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INTRODUCTION

Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST), at Thiruvananthapuram is a Deemed to be University under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956. IIST functions as an autonomous body under the Department of Space, Government of India.

VISION

To be a world class educational and research institution contributing significantly to the Space Endeavors.

MISSION

Create a unique learning environment enriched by the challenges of the Space Programme.

Nurture the spirit of innovation and creativity.

Establish Centers of Excellence in niche areas.

Provide ethical and value based education.

Promote activities to address societal needs.

Network with national and international institutions of repute.

THE PLACEMENT CELL AT IIST

The Placement Cell at IIST continually liaisons with industry, R&D organizations, and management organizations, with the foresight of Training, Career-Guidance, Internship/Project, and Campus Placements.

The Placement Cell works closely in line with the policies of the Institute and tries to coherently match the interests of students with an appropriate job profile.

The Placement Cell channelizes feedback from Industry, R&D Organizations and Management Organizations regarding academic programmes, to the Institute. The Placement Cell continually functions to safeguard the interest of the students and also endeavors to be a part of their safe and secure future.

A company/R&D/Management, registers with the Placement Cell, through an online job portal for the purpose of placement and internship. Upon registration, the Company will receive a Log-In ID and Password to input furthermore details. The Placement Cell will appropriately co-ordinate to take the process further.

The internship period for both B.Tech. and M.Tech. programmes usually lasts for two months, tentatively from May to July, every year. However, internships which require more than two months, for select M.Tech Programmes, can be worked out in line with the Institute policies and guidelines. The Company/Organization could contact the Placement Cell for further details and discussions.

Students' who qualify for Internship/Placements are to required to register with the Placement Cell, by providing their detailed CV related details, well in advance.

FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK



Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST) a Deemed to be University started in the year 2007, is the only National Institute under the umbrella of Dept. of Space dedicated in contributing to the research and education in various key and allied areas of Space Science and Technology. Our B.Tech. students are inducted through a rank list prepared from the students who qualify IIT JEE (Main and Advanced) exams. Students inducted for M.Tech./M.S. and Ph.D programmes are also those who have qualified GATE for Engineering streams and NET/JRF for non-engineering streams.

IIST upholds an urge to develop and continuously strengthen research with various industries, defense sectors, and research organizations. With a rigor of Academic programmes at par with IITs, and Research labs being continuously upgraded with state-of-the-art facilities. IIST provides the right ambience for faculty and students to work extensively in specialized areas of research in collaboration with different ISRO Centres. IIST is always live with colloquia, seminars, conference, lectures by eminent experts in different fields so as to fuel the flames of blowing knowledge. IIST always encourages innovative ideas to grow and strive to gain international recognition for its academic programmes and research activities. The Institute churns out graduates and post-graduates capable of working in cutting edge technologies.

The academics and research ambience at IIST is well knitted with excellent infrastructure for indoor and outdoor activities/sports, fitness centres, cafeteria and an excellent library complex. Residential academic programme at IIST thereby moulds and hones the best of the talents within its students. This document gives a glimpse of our Faculty, research capabilities, along with various academic programmes and detailed curriculum.

I hope industries and research organizations would find this brochure to be a catalyst in initiating various research and collaborative programmes with us. I earnestly hope they would get in touch with our placement cell for inducting our students for their internship programmes and also for providing them with a career opportunity by allowing them to be a part and parcel of research, development and growth of the organization.

K S Dasgupta Director

FROM THE PLACEMENT DESK



With a bright set of students who have undergone a rigorous curriculum at IIST and capable of working at cutting edge technologies, Placement Cell has a key role in ensuring that our students are appropriately placed and continuously contribute to the growth of our nation. IIST values feedback from various industries and research organizations and hence the placement cell liaisons with industry and research organizations to arrange interactive sessions to receive feedback on academic programmes, programmes to hone specific skill sets, etc.

We hope that this booklet brings out key features of our institute. Typical procedure for internship and placements and that industry/research organization is also briefly indicated. We are confident that the students from IIST would be an asset to the organization they would be working in.

We sincerely hope that you would get in touch with us for internship and placements. The placement cell would be happy to provide you with all necessary information and guide you through the process of internship and placement.

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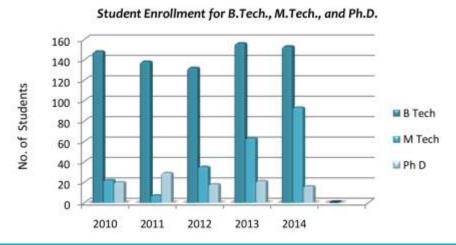






ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

The institute offers education at the undergraduate, graduate, doctoral and post-doctoral levels with special focus on space sciences, space technology and space Applications. The academic programmes have been formulated to strengthen the fundamentals, experience the realities through practical work, and enhance the knowledge and understanding the areas of interest. The curriculum has been developed and continuously upgraded to meet these goals.



B.TECH. PROGRAMMES

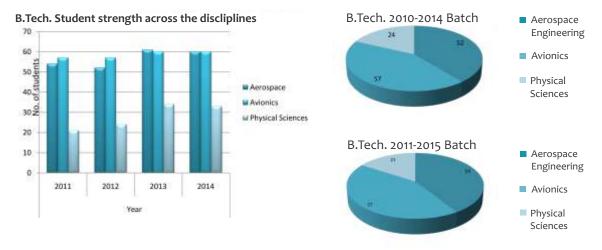
IIST offers four year (8 semesters) Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech. programme) in 3 branches.

- 1. Aerospace Engineering
- 2. Avionics
- 3. Physical Sciences

The total number of seatsis 156 The seat matrix for different programmes is as follows:

- B.Tech. in Aerospace Engineering: 60
- B.Tech. in Avionics: 60
- B.Tech. in Physical Sciences: 36

Admission to the B.Tech. programmes in IIST is through Joint Entrance Examination JEE (Main) conducted by CBSE and JEE (Advanced) conducted by IITs.

















ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

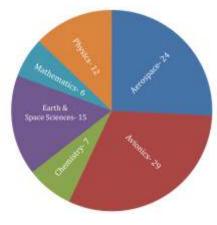
M.TECH. PROGRAMMES/ M.S PROGRAMME

The M.Tech. programme is offered to students who have qualified GATE. Admissions to MS Programme in Astronomy and Astrophysics is based on JEST/JRF/NET/GATE.

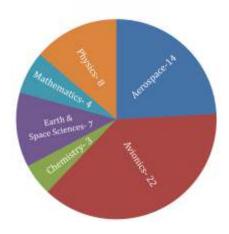
SL.NO	DEPARTMENT	POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES
1	Aerospace Engineering	 M.Tech. Propulsion M.Tech. Aerodynamics & Flight Mechanics M.Tech. Structures & Design
2	Avionics Engineering	 M.Tech. in RF&Microwave Engineering M.Tech. in Digital Signal Processing M.Tech. in Control System M.Tech. in VLSI & Microsystems
3	Chemistry	1. M.Tech. in Material Science and Technology
4	Earth & Space Sciences	 M.Tech. in Earth System Sciences M.Tech. in Geoinformatics MS Astronomy and Astrophysics
5	Mathematics	1. M.Tech. Machine Learning & Computing
6	Physics	1. M.Tech. in Optical Engineering 2. M.Tech. in Solid State Technology

The institute offers education at the undergraduate, graduate, doctoral and post-doc admissions under the regular academic stream are announced through advertisements in national news papersas well as on the IIST website. Admission is based on gate score, test and interview. All selected candidates will get scholarship as per the AICTE norms.

Admissions under the DOS/ISRO stream are announced through notification circulated in all units/centres. Qualified candidates are admitted to the programme based on nominations by the respective centres.



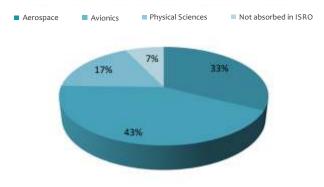
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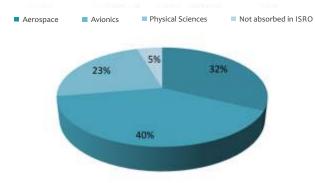
M.Tech. Second Year

B.Tech. PLACEMENT HISTORY (ISRO ABSORPTION)

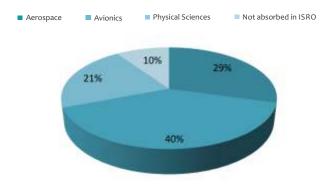
Total Students: 126 (2007-11)



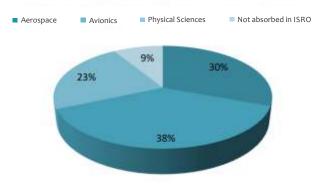
Total Students: 130 (2008-12)



Total Students: 136 (2009-13)



Total Students: 114 (2010-14)



ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

Doctoral pogramme leading to Ph.D. degree is currently available in the following departments:

- · Aerospace Engineering
- Avionics
- Chemistry
- Earth and Space Sciences
- Humanities
- Mathematics
- Physics

The selection of full time Ph.D. scholars is being done twice in a year. The admission to part time Ph.D. programme is offered only to scientists/engineers from ISRO and to faculty from IIST.

At present there are 77 research scholars registered for the doctoral programme.

POST DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

IIST offers Post Doctoral Fellowship (PDF) in selected areas. Admission is based on test and interview.

Ph.D. Completed as on date

S R Shine- Studies on Film Cooling in Rocket Combustion Chambers.

V Ashok- Computation of High Speed Chemically reacting Viscous Flows with Cartesian Mesh on a GPU based Parallel System.

Sooraj V S- Theoretical and Experimental Investigations on Ultra high Surface Finish Generation using Fine Abrasive Impingement.

Raja J- Justification of lower dimensional model for thin elastic and piezoelectric materials.

Bhaskar Dubey- Qualitative study of the basic properties of control systems such as controllability, observability and optimality of controls by using the tools of functional analysis and soft computing.

Sanid- Investigation in nanomagnets driven by spin-polarized current.

Remya Mol- Studies on conducting polymers and nanocomposites with special emphasis on light-matter interaction.

Senthil Kumar- Investigation on adaptive optics for high resolution optical earth observation systems.

Preeti Manjari Mishra- Formation and Destruction of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon ions under photon and ion impact.















RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Research programmes in IIST focus on various areas of Science, Engineering and Humanities. The institute currently has 57 full-time and 22 part-time research scholars. With a view to provide a congenial academic and research atmosphere, the Institute funds projects for the areas. Nano Satellite and Sounding Rocket are two prestigious collaborative projects where B.Tech. students gets to continually work in close interaction with ISRO scientists. Faculty members currently work with projects, closely related with the Indian Space Programmes. However, faculty members could also take up projects both fundamental as well as the cutting –edge of technology from reputed Industries/Research Organizations. The following Centres of Excellence have been established to focus on key technology developments in the field of Space Science and Technology and is being continuously augmented and developed so as to be with the cutting-edge of technology in these areas.

1. APLD LAB. (DEPT. OF AEROSPACE ENGINEERING)

In IIST The Advanced Propulsion and Laser Diagnostics (APLD) Lab is currently setup with an objective to perform propulsion research studies through laser diagnostic techniques. The laboratory currently have the capability to perform PIV and PLIF measurements, and is equipped with: (i) Double Pulsed Nd-YAG PIV Laser, (ii) Precision Dye Laser, (iii) Intensified CCD Camera, (iv) PIV CCD Camera (v) High Resolution Wavemeter, (vi) Optical Tables, (vii) Optical Components and (viii) High Speed DAQ System. The lab would shortly be upgraded with a second dye laser for two line LIF thermometry measurements and particle size analyser for droplet size measurements.

2. VIRTUAL REALITY LAB (DEPT. OF AVIONICS)

The primary objective of this lab is to supplement a higher level course on image processing and enable students to understand the subject better. The lab consists of a diverse set of experiments with objective, theory, assessment, references and interactive examples which are designed to improve the clarity in understanding of the basic and advanced concepts. The lab is intended to help in clarifying concepts in virtual reality, computer vision and image processing. To carry various experiments in computer vision, image processing etc we have gigE vision camera, thermal imaging camera and stereo vision camera for image acquisition. We have five workstations with 3D display and a pair of 5DT data gloves for interaction via computer.

3. CENTER OF ADVANCED RESEARCH IN NANOSCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (DEPT. OF CHEMISTRY)

To spearhead the activities in Nanoscience and Technology and to address challenges in Space Science and Technology and related areas the department has established a Centre of Advanced Research in Nanoscience and Technology. The Department is in the process of bringing all the facilities required to conduct advanced research in Nanoscience and Technology and allied fields. Currently the facilities such as Atomic Force Microscope, Particle Size Analyzer, Glove Box, electrospinning machine, contact angle goniometer, HPLC, planetary ball mill and surface area analyser are available in the centre. Departments plans to add X-ray Diffractometer and Plasma Reactor to the research centre shortly.

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DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

The Department of Aerospace Engineering was established in the year 2007 and currently offers, a four year B.Tech. and three M.Tech. programmes namely Aerodynamics, Thermal and Propulsion and Structures and Design. The department also has Ph.D. Programmes and also hosts Post Doctoral Programmes. The department research capabilities could be broadly grouped into (1) Aerodynamics and Flight Mechanics, (2) Thermal and Propulsion, (3) Design and Structures, and (4) Materials and Manufacturing.

The curricula of various courses offered by the Department of Aerospace Engineering deals with design and development of aircrafts, launch vehicles and spacecrafts. Unlike most traditional ground based systems, optimality and reliability are of paramount importance in such systems. This necessitates accurate theoretical and experimental analyzes of a variety of phenomena, and performance predications of a variety of complex systems.

The department of Aerospace was established in the year 2007 and currently offers a four year B.Tech. Programme and M.Tech. in Aerodynamics and Flight Mechanics, Propulsion, Structures and Design and also Ph.D. Programmes.

Faculty members of the Aerospace Engineering at IIST are graduates of reputed institutions who are supported by experienced and competent Technical staff force. We believe that engineering education is incomplete without exposure to real life phenomena and without developing the ability to experimentally investigate the performance of actual systems.

The academic programmes (B.Tech., M.Tech. & Ph.D.) contributes more to the technical excellence in all realms of Aerospace Engineering and well equips and triggers the young minds to undertake challenging projects, research in cutting edge technology in various aspects of Propulsion Systems, Aerodynamic Design, Structural Systems, Precision Manufacturing, etc.

Currently, the department proclaims a state of art in the area of Advanced Propulsion and Laser Diagnostics, and plans to enhance its research facilities in the following areas:

- High speed flow facility
- Hypersonic boundary layer prediction
- Sub-scale semi-cryogenic rocket combustion chamber facility
- Structural health monitoring
- Combustion studies
- High temperature gas dynamics facility
- Aero-acoustic test facility
- Inter-disciplinary research facility for gas liquid flow and heat transfer

LABORATORY FACILITIES (DEPT. OF AEROSPACE ENGINEERING)

• Advanced Propulsion, Laser Diagnostics & High Speed Flow Lab

- Aerodynamics Lab
- Aerospace Structures Lab
- Computer Aided Design and Analysis Lab
- Engineering Drawing Lab
- Engineering Workshop
- Flight Mechanics Lab
- Fluid Mechanics Lab
- Heat transfer Lab
- Manufacturing Processes Lab
- Metrology and Computer Aided Inspection lab
- Physical Metallurgy Lab
- Propulsion Lab
- Strength of Materials Lab
- Thermal Engineering Lab

FACULTY PROFILE (DEPT. OF AEROSPACE ENGINEERING)



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Interactions



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CURRICULUM (DEPT. OF AEROSPACE ENGINEERING)

B.TECH. IN AEROSPACE

SEMESTER I (21 CREDITS)		SEMESTE	R II (22 CREDITS)
Code MA111 PH111 CH111 AE111 AV111 HS111 PH131 CH131 AE131 HS131	Course Title Calculus Physics I Chemistry Basic Mechanical Engineering Basic Electrical Engineering Communication Skills I Physics Lab I Chemistry Lab Basic Engineering Lab Communication Skills Lab I	Code MA121 PH121 CH121 AE121 AV121 HS121 PC141 AE141 AV141 HS141	Course Title Vector Calculus and Differential Equations Physics II Materials Science Engineering Mechanics Basic Electronics Engineering Communication Skills II Physics and Materials Science Lab Engineering Graphics Basic Electrical and Electronics Engineering Lab Communication Skills Lab II
SEMESTE	R III (21 CREDITS)	·	R IV (21 CREDITS)
Code MA211 AE211 AE212 AE213 AE214 ES211 HS211 AE231 AE232	Course Title Linear Algebra, Numerical Analysis, and Transforms Engineering Thermodynamics Mechanics of Solids Fluid Mechanics Manufacturing Technology I Introduction to Space Science and Applications Introduction to Economics Machine Drawing Strength of Materials Lab	Code MA221 AE221 AE222 AE223	Course Title Partial Differential Equatuions, Calculus of variations and Complex Analysis Gas Dynamics Heat Transfer Kinematics and Dynamics of Mechanisms Metrology and Computer Aided Inspection Introduction to Social Science and Ethics C Programming Lab Thermal and Fluid Lab
SEMESTER	R V (21 CREDITS)	SEMESTE	R VI (23 CREDITS)
Code MA311 AE311 AE312 AE313 AV315 CH311	Course Title Probability and Statistics Aerodynamics Aerospace Structures I Manufacturing Technology II Instrumentation and Control Systems Environmental Science and Engineering		Course Title Atmospheric Flight Mechanics Spaceflight Mechanics Air-Breathing Propulsion Aerospace Structures II Elective I Principles of Management Systems

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M.TECH. IN AERODYNAMICS AND FLIGHT MECHANICS						
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SEMEST	ER I (18 CREDITS)	SEMESTER II (17 CREDITS)				
Code AE601 AE602 AE611 AE612 AE613 AE614	Course Title Mathematical Methods in Aerospace Engineering Elements of Aerospace Engineering Advanced Fluid Mechanics Fundamentals of Combustic Compressible Flow Advanced Heat Transfer	Code Course Title AE615 Aerospace Propulsion E01 Elective I E02 Elective II E03 Elective III E04 Elective IV n AE802 Thermal and Propulsion Lab AE851 Seminar				

SEMESTE	ER III (17 CREI	DITS)	SEMEST	ER IV (18 CREDITS)
Code Eo5 AE852	Course Title Elective V Project Work – Phase I		Code AE853	Course Title Project Title – Phase II
		Electiv	ve Courses	
M.TECH.	1 Al 2 AE 3 AE 4 AI 5 AE 6 AI 7 AE 8 AI 9 AI	E813 Computation E814 Turbomach E815 Boiling and E816 Hypersonic E817 Measurem E818 Microscale E819 Shockway	Engineering onal Fluid D nines I Condensat Air- Breath ents in Fluid and Nanos e Dynamics	tion ning Propulsion d and Thermal Sciences cale Heat Transfer
	ER I (17 CRED		SEMESTE	ER II (17 CREDITS)
Code AE601 AE602 AE616 AE617 AE618	Course Title Mathamatical Methods in Aerospace Engineering Elements of Aerospace Engineering Aerospace Structural Mechanics Structural Dynamics Finite Element Methods		Code AE619 AE620 AE621 E01 E02 AE803 AE851	Course Title Fracture Mechanics and fatigue Advanced Finite Element Method Mechanics of Composite Materials Elective-I Elective-II Aerospace Structures Lab Seminar
SEMESTE	ER III (18 CREI	DITS)	SEMESTE	ER IV (70 CREDITS)
Code AE852 AE607 E03	Course Project Work-Phase I Aerospace Vehicle Design Elective III		Code AE853	Course Title Project Work – Phase II
		Electiv	e Courses	
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DEPARTMENT OF AVIONICS

An Aspirant of Avionics, the student encompasses tasks related to designing and programming electrical systems on board spacecraft, aircraft and satellites. The work role requires providing computer system support for all communication, navigation and guidance systems and performs testing to ensure that those systems are working properly.

The Department of Avionics at the Institute was established in the year 2007 and it offers a four year B. Tech. in Avionics and 2 years M. Tech. programme in

- RF & Microwave Engineering
- Digital Signal Processing
- Control System
- VLSI & Microsystems

And Ph.D Programmes, which gives technical exposure in the broad areas of Avionics Engineering such as:

- Digital System Design
- Digital Communication
- RF & Microwave Engineering
- VSLI Design
- Navigation
- Guidance and Control, Computer Technology
- Power Electronics

The department provides Ph.D. programme in various disciplines of Avionics like Electronics, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science.

The quality and reliability of electronics used in Aerospace vehicles and Space applications, in general, have to meet the stringent requirements of space environments for prolonged duration.

The academic programme in Avionics Department emphasizes deeper stress to fundamentals and greater thrust to enhance research ability to undertake challenges in the field of electronics and communication required for Space Vehicle Applications.

Main vision of the Department is to generate human resource with substantial knowledge, skills, and experience in the area of Avionics Engineering at the graduate, postgraduate and Ph.D. level. It is also envisaged to undertake futuristic research in areas related to Space Science and Technology which can feed to ISROs and other relevant industries programmes at suitable juncture. With this in mind, a well organized academic and research programme supported with lab facilities comparable with the world class institutions is planned to achieve excellence in particular to the field of Space Science and Technology and to meet the national requirements in the field of Science and Technology.

The Department has excellent lab facilities and state-of-art software tools for VLSI design for front end back end design, CAD software for design of analog circuits, Microwave Circuits and Components with the tie up for fabrication of devices at various foundries which provide good opportunity to the students and researchers to learn, design and innovate. The department provides access to the various laboratories of ISRO and other relevant industries through Internships and Projects for students to get hands on experience with some of the challenging works for space programmes.

A full-fledged Virtual reality Laboratory to stimulate a real life environment for Space Science and Research is also being established.

LABORATORY FACILITIES (DEPT. OF AVIONICS)

- Basic Electronics Lab
- Basic Electrical Lab
- Analog Electronics Lab
- ECAD Lab
- Digital Electronics Lab
- RF & Microwave Lab
- Micro Processor Lab
- Digital Communication Lab
- Digital Signal Processing Lab
- Instrumentation and Measurement Lab
- Control System Lab
- Power Electronics Lab
- Computer Networks Lab
- VLSI Lab
- Navigation Systems and Sensor Lab

THRUST AREAS OF RESEARCH

- Fault Tolerant Systems
- Adaptive Control Systems
- Robotics
- Virtual Instrumentation & Smart Systems
- Virtual reality and 3D image processing
- Power Electronics
- Smart Sensors and Networking
- MIMO OFDM Communication Systems
- Micro-Nano Electronics
- Micro-Electro Mechanical Systems (MEMS)
- Microwave Circuits and Antennas
- Signal Processing

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Networks, Sensor Networks, Giant Scale Computing, and Future Networked Systems



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B.TECH. II	N AVIONICS		
SEMESTE	R I (21 CREDITS)	SEMESTER II (22 CREDITS)	
Code MA111 PH111 CH111 AE111 AV111 HS111 PH131 CH131 AE131 HS131	Course Title Calculus Physics I Chemistry Basic Mechanical Engineering Basic Electrical Engineering Communication Skills I Physics Lab I Chemistry Lab Basic Engineering Lab Communication Skills Lab I	Code MA121 PH121 CH121 AE121 AV121 HS121 PC141	Course Title Vector Calculus and Differential Equations Physics II Materials Science Engineering Mechanics Basic Electronics Engineering Communication Skills II Physics II and Materials Science Lab Engineering Graphics Basic Electrical and Electronics Engineering Lab
		HS141	Communication Skills Lab II
SEMESTE	R III (21 CREDITS)	SEMESTER IV (23 CREDITS)	
Code MA211 AV211 AV212 AV213 AV214 HS212 MA231 AV231 AV232	Course Title Linear Algebra, Numerical Analysis and Transforms Analog Electronic Circuit Semi Conductor Devices Signal and Systems Electromagnetic and Wave Propagation Introduction to Social Science and Ethics C Programming Lab Analog Electronics Circuit Lab E-CAD Lab	AV221 AV222 AV223 AV224 HS222 AV241 AV242 AV243 AV244	Course Title Partial Differential Equations, Calculus of Variation and Complex Analysis Digital Electronics and VLSI Design Microprocessor and Microcontrollers RF and Microwave Communication Computer Organization and OS Introduction to Economics Digital Electronics Lab VLSI Design Lab Microprocessor and Microcontroller Lab RF and Microwave Communication Lab

SEMEST	ΓER V (22	CREDITS)	SEMESTE	ER VI (19 CREDITS)
Code MA311 AV311 AV312 AV313 AV314 CH311 AV331 AV332 AV333 AV334	Course Probab Digital Digital Contro Instrur Measu Enviro Engine Digital Digital Contro	e Title Dility and Statistics Signal Processing Communication of and Guidance Systems mentation and rement Inmental Science and	Code AV321 AV322 AV323	Course Title Computer Networks Power Electronics Radar Systems Elective I Introduction to Space Science and Applications Principles of Management Systems Computer Networks Lab Power Electronics Lab
SEMEST	ER VII (22	CREDITS)	SEMESTI	ER VIII (15 CREDITS)
Code AV411 E02 E03 E04 I01 AV431 AV451	Sensor Electiv Electiv Institu Naviga Sensor Summ Trainir	etion Systems and rs e II e III re IV te Elective eation Systems and rs Lab er Internship and	Code AV453 AV454	Course Title Comprehensive Viva-Voce II Project Work
		Elective	Courses	
SI. No. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14	Code AV461 AV462 AV463 AV464 AV465 AV466 AV467 AV468 AV469 AV470 AV471 AV472 AV473 AV474	Course Title Advanced Control The Embedded Systems at Soft Computing Advanced DSP and Stockar Introduction to Optim Digital Control System EMI/EMC Digital Image Process VLSI Design Opto-Electronics and Information Theory at Cryptography	nd Real Tindaptive File Control astic Theornization and ing	ter 'y d OR

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M.TECH.	IN RF AN	ND MICRO	WAVE ENGIN	NEERING		
SEMEST	ER I (17 C	REDITS)		SEMESTI	ER II (18 CREDITS)	
Code AVR611 AVR612 AVR613 MA615 AVR631	Course Title		Code AVR621 AVR622 E01 E02 AVR641 AVR851	Course Title Antenna Theory and Design Computational Methods for Electromagnetics Elective I Elective II Antenna Design Lab Seminar		
SEMESTE	ER III (15	CREDITS))	SEMESTE	ER IV (20 CREDITS)	
Code E03 AVR852	Course Title Elective III			Code AVR853	Course Title Project Work – Phase II	
			Elective	e Courses		
	SI No. Code Course Title 1 AVR861 RF IC Microwave MEMS 2 AVR862 Millimeter Wave Integrated Circuits 3 AVR863 RF Packaging And Electromagnetic Compatibility 4 AVR864 Adaptive And Smart Antennas 5 AV4865 Phased Array Antennas 6 AVR866 Satellite Communication 7 AVR867 Optoelectronics And Fiber Optic Communication 8 AVR868 Wireless Channels And UWB Radios 9 AVR869 Remote Sensing 10 AVR870 Mobile Communication					

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SEMESTE	ER I (17 CREDITS)	SEMEST	ER II (18 CREDITS)
Code AVD611 AVD612 AVD613 AVD614 AVD615 AVD631 AVD632	Course Title Advanced Signal Analysis and Processing Mathematical Methods for Signal Processing DSP in Digital Communication Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning Image and Video Processing Digital Communication Lab Image and Video Processing Lab	Code AVD621 AVD622 E01 E02 AVD641 E03	Course Title Statistical Signal Processing Digital Signal Processors For Real Time Applications Elective I Elective II DSP Hardware Lab Elective III
SEMESTE	ER III (15 CREDITS)	SEMEST	ER IV (18 CREDITS)
Code AVD851 AVD852			Course Title Seminar II Project Work – Phase II
	Electi	ve Courses	
SI N 1 2 3 4 5 6	AVD861 Course Title AVD862 Speech Signal F AVD863 Soft Computing AVD864 Computer Vision AVD865 Multimedia Pro AVD866 Virtual Reality	eory And C g And Its A on	Coding pplication In Signal Procesisng
M.TECH. I	N CONTROL SYSTEMS		
SEMESTE	R I (19 CREDITS)	SEMESTE	ER II (15 CREDITS)
Code AVC611 AVC612 AVC613 AVC614 E01 E02 AVC631	Course Title Mathematics for Control Linear Control System Digital Control and Embedded Systems Principles of Feedback Control Elective I Elective II Digital Control and Embedded Systems lab	Eo3	Course Title Optimal Control Systems Non Linear Dynamical Systems Robust Control Design Elective III Elective IV

SUMMER	PROJECT (Summ	er Vacation, 3 Crec	lits) SEMES	TER III (18 CREDITS)
Code AVC851 SEMESTE	Course Title Design Project R IV (18 CREDITS Course Title	5)	-	Course Title Seminar Project Work – Phase I
AVC853		Phase II		
		Electiv	e Courses	
	SI No. Code 1	Mobile Rob Adaptive C Modelling Dynamics Machine Le Fractional C Optimization Geometric System Ide Open Elect	on to Roboto ootics and Vontrol of Launch Vontrol earning and Calculus and On Approach of entification cive From Decive from A	Vehicle and Space Craft d Control d Control to Mechanics and Control and Parameter Estimation SP related to Filtering erospace Engineering related
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SEMESTE	ER I (16 CREDITS))	SEMESTI	ER II (18 CREDITS)
Code AVM611 Physics of Micro and Nanoelectronic Devices AVM612 Introduction to Micro Electro Mechanical Systems (MEMS) AVM613 Analog VLSI Circuits AVM614 Digital VLSI Circuits AVM631 VLSI Design Lab		AVM621 AVM622 E01 E02 AVM641 AVM642 AVM851	Course Title Mixed Signal VLSI Design Micro/Nano Fabrication Technology Elective I Elective II MEMS Lab Microelectronics Lab Seminar Comprehensive Viva	
SEMESTE	ER III (18 CREDIT	S)	SEMEST	ER IV (18 CREDITS)
Code Eo ₃ AVM853	Course Title Elective III (Se Project Work –		Code AVM854	Course Title Project Work – Phase II

Elective Courses SI. Code **Course Title** AVM861 RF MEMS 1 High Frequency VLSI Circuits AVM862 2 Thin films: Materials and characterization AVM863 3 **VLSI** Digital Signal Processing AVM864 4 **MEMS** Integration 5 AVM865 Sensors and Actuators AVM866 Power Semiconductor Devices AVM867 7 Compound Semiconductor Devices and Technology 8 AVM868 EDA Principles and Practices AVM869 9 AVM870 Micro Fluids & Bio MEMS 10 Testing and Verification of VLSI Circuits AVM871 11















DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

The Department of Chemistry was established on September 5th, 20017, with four faculty members, which now grades up to 10 faculty members on roll.

The Department is offering Chemistry courses and Elective courses for B.Tech. and also offers M.Tech. in Material Science and Technology.

The Department has also started a Centre for Advanced Research in Nanoscience and Technology.

The Department promotes interdisciplinary and interdepartmental research activities. At present, the Department is having collaborations with various premier institutions in the country.

LABORATORY FACILITIES (DEPT. OF CHEMISTRY)

- General Chemistry Lab
- Inorganic Chemistry Lab
- Nanoscience and Technology Lab
- Organic Chemistry Lab
- Physical Chemistry Lab
- Chemical Engineering Lab
- Polymer Processing Lab
- Material Characterization Lab

FACULTY PROFILE (DEPT. OF CHEMISTRY)



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CURRICULUM (DEPT. OF CHEMISTRY)

M.TECH. IN MATERIALS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

SEMESTER I (20 CREDITS) SEMESTER II (18 CREDITS)

Code	Course Title	Code	Course Title
CHM611	Fundamentals of Materials Science	: CHM621	Processing and Design of
CHM612	Polymer Science and Engineering		Materials
CHM613	Mathematical Modeling and	CHM622	Nanomaterials
	Simulation	CHM623	Composites Science and
CHM614	Materials Characterisation		Technology
	Techniques	Eo2	Elective 2
E01	Elective I	Eo3	Elective 3
CHM631	Polymer Science and Materials	CHM641	Composite/Processing Lab
	Characterization Lab	CHM642	Nanomaterials Lab
CHM632	Modeling and Simulation Lab	CHM643	Mini Project/Seminar

SEMESTER III (15 CREDITS)

SEMESTER IV (18 CREDITS)

Code	Course Title	Code	Course Title
CHM711	Energy Storage and Energy		Project Work – Phase 2
	Conversion MaterialS	CHM852	Experimental work, Data Analysis
	Project Work – Phase I		and Dissertation, Viva-voce.
CHM851	Literature Survey, Presentations,		
	Phase 1 of experimental work		
	*Prerequisite for project-audited		
	courses(s)		
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Elective Courses

SI No.	Code	Course Title
1	CHM861	Transport Processes
2	CHM862	Soft Materials
3	CHM863	Corrosion and Degradation
4	CHM864	Chemical Rocket Propellants
5	CHM865	Thin Films and Surface Engineering
6	CHM866	Mechanical Behavior of Materials
7	CHM867	Biomaterials
8	CHM868	Advanced Characterization Techniques
9	CHM869	Materials for Extreme Environment
10	CHM870	Smart and Intelligent Materials
11	CHM871	Electronic, Photonic and Magnetic Materials















DEPARTMENT OF EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCES

The Earth & Space Sciences is the youngest department of the institute. The department is inter-disciplinary in nature, bridging gaps between technology and its application to fundamental research areas in physical sciences.

At IIST, Earth & Space Sciences spearheads the task of undergraduate teaching in B. Tech Physical Sciences.

In addition, the Earth & Space Sciences department offers post-graduate programs in Earth System Science, Geoinformatics and Astronomy & Astrophysics. These post-graduate specializations uniquely combine practical, theoretical and computational work with prominence to research.

The research activity of the faculty in the department covers:

- Atmospheric Science
- Geology
- Remote Sensing
- Astronomy & Astrophysics

The Astronomy group of the Department is pursuing observational and theoretical work in diverse areas of Astrophysics including understanding the mechanism of Star Formation, the Physics of Compact Objects and the physical conditions of gas in galaxies and the Intergalactic medium.

The Atmospheric Science group in Earth System Science's Research thrust is to better understand Aerosol-Cloud Interaction and its subsequent effect in climate as well as to improve the prediction and enhance the understanding of weather systems through assimilation of satellite observations in regional mesoscale models.

The Geology Group in Earth System Science focuses on Planetary Geosciences, carrying out field and laboratory work on terrestrial sites that are close analogues of Lunar and Martian Terrains.

The Remote Sensing Group work on many areas including Synthetic Aperture Radar image processing for retrieving Geophysical Parameters, Geospatial Technologies for Coastal Zone Management, Image Restoration, Transform based Profilometry and 3-D shape extraction and also the development of Novel Image Classification Algorithms.

LABORATORY FACILITIES

Currently the Department possesses the following labs with state-of-the-art facilities.

- Astronomy lab
- Atmospheric Science Lab
- Geology Lab
- Remote Sensing Lab

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CURRICULUM (DEPT. OF EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCES)

B.TECH. IN PHYSICAL SCIENCES SEMESTER I (21 CREDITS) SEMESTER II (22 CREDITS) Code **Course Title** Code **Course Title** MA111 Calculus MA121 Vector Calculus and Differential PH111 Physics I Equations Chemistry CH111 PH121 Physics II Basic Mechanical Engineering CH121 AE111 **Materials Science Basic Electrical Engineering** Av111 AE121 **Engineering Mechanics** HS111 Communication Skills I Basic Electronics Engineering AV121 Physics Lab I Communication Skills II PH131 HS121 Chemistry Lab Physics and Materials Science CH131 PC141 Basic Engineering Lab AE131 Lab HS131 Communication Skills Lab I **Engineering Graphics** AE141 Basic Electrical and Electronics AV141 **Engineering Lab** Hs141 Communication Skills Lab II

SEMEST	ER III (22 CREDITS)	SEMEST	ER IV (21 CREDITS)
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Code MA211	Course Title Linear Algebra, Numerical	Code MA221	Course Title Partial Differential Equations,
PH211	Analysis and Transforms Optics and Electromagnetic		Calculus of Variations and Complex Analysis
DIII	Waves	PH221	Modern Optics
PH212	Mathematical Physics	PH222	Classical Mechanics
RS211	Remote Sensing and Applications	ES221	Earth System Science Measurements and
AV215	Computer Organization and	AV225	Instrumentation
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HS211	Introduction to Economics	113221	& Ethics
MA231	C Programming Lab	PH241	Optics Lab
PH231	Optics Lab I	ES241	Earth System Science Lab
RS231	Remote Sensing	AV245	Measurements and Instrumentation Lab
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Code	Course Title	Code	Course Title
MA311	Probability and Statistics	PH321	Statistical Mechanics
PH311	Quantum Mechanics	PH322	Atomic, Molecular and
ES311	Atmospheric and Ocean		Nuclear Physics
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AP311	Introduction to Astronomy and Astrophysics	ES321 E01	Introduction to Space Vehicles Elective I
AV321	Digital Signal Processing	E01	Elective II
CH311	Environmental Science and	E03	Elective III
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Ph331	Computational Physics Lab	Es341	Astronomy Lab
Av331	Digital Signal Processing Lab	<i>J</i> 1	•
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Hs411	Principles of Management	PS453	Comprehensive Viva-Voce
7 1	Systems	Ps454	Project Work
E04	Elective IV	.,,	,
E05	Elective V		
Eo6	Elective VI		
l01	Institute Elective		
ES431	Earth and Space Science Lab		
PS451	Summer Internship and Trainin	ng	
Ps452	Comprehensive Viva-Voce I		

		Elective Courses			
Sl.No	Course Code	Course Title	Earth System Science	Astrophysic s and Planetary Sciences	Remote Sensing
1	Es461	Atmospheric Structure, Dynamics and Air- SeaInteraction	Yes	N/A	N/A
2	Es462	Solid Earth and its Dynamics	Yes	N/A	N/A
3	Es463	Biosphere and Hydrosphere	Yes	N/A	N/A
4	Es464	Gas Dynamics	Yes	Yes	N/A
5	Es465	Numerical Weather Prediction and Modeling	Yes	N/A	N/A
6	Es466	Earth Observation from Space	Yes	N/A	N/A
7	Es467	Solar Terrestrial Relations	Yes	N/A	N/A
8	Es468	Estimation and Stochastic Process	Yes	Yes	Yes
9	Es469	Astronomical Techniques	N/A	Yes	N/A
10	Es470	Radiation Process in Astrophysics	N/A	Yes	N/A
11	Es471	Structure and Evolution of Stars	N/A	Yes	N/A
12	Es472	Cosmology and Astro Biology	N/A	Yes	N/A
13	Es473	Diffused Matter in Space	N/A	Yes	N/A
14	Es474	High Energy Astrophysics	N/A	Yes	N/A
15	Es475	Galaxies (Structure, Dynamics and Evolution)	N/A	Yes	N/A
16	Es476	Solar System Science	N/A	Yes	N/A
17	Es477	Image Interpretation and Digital Image Processing	N/A	N/A	Yes
18	Es478	Optical Sensors	N/A	N/A	Yes
19	Es479	Geographic Information System	N/A	N/A	Yes
20	Es480	Introduction to Photogrammetry	N/A	N/A	Yes
21	Es481	Microwave Remote Sensing	N/A	N/A	Yes
22	Es482	Cartography and Navigation	N/A	N/A	Yes
23	Es483	Data Archival and Mining	N/A	N/A	Yes
24	Es484	Quantitative Methods in Remote Sensing	N/A	N/A	Yes
25	Es485	Physics of Stars	N/A	Yes	N/A
26	Es486	Planetary Geosciences	Yes	N/A	N/A
27	Es487	LIDAR Remote Sensing	N/A	N/A	Yes
28	Es488	Climate Change	Yes	N/A	N/A
29	Es489	Tropical Meteorology	Yes	N/A	N/A
30	Es490	Universe in a Nutshell	N/A	Yes	N/A
31	Es491	Introduction to Planetary Geoscience	N/A	Yes	N/A
32	Es492	Processing of Satellite Remote Sensing Data	N/A	N/A	Yes
33	Es493	Hyperspectral Remote Sensing	N/A	N/A	Yes
34	Es494	General Relativity and Cosmology	N/A	Yes	N/A

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SEMESTE	R I (17 CREDITS)	SEMESTE	R II (21CREDITS)
Code ESE611 ESE612 ESE613 ESE614 ESE615 ESE631 ESE632	Course Title Physical and Dynamic Meteorology Physical and Dynamical Oceanography Earth Resources and Tectonic Systems Atmospheric Radiation and Climate General Circulation and Monsoon Observational Techniques Lab I Earth System Science Lab II	Code E01 E02 E03 E04 E05 ESE641 ESE642 ESE651	Course Title Elective I Elective III Elective IV Elective V Elective Lab I Elective Lab II Seminar – I Comprehensive Viva
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			Elective	courses			
	Sl. No. 1. 2. 3.	Code ESA661 ESA662 ESA663	Gas Dynan	and Evolut	ion of Stars		

4.	ESA664	High Energy Astrophysics
5.	ESA665	Estimation and Stochastic Processes
6.	ESA666	Galaxies (Structures, Dynamics and Evolution)
7.	ESA667	Solar System Science
8.	ESA668	Formation of Stars and Planets
9.	ESA669	Advanced Astronomical Imaging
10.	ESA670	Radiation Hydrodynamics
11.	ESA671	Accretion Physics
12.	ESA672	High Redshift Universe
13.	ESA673	Polarization in Astronomy
14.	ESA674	High Resolution Spectroscopy
15.	ESA675	Time Domain Astronomy
16.	ESA676	Exoplanets & Astrobiology
17.	ESA677	Physics of the Sun















DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

The Department of Humanities firmly believes in developing interpersonal communication between teachers and students as well as creating an environment that will synergistically link scientific developments and thoughts to enhance the socio-economic, linguistic, managerial and humanistic development of the country. It aims to build communication and managerial skills and also develop an awareness regarding various issues concerning society thus bringing in an all-encompassing and holistic development of the students.

Communication exercises have been introduced into the curriculum which covers visual, oral and written communication that ensures mirror expectations and best practices which make them stand uniquely and approachable any time. The study of Humanities at IIST also intend to enrich the engineering students to open up their mind for understanding the human, ethical and socio-economic problems faced by the country and the world, at large.

A solid grounding in the Humanities tends to expand individual consciousness, creating better human beings capable of managing difficult situations. Whether politically conservative, liberal, or independent, the study of Humanities leads the students to the development of thought and catapults one's understanding of why things are the way they are and how to successfully communicate or express his thoughts in the proper degree.

The Department instills the importance of responsible and sensitive global citizenship, through cultural self-reflection, ethical reasoning and historical understanding of one's relevance and positioning at the certain chronological axles of history. The Department of Humanities, empower young scientists, thinkers, and students with historical, social, economic and cultural thinking, impart communication and management skills to help them become good Indian citizens to serve the country and live a life rich in high intellectual acumen.

The doctoral program which the department offers in Economics, English, Management and Sociology is also highly sought after by students from all over the country.

The Department of Humanities plays a major role in the outreach programmes of the institute. It act as a liasoning body between the society and the institute. The department believe that youth is the time that epitomizes involvement, volunteerism and creative contribution. It would help students design activities that would enliven the campus as well as contribute to personality development. While the department intends to harness the innate potential and channelize the unspent energies and infuse more student initiatives on campus it would also help the students to contribute significantly to the society. The department thus intends to mould a group of men and women for others.

IIST@Schools is one such regular program of the department. This Workshop was intended for students of the VIII and IX Std. The objectives of the proposed workshop

were to bridge the perceptible gap between the pursuit of science and the fulfillment of societal needs and aspirations and to motivate and inspire the participants to look at science as way of life and to acquaint them with the achievements and challenges of the Indian Space Programme. The department has also adopted a neighboring village for community work – to test some models of development. The students are also trained in such a manner to help the people of the vicinity by developing their technical competency.

The Department has established an Audio Visual Lab in 2012-13. It is intended to create audio and video modules, study materials, to create content generation for lectures (both online and offline), documentaries, etc, by the faculty members, the students and the administrative fraternity of the institute. Following are few intended functional application areas where the studio will be utilized:

- a. As a tool of Audio Visual Lab for Enhancing Communication Skills
- b. Creating Content for various ISRO centres
- c. Content Development and Materials Development for lectures
- d. Recording of Interviews, talks of Dignitaries, etc.

LABORATORY FACILITIES (DEPT. OF HUMANITIES)

- Audio Visual Lab
- Language Lab

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DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

The Department of Mathematics was started in the year 2007, at the inception of IIST.

The Department offers courses at Undergraduate, Post Graduate and Doctoral levels. At the Undergraduate level, five papers are offered as core courses and three as Institute Electives for all the three B. Tech Programmes.

A two year M.Tech programme in Machine Learning and Computing is being run by the Department. A Mathematics core paper is includes in the course work of the Ph.D programme across the Science and Engineering Departments. There are six full-time and one part-time research scholars in the Department.

At present, there are eleven faculty members, working in the following research areas:

- Mathematical Theory of Control, Functional Analysis, Soft Computing
- Suspension Rheology and Time Series Analysis
- Partial Differential Equations
- Differential Geometry and Applications
- Stochastic Modelling and Analysis
- Computational Fluid Dynamics
- Finite Element Mthid
- Numerical Analysis
- Commutative Algebra
- Machine Learning, Data Mining, Bioinformatics, Signal Procesisng
- Stochastic Process and Differential Equations, Control Theory

LABORATORY FACILITIES

- Programming Lab 1.
- High Performance Computing Lab 2.
 - 10 High-End Work Stations
 - Quad Core Processor with 72 GB RAM, 4GB NVIDIA Graphic Card Memory and 30 inch LCD Monitor

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CURRICULUM (DEPT. OF MATHEMATICS)

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SEMEST	ER I (19 CREDITS)	SEMESTI	SEMESTER II (19CREDITS)				
Code	Course Title	Code	Course Title				
MA611	Optimization Techniques	MA621	Discrete Mathematics				
MA612	Applied Statistics	MA622	Pattern Recognition and				
MA613 MA614	Data Mining Matrix Computation	Ma623	Machine Learning Computer Modeling and				
Ma616	Evolutionary and Natural		Simulation				
	Computing	E01	Elective – I				
Ma631	Software Lab 1	E02	Elective – II				
		Ma641	Software Lab II				

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			Elective Courses
	Sl No. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Code MA861 MA862 MA863 MA864 MA865 MA866 MA867 MA868 MA869	Course Title Computer Vision and Image Processing Artificial Neural Networks Stochastic Differential Equations Machine Learning for Control Fuzzy Sets and Applications Control Theory Reinforcement Learning Scientific Computing Computational Optimization

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

The department of Physics at IIST was started in September 2007. The department offers as many as seven courses in the First year of B.Tech. (Physical Sciences) apart from two compulsory Physics Courses in the first year of B.Tech. and a two year M.Tech programmes in Optical Engineering and in Solid State Technology and also Ph.D. programme in various branches of Physics.

From the academic year 2012-2013 onwards, the Department of Physics has started two year (4 semester) full time M.Tech course in Optical Engineering and from the academic year 2013-2014, the Department started two year full time M.Tech course in Solid State Technology.

Apart from delivering world-class teaching guidance and imparting basic and applied Physics Concepts to both the undergraduates and Post-graduates, through theory and experiments, the main vision and goal of the Department is to contribute to the knowledge driven Technological and Development in fundamental and Applied Physics for Space Science and Technology.

The faculties of Physics Department specialize in

- Applied Optics
- Adaptive Optics
- Classical Optics
- Non-Linear Optics
- Lasers and Photonics
- Solid State Physics
- Atomic and Molecular Physics
- Theoretical Physics (Non-linear dynamics, Statistical Mechanics)

LABORATORY FACILITIES

- Adaptive Optics Lab
- Atomic and Molecular Physics Lab
- Lasers and Photonics Lab
- Modern Physics Lab
- General Physics Lab
- Optics Lab
- Solid State Physics lab
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CURRICULUM (DEPT. OF MATHEMATICS) M.TECH. IN SOLID STATE TECHNOLOGY SEMESTER I (16 CREDITS) SEMESTER II (16 CREDITS) Code **Course Title** Code **Course Title** Electromagnetic Waves and PH615 PH625 Solid State Physics and **Applications** Electronics Statistical and Quantum Physics PH626 PH616 **Solid State Devices** Solid State Physics PH617 E03 Elective I Experimental and PH618 Eo4 Elective 2 Computational Techniques PH653 Seminar I Experimental and PH635 Computational Lab SEMESTER III (18 CREDITS) SEMESTER IV (20 CREDITS) Code **Course Title Course Title** Code Project Work - Phase I PH755 PH757 Project Work-Phase II PH756 Seminar II **Elective Courses Course Title** SI No: Code PH669 Laser Applications 1 PH682 **Quantum Optical Communications** 2 PH683 Atomic and Molecular Spectroscopy 3 Dynamical Systems and Chaos PH684 4 PH685 Nonlinear Optics 5 6 PH686 Analytical Techniques PH687 **VLSI Technology** 7 8 PH688 Optoelectronics PH689 Semiconductor Heterostructures and Applications 9 PH690 **Quantum Heterostructures** 10 Semiconductor Devices in Radiation Detection and PH691 11 Chaos and Nonlinearity in Control and Sensor PH692 12 Analog and Digital Signal Processing of Fast Electronics PH693 13 Electric and Magnetic Properties of Materials PH694 14 Thin Films: Physics and Technology PH695 15 PH696 Advanced Mathematical Techniques 16 Superconductivity and Applications PH697 17 Magnetism and Resonance Spectroscopy 18 PH698 19 PH699 Fibre Optic Communication

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STUDENT ACTIVITIES

MAIN INTER-DISCIPLINARY STUDENT PROJECTS

Students and Faculty at IIST get-together and work closely with ISRO scientists currently on two major areas:

Sounding Rocket Project

Vyom, a single stage sounding rocket capable of carrying a payload to an altitude of 10 to 15 km was successfully designed. The rocket motors for Vyom were made at the Rocket Propellant Plant of VSSC and successfully tested on ground. A payload was designed to monitor the acceleration, velocity and altitude of the rocket and it is being fabricated at VSSC. Computational Fluid Dynamics simulations were carried out to verify the aerodynamics data of the rocket.

Nano-Satellite Project

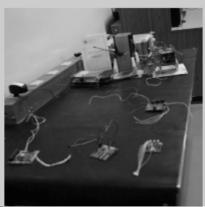
The students have conceived a 3-axis stabilized nano-satellite of mass less than 2 kilograms. The conceptual design of the satellite has been copmpleted asnd the payload and components have been identified, based on the functional requirements and availability. The nano-satellite is proposed to be launched in a polar sun synchronous orbit of about 670 km altitude as a piggyback payload in the PSLV rocket.

The objective is to provide the students with knowledge and hands-on experience to work as a team in the design, development and building of space systems. These projects are executed on a continual basis with appropriate up gradation, implementing new ideas.

CLUBS AT IIST

The major clubs functioning at IIST are

- Aeroclub Activities
- Music Club
- Dance Club
- Quiz Club
- Photography Club
- Performance and Digital Arts Club
- Food for Thought Forum
- Panacea Club for Outreach Activities
- Aero Club
- Robotic Club
- Eco Club
- Astronomy Club







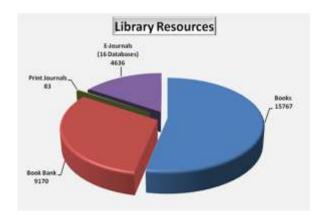
FACILITIES AT IIST

LIBRARY

The Library at IIST, housed in a six storey separate building, in beautiful surroundings on an elevated site at the centre of the Campus, offers a congenial environment for study and research facilitates. It offers access for the teaching and student community. The Library which acts as a learning resource centre for teaching and research programmes is well equipped with learning resources, services and supporting infrastructure facilities. Most of the library services are being leveraged through an integrated library portal in an automated environment. The total collection of the library well exceeds 26637 books and provides a balanced collection of books, journals and e-resources covering all major subjects areas.

The Library Software has provision for making online suggestion for books/journals. The collection is based on the survey from Faculty and Students, under the guidance of Library Committee with representatives' drawn from all Departments and all sections of the students.

E-resources deployed in the Campus-wide network contains more than 4500 e-journals, hundreds of conference papers, standards, etc. The major e-resources are ACM Digital Library, AIAA, AIP, APS, Annual Reviews, ASME, Cambridge Online, IEL Online.



KEY FEATURES OF THE LIBRARY AT IIST

1. Textbook Bank.

The collection in the book bank is adequate to ensure that at least one textbook per course per student on loan for every semester.

- 2. Inter-Library Loan is arranged on request from VSSC and other ISRO Libraries.
- 3. Online Public Access Catalogue. (OPAC)
 An online catalogue of IIST Library deployed over the intranet. It's a finding tool, with many advanced features such as Boolean Search. Availability of a book can be checked in terms of the author, title, or dealing subject of the book.
- 4. Reprographic Facility.
- 5. Graphic Design and Central Binding Facility.

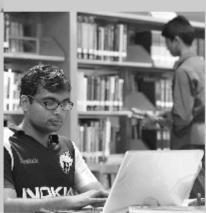














FACILITIES AT IIST

COMPUTER SYSTEMS GROUP (CSG) AT IIST

CSG provides the infrastructure for automation of all administrative functions, computerization of library operations including the development and upkeep support of the Open Library Management Software KOHA. CSG has tailored and developed a software exclusively for the smooth conduct of the B.Tech counseling and other admission processes.

KEY FEATURES OF CSG AT IIST

- 1. Computing Facility: High performance cluster server having 3 Terra flop speed (32 HP Blade servers having 64 Dual Quad Processor). Storage 1.20 TB SAN Storage with NAS Header. Tape Library with Back-up Software.
- 2. Campus Automation Servers: 8 Servers with 4CPU/Dual CPU High Performance.
- 3. Computing Lab: High-end Work Stations (Quad Core Processor with 72 GB RAM, 4 GB NVIDIA Graphic Card Memory and 30 inch LCD Monitor) installed with several advanced engineering and scientific software.
- 4. A programming lab for undergraduate students with 64 desktop computers and digital printers.
- 5. An internet lab for the use of undergraduate students with desktop computers and digital printers.

IIST HOSTELS

Eleven hostels functioning in the campus, built based on contemporary architecture cater to the residential accommodation of students. Each of the hostel-block has well-ventilated rooms designed to accommodate students on single and double-occupancy basis. There are separate hostels for B.Tech, M.Tech. and Research Scholars and around 800+ students reside in the campus. Each hostel has provision of safe drinking water with hot and cold water dispensers, 24 hr uninterrupted power supply, housekeeping services, Wi-Fi internet facility, reading room with national and vernacular newspapers, indoor games facility, LCD television with satellite connection etc. and centralized gym facility with modern fitness equipments and laundry service provider.

OTHER FACILITIES

- * Two well equipped canteens giving prime importance to health and hygiene provide food to the students. There are separate canteens and counters for food of faculty members and staff.
- * A private run cafeteria provides vegetarian and non vegetarian food to all till extended times.
- * A stationery shop with essential commodities for students also functions as part of the cafeteria.















FACILITIES AT IIST

- * Medical facilities consists of a well equipped and twenty four hour functional Medical Centre with doctors and paramedical staff within the campus. It is well stocked with necessary medicines. A tie up also exists with one of the leading hospitals in the vicinity to provide medical services to the students. Accident Insurance coverage is available to all the students through this hospital. A fully equipped ambulance is always available in the campus.
- * Sports facilities include indoor and out door badminton courts, volley ball and basket ball courts, cricket practice nets within the campus. A playground has been set up in the Institute property earmarked for residential complex well within the reach of the students. Two Physical Education Instructors have been engaged to support the students with training The students are also supported to represent the institute in outside sports meets.
- * Health facilities in the form of most modern equipments have been provided in the full fledged gymnasium along with the services of trained instructors.
- * A private run book store functioning in the campus meets the needs of the students in utilizing the book grant of B. Tech. Students along with their regular needs.
- * Banking facilities are provide by a branch of Union Bank of India with ATM facility in the campus.















COMPANY REGISTRATION

A company/R&D/Management, registers with the Placement Cell, through an online job portal for the purpose of placement and internship, by providing the company details and the purpose.



Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology Placement Cell

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Internship

M.Tech: Yes

B.Tech: Yes

Upon registration, the Company will receive a Log-In ID and Password to input furthermore details. The Placement Cell will appropriately co-ordinate to take the process further.

Kindly contact the Placement Cell at <u>placement@iist.ac.in</u> or call to 0471-2568606, if you find any difficulty with the registration procedure.