



Texas Instruments Center of Excellence inaugurated at Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University, U.P., Lucknow.

Lucknow, 23rd December, 2015: Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University, U.P., Lucknow inaugurated the Texas Instruments (TI) Center of Excellence to bridge the diverging gap between academia and industry requirements.

DAPJAKTU and Sapience Consulting- Texas Instruments university program partner signed an MOU earlier in October, 2015 to adopt a revised curriculum based on Texas Instruments technologies. This MOU is aimed at enhancing the syllabus in order to bring industry relevant technologies to classrooms and making study courses more application oriented, especially Linear Integrated Circuits and Embedded Systems courses. Through this tie-up, DAPJAKTU has introduced teaching and lab core courses on TI Analog and Embedded Technologies within its undergraduate (UG) engineering curriculum of its constituent and affiliated colleges with immediate effect.



TI Centre of Excellence at Institute of Engineering and Technology was inaugurated by Prof. Vinay Kumar Pathak, Honorable Vice Chancellor of DAPJAKTU and Sanjay Srivastava, Director - University Program, Texas Instruments India.

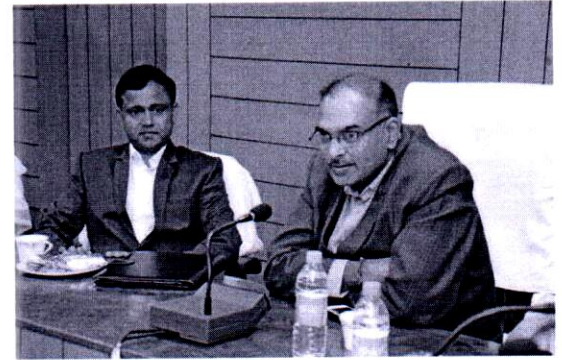
The TI Center of Excellence (CoE) will be instrumental in training faculty and students on TI educational platforms. As part of this association, DAPJAKTU will provide the infrastructure for organizing three Faculty Development Programs (FDPs) at the CoE for its faculty mentors within the course of next 16 months, with technical expertise from Sapience Consulting.



“These curriculum revisions are a part of DAPJAKTU’s endeavor to facilitate students and professors alike to stay a step ahead of the conventional mode of both teaching and learning. The TI program aims to provide educators with the ability to teach real world concepts and augment this with an exciting and exclusive hands-on learning experience,” said **Sanjay Srivastava, Director - University Program, Texas Instruments India.**



Commenting on this association, **Dr. Vinay Kumar Pathak, honorable Vice Chancellor of DAPJAKTU** said, “We are excited about the association with Sapience Consulting which will help us produce industry ready engineers and equip our faculty with state of the art technology. This will allow us to further provide faculty with the ability to build technical expertise with experiential learning on TI Analog and Embedded technologies.”



Ms. Apurva Varma, Director Operations, Sapience Consulting further added, “With more than 1,800 associations with engineering colleges and over 2,400 labs enabling system and application innovations using TI’s analog and embedded processing devices, TI is mobilizing the ecosystem of the Indian engineering fraternity. Collaborating with DAPJAKTU is another step towards building a larger industry ready engineering community through experiential learning.”

About DAPJAKTU

Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University, U.P., Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh (Formerly UPTU) was established by the Government of Uttar Pradesh on 8th May 2000.

The University is affiliating in nature and its jurisdiction spans the entire state of U.P. in affiliating B.Tech., M.B.A., M.C.A., B.Arch., B. Pharma., B.H.M.C.T., M.Tech. and Ph.D. programs in 785 colleges/institutions imparting graduate, postgraduate and doctoral level training in all government and private institutions located all over U.P. in engineering, technology, architecture, pharmacy, hotel management and catering technology as well as M.B.A. and M.C.A. programs.

UPTU envisions to facilitate and nurture the quality of technical education and research in its own premises as well as all affiliating institutions.

TI India University Program

As a leading technology company, TI helps prepare students in India for the rigors of system design innovations when they graduate from college. Over the years, TI has worked with universities across India to impart the knowledge of semiconductor technology and system design. Today, TI is closely associated with more than 1800 engineering colleges in the country with over 2400 labs that help in encouraging innovations in system and applications using TI’s analog and embedded processing devices.

The TI University programs bring together everyone who is working towards the common goal of equipping students with industry necessary skill-sets and making TI technology accessible to the academia.

About Texas Instruments

Texas Instruments semiconductor innovations help 100,000 customers unlock the possibilities of the world as it could be – smarter, safer, greener, healthier and more fun. Our commitment to building a better future is ingrained in everything we do – from the responsible manufacturing of our semiconductors, to caring for our employees, to giving back inside our communities. This is just the beginning of our story. Learn more at www.ti.com.