

IIT-I closing rank, is 6th among all IITs

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The closing rank of the JEE Advanced for admission to the Indian Institute of Technology-Indore stood 6th among all the IITs. This fact came to light when IIT-Indore shared the progress made by the institute under officiating director professor Neleesh Kumar Jain in the past two years of his tenure.

Professor Suhas Sithara-



man Joshi has been appointed the new director of IIT-Indore who is going to take charge soon.

According to information, the opening rank rose from 640 in 2019 to 505 in 2021. Even though there was no

full-time director, the institute grew manifold during Jain's tenure despite the Covid-19 pandemic.

While four new courses—that is M.Tech in Space Engineering & Electric Vehicle Technology and MS (Research) in Space Science and Engineering and Humanities & Social Science were started, Jain said that M.Tech in Biomedical Engineering was going to start shortly.

IIT-Indore is also going to

start a course with the IIM-Indore for a joint MS degree in Data Science and Management from AY 2021-'22. The last date for submitting applications for this programme has been extended from January 7 to January 17. IIT-Indore is also working in the fields of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning and Data Science and is likely to develop the IIT-Indore Research Park.

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IIT-Indore has added a very important facility within the campus with the sanction of Kendriya Vidyalaya which is currently till Class IX. The institute has completed Phase II and is nearing completion of Phase I. This includes completion of 8 major buildings and development of 8 major facilities during 2020-2021. The proposal for Phase III has already been submitted to the ministry for approval. /