



KISS DECLARED DEEMED UNIVERSITY FIRST TRIBAL UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD



KALINGA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Deemed to be University

Eradicating Poverty through Education



KALINGA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (KISS)

KISS - located in Bhubaneswar, India - is a free of cost, fully-residential educational institute for 52,000 indigenous students; this includes a mammoth body of 27,000 students in KISS Bhubaneswar, over 15,000 alumni, and 10,000 students in satellite centres. KISS was founded in 1993 by Dr. Achyuta Samanta, with a vision of a world free of hunger, poverty and illiteracy. The institute empowers its students by educating them through a holistic approach involving academia, sports and vocational training from Kindergarten to Post-Graduation. KISS prioritises efforts to preserve the varied tribal cultures and languages from over 62 tribes, while simultaneously empowering its students to become change-makers in their communities. KISS was recently granted 'Deemed-to-be-University' status by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, in 2017. It has also been in Special Consultative Status with the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) of the United Nations since 2015.



VISION & MISSION

VISION

To create a world free of hunger, poverty and illiteracy by empowering indigenous youth through holistic education.

MISSION

To be a model for global education reform and to promote indigenous sustainability by empowering students through accessible, quality education and vocational training while simultaneously documenting, preserving and disseminating local tribal knowledge through innovative research and strategic resource pooling and collaboration.



FOUNDER'S MESSAGE

Dr. Achyuta Samanta

Founder, KISS

In a great step forward towards extending the benefits of higher education to underprivileged tribal students, I am extremely excited to share that the Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences was declared a Deemed University under Section 3 of UGC Act, 1956 by the Ministry of HRD, Government of India. With this, KISS has become the world's first and only university exclusively for tribal students. In 1993, Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) started with only 125 poor tribal children in a rented house at Bhubaneswar, and two and a half decades later it stands as a unique model of empowerment for the tribal students. It currently houses 27,000 students.

KISS and its students have achieved accolades from India and abroad on different occasions; students of KISS have excelled in academics and co-curricular activities, showing that if opportunity is given to underprivileged children, they - too - can excel. It is KISS' constant endeavour to empower these students and make them self-reliant.

I avail this opportunity to congratulate all the students for choosing KISS as their destination for higher education in recognition of its academic excellence in unique and innovative areas of knowledge and provision of the world-class facilities and opportunities to its inmates. With committed human resources, a beautiful sprawling campus, vibrant with round the year curricular, extra-curricular and extension activities, and a congenial atmosphere that promotes universal fraternity and mutual co-existence, I am sure, KISS will inspire and motivate all bright and aspiring tribal students.



VICE CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE

H. K. Satapathy
Vice-Chancellor, KISS

Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS), Bhubaneswar, is an example of strong determination, indomitable will power, complete dedication and unprecedented commitment of a single individual endowed with divine power, superhuman qualities and institution building art - our beloved Founder, Prof. Achyuta Samanta, whose vision and mission is to empower underprivileged children through education, give voice to the voiceless against exploitation and to see smiles on their faces by wiping out tears from their eyes through eradication of poverty and hunger. Hence, this great temple of learning for the students belonging to various tribal communities, KISS, is created in a calm, quiet and serene environment of the state capital with a motto "Educate, Empower and Eradicate Poverty".

This world famous institution boasts world class amenities for which it has earned international reputation and wide appreciation. Apart from formal education, KISS also imparts generic skill enhancement training particularly in the areas of Tribal Art and Craft, hereditary skills and technology leading to the manufacturing of house hold articles and forest products; successful implementation of agriculture, horticulture and pisciculture etc including environmental preservation. The main strength of the institution is its trained, committed, qualified and dedicated human capital; those who shape the career of the future citizens of the country with a humanitarian touch. A coveted home for tribal students, KISS University is, no doubt, a unique destination of learning and research for students and scholars of the world. While conveying my greetings and best wishes to the learners and aspirants to be the learners of this sacred temple of higher learning, I am confident that this university will definitely cater to the needs of the students during the prime period of their career.



DR. ACHYUTA SAMANTA

FOUNDED KISS IN 1993 WITH ONLY 100\$ AND 125 STUDENTS

Dr. Samanta envisions a **world free of hunger, poverty, and illiteracy.** Through KISS, he facilitates a grassroots movement to create change for underserved communities.

Odisha is one of India's poorest states with the **third largest tribal population** in the country (9.17%) and over one-one-third of its population living under the poverty line.





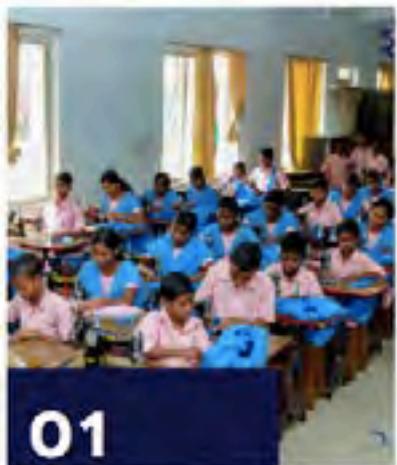
62 TRIBES & 13 PRIMITIVE TRIBES

ODISHA IS HOME TO AN EXTREMELY DENSE AND DIVERSE TRIBAL POPULATION

KISS' student body is proud to represent all **62 tribes** of Odisha, in addition to drawing students from **Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, West Bengal and Assam.**

It's free of cost education, accommodation and healthcare has benefitted over **27,000 current students, 15,000 alumni , 10,000 students in satellite centers and over 1.5 lakh indirect tribal beneficiaries**, leaving a total of nearly 2 lakh lives empowered by KISS.





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VOCATIONAL
TRAINING



02

LIVELIHOOD
SKILL PROVISION



03

QUALITY EDUCATION



04

WORLD-CLASS
SPORTS TRAINING

Holistic approach to Tribal Education

Our holistic approach to education ensures that we employ a variety of approaches to education, ranging from focus on academia, alongside sports, vocational training and extra-curricular activities. We also pride ourselves on being sustainable, and preserving and disseminating tribal knowledge and culture.



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COMMUNITY
OUTREACH



06

SUSTAINABLE
APPROACH



07

ZERO HUNGER
GOAL



08

INTERNATIONAL
CO-OPERATION



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CELEBRATING TRIBAL
CULTURE

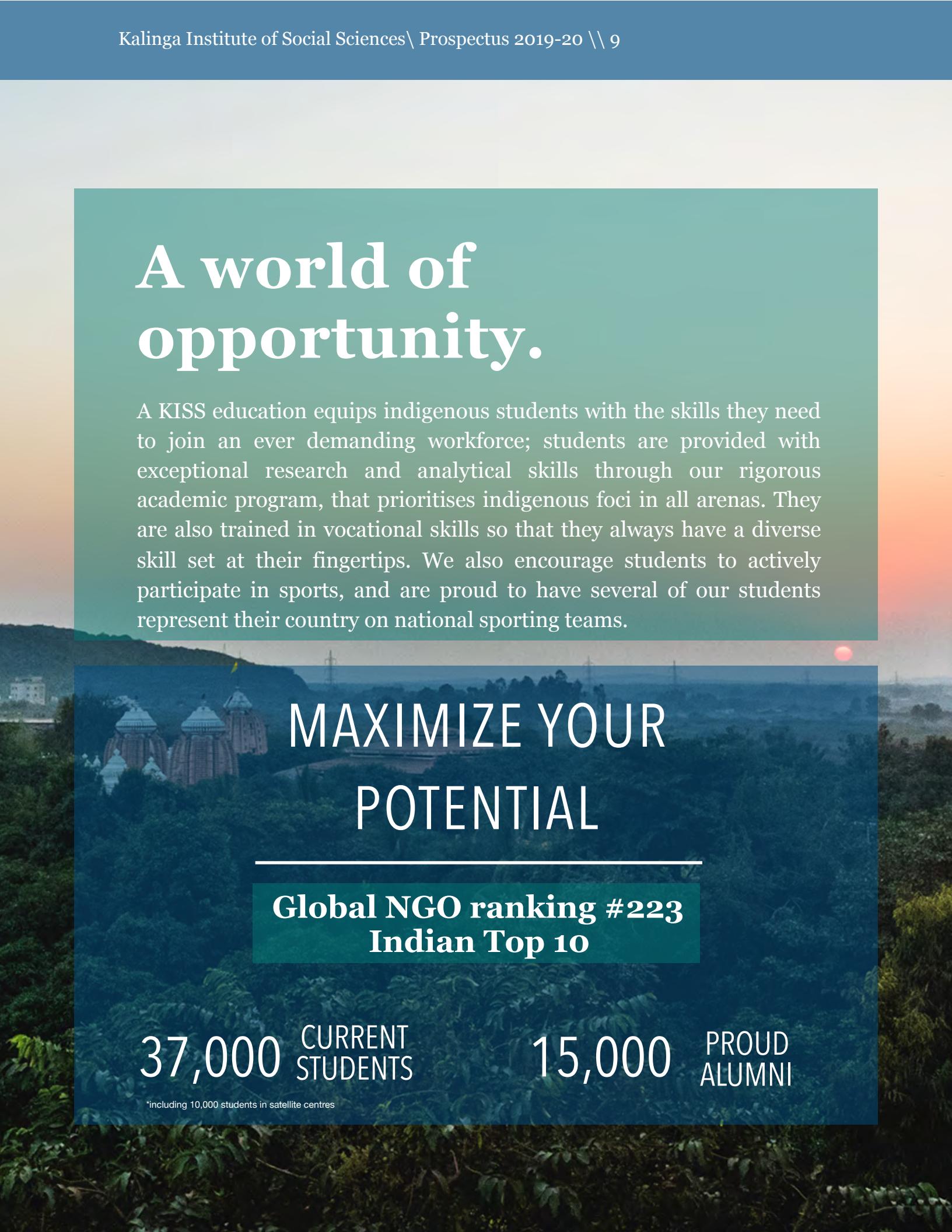


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STATE OF ART
FACILITIES

A world of opportunity.

A KISS education equips indigenous students with the skills they need to join an ever demanding workforce; students are provided with exceptional research and analytical skills through our rigorous academic program, that prioritises indigenous foci in all arenas. They are also trained in vocational skills so that they always have a diverse skill set at their fingertips. We also encourage students to actively participate in sports, and are proud to have several of our students represent their country on national sporting teams.



MAXIMIZE YOUR
POTENTIAL

**Global NGO ranking #223
Indian Top 10**

37,000 CURRENT
STUDENTS

15,000 PROUD
ALUMNI

*including 10,000 students in satellite centres

KISS is proud to announce that it has been conferred

DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY

status in 2017, under U/S 3 of the UGC Act 1956 by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, in order to focus on teaching and research in unique and 'EMERGING AREAS OF KNOWLEDGE' related to **Tribal Culture, Philosophy, Heritage, Science and Technology, Linguistics and Literature** and their link to diverse and multi-disciplinary modern fields of study.

Hence, the following 7 departments have been introduced and integrated to the academic structure at KISS:

MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.)

1. DEPARTMENT OF TRIBAL CULTURE, PHILOSOPHY AND ECO-SPIRITUALISM (TCPE)

Introduced under the School of Social Sciences, this department offers studies in Political Science, Philosophy and History.

2. DEPARTMENT OF TRIBAL LEGAL STUDIES AND TRIBAL RIGHTS (TLST)

Introduced under the School of Social Service Administration, this department offers studies in Anthropology, Sociology, and Social Work.

3. DEPARTMENT OF TRIBAL HERITAGE AND TRIBAL INDOLOGY (THTI)

Introduced under the School of Education and Extension, this department offers studies in Education, Home Science and Psychology.

4. DEPARTMENT OF COMPARATIVE TRIBAL LINGUISTICS AND LITERATURE (CTLL)

Introduced under the School of Language and Literature, this department offers studies in English, Odia, Sanskrit and Hindi.

MASTER OF SCIENCE (M.Sc.)

1. DEPARTMENT OF INDIGENOUS KNOWLEDGE, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (IKST)

One of two options introduced under the School of Natural Sciences and Tribal Technology, this department offers studies in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, and Computer Sciences.

2. DEPARTMENT OF COMPARATIVE INDIC STUDIES AND TRIBAL SCIENCE (CIST)

The second option introduced under the School of Natural Sciences and Tribal Technology, this department offers studies in Botany and Zoology.

MASTER OF COMMERCE (M.Com.) /MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.)

1. DEPARTMENT OF TRIBAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (TRM)

Introduced under the School of Resource Management, this department offers studies in Commerce, Economics and Geography.

ENHANCED CAREER PROSPECTS

KISS University is committed to enhancing the employability of all its students, to enable them to grow and flourish in an increasingly competitive, fast-moving, knowledge-based global economy.

Graduates who have developed transferable skills and valuable local and global experiences are better prepared to start their careers and are more attractive to potential employers.

We therefore offer many opportunities to gain worthwhile experience and develop the specific skills and aptitudes that employers value. These are included within our

holistic approach to education, which is integrated with world-class facilities and training.

State-of-the-art Campus

KISS is proud to offer its students well-organized and well-developed Wi-Fi enabled campuses, that are constantly protected through CCTV surveillance. Our University section operates from the Higher Education Campus (Campus-3), which contains well furnished, smart class rooms, an administrative block, a comprehensive library with a reading room for students, the girl's hostel, a large kitchen, a sewage treatment plant,

water filtration plant, rain water ground recharge system, roof-top gardening system, modern computer labs and upgraded science laboratories.

Sports Facilities

Our campuses boast a wide range of world-class sports facilities, suited to accommodate sports such as archery, basket ball, lawn tennis, football, volleyball, hockey and rugby.

Hostel Facilities

Separate hostels have been built for girls and boys, wherein all students are provided free-of-cost accommodation, food and healthcare.

KISS Competitive Preparation Centre (CPC)

In order to ensure placement and employment to all students after graduation, coaching classes are organized by the CPC for all UG and PG students at the Higher Education Campus. At these classes, special emphasis is placed on preparing students for competitive examinations, conducted by recruitment boards in varied fields, including but not limited to Banking, Railways, and Police Service. We also prepare students for examinations by the Staff Selection Commission, Subordinate Selection Commission, Odisha Public Service Commission (OPSC), Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) etc.

Multi-faceted Cultural Activities

KISS promotes extra and co-curricular activities among its students through various programmes, including elocution (in Hindi, English & Odia), singing, dancing and music. An amphitheatre is also available to students at Campus 3, in addition to the regular conduct of activities showcasing student talent. Our aim is to equip students with efficient and effective communication skills in various languages, to enable them to face challenges in their careers.

'Earn While You Learn' - Vocational Training Programmes

As part of our holistic approach to education, KISS is proud to impart vocational training to students, who can pursue interests in painting, appliquéd work, tribal art, tailoring, and candle making. We also have a chemical production unit, wherein students can learn how to produce phenyl, utensil detergent, laundry detergent, hand wash, etc. Through rigorous training in these vocational activities, students are taught marketable skills, and are paid incentives as part of our 'Earn while You Learn' scheme that provides supplementary income to students alongside their academia.

STUDY EXPERIENCE at KISS-DU

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

Information on KISS - Wide range of academic programmes for UG, PG, M. Phil. and PhD students.

SANCTIONED STRENGTH

Information on the number of seats available for students to enroll in different courses and streams.

ADMISSION PROCEDURES

Information on how to choose and apply for a particular course.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Information on the general entry requirements for admission into different programmes at KISS-DU.



A photograph showing a group of students in blue uniforms sitting at desks in a classroom setting. They are all looking down at their papers, appearing to be in the middle of a written assignment or exam. The student in the foreground is the focal point, with a dark blue rectangular overlay containing the text.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

UG (+3 Degree) PROGRAMMES

Admission into UG (+3 Degree) will be channelized into Arts, Science and Commerce streams (all Hons.). All streams will focus on the following tribal studies aspects:

TRIBAL FOCUS:

Culture

Philosophy

Heritage

Science & Technology

Linguistics & Literature

Resource Management

Legal Studies & Rights

ARTS

SCIENCE

COMMERCE



ARTS

Odia
Hindi
Sanskrit
English
Political Science
History
Social Work

Education
Economics
Sociology
Home Science
Philosophy
Psychology
Anthropology
Geography

FOCUS ON TRIBAL STUDIES

SCIENCE

Physics
Chemistry
Mathematics

Botany
Zoology
Computer Science

COMMERCE

Accountancy

FOCUS ON TRIBAL ECONOMY & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

PG PROGRAMMES

7 NEW DEPARTMENTS

ARTS

Department of Tribal Culture, Philosophy & Eco-Spiritualism

Department of Tribal Heritage & Tribal Indology

Department of Comparative Tribal Linguistics & Literature

Department of Tribal Legal Studies & Tribal Rights

SCIENCE

Department of Indigenous Knowledge Science & Technology

Department of Comparative Indic Studies & Tribal Science

COMMERCE

Department of Tribal Resource Management

Ph.D. / M.Phil. PROGRAMMES

**ARTS
SCIENCE
COMMERCE**

Tribal Culture, Philosophy and Eco-Spiritualism

Tribal Heritage and Tribal Indology

Comparative Tribal Linguistics and Literature

Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights

Indigenous Knowledge Science and Technology

Comparative Indic Studies and Tribal Science

Tribal Resource Management





ADMISSION PROCEDURES

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As the largest fully residential and fully free educational institute for tribals (Indigenous people), KISS is committed to providing free accommodation, food, healthcare and education to **only tribal students from families in the Below Poverty Line (BPL) category.**

KISS gives special emphasis to women's education, thereby giving **preference to girl students** during admission. **ST students belonging to Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)** are also given preference during the admission process.

The admission form for admission of students [for UG and PG classes, M. Phil. and Ph.D] is available on the KISS website [kiss.ac.in]. Online procedures for submission of the application will be available on the website. **Please note that there is a common application form for admission into +3 degree/PG/M.Phil./Ph.D.**

UG ADMISSION

+3 Degree

Admission to UG will be taken in all the subjects (all Hons.) as listed on pages 15-16.

PG ADMISSION

Admission to PG programmes will be within the seven new departments as follows:

- **Department of Tribal Culture, Philosophy and Eco-Spiritualism (TCPE):** ST students having Honours or pass in Political Science, Philosophy and History in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Arts subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.
- **Department of Tribal Heritage and Tribal Indology (THTI):** ST students having Honours or pass in Education, Home Science, Psychology in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Arts subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.
- **Department of Comparative Tribal Linguistics and Literature (CTLL):** ST students having Honours or pass in English, Odia, Sanskrit, Hindi in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Arts subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.
- **Department of Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights (TLST):** ST students having Honours or pass in Anthropology, Sociology and Social Work in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Arts subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.

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- **Department of Indigenous Knowledge Science and Technology (IKST):** ST students having Honours or pass in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics and Computer Science in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Science subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.
- **Department of Comparative Indic Studies and Tribal Science (CIST):** ST students having Honours or pass in Botany, Zoology and Biotechnology in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Science subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.

SCIENCE

COMMERCE

- **Department of Tribal Resource Management (TRM):** ST students having Honours or pass in Commerce, Economics and Geography in UG level will be given preference for admission in this Department. However, students having Honours or pass in any other Arts subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.

Besides admission into PG Programmes in interdisciplinary subjects of Arts, Science and Commerce, streams like Political Science, Philosophy, History, Commerce, Economics, Education, Home Science, Psychology, English, Odia, Sanskrit, Hindi, Anthropology, Sociology, Social Work, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Botany and Zoology with focus on study of Tribal Culture, Philosophy, Heritage, Tribal Science and Technology, Linguistics and Literature, Tribal Resource Management, Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights under six schools **will also continue.**

M.Phil. / Ph.D. ADMISSION

Admission to these programmes will be for students belonging to Scheduled Tribe (ST) only.

Students may enroll in any of the following seven programmes:

a) Tribal Culture, Philosophy and Eco-Spiritualism:

ST students having Master Degree in Political Science, Philosophy, History and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.

b) Tribal Heritage and Tribal Indology:

ST students having Master Degree in Education, Home Science, Psychology and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.

c) Comparative Tribal Linguistics and Literature:

ST students having Master Degree in English, Odia, Sanskrit, Hindi and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.

d) Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights:

ST students having Master Degree in Anthropology, Sociology, Social Work and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.

e) Tribal Resource Management:

ST students having Master Degree in Commerce, Economics, Geography and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.

f) Indigenous Knowledge, Science and Technology:

ST students having Master Degree in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.

g) Comparative Indic Studies and Tribal Science:

ST students having Master Degree in Botany, Zoology, Biotechnology and fulfilling other required eligibility criteria are eligible to apply.



**SANCTIONED
STRENGTH**

Since the number of seats available in each course or subject is limited, **entrance examinations will be conducted for the purpose of admission to PG, M.Phil and Ph.D programmes.** The number of seats available per course for the academic year 2019-20 are listed below as follows:

UG SEATS 2019-20

STREAM	SUBJECT	INTAKE
School of Social Sciences	B.A. (Hons.) History	48
	B.A. (Hons.) Philosophy	32
	B.A. (Hons.) Political Science	48
School of Education and Extension	B.A. (Hons.) Education	48
	B.A. (Hons.) Home Science	48
	B.A. (Hons.) Psychology	32
School of Language and Literature	B.A. (Hons.) Odia	48
	B.A. (Hons.) English	32
	B.A. (Hons.) Sanskrit	32
	B.A. (Hons.) Hindi	32
School of Social Service Administration	B.A. (Hons.) Anthropology	32
	BSW (Hons.)	32
	B.A. (Hons.) Sociology	48

ARTS TOTAL = 512 SEATS

STREAM	SUBJECT	INTAKE
School of Natural Sciences and Tribal Technology	B.Sc (Hons.) Physics	64
	B.Sc (Hons.) Chemistry	64
	B.Sc (Hons.) Maths	64
	B.Sc (Hons.) Comp. Sci.	64
	B.Sc (Hons.) Zoology	64
	B.Sc (Hons.) Botany	64

**SCIENCE = 384
TOTAL SEATS**

STREAM	SUBJECT	INTAKE
School of Resource Management	B. Com (Hons)	320
	B.A. (Hons) Economics	48
	B.A. (Hons) Geography	32

**COMMERCE = 400
/ ARTS TOTAL SEATS**

PG SEATS

2019-20

Name of School	Departments	Intake
School of Social Sciences	1. Tribal Culture, Philosophy and Eco-spiritualism (Nodal)	16
	2. Political Science	24
	3. Philosophy	16
	4. History	24
	Total	80
School of Resource Management	1. Tribal Resource Management (Nodal) 544	16
	2. Commerce	48
	3. Economics	24
	Total	88
School of Education and Extension	1. Tribal Heritage and Tribal Indology (Nodal)	16
	2. Education	24
	3. Home Science	24
	4. Psychology	16
	Total	80
School of Language and Literature	1. Comparative Tribal Linguistics and Literature (Nodal)	16
	2. English	16
	3. Odia	24
	4. Sanskrit	16
	5. Hindi	16
	Total	88
School of Social Service Administration	1. Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights (Nodal)	16
	2. Anthropology	16
	3. Sociology	24
	4. Social Work	24
	Total	80

Name of School	Departments	Intake
School of Natural Sciences and Tribal Technology	1. Indigenous Knowledge Science and Technology (Nodal)	16
	2. Chemistry	16
	3. Physics	16
	4. Mathematics	16
	5. Computer Science	16
	Total	80
	1. Comparative Indic Studies and Tribal Sciences (Nodal)	16
	2. Botany	16
	3. Zoology	16
	Total	48
GRAND TOTAL 536		

M.Phil. / Ph.D. SEATS 2019-20

Name of School	Departments	Subjects in Post Graduation	M.Phil	Ph.D
School of Social Sciences	Tribal Culture, Philosophy and Eco-spiritualism	1. Political Science	8	4
		2. Philosophy		
		3. History		
School of Resource Management	Tribal Resource Management	1. Commerce	8	6
		2. Economics		
		3. Geography		
School of Education and Extension	Tribal Heritage and Tribal Indology	1. Education	4	2
		2. Home Science		
		3. Psychology		
School of Language and Literature	Comparative Tribal Linguistics and Literature	1. English	10	4
		2. Odia		
		3. Sanskrit		
		4. Hindi		
School of Social Service Administration	Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights	1. Anthropology	12	6
		2. Sociology		
		3. Social Work		
School of Natural Sciences and Tribal Technology	1. Indigenous Knowledge Science and Technology	1. Chemistry	4	2
		2. Physics		
		3. Mathematics		
		4. Computer Science		
		5. Bio-Technology		
	2. Comparative Indic Studies and Tribal Sciences	1. Botany	6	2
		2. Zoology		
		3. Bio-Technology		
GRAND TOTAL			52	28

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

UG SEATS 2019-20

No entrance examination will be conducted for UG admission.

However, the timeline for the UG admission will be as follows:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 10.06.2019 Online Application begins 2. 25.06.2019 Online Application closes | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. 02.07.2019 Publication of Selection List 4. 09.07.2019 - 12.07.2019 UG admission 5. 18.07.2019 UG classes begin |
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Programme	Minimum Qualification/Eligibility for Admission
Bachelor of Arts(BA) B.A(Hons) in Anthropology, Economics, Education, English, Hindi, History, Home Science, Odia, Philosophy , Political Science, Psychology, Sanskrit, Social Work, Sociology and Geography with focus on study of Tribal Social Sciences.	ST Students who have passed +2 examination in any subject from CHSE, Odisha, CBSE/ICSE or foreign University/Board (as per AIU foreign equivalent list) with minimum 35% marks or C plus grade are eligible to apply.
Bachelor of Commerce (B. Com)) B.Com (Hons) Accountancy with focus on Tribal Economy and Resource Management.	ST Students who have passed +2 examination in Commerce/Science/Arts with Economics, Mathematics or Statistics as one of the subjects from CHSE, Odisha, CBSE/ICSE or foreign University/Board (as per AIU foreign equivalent list) with minimum 35% marks or C plus grade are eligible to apply.
Bachelor of Science(B.Sc) B.Sc (Hons) in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Zoology, Botany with focus on study on Tribal Science and Technology.	ST Student who have passed +2 examination in Science from CHSE, Odisha, CBSE/ICSE or foreign University/Board (as per AIU foreign equivalent list) with minimum 35% marks or C plus grade are eligible to apply. However, students applying for Computer Science or Mathematics Hons. should have passed +2 level examination in the concerned subject or in Mathematics.

PG SEATS 2019-20

Timeline for holding entrance examinations for PG admission:

Entrance Exam Details	Date / Time/ Day
Availability of Online Application Form in Website www.kiss.ac.in (online application opens for PG admission)	12.04.2019, time: (12 Noon), Friday
Last date of applying Online Form through Website www.kiss.ac.in (online application closes for PG admission)	26.04.2019, time: (Midnight), Friday
The date of entrance examination for PG admission	28.04.2019, time: (10AM to 12 Noon), Sunday
Declaration of result of entrance examination	10.05.2019, Friday
Declaration of selection list for PG admission	25.06.2019, Tuesday
Admission for selected applicants	01.07.2019 (Monday) 02.07.2019. (Tuesday) 03.07.2019 (Wednesday)
New Academic session begins (classes will start for PG 1 st year students)	08.07.2019, Monday

Eligibility criteria for PG programme:

<u>Master in Arts(M.A)</u>			
Name of School	Name of the Programme	Minimum Qualification/ Eligibility for Admission	Entrance Exam. Pattern Date, Time & Venue
School of Social Sciences	Tribal Culture, Philosophy and Eco-spiritualism., Political Science, Philosophy and History	ST Students having Honours or pass in Political Science, Philosophy and History subjects with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University/Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given preference. However, students having Honours and pass in any other Arts Subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.	<p>a) Entrance Examination will be held for admission into the Master in Arts (MA) in all these subjects.</p> <p>b) The Question papers for the entrance examination will be of 100 marks objective types, multiple choice for all these subjects.</p> <p>c) The Question pattern will comprise the following areas :</p> <p>50% Subject related,</p> <p>10% Tribal Studies related,</p> <p>20% General English,</p> <p>20% General Knowledge.</p>
School of Education and Extension	Tribal Heritage and Tribal Indology, Education, Home Science and Psychology	ST Students having Honours or pass in Education, Home Science and Psychology subjects with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University/Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given preference. However, students having Honours and pass in any other Arts Subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.	
School of Language and Literature	Tribal Linguistics and Literature, English, Odia, Sanskrit and Hindi	ST Students having Honours or pass in English, Odia, Sanskrit and Hindi subjects with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University / Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given preference. However, students having Honours and pass in any other Arts Subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.	<p>Date: 28.04.2019 (Sunday)</p> <p>Time : 10.00 AM to 12.00 Noon</p>
School of Social Service Administration	Tribal Legal Studies and Tribal Rights, Anthropology, Sociology and Social work	ST Students having Honours or pass in Anthropology, Sociology and Social work subjects with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University / Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given preference. However, students having Honours and pass in any other Arts Subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.	<p>Centre : KISS Higher Education Campus, Academic Building, KISS Campus-3, Bhubaneswar</p>

Master in Commerce (M. Com.) and Master in Arts (M.A.)			
Name of School	Name of the Programme	Minimum Qualification/Eligibility for Admission	Entrance Exam. Pattern Date, Time & Venue
School of Resource Management	Tribal Resource Management, Commerce & Economics	ST Students having Honors or pass in Commerce, Economics, Geography with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University/ Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given special preference. However, students having Honors or pass in any other Arts subjects are also eligible to apply.	<p>a) Entrance Examination will be held for admission into the Master in Commerce (M.Com) and M.A in Economics, M.A in Geography</p> <p>b) The Question papers for the entrance examination will be of 100 marks objective types, multiple choice for all these subjects.</p> <p>c) The Question pattern will comprise the following areas :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50% Subject related, 10% Tribal Studies related, 20% General English, 20% General Knowledge. <p>Date: 28.04.2019 (Sunday)</p> <p>Time : 10.00 AM to 12.00 noon</p> <p>Centre : KISS Higher Education Campus, Academic Building, KISS Campus-3, Bhubaneswar</p>



Master in Science (M.Sc.)			
Name of School	Name of the Programme	Minimum Qualification/Eligibility for Admission	Entrance Exam. Pattern Date, Time & Venue
School of Natural Sciences and Tribal Technology	Indigenous Knowledge Science and Technology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics and Computer Science	<p>ST Students having Honours or pass in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics and Computer Science with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University/Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given preference.</p> <p>However, students having Honors or pass in any other Science subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.</p>	<p>a) Entrance Examination will be held for admission into the Master in Science (M.Sc.) in these subjects.</p> <p>b) The Question papers for the entrance examination will be of 100 marks objective types, multiple choice for all these subjects.</p> <p>c) The Question pattern will comprise the following areas : 50% Subject related, 10% Tribal Studies related, 20% General English, 20% General Knowledge.</p>
	Comparative Indic Studies and Tribal Science, Botany and Zoology	<p>ST Students having Honours or pass in Botany and Zoology with minimum 45% marks in Hons. or in the aggregate in case of pass students from a recognized Indian University/Foreign University (as per the AIU foreign equivalent list) are eligible to apply and will be given preference.</p> <p>However student having Honours or pass in any other Science subject in UG level are also eligible to apply.</p>	<p>Date: 28.04.2019 (Sunday)</p> <p>Time : 10.00 AM to 12.00 noon</p> <p>Centre : KISS Higher Education Campus, Academic Building, KISS Campus-3, Bhubaneswar</p>

M.Phil. SEATS

2019-20

Eligibility Criteria for the Admission into the M. Phil. Programmes

Admission process of M. Phil. Programmes shall govern the conduct of research and examination of dissertation leading to the award of the degree of “Master of Philosophy (M. Phil.)” of the Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) Deemed to be University. The research and the dissertation shall relate to the innovative areas of knowledge particularly interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary subjects with special reference to Tribal Culture, Philosophy, Art & Crafts, Medicinal Systems, Indology, Heritage, Customary Law, Tribal Resources, Tribal Language & Literature, etc. It will be governed by M.Phil. Regulation-2017 of KISS Deemed to be University and (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil Degrees) Regulations, 2016 of UGC.

The minimum educational qualifications for becoming eligible for the admission into M. Phil. programmes of the University;

1.Candidates for admission to the M.Phil. programmes shall belong to Scheduled Tribes and shall have a Master's degree or a professional degree declared equivalent to the Master's degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 50% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from a foreign educational Institution.

2.The application form is available ‘ONLINE’ in the website of KISS: www.kiss.ac.in . Applicants can apply online from 30.04.2019 (12.00 noon) to 30.05.2019 (Midnight)

3.Selection of a research scholar shall be based on the academic background and the performance of the candidate in the Entrance Test and Interview at the University.

4.Candidates, qualified in any one or more National Level Examinations such as NET, JRF, Lectureship or equivalent may be exempted from appearing in the Entrance Test of the University.

5.Candidates, having M.A., M.Sc., M.Com. M. Tech. or equivalent degree after qualifying any one or more National Level Examinations as mentioned above, are also exempted from appearing in the Entrance Test of the University.

6.Candidates exempted from appearing in the Entrance Test of the University will have to, however, face the Interview at the University.

7.For an Employed Candidate: A candidate must submit a “**No Objection Certificate**” from the employer at the time of Interview at the University in addition to fulfilling the conditions applicable to an **Indian national to become a Regular Full Time Research Scholar** as already stated.



Ph.D. SEATS

2019-20

Eligibility Criteria for the Admission into the Ph.D Programmes

Eligibility Criteria for the Admission into the Ph.D. Programmes; Admission process of Ph.D Programmes shall govern the conduct of research and examination of thesis leading to the award of the degree of “Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)” of the Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences (KISS) Deemed to be University. The Research and the thesis shall relate to the innovative areas of knowledge particularly interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary subjects with special reference to Tribal Culture, Philosophy, Art & Crafts, Medicinal Systems, Indology, Heritage, Customary Law, Tribal Resources, Tribal Language & Literature etc. It will be governed by Ph. D. Regulation-2017 of KISS Deemed to be University and (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of Ph.D Degrees) Regulations, 2016 of UGC.

The minimum educational qualifications for becoming eligible for the admission into Ph.D programmes of the University;

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Note: A separate notification shall be issued for admission to M.Phil and Ph.D programmes which will be made available in the Website of KISS Deemed to be University: www.kiss.ac.in

Timeline for holding entrance examination for M.Phil. and Ph.D. admission:

Entrance Exam Details	[+]	Date / Time/ Day
Availability of Online Application Form in Website www.kiss.ac.in (online application begins)		20.04.2019, time: (12 Noon), Tuesday
Last date of applying Online Form through Website www.kiss.ac.in (online application closes)		20.05.2019 (Midnight), Thursday
The date of entrance examination for M.Phil / Ph.D admission		30.06.2019 , time (10AM to 1PM) Sunday Centre: KISS Higher Education Campus, KISS Deemed to be University, KISS Campus-3, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, India
Declaration of result of entrance examination		06.07.2019, Saturday
Personal Interviews		11.07.2019, Thursday
Declaration of final result		15.07.2019, Monday
Admission for selected applicants		18th - 19th July 2019, Thursday and Friday
Classes start		22.07.2019, Monday



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