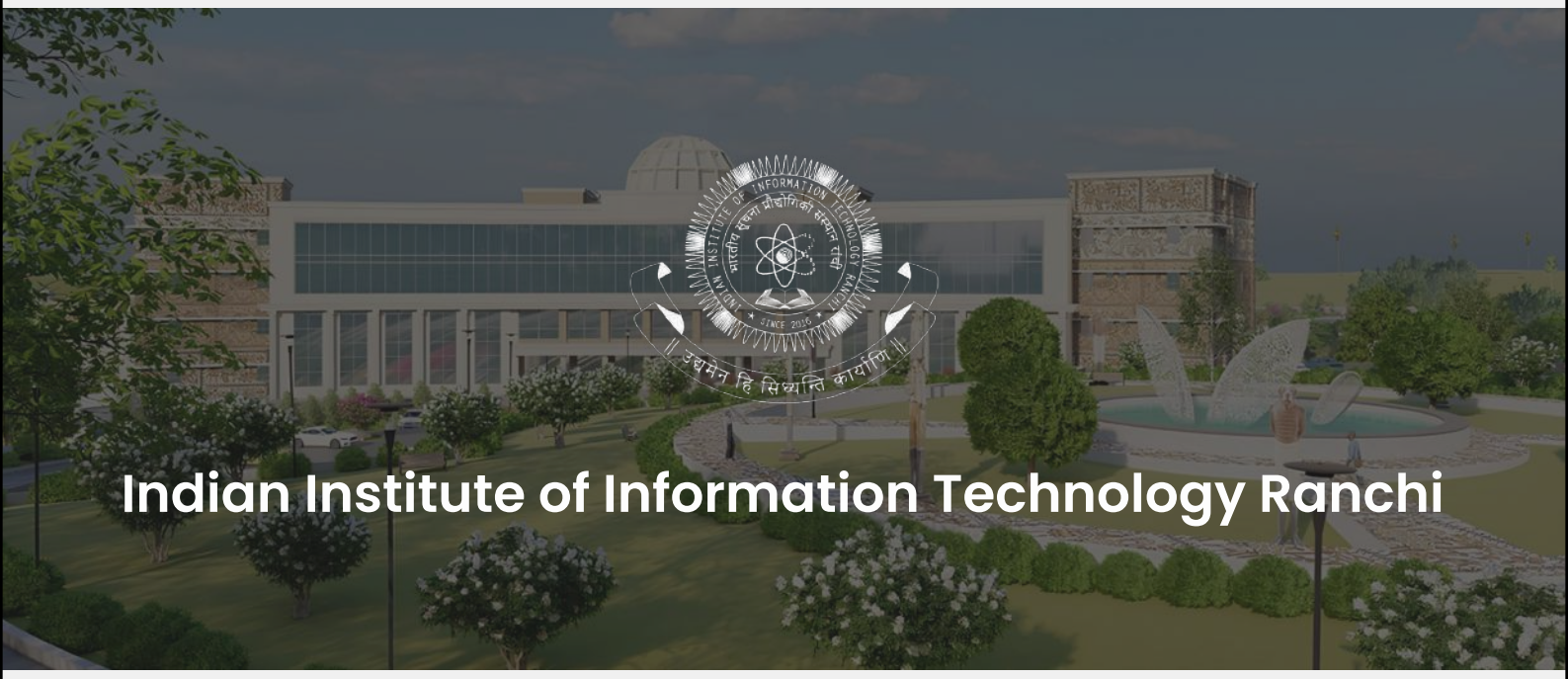


Indian Institute of Information Technology Ranchi

About the Institute

1. Indian Institute of Information Technology Ranchi, India is an autonomous institute set up by the MoE, Government of India, and Government of Jharkhand with the industry Tata Motors, TCS and CCL on a Public Private Partnership (PPP) in the year 2016. MoE, Government of India has taken up the initiative to set up 20 new Indian Institutes of Information Technology (IIITs) on a Public Private Partnership Model. A major objective in establishing IIITs is to set up a model of education which can produce best-in-class human resources in IT and harness the multi-dimensional facets of information technology in various domains.



2. IIIT Ranchi admitted 325 students in 2026, comprising 293 B.Tech, 13 M.Tech, and 19 Ph.D. students. The B.Tech intake includes Computer Science and Engineering (115), Electronics and Communication Engineering (78), Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (27), Embedded Systems and Internet of Things (29), and Mathematics and Computing (44). The M.Tech intake comprises 11 students in CSE–Data Science and Artificial Intelligence and 2 in ECE–Embedded Systems and Internet of Things. Ph.D. admissions include Computer Science and Engineering (13), Electronics and Communication Engineering (2), Physics (3), and Mathematics (1).



3. The Indian Institute of Information Technology Ranchi successfully concluded its three-day Orientation Programme 2026 for the newly admitted B.Tech., M.Tech. and Ph.D. Batch of 2026. The programme familiarized students with the Institute's academic, research, technical and cultural ecosystem through expert sessions on Applied AI, cybersecurity, cyber fraud awareness, cognitive health and emotional resilience. Cultural activities, talent showcases and competitions encouraged creativity and interaction, while the felicitation of Mr. & Ms. Fresher 2026 added to the celebrations, marking a memorable beginning to the students' journey at IIIT Ranchi.



Institute Activities

Next-Generation Smart Power Grids



A five-day Short-Term Course on "Next-Generation Smart Power Grids" was successfully conducted from 21–25 September 2026, bringing together 52 participants and 15 experts from leading industries, IITs, and NITs. The programme covered AI, IoT, smart grids, renewable energy integration, intelligent monitoring, automation, advanced protection, and power electronics. Participants also visited Patratu JSEB Power Station, gaining practical exposure while strengthening technical learning and industry–academia collaboration.

Next-Gen VLSI & ML for Intelligent IoT



IIIT Ranchi, in association with E&ICT Academy, NIT Warangal, successfully conducted a 10-day Online Faculty Development Programme on "Next Generation VLSI and Machine Learning Powering Intelligent IoT" on 31 July 2026. The programme brought together academicians, researchers, and industry experts to explore VLSI design, semiconductor technologies, AI, ML, and intelligent IoT systems, fostering technical learning, research, innovation, and stronger academia-industry collaboration.

Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam



IIIT Ranchi organized a plantation drive on 17 July 2026 under the nationwide "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" campaign at its BSNL campus. The initiative saw active participation from the Director, faculty, officers, and staff, promoting environmental awareness and campus greenery. Participants planted and pledged to nurture saplings, reinforcing the Institute's commitment to sustainability and environmental conservation.

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan



IIIT Ranchi organized a Cyber Security Awareness Programme on 20 July 2026 at Government School, Malsiring, under its Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) initiative. The programme focused on safe internet practices, responsible social media use, protecting personal information, and preventing cyber fraud. Students actively participated in discussions, promoting digital literacy and responsible technology use within the community.

NEP 2020: Vision for Viksit Bharat



IIIT Ranchi successfully organized an Expert Lecture on 29 July 2026 under Akhil Bharatiya Shiksha Samagam 2026 on "NEP: Shiksha Se Viksit Bharat@2047." The session was delivered by Prof. Vimal Kishor, Professor & Head, Department of Education, Central University of Jharkhand. The lecture highlighted the vision and transformative role of NEP 2020 in higher education, with faculty, officers, staff, and students actively participating in meaningful discussions.

80th Independence Day Celebration



IIIT Ranchi celebrated the 80th Independence Day with flag-hoisting ceremonies at its BSNL and Sanga campuses. The celebrations included the National Anthem, an address by the Director, and student-led cultural performances by Saaz Music Club, Nrityarashi, Alfaaz, and Abhinay. The event also featured prize distribution for the Play for India sports competitions, recognizing students and employees and highlighting patriotism, creativity, sportsmanship, and community participation.

Scholarship Awareness Programme



A one-day Scholarship Awareness Programme was organized on 21 September 2026 for newly admitted students to introduce them to various Central and State Government and private scholarship opportunities. The programme covered eligibility criteria, financial benefits, required documents, application procedures and verification processes, while scholarship coordinators shared practical experiences. Conducted for the fourth consecutive year, the initiative continues to support students in accessing financial assistance, with 300+ applications recommended during the previous academic year.

Hindi Maah 2026



Hindi Maah 2026 was celebrated at IIIT Ranchi throughout the month of September, concluding with a vibrant valedictory ceremony. Students, faculty, officers, and staff enthusiastically participated in competitions including essay writing, debate, poetry, Hindi typing, noting and drafting, and extempore speech. The celebrations also featured patriotic songs, poetry recitations, speeches, and a Hindi quiz, promoting the Hindi language, literature, cultural heritage, and creative expression.

Nasha Mukt Yuva 2026



IIIT Ranchi participated in the Nasha Mukt Yuva (Drug-Free Youth) Campaign on 2 August 2026 by joining the virtual programme featuring the address of the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India. Faculty, staff, and students attended the programme, emphasizing awareness, collective responsibility, and youth participation in preventing substance abuse. The initiative reinforced the Institute's commitment to promoting healthy lifestyles, social responsibility, and awareness among young people and encouraging positive choices.

Swachhata Pledge 2026



IIIT Ranchi participated in the Swachhata Hi Seva Campaign 2026 on 26 September 2026 through a Swachhata Pledge, encouraging students, faculty, and staff to uphold cleanliness, hygiene, and responsible citizenship. Prof. Rajeev Srivastava, Director, urged the Institute community to contribute towards a clean and healthy environment. The initiative reflected the theme "**Swachhata Mein Sahbhag, Swachh Bharat, Viksit Bharat**", reinforcing collective responsibility towards a cleaner, healthier, greener, and developed India while promoting civic awareness and community participation.

Swachhata Seva 2026



The second phase of the Swachhata Hi Seva 2026 Campaign was conducted on 28 September 2026 at the BSNL Campus. Prof. Rajeev Srivastava, Director, along with 50+ faculty members and staff, participated in a one-hour Shramdaan and cleanliness drive, promoting the theme "Swachhata Se Samriddhi" and reinforcing cleanliness, civic responsibility, and collective participation in nation-building.

ANRF: Research & Innovation



A session on "Strengthening Scientific Research & Innovation in HEIs: ANRF's Vision, Priorities, and Support Framework" highlighted the Anusandhan National Research Foundation's (ANRF) priorities, funding opportunities, and support for innovation in higher education. The programme emphasized interdisciplinary research, collaboration, and industry–academia linkages, encouraging researchers and students to pursue impactful research and strengthen India's innovation ecosystem.

Startup Funding & Incubation | NIT JSR



A session on "Startup Funding & Incubation Opportunity" was organized on 7 September 2026 in association with the Technology Business Incubation Centre, NIT JSR. The programme introduced students and aspiring entrepreneurs to incubation, mentorship, funding support, and startup acceleration opportunities. Participants gained insights into the startup ecosystem, funding mechanisms, and pitching innovative ideas to investors, encouraging entrepreneurship, innovation, and technology-driven solutions.

National sports day



On 29 August 2026, National Sports Day was observed at IIIT Ranchi to commemorate the birth anniversary of legendary hockey player Major Dhyan Chand. The occasion highlighted the importance of sports, fitness, discipline, teamwork, and perseverance in student life. Various sports and fitness activities encouraged active participation and healthy living, while promoting sportsmanship and the role of physical activity in the holistic development of the Institute community.

Play for the Nation 2026



From 12 to 14 August 2026, IIIT Ranchi organized the "Play for the Nation 2026" Sports Series to encourage active participation in sports and promote fitness, teamwork, discipline, and sportsmanship among students. The series provided opportunities to engage in various sporting activities through healthy competition and camaraderie. The initiative emphasized physical activity alongside academics and encouraged students to develop leadership, coordination, and team-building skills through sports.

Student Activities

Ganesh Chaturthi 2026



Ganesh Chaturthi 2026 was celebrated with devotion and enthusiasm at IIIT Ranchi's Khelgaon Campus, bringing together students, faculty, officers, and staff. The celebrations featured traditional prayers and festive activities, providing an opportunity for the Institute community to come together. The occasion reflected unity, cultural heritage, and participation, creating a vibrant atmosphere across the campus.

HAANDIIX-2026 Winner



Team NAV-X from IIIT Ranchi secured 1st Prize in BuildX – AI & Open Innovation at HAANDIIX-2026, organized by Jharkhand University of Technology (JUT), Ranchi. Competing with teams across Jharkhand, the team received a cash prize of ₹50,000 for their innovative solution. The achievement highlights the Institute's commitment to fostering innovation, teamwork, and practical problem-solving among students.

Orientation 2026

IIIT Ranchi concluded its three-day Orientation Programme 2026, held from 22–24 September 2026, welcoming the incoming batch through academic sessions, technical and cultural activities, and expert talks on AI, cybersecurity, and cognitive health. The programme ended with a prize distribution ceremony celebrating student achievements and marking the beginning of their academic journey.

Orientation 2026 Gallery

















Placement



The 2022–26 placement season at IIIT Ranchi recorded 243 offers, an average CTC of ₹16.64 LPA, a highest package of **₹1.25 crore**, and a median of ₹12 LPA. Of the 170 students placed, B.Tech. ₹1.25 crore, while the median package stood at ₹12 LPA. A total of 170 students were placed, with the B.Tech. CSE (DS & AI) programme recording 100% placement. Students received offers from leading organizations including DE Shaw, NVIDIA, Swiggy, Rubrik, Walmart, Cisco, IBM, Razorpay, Zomato, Infosys, Cognizant, and TCS, reflecting the Institute's growing industry presence and academic excellence.









Research and Innovation

Publication Details



IIIT Ranchi continues to strengthen its research presence through publications. A notable achievement is the acceptance of "Dimension Bounds for Contractive Reservoir Computing from Input Entropy," authored by Dr. N. Kishore Babu, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE), at **NeurIPS 2026**. This recognition highlights the Institute's growing research excellence and international academic standing.

Journals	Conferences	Projects	Others
2	4	1	3

FACULTY EDITORS
Dr. Rashmi Panda
Dr. N Kishore Babu
Dr. Anuj Singh

NEWSLETTER TEAM
Student Coordinators