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Indian Institute of Surveying and Mapping Survey of India, Hyderabad

COURSE NAME: MSc (Geospatial Science and Technology)

ELIGIBILITY: A science graduate having mathematics as a subject at least at Plus 2 / Intermediate / Higher Secondary level and minimum two years experience in Surveying / Mapping / GIS / RS. They have to appear before a screening Committee at Survey Training Institute, Hyderabad for their selection.

HOW TO APPLY: Application Form along with detailed prospectus will be available at Survey Training Institute (STI), Survey of India, Uppal, Hyderabad- 500 039 on payment of Rs 50 during office hours on all working days. It can also be obtained by sending a demand draft for Rs 100 of any nationalized bank drawn in favour of E&AO, STI, Hyderabad payable at Hyderabad along with a self addressed envelope of size 32 x 26 cm. The prospectus and application form can also be downloaded free of cost from the website www.soisti.ap.nic.in

COMMENTS: The application must reach STI on or before 20-05-2009.

Last Date: 20-05-2009

MET Institute of Management (MET IOM), Mumbai

COURSE NAME: Masters in Marketing Management (MMM)

ELIGIBILITY: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from a recognised university with minimum 2 years work experience at supervisory / executive level, after graduation. (The 2 year period is calculated from the date of final examination at the degree level).

HOW TO APPLY: Send us the DD of Rs 900 by post. DD should be in favour of "MET's Institute of Management", payable at Mumbai. We will send you the form and prospectus by courier. Send it to, MET Institute of Management (MET IOM), MET League of Colleges, Mumbai Educational Trust) MET Complex, Bandra Reclamation, Bandra (West), Mumbai, Maharashtra. Phone-No: 022 - 2644 0080/ 2651 9222/ 237.

COMMENTS: Last date for form submission is April 09, 2009.

Last Date: 09-04-2009

Karunya Institute of Technology (Karunya University), Coimbatore

COURSE NAME: BTech (Aerospace Engineering)

ELIGIBILITY: A pass in 10+2 or equivalent examination in first attempt with 60 percent marks aggregate in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics. 60 percent in Maths is compulsory. The candidates should not have completed 21 years of age as on 1st July 2009.

HOW TO APPLY: By post, application form and prospectus can be obtained on request enclosing a crossed DD payable at Coimbatore drawn on "The Registrar, Karunya University". The request must be sent to Admissions Officer, Karunya University, Coimbatore - 641 1140.

COMMENTS: Last date of receipt of filled forms is 15 April 2009.

Last Date: 15-04-2009

Dr B R Ambedkar Center for Biomedical Research, New Delhi

COURSE NAME: MSc (Biomedical Sciences)

ELIGIBILITY: Bachelors Degree in Biomedical Sciences/ Life Sciences/ Zoology/Botany/ Microbiology/ Chemistry/ Biochemistry/ Environmental Biology/ Biotechnology/ Laboratory Techniques/ BPharm/ BVSc or MBBS with at least 55 percent marks from University of Delhi or any other examination recognised by the University or equivalent thereto.

HOW TO APPLY: The bulletin of Information along with Application form for all the above courses can be obtained from the office of Dr B R Ambedkar Center for Biomedical Research, University of Delhi, North Campus, Delhi-110007 on all working days (Monday to Friday) from 10.00 am to 4.00 pm against Demand Draft of Rs 800 for General and Rs 250 for SC/ST. Application forms can also be downloaded from our website www.acbrdu.edu.

COMMENTS: Last date for receiving completed application forms is 15 May 2009.

Last Date: 15-04-2009

Vel Tech Dr RR & Dr SR Technical University provides quality education by distributing scholarships through the Mahatma Gandhi National Scholarships which is worth Rs 5 Crore

REACHING OUT through scholarships

Pic: J Manoharan



In a country, where every industry has money making as its dictum, not leaving the education sector, here is an institution that aims at making education accessible to deserving and promising students at the grass root level. Vel Tech Dr RR & Dr SR Technical University is one institution that now works towards providing quality education to meritorious students by distributing scholarship through the Mahatma Gandhi National Scholarships that is worth Rs Five Crores. With the launch of their latest scholarship scheme offered by the university, they are set to make education affordable to all deserving students. The University is now offering its students, fully-paid scholarships to top three engineering applicants in each of the 28 states in the country. And it is not just the states; one student from each of the seven union territories will also be selected for the scholarships. The scholarship will include exemption in the students' tuition fee, boarding and lodging throughout the four years of study at the university. Moreover, the students need score to meet particular predetermined marks in their plus two level as the students who will be applying for the scholarship will only compete with other applicants within the state.

"There is no doubt that technical education is available at a large scale in our country. But it is yet to reach the many deserving students. Technical education is yet to become accessible. Our aim is to make education affordable and money should not be the reason anymore for deserving students across any caste and creed to not take up technical education," says Rangarajan Mahalakshmi K, Vice-Chancellor, Vel Tech Dr RR & Dr SR

Technical University. And the reason for providing such unique scheme for students is being their own experience and hardships that the Founder and Chancellor of the University Prof Dr R Rangarajan faced when he wanted to take up technical education. "He came from a modest family and he had spent his lifetime to fulfil his dreams. He doesn't want the present and the future generation students who truly deserve to suffer just because they couldn't get access to the quality technical education," explains the vice-chancellor.

Another 100 applicants will be chosen; who have scored 90 per cent aggregate in subjects like Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry in their XIIth standard exams, will get 50 per cent of exemption in their tuition fee. The students can apply for the scholarship scheme by applying online through the University's website or just buy an application available at 290 post offices across the country. The deadline for submission of filled in applications is April 20. And all those who apply for the scholarship need to take up Vel Tech's All India Engineering Entrance Examination that is scheduled on May 10. The scholarship is also available only for students who apply for Vel Tech's Technical University and not other colleges owned by Vel Tech Group of Educational Institutions.

Through these scholarship schemes, Vel Tech Dr RR & Dr SR Technical University intends to develop and strengthen the technical support in our country. "We want to provide and develop a safe and secure technical education in the country," Rangarajan Mahalakshmi signs off.

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For details regarding scholarships and more, visit www.vel-tech.org

The Group

Dr R Rangarajan founded Vel Tech Group of Educational Institutions way back in 1990. Ever since then, there has been no turning back for the founder. By his sheer perseverance and a strong belief in excellence and values, Rangarajan rose from an engineer in the electricity board to a doyen in the field of education. The founder now has a technical university, two engineering colleges affiliated to Anna University, four business schools, out of which two is affiliated to Anna University and the other two, under Madras University, a nursing college and a physiotherapy college both affiliated to the Tamil Nadu Dr MGR Medical University, a polytechnic college approved by DOTE and a matriculation and an international school recognised by government of Tamil Nadu, all forming the cluster of educational institutions under the Vel Tech City of Education in Avadi, Chennai with a student volume of 12,000.

The University

The Technical education institution that was given a deemed university certification this year, is offering undergraduate, postgraduate and PhD programs in engineering, management, computer science applications and humanities. Placement for students have always been given importance and as many as 85,000 students across the country participated in Vel Tech's placement events. Around 99 per cent of the eligible students got placed in leading companies, and 3000 were placed last year. The companies recruiting at the University includes TATA, Reliance, Infosys and many more. The University has academic partnership tie-ups with various companies like Oracle, Microsoft, NAC & NACTECH of NASSCOM, CISCO and British Council for Business English (Cambridge University) for providing professional certification programmes.