

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, ROURKELA

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EDU-RAND AWARD 2015 TO NIT ROURKELA

I have pleasure to inform all of you that our Institute has got another award. The Award is known as EDU-RAND AWARDS-2015. This Award is borne out of the Engineering College rankings announced earlier this year, which was undertaken between EDU and RAND Corporation collectively. The rankings are uniquely transparent based on objective measures of quality and scientific research.

We feel that honoring our Institute is also recognition of our Director as an education leader. Our Director Prof. Sunil Kumar Sarangi attended the Vice Chancellor's Retreat and received the Award on 10th October,2015 at IISER Pune.

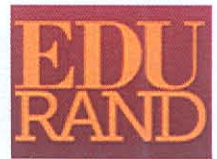
"Congratulation to one and all"

R.K.Sinha
Secretary
Public Relation Committee.



EDU-RAND AWARDS

Fifth Annual VC's Retreat
9, 10 & 11 October 2015, IISER, Pune



Dear Professor Sarangi

We are pleased to announce that **you have been chosen as the recipient of 'Top 50 Engineering Colleges in India' of the newly instituted EDU-RAND Awards.**

The awards will be given under three categories **Top 10 Engineering Colleges in India, Top 50 Engineering Colleges in India, and Top 10 Private Engineering Colleges in India** from an exhaustive list of over 700 colleges that feature in the EDU-RAND rankings of 2015.

This initiative is borne out of the engineering college rankings announced earlier this year, which was undertaken between EDU and RAND Corporation collectively. The rankings are uniquely transparent, based on objective measures of quality and scientific research.

The award ceremony is being held on 10 October 2015, at 6:00 pm at the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune.

This award ceremony is a part of the **Fifth Annual Vice Chancellor's Retreat** this year. The Retreat is India's largest and most prestigious congregation of education leaders. We cordially invite you to attend the Retreat which is being held at the same location between 9 and 11 October 2015. **It will be our pleasure to host you for the entire duration of the Retreat.**

We feel that honoring your institution is also recognition of you as an education leader. We realize that you are an asset to the higher education community in the country; keeping that in mind, we believe that your participation at our Retreat will not only be an enriching experience for you, but also for us – something that we both can benefit from. **We are therefore extremely hopeful that you will come in person to receive the award.**

We request you to confirm your presence at the Retreat and the awards ceremony and by replying to this email.

[You can browse through our Retreat site for more details.](#) Please feel free to reach out to me at +91 9810262214 or my colleague Aparna Sati at +91 9990064529 aparna.sati@9dot9.in for any further clarifications.

Many thanks,
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