

IIT-H 8th among top engg colleges

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Position improves from last year

The Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad (IIT-H) has been ranked 8th among all engineering institutes as per the India Rankings 2019 conducted by the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), Ministry of Human Resource Development. The institute has moved up one rank from last year and is at 22nd place in the 'Overall' category this year as well.

Atal ranking

It has also been placed at 10th position in the first edition of Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA) introduced this year. ARIIA is an initiative of Ministry of Human Resource Development to systematically rank all major higher educational institutions and universities in India on indicators related to "Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development" among students and faculty members.

President Ram Nath Kovind announced the results for NIRF 2019 and ARIIA 2019 at a function held in Vigyan Bhawan at New Delhi on Monday, said a press release.

Speaking about the rankings, IIT-H director Prof U.B. Desai said, "It is indeed a matter of pride for IIT-H to be ranked 8th in engineering — this is the 4th year in a row that IIT-H has been placed in top 10. It also a proud feeling to be ranked 10th in the first year of ARIIA. All credit goes to the faculty and students of IIT-H for this fantastic achievement."