

#### KIIT STUDENT ACTIVITY CENTRE



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#### Student Societies

















































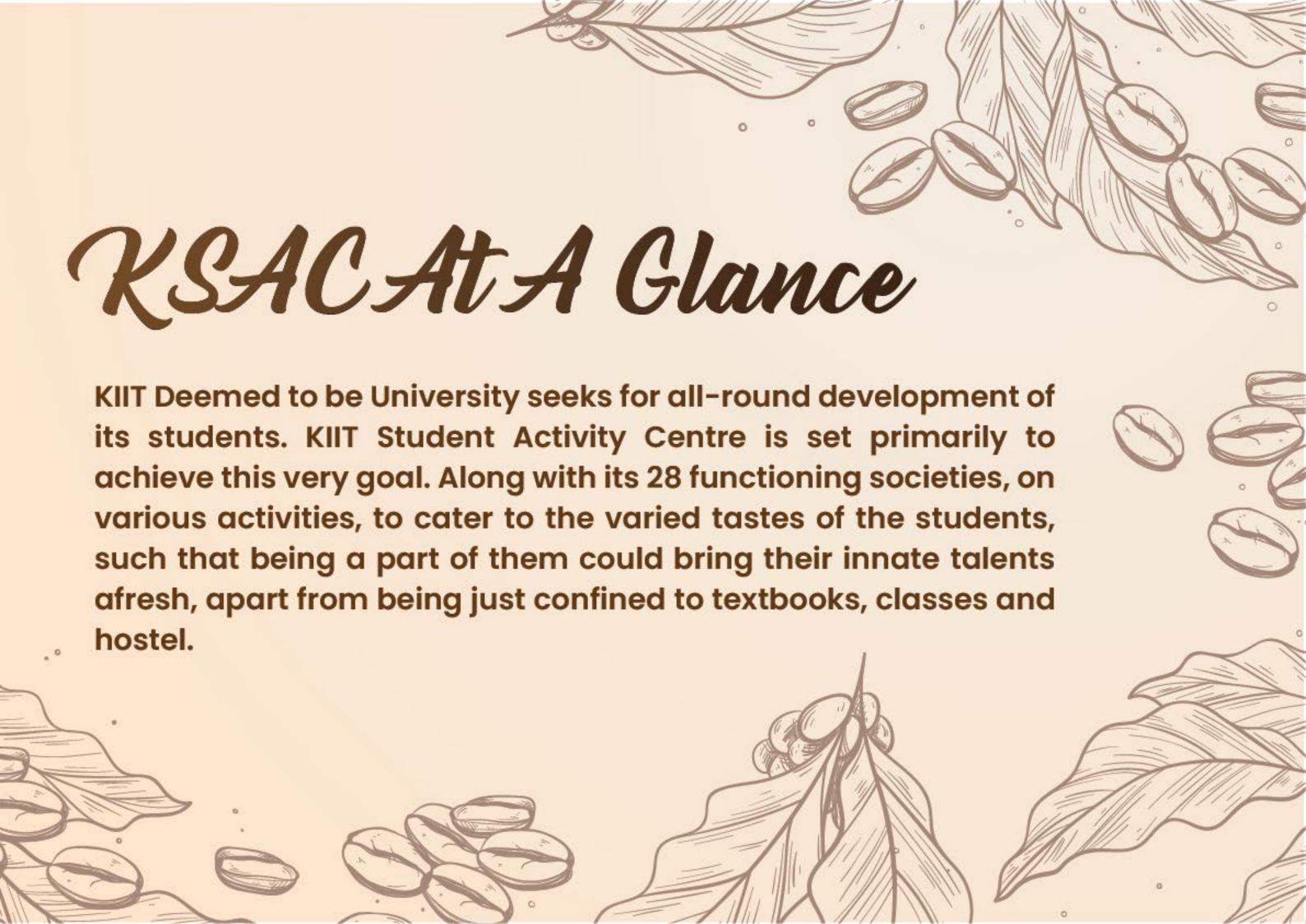


















#### Suhana Safar With Rafi, Lata, Kishore & KK

A cultural event, honouring and remembering four of the greatest playback singers from the Indian Film Industry, Mohammad Rafi, Lata Mangeshkar, Kishore Kumar & KK, is organised by KSAC, annually. The evening is graced by some of the finest budding talents from the University in the field of music (both vocal and non vocal), and dance forms. Art lives a whole new dimension, coming alive with glittering lights, amazing talents, and nostalgic audience feeling the vibrant presence of the maestros even long after their farewell from the world.









Launchpad is the annual induction quiz event which is brought to you by Qutopia-The Quizzing Society of KIIT. It is the most awaited annual Quizzing event and a huge number of participants are witnessed especially from the Freshman Year.

Launchpad is an engaging platform where participants have the opportunity to showcase their intelligence, quick thinking, and problem-solving skills. A skilled quizmaster guides the event, presenting questions, keeping track of scores, and maintaining the energy of the competition. Prizes and rewards add to the excitement, making it more lively.

In a nutshell, Launchpad is a clash of knowledgeable minds: Where Quick Thinking Meets Quizzing Excellence".





The tenth iteration of KIIT International Model United Nations (KIIT International MUN 2022) marked a significant milestone in the organization's journey, emerging from the aftermath of a global pandemic. The conference aimed to be an exceptional event, drawing together the brightest minds in the Model United Nations circuit. The harmonious convergence of intellectual discourse reshaped the boundaries of diplomacy and ushered in a new era of global collaboration. The delegates exhibited remarkable enthusiasm and commitment in their respective committees, deepening their understanding of the United Nations, expanding their grasp of worldwide issues, and advanced peace and UN initiatives through collaborative diplomacy.

The Secretariat members played a pivotal role in ensuring the conference's success, dedicating themselves throughout the three-day conference.







### KiiTlest

The Annual starry fest of KIIT, is one of the most glamorous events to be organised in the East Zone of the country. With the motto to encourage students of various calibre and interests to jump into participation, more than a hundred of them, both technical(hosted individually by individual departments), and non-technical (socio-cultural), in both online and offline platforms is a whole of a pandora box unfolding live. Music Concerts, Celebrity Nights give it a separate fan base in itself. The prizes, too, are huge, for the competitions, those judged by distinguished personalities from across the country. On a whole, KIIT Fest is a journey of three days to behold, every single day, worth an experience and memories, rich in itself. The mega event of the sixth edition of KIITFest, held in December 2019 was graced by As We Keep Searching, Amit Trivedi and Ritviz and saw a footfall of 15000.







# Extension Activities & Outreach Programme

SAY NO TO PLASTICS: Say No To Plastics is a campaign started on 11th November 2018, organised to create and heighten awareness among the local residents on the harmful aspects of using plastics and also to appreciate those vendors who have already started using the alternatives of Plastic.

MAITRI: MAITRI is an Art of Giving project, the initiative which started in 2016, is taken up by Team KHWAAB where students of KIIT teach vocabulary, spoken English and soft skills to KISS students. This project seeks to build a platform of Interaction between KISS and KIIT Students, benefiting the KISS students by inculcating soft skills in them through word games, grammar quiz and host of indoor and outdoor games.

KISS COTTOFRESH: KISS Cottofresh is a project where KIIT students prepare Sanitary Napkins in the KISS Sanitary Unit for girls studying in KISS. This "KISS COTTOFRESH" initiative is a small effort in promoting a Safe-Secure & Hygienic life. This Sanitary Unit is supported by UNEPA.







#### Chimera

Chimera, primarily organised by the medical society of KIIT, aims to provide a platform for both the medical and non-medical fraternity of the country. Chimera consists of multiple socio-cultural and technical (related to the medical field) events, in which a lot of students participate from across the country, to contest as well as learn. Held annually, it also provides significant insights into the world of medicine and the progress of the world in this particular sphere, including a focus on health and quality lifestyle. The recent edition of Chimera (Chimera 4.0), was graced by the popular stand-up comedian, Biswa Kalyan Rath.









Khwaab, the society under KSAC organizes two days theme based social awareness Event- Kritarth, annually. In the previous edition, the theme of "Million dollar smile", took flight. The inaugural ceremony was graced by the fashion walk by the specially-abled children. With several events steering up, the celebrity event saw Srinidhi Ghatate a renowned singer, make the whole crowd dance with her music.









Annual event celebration of International Students from over 65+ countries, Khetshen, is known for its unique glamour, aiming to acknowledge the diversity of culture and tradition of various countries. Khetshen came with exotic music, cultural Bangladeshi, Syria, Nepali & African dance events and fashion shows exhibiting the beautiful culture from across traditions and people with whom we share the world.









## TEDX KiiT University

TEDxKIITUniversity, has for the past six editions emphasised how the smallest ideas can have a significant impact and alter how things are done. TEDxKIITUniversity brings well-known, inspirational individuals together to motivate and excite the audience with their thoughts, insights, and stories. Being able to share fresh ideas effectively is just as crucial as thinking creatively to generate new ones. The event mirrors Helen Keller's belief, "Ideas must be the fundamental movers of society; the rest merely follows," as it works to support students and thinkers in advancing their goals and philosophies. These concepts may act as a lighthouse that inspires positive societal vibes.

For the 7th edition, TEDxKIITUniversity enunciated on the theme, Anthesis: Awaken your Ambition.

Anthesis: Awaken your Ambition is a reminder of how anthesis and ambition are both processes that involve growth and transformation. Without persistence, commitment, and the ability to overcome inevitable obstacles, one can, regrettably, fall short of their full potential and shall be reminded of the flower that fails to attain efflorescence.







Udghosh is one of the largest national level open (to all ages) quiz competitions in the country and happens to be the annual flagship quizzing event of KIIT University, Bhubaneswar. Udghosh 2016 saw a record number of attendees, with over 1250 participants from all over the country. The participants were from different backgrounds, with members varying from school children to corporates with decades of quizzing experience. Udghosh aims to provide a platform for exposure among students and quizzing enthusiasts; connecting the present day quizzers to the legends of the past. Udghosh 2016 was conducted by ace quizmaster Mr. Vikram Joshi, a member of the expert panel on the nationally acclaimed quiz show 'Kaun Banega Crorepati' and was the World Quizzing Champion, 2014. We witnessed an extraordinary display of knowledge and enthusiasm at Udghosh 2023. Participants from schools, colleges, and the corporate world came together on 2nd April 2023 for a day filled with mind-boggling quizzes. Over 500 participants showcased their exceptional quizzing skills, answering tricky questions in a highly competitive environment. The energy was palpable!







#### Go Green

"An initiative by our Founder Sir Dr. Achyuta Samanta, visionary and one of the greatest pioneers of Modern India. Student Coordinators, Asst. Coordinators, members and staffs take up plantation drives on a regular basis. In Campus plantation, roadside plantation and planting saplings in malls are done by students.

Mega plantation drives are undertaken on World Environment Day, World Nature Conservation Day and as a part of Art of Giving."









Asian Parliamentary Debate hosted by Kronicle, took place from the 21st to the 23rd of April this year. As the annual flagship event, it stands as the largest in the East circuit. The event was characterized by an enduring tradition, a flawless judging panel and a dedicated organizing team that catered to enthusiastic young debaters.

During this event, debaters were able to showcase their enthusiasm for examining various issues through mind-blowing sets of motions. After engaging in rounds of thorough discussions over the course of a remarkable three-day gathering, Pratijja v18.0 successfully reached a resolution, and the winners were duly declared. The event not only provided a platform for spirited debates but also served as a springboard for learning, offering a rewarding experience for all participants.









# Art of Giving

Art of Giving, the brainchild of Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder KIIT & KISS, was founded on 17 May 2013, aiming to spread happiness and sustainable abundance of love, peace and happiness and contentment for others through gestures of kindness and generosity. The theme of the previous year's celebration was 'Bag of Happiness'. This year it was based on the theme 'Helping The Help' which was celebrated all over India and 120 countries across the globe spreading over 20000 centres reaching out to 20 million people.









# Ranya Kiran

Kanya Kiran', the massive awareness programme to stop violence against women and girl children, the 3rd edition of which, was carried out by KIIT from 10th to 12th June 2019, under the flagship of Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS. Kanya Kiran' was launched by the Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) in association with the UN Women and Kalinga Fellowship in all the 30 districts of Odisha on June 3 last year, covering all the Panchayats of the State. Its successful venture in towching the public conscience making a positive impact on curbing the problem of violence against women and girls child, led to its quick launch for a 2nd and 3rd edition, ahead...





#### Societies Under KSAC

Korus

Kronicle

KIIT Wordsmith

Kalliope

KIIT Film Society

**Enactus KISS - KIIT** 

Kalakaar

**Kzarshion** 

Khwaab

Kraya & Kuber

**MUN-SOC** 

Keurig

Kamakshi & HeForShe

KIIT Animal and Environmental Welfare Society

**Kreative Eye** 

**TEDx KIITUniversity** 

Qutopia

Kraftovity

Kimaya

Khwahishein

**KIIT Automobile Society** 

**KIIT International Student Society** 

**KIIT Robotics Society** 

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**KIIT Electrical Society** 

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# Remarks



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