

IIT-I breaks into top-50 in Asia rankings

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In tune with its forward march in the world university rankings last year, Indian Institute of Technology Indore continues to augment its place as one of the premier teaching and research institutions.

In the recently released Times Higher Education's, Asia University Ranking at Abu Dhabi, IIT Indore has once again made an impressive debut as the top ranked IIT and as one of the top 50 institutes in Asia.

Among 400 institutions from 27 countries in Asia, IIT Indore is among the top 50 institutes (rank: 50) and is ranked second in India (after IISc Bangalore).

Asia university ranking 2019 utilises the same five broad

parameters as used in the overall world university rankings but their weightage has been carefully calibrated and adjusted as follows: Teaching: 25%; Research: 30%; Citations: 30%; International: 7.5%; Industry: 7.5%

IIT Indore has been judged across all the above mentioned performance indicators, with an overall score of 44.8 out of 100. The institute has scored 29.8 in Teaching, 25.1 in Research, 86.5 in Citations, 18.2 in International outreach and 34.0 in Industry income.

In the case of citation impact, a parameter which looks at an institution's role in the dissemination of innovative ideas and knowledge, IIT Indore is the best institute in India and that too by a huge margin.

Citations per faculty per year

is one of our strongest pillars and makes us the top-ranked institution in India.

IIT Indore director Professor Pradeep Mathur said, "Active engagement in both fundamental and interdisciplinary research is now showing desired results."

At IIT Indore, we are very keen and determined on maintaining one of the fastest growing research profiles. The institute will strive to continue with its strategy of hiring the very best faculty members from the top institutions across the world, conduct its teaching with focus on research and have most modern laboratories and facilities for its researchers.

We will keep working diligently and maintain our upward growth trajectory, in the days to come."