jena gave him a rousing welcome at the airport upon his arrival. During his visit to New York, Laxman also talked with the Indian High Commissioner and gave his views to BBC. He talked on 'Education for All' at the Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly, outlining quality education system and youth union.

He discussed about Odisha and on how to eradicate poverty through education. "I highlighted educational backwardness among tribals and efforts that KISS is making to help tribal children join the mainstream society", he said about his talk, which received wide appreciations in UN. The visit gave him an opportunity to know about education systems of other countries. Talking about his four-day visit, Laxman said, he got a chance to meet and talk with Malala Yousafzai and representatives of various other countries. He expressed his gratitude to Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS for his mentoring and inspiration.



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--Laxman Hembram, KISS students who represented India at the Malala Day United Nations Youth Assembly in New York

KIIT & KISS Students in 'Global Walk-2013' in Korea



Three students from Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) and KIIT University - Alekha Murmu, Rohan Anurag and Prajna Jena – participated in 'Global Walk – 2013' held in South Korea. Alekha is a 2nd Year Commerce student of KISS, while Rohan and Prajna are 4th year students in B.Tech Electrical and Mechanical respectively of KIIT. This international exchange programme was held from 22nd June 2013 to 6th July 2013. Alekha, a 16-year old Santal Tribe boy from Patana block of Keonjhar district, has been selected for this event from KISS. He comes from a very poor family - his father Bira Murmu and mother Sambari Murmu work as daily labourers for their survival.

The event is organized annually by Hanseo University, Korea to promote intramural exchange among students from different parts of the world. This year about 1000 students participated. The objective of the event is to understand mutual cultural characteristics and seek future developmental visions of people from different parts of the world through discussion in the course of the global walk. The selected students are representing India. In 2010, Rajesh Kumar Barla of KISS along with Sangharsh Satpathy of KIIT had participated in "Global Walk-Green Earth" in Korea from June 24 to 30, 2010. Many students from South Korea visit KIIT University and KISS annually under various student exchange programmes, said Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, adding that the event will enhance mutual cultural awareness among the students of the two countries.

KISS Boy Clears CAT

KISS Achieves 97% Success in +2 Exams (12th Board)

KIIT Inks MoU with Trinity College, London

KIIT Faculty Invited as Visiting Professor to IIM

Ganeswar, who comes from a very poor Kandha farmer's family from Serigumma of Rayagada district in Odisha, got six IIM calls, including those from IIM Ranchi (2 calls), IIM Raipur, IIM Kashipur (Uttarakhand) and IIM Udaipur. He preferred to join IIM, Tiruchirappalli after clearing the viva voce.

KISS Boy Clears CAT

Ganeswar Miniaka, a B.Com. pass out student of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), has joined IIM, Tiruchirappalli after clearing Common Admission Test (CAT), one of the most rigorous entrance examinations in the country. Ganeswar, who comes from a very poor Kandha farmer's family from Serigumma of Rayagada district in Odisha, got six IIM calls, including those from IIM Ranchi (2 calls), IIM Raipur, IIM Kashipur (Uttarakhand) and IIM Udaipur. He preferred to join IIM, Tiruchirappalli after clearing the viva voce.



Ganeswar Miniaka

A brilliant student, Ganeswar took admission in KISS in 2010 in +3 Commerce. He has a good career with more than 68% marks both in Class 12 examination and a second division in Class X. He passed +3 Commerce in first class with distinction from KISS. Ganeswar attributes his success to continuous effort and the support he received from KISS, which facilitated him by providing coaching, study environment and proper care. He has two brothers, one is married and other is at home after completing bachelor's degree. Expressing satisfaction over the achievement, Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS hoped that KISS would enable many more underprivileged tribal children to join IIM and other premier institutions of the country in the coming years.

KISS Achieves 97% Success in +2 Exams (12th Board)

Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) has posted cent percent result in Science, Commerce and Arts streams for the 5th year in a row in +2 Examinations conducted by the Council of Higher Secondary Education (CHSE), Odisha. More than 95% students passed in Science, while students of Arts and Commerce streams achieved 97% result. A large number of students in KISS passed in 1st and 2nd divisions, according to the sources. It is encouraging that 32 students from primitive tribal group like Kharia, Saria, Koya, Gadaba, Saura, Kutia Kondh and Paraja have passed in Science, Commerce and Arts streams. Seven of them secured first division. In what is a big morale boost for the students of this tribal institute, even those students, who had fared poorly in 10th examinations, have passed in first-class. Five students of the

institute have qualified in IIT main examination. It is a rare feat to educate and groom tribal students from remote areas of the State and enable them to achieve cent percent result every year, opined intellectuals. Expressing satisfaction over the result, Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS said that continued success of KISS students year after year has been possible only due to blessings of God, continuous effort of teachers, staff, Principal and Chief Executive Officer of KISS.



KIIT Inks MoU with Trinity College, London

KIIT and Trinity College London have announced to work together to improve English language teaching, learning and assessment for the benefit of all KIIT students. Alliance between the two universities aims to equip KIIT students with the English language skills they require to move on successfully to work or further study. In this connection a MoU was signed between Dr. Sasmita Samanta, Registrar, KIIT and Mr. B. M. Mohamud Ali, President-Examination, Orient Blackswan Pvt Ltd, National Manager, Trinity College, London on behalf of KIIT University and Trinity College London on 6th June 2013. The MoU was signed in the presence of Ms. Sarah Kemp, CEO, Trinity College, London & Prof. P. P. Mathur, VC, KIIT University.

Areas of cooperation would include the training of KIIT's teachers, the design of the curriculum and the assessment of students. Trinity's expert examiners will assess the students' proficiency in English and successful students will be awarded an internationally recognised Trinity qualification. This MoU will enable KIIT to become a registered centre for Trinity language examinations. Trinity Registered Examination Centre and approved centres will be given access to Trinity Online. Trinity College London through their representatives will train English Language teachers of KIIT in English language teaching for the various Trinity Certificate programmes. Students of KIIT will have the advantage of obtaining international certification with regard to their English language proficiency which in turn will help them pursue higher studies in English Speaking countries abroad. The Trinity Language Proficiency Certificates is also expected to provide KIITians an edge in the campus recruitments.

Further, Trinity experts will help KIIT in the design of English Language curriculum for foreign students and train teachers in teaching English to non-English speaking foreigners. "We're so pleased to be helping KIIT teachers develop their skills and to ensure that their students acquire the very best possible English language communication skills – skills that will be vital for success in a competitive global economy. The fact that Trinity qualifications are valued by employers and universities around the world will stand them in good stead", said Ms. Sarah Kemp, Trinity's Chief Executive. The MoU is an important step forward to make students of KIIT proficient in English language – a necessary skill to succeed in present day global business environment, said Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS. Trinity College London is a leading International exam board offering qualifications in a unique spectrum of communicative skills — from music, drama and arts activities to English language — at all levels. Each year more than 600,000 candidates in over 60 countries take a Trinity assessment.



KIIT Faculty Invited as Visiting Professor to IIM

Dr. Tapas Ranjan Sahoo, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, School of Applied Sciences, KIIT University was invited by Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Indore as a visiting professor from 27th June to 13th July 2013. During his visit, Dr. Sahoo took a series of sessions on 'Introductory Chemistry' course, for the students of 'Integrated Programme in Management' (IPM) 2011 Batch, in Term VI of Academic Year 2012-13, and interacted with the students on and off the class. During his stay, he had a chance to participate in an interactive session with Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam, former President of India. Recently, he has also won the Best Paper Presentation Award (1st Prize), in the National Conference on Nano-materials as Catalysts.



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According to the provisions of the agreement, students of KIIT would get opportunity to visit the partner universities in Korea and Africa. Travelling expenses would be partially borne by KIIT, while lodging and boarding would be taken care of by the host universities. The Secretary-General of the Forum, Prof Lee Hakchun desired to establish Korean Education Centre at KIIT University. He also expressed interest in 2+2 system between KIIT University and the Korean Universities, besides opening a Cyber University for long distance learning. Prof. Emmanuel Dolo, National Youth Policy Advisor to President, Ministry of State & Presidential Affairs, Liberia expressed his desire to send students to KIIT. Prof. Tolly Mbvette, Vice Chancellor, Open University of Tanzania would be visiting KIIT in September this year to strengthen the ties. Similarly, Mr. Young Woo Jin, CEO of UNHWA Corporation, South Korea, a bio-venture company, showed keenness in recruiting students from the School of Biotechnology, KIIT.

Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, who could not attend the meet, gave the congratulatory message at the opening ceremony via video network. The experiment of Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) - a protégé of KIIT and an expression of its social responsibility, which provides free education from KG to PG, food, accommodation and all other basic amenities to 20,000 tribal children free of cost - evoked a lot of curiosity amongst the participants. Some of them wanted to replicate this experiment in their respective countries as a part of their corporate social responsibility. Dr. Sucheta Priyabadini, Joint Registrar, KIIT University addressed the students faculty of Dong-A University. Students of KIIT University attended the three weeks Global Leadership Camp and won prizes in various events.

Dr. Sucheta Priyabadini, Joint Registrar, KIIT University with representatives from various foreign universities at the Signing Conference of MoU at the 2013 The 1st World Education Leaders' Forum in Busan, South Korea.

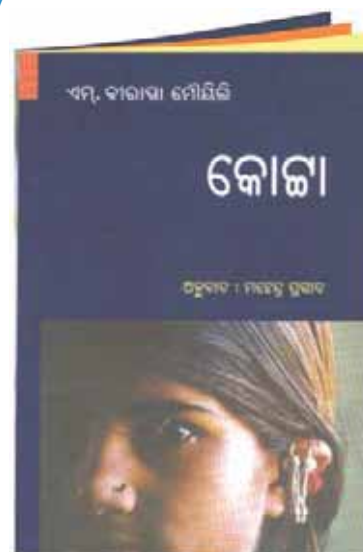


Odia Translation of Dr. Veerappa Moily's Novel 'Kotta' Released

Odia translation of 'Kotta', a Kannad novel written by Dr. M. Veerappa Moily, Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas, was released by Dr. J. B. Patnaik, His Excellency the Governor of Assam in Bhubaneswar on July 28, 2013. Dr. S. C. Jamir, His Excellency the Governor of Odisha graced the book release ceremony as Chief Guest, which was presided over by Smt. Chandresh Kumari Katoch, Hon'ble Union Minister of Culture. Dr. M. Veerappa Moily,

The novel has been translated in Odia by Mr. Mahendra Prasad, Director (International), KIIT University and dedicated to Achyuta Samanta.

Hon'ble Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Padmabhusan Mr. Ramakanta Rath, eminent poet and Smt. Paramita Satpathy, noted author also attended.



Congratulating Dr. Moily for release of Odia translation of his work, Dr. Jamir said that his contribution to Indian literature is immense. The novel, which has been translated in Odia by Mr. Mahendra Prasad, Director (International), KIIT University is a narrative of the lifestyle and problems faced by the tribal community Koraga living in the hilly areas of Karnataka. Odia version of the book has been dedicated to Samanta.

'Kotta' is one of the most popular works of Dr. Moily, which has been translated into Hindi, English, Russian and many other Indian languages. It has also been produced as a telefilm in both Kannada and Hindi. **All that is written in the novel is being implemented in the real world by Samanta**, said Dr. Patnaik, referring to the KISS Founder's notable work in the field of social service, particularly tribal empowerment through education. The translation will render the relationships among cultures more intimate, said Smt. Katoch, while appreciating Dr. Moily's contributions as leader, author and social thinker. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Moily said that by his work Samanta has justified every word written in the novel. Odia will be accorded the classical status soon, he informed.

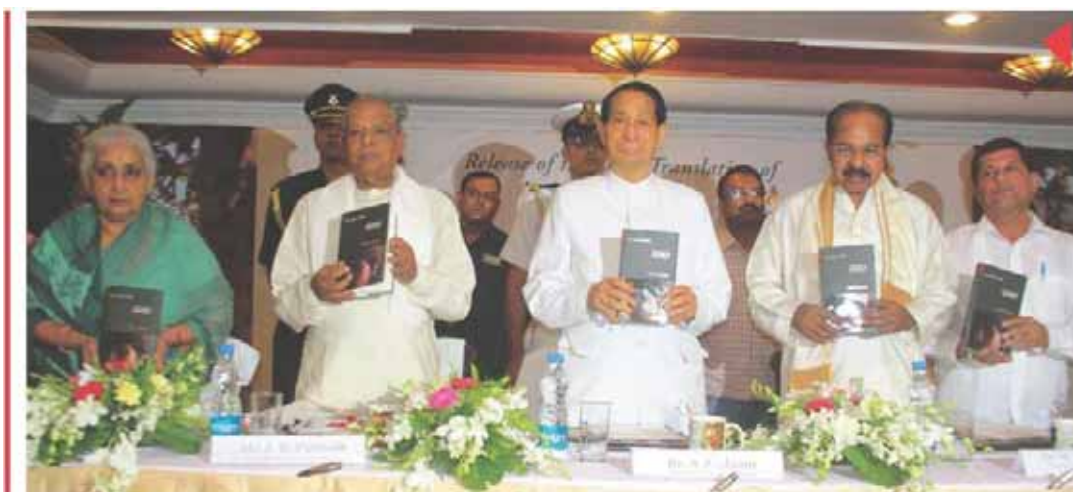
"I feel honoured to have found a place in this immortal work", said Samanta, adding that Dr. Moily's deep commitment to humanity and his understanding of society make his works authentic products of research.

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(From L) Mr. R. N. Dash, Secretary, KIIT & KISS, Prof. P. P. Mathur, VC, KIIT, Dr. P. D. Joshi, MDS, Eminent Endodontist, Lilavati Hospital & Medical Research Centre, Mumbai, Prof. Dr. R. C. Das, Principal, KIDS at the Continuing Dental Education on 'Basic & Recent Advancement in Endodontics' organised by Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences (KIDS).

Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences (KIDS), a constituent of KIIT University, along with Dentsply India conducted a Continuing Dental Education (CDE) and Hands-on Program on "Basic & Recent Advancement in Endodontics". The inaugural function was attended by Prof. P. P. Mathur, Vice Chancellor, KIIT University, Mr. R. N. Dash, Secretary, KIIT & KISS, Dr. P. D. Joshi, eminent endodontist, Prof. Dr. Ramesh Chandra Das, Principal, KIDS and Dr. J. J. Pathi, Administrative Officer, KIDS. Chief speaker of the program was Dr. P. D. Joshi, Hon. Consultant at Lilavati Hospital & Medical Research Centre, Mumbai and Panel Member of Bhabha Atomic Research Centre as Consultant Endodontist.

The CDE Program consisted of three didactic lecture sessions. During the lecture, Dr. Joshi took the delegates through all aspects of root canal treatment - both basic and recent concepts. He spoke extensively on the advancement in techniques and equipment that are being used in root canal treatment. The lecture sessions were followed by Hands On program on the use of hand and rotary protaper file system in root canal treatment. The delegates consisted of not only the staffs and students of KIDS, but also from Institute of Dental Sciences, Hi-Tech Dental College & Hospital and SCB Dental College & Hospital. A total of 130 delegates attended the CDE program. The program was very informative and a great success.

Instructional Course Lecture at KIMS

Department of Surgery of Kalinga Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS), a constituent of KIIT University, has started Instructional Course Lecture under the dynamic leadership of Prof. Sanat Kumar Mohapatra, Professor of Surgery. A course on 'Groin Hernia' has already been completed. Presently, instructional course has been started on another common disorder - Hepatobiliary Diseases. Dr. Chetan Mahajan, Consultant Surgical Gastro-enterologist and Transplant Surgeon from Deccan Hospital, Hyderabad inaugurated the course and delivered a guest lecture on "Recent Trends in Hepatobiliary Surgery". All the professors, faculty members, SRs, JRs and interns attended the course and there was a lively interactive group discussion and 'Meet the Professor' programme.

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In the camp an Oral Cancer Screening was also done by NOCPI and various tobacco associated diseases were detected and the patients were referred to KIDS for further investigations and treatment. People were also educated about maintaining proper oral hygiene and about the ill effects of tobacco use. The Institute conducted another Free Dental Screening and Treatment Camp at Siruli Mahaveer, Dist. Puri on 28th April, 2013. The camp benefited 500 residents of Siruli Mahaveer Village who were screened for dental or oral diseases. A total of 185 free extractions (tooth removal) were done in a fully equipped Mobile Dental Van of KIDS. Free medicines were given to all those who had extractions and even for other dental diseases.

KIDS Faculty Presents Paper at International Conference

Dr. Shyam Sundar Behura of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences (KIDS), KIIT University presented a scientific paper titled 'Newer Leading-edge Techniques – Augmenting Early Oral Cancer Screening and Diagnosis' at the 35th Asia Pacific Dental Congress Conference held at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from 7 – 12 May, 2013. The paper discussed the leading- edge screening and diagnostic aids such as vital (Toluidine blue) staining, brush biopsy, tissue chemiluminescence, autofluorescence, DNA analysis, saliva-based diagnostics and biomarkers. Some other new arrivals such as Lab-on-a-chip, O-Scan, Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT) and Nano devices were also discussed in the paper, which reviewed the efficacy of the existing and new techniques in improving the early detection of malignant changes of the oral mucosa. Oral cancer remains one of the ten most prevalent cancers in the world with two-third of the cases occurring in developing countries and the cause being that oral squamous cell carcinoma (OSCC) is often diagnosed at an advanced stage. Therefore, early diagnosis of OSCC is a priority. Dr. Shyam Sundar Behura, MDS, PGDMLS, FAGE is Senior Lecturer in Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology of KIDS.

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Dr. Basant Behera, Associate Professor, Orthopedics of Kalinga Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS), a constituent of KIIT University, was felicitated on Doctor's Day by Rotary Club, Bhubaneswar and IMA, Bhubaneswar on 1st July 2013. Dr. Behera is a senior joint replacement who has done numerous Total Knee Replacement and Total Hip Replacement surgeries during last six years. He has the distinction of conducting maximum number such surgeries in Odisha. He was felicitated for his contribution to the society and establishing a joint replacement centre at KIMS.

World Midwives Day Observed



Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT University, observed International Midwives Day recently. The event was organized at the Antenatal Clinic of the Pradyumna Bal Memorial Hospital, KIMS. Third year and first year students of B.Sc. (Nursing) performed a role play on management of high risk pregnancy on the occasion. It was effective for the antenatal mother and their relatives. Health education on antenatal care and breast feeding was imparted to the mothers.

Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT University, organized a two-day National Seminar on 'Research Methodology' recently.



KIMS Faculty Achievement

KIMS Faculty Dr Sudeep Satpathy, Assistant Professor, Physiology was invited to deliver a talk in Africa Health-2013 held at Johannesburg, South Africa. He has been selected as an International Faculty for South African Sports Medicine Congress 2013.

KINS Organises National Seminar on Research Methodology

Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT University, organized a two-day National Seminar on 'Research Methodology' recently. Aim of the seminar, which was inaugurated by Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, was to strengthen and update knowledge on research methodology and to utilize the evidenced-based research in patient care. It drew 209 participants from different nursing institutions different parts of Odisha, such as Cuttack, Berhampur, Bolangir, Sambalpur, Rourkela and Bhubaneswar. Among others, Prof. (Dr.) B. C.



(From L) Prof. A. Lenka, Principal, KINS, Prof. S. C. Dash, Director, KIMS, Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Prof. (Dr.) B. C. Das, Dean-cum-Principal, KIMS and Mrs. K. Rath at the inaugural ceremony of National Seminar on "Research Methodology" held in Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS).

Das, Dean-cum-Principal, KIMS, Prof. (Dr.) S. C. Das, Director, KIMS and Prof. Amrita Lenka, Principal, KINS graced the inaugural ceremony. Welcoming the resource persons and participants, Dr. Samanta elaborated on the importance of research in nursing profession. He also released souvenir of the seminar. Eminent resources persons including Prof. (Dr.) Aparna Bhaduri, Ex-Vice Principal, RAK College of Nursing, New Delhi and Prof. Bandana Das, Principal, Neotia Academy of Nursing, Kolkata attended the seminar. Prof. (Dr.) B. C. Das explained the role of nursing professionals in health care system. Dr. S. C. Das stressed on the importance of evidenced based nursing practice. A large number of nursing professionals presented research proposals and research papers during the two-day seminar, which was coordinated by Prof. Lenka. The valedictory session was chaired by Prof. Bandana Das in the presence of Dr. Ansuman Panigrahi, Prof. A. Lenka, Prof. Rjalaxmi Mishra and Mrs. Niyati Das. Resource persons were felicitated on the occasion and certificates conferred on the participants.

KINS Observed Safe Motherhood Day

Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT University, observed Safe Motherhood Day recently. Faculty members and B.Sc. (Nursing) students of the institute, under the supervision of the Principal participated in the event, which had 'Every woman counts' as its theme. Students enacted a play at city's Niladri Vihar area on 'High risk pregnancy & antenatal care' under the guidance of P. P. Baral and R. R. Parhi, Tutors, KINS for generating awareness among the general public. Third year B.Sc. (Nursing) students conducted a health quiz among the mothers admitted in O&G Department under the guidance of Mrs. K. Rath, Lecturer, KINS and Ms. R. Mishra, PG student. Mrs. N. Das, Associate Professor, KINS handed over prizes to the winner and all participants.

KINS Students Win Prizes at State SNA Conference

Sinjita Ghosh, a 1st year B.Sc. (Nursing) student of Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT University, was awarded the 1st Position in Personality Development Contest held as a component of XXV State SNA Biennial Conference 2013 of Odisha State Branch at Nursing Training Institute, IGH, Rourkela during June 22-23, 2013. Another student, Reshmi Lodha, bagged 1st Position in 'Health Education' component of the conference. Similarly, one male student was selected as Mr. SNA - Second at the Odisha State Branch. Winner team will participate in National Conference of SNA which will be held in the month of November-2013 in Surat, Gujarat.





KIIT girl bags silver in Commonwealth Chess

Aparajita Gochhikar, a MBA (Rural Management) student of School of Rural Management, KIIT University, bagged six points from 11 rounds to grab silver medal in U-20 girls category of the 19th Commonwealth Chess Championship held at Port Elizabeth, South Africa from July 5 to 14, 2013. Aparajita defeated Mofokeng Rasweu of South Africa in the 11th and last round to finish with six points. Grobellor Jasqui (South Africa), who also garnered six points, bagged the gold on the basis of Buchholz tie-break score.

Total 314 players from 17 countries featured in this prestigious chess championship. Altogether 11 member of India contingent including Odisha's WGM Kiran Manisha Mohanty participated in the 10-day-long tournament. This is the third Commonwealth medal for Aparajita, who hails from Puri. She had claimed her first Commonwealth medal, a gold in u-18 girls category, at Johannesburg, South Africa, in July, 2011 and the second, a silver in u-20 girls category, in Chennai in December 2012. Aparajita Gochhikar, along with Dutee Chand and Laxman Hembram - two student-achievers of KIIT and KISS respectively, was felicitated by Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS at a special function organized on July 20, 2013. She expressed gratitude to KIIT and its Founder for mentoring and support. Mr. J. P. Singh, International Basketball Coach, Prof. P. P. Mathur, VC, KIIT, Dr. S. Samanta, Registrar and Dr. S. Priyabadini, Joint Registrar graced the function.



Dutee Chand, KIIT School of Law, winner of bronze in women's 200 metres at Asian Athletics Championship 2013, Aparajita Gochhikar, KIIT School of Rural Management, winner of Silver Medal (2nd rank) at the Commonwealth Chess Championship 2013 and Laxman Hembram, representing India at the Prestigious Malala Day - United Nations Youth Assembly at a felicitation ceremony in KIIT. Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Mr. J. P. Singh, International Basketball Coach, Prof. P. P. Mathur, VC, KIIT, Dr. S. Priyabadini, Joint Registrar (Student Affairs) & Dr. S. Samanta, Registrar graced the ceremony.





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KIIT girl blazes the track in Asian Athletic Championship



Dutee Chand, a student of School of Law of KIIT University, bagged Bronze Medal in 200 metre dash at the 20th Asian Athletics Championship held in Pune from 3 – 7 July 2013 with a timing of 23.82 seconds. She finished fraction of a second behind Viktoriya Zybalkina of Kazakhstan (Gold Medal) and Asha Roy of India (Silver Medal). At 17 years, she was the youngest among 24 best athletes from different Asian countries competing in the event.

Touted as the next PT Usha, Dutee already has many records under her belt. In recently concluded 8th IAAF World Youth Championships in Donetsk, Ukraine she clocked her career best of 11.62 seconds in 100 meter dash, a national youth and junior record. Dutee was declared best athlete in National School Games in Lucknow in February 2013, bagging three golds in 100 metre, 200 metre and 400 metre. She was again adjudged best girl athlete in National Youth Athletics in Bangalore in May, winning gold in 100

and 200 metre. Her achievements have made the institute and the State proud, said Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS. KIIT provides equal emphasis to sports, said Dr. A. Samanta, while motivating her to go for Olympic medal. Born in a poor weaver's family in Odisha's Jajpur district, Dutee's dream run is fascinating.

One of the four daughters, she found a role model in her elder sister, Saraswati, who herself has represented the country at the international level. With the support and encouragement she is getting at KIIT University, she hopes to win an Olympics medal. Her national coach is confident that she will win medals for the country in the Asian Games in Incheon, South Korea and Commonwealth Games in Glasgow, Scotland, in 2014.

KIIT Hosts *Iftar Party*

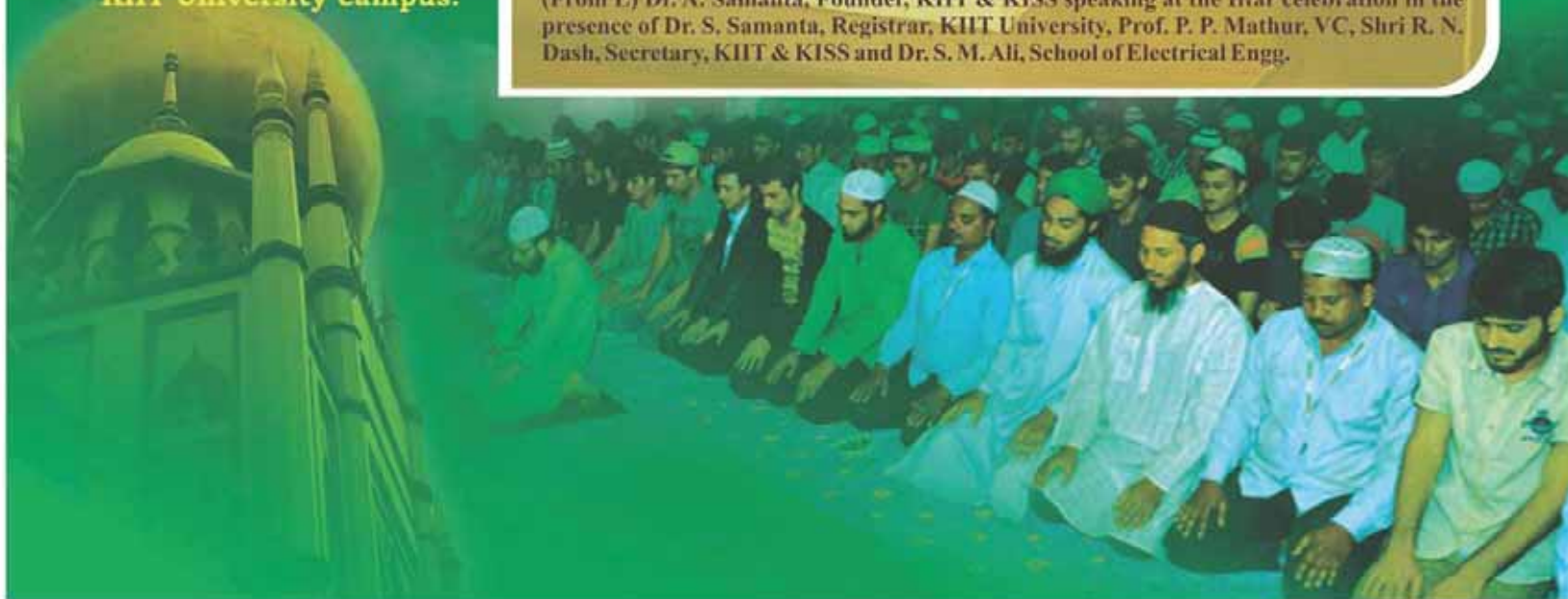
KIIT hosted Iftar Party during the holy month of Ramzan on August 2, 2013. Significance of the month of Ramzan and Iftar were discussed on the occasion, which was attended by Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Mr. R. N. Dash, Secretary, KIIT & KISS, Prof. P. P. Mathur, Vice Chancellor, KIIT University, Dr. Sasmita Samanta, Registrar and Professor S. M. Ali, among others. **KIIT has been hosting Iftar Party every year for last 10 years at the initiative of its Founder.**

Addressing hundreds of Muslim students from Odisha, different parts of the country and the world, who are studying in KIIT, Samanta said that the institution gives equal respect to people of all categories and religions. **Last year he had declared that a mosque will be built on the premises of KIIT to honour sentiments of Muslim students and staff. Land for this has now been finalized where a world-class mosque will be built very soon, Samanta informed, adding that next year Iftar would be organised in the premises of proposed mosque at KIIT University campus.** This mosque will be developed to become a landmark attraction in the region considering the green building construction and nano-architecture. Arrangements for mass offering of Namaz were made on the occasion.

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(From L) Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS speaking at the Iftar celebration in the presence of Dr. S. Samanta, Registrar, KIIT University, Prof. P. P. Mathur, VC, Shri R. N. Dash, Secretary, KIIT & KISS and Dr. S. M. Ali, School of Electrical Engg.



Panorama



Shri R. K. Dubey, Chairman & Managing Director, Canara Bank being felicitated by Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS during his visit to KISS.



Graduation Ceremony of the Kinder Orland students of KiiT International School on July 19, 2013.



ORACAMP, an awareness and detection camp for Oral Cancer was conducted at slum areas of Bhubaneswar by National Oral Cancer Prevention Initiative (NOCPI) and Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences in association with Lions Club of Bhubaneswar.



Dr. A. Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS with Prof. Kim Seung-Jae and Student Delegates of Hanseo University, South Korea at the International internship and Volunteering Program (2013-2014) in KIIT.



Dr. Arvind Mathur, WHO Health Officer, SEARO Region India speaking at a CME on World Population Day 2013 in KIMS.



Students from Schools of Engineering & MCA participate in the Innovation Jockeys - 2 Contest, a programme launched by Accenture in Partnership with Yahoo. The contest entailed presentation of Business Innovations that would change the way Retail, Finance and Public Services operate worldwide.



Kirti-Kalpa – KIIT Art Gallery

Kirti-Kalpa is a national level art gallery displaying traditional and contemporary sculptures and paintings. It has been conceptualized and maintained by Adwaita Gadanayak, internationally acclaimed sculptor.



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