



Newsletter from Tata Institute of Social Sciences

School of Vocational Education



LETTER FROM THE DEAN, SCHOOL OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION



Dear Friends,

As we step into the second quarter of this financial year, it gives me immense pleasure and pride to share with you that Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS-SVE) is making good progress in its mission to provide quality vocational education to students. To this end, we are continuing to evaluate and sign-up new Skill Knowledge Partners (SKPs) across India on one side and on the other, rolling out learning programs in the established centers. We are on target and well-poised to reach the goals that we have set for ourselves in this quarter.

My heartfelt thanks to all the stakeholders for their continued support to the institution. It is because of you that we are able to sustain and grow as an institution of repute and also add value to hundreds of deserving students by imparting quality education. We are also glad to share with you the news of TISS-SVE being granted the AICTE extension of two years at no cost.

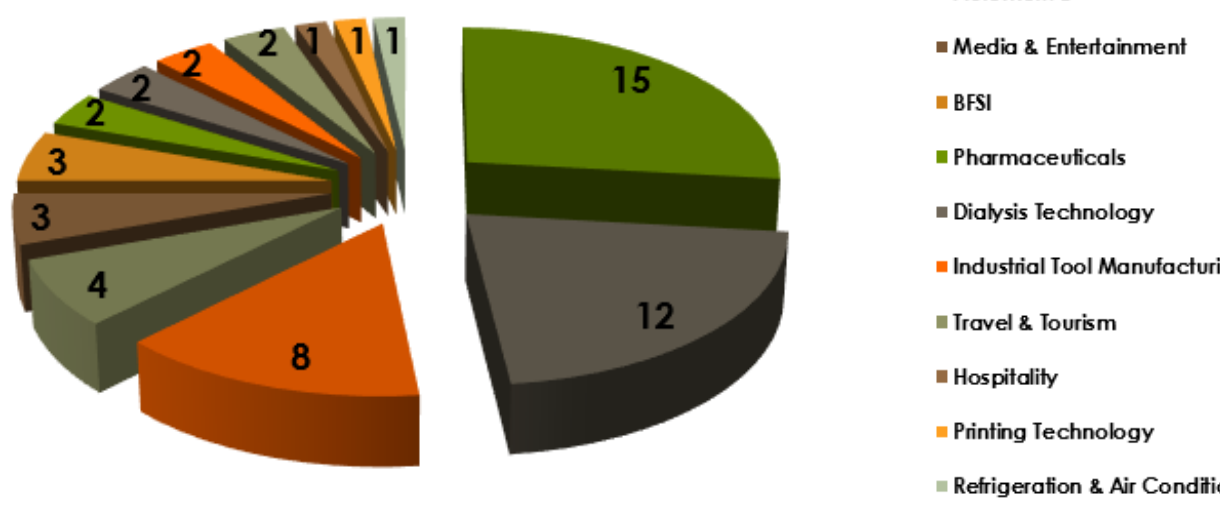
Do stay in touch. Please also let us know if you have any suggestions for improvement.

Prof. Neela Dabir

VERTICAL-WISE HUB COUNT | ZONE-WISE DISTRIBUTION | STUDENT STRENGTH

As we continue to empanel more and more hubs across India, our evaluation team is ensuring that our hub partners are well-equipped and have the passion to take up vocational education as a cause. Given below is a schematic representation of the number of agreements that we have executed across various industry verticals.

Total Hubs [Agreements executed] = 56

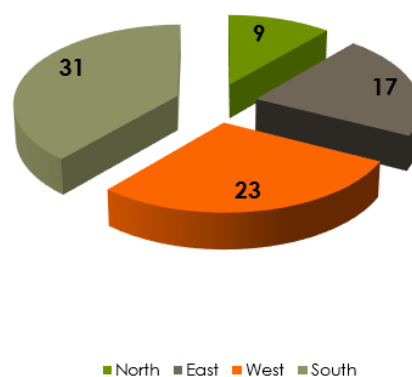


Salient highlights:

- TISS-SVE saw an increase in hub partners from 35 to 56 in the last quarter.
- With 15 HUBs across India, Child care & Geriatric care streams have the highest number of hub partners
- South India has the most number of hub partners
- Hubs in pipeline – 17
- Total number of students – 864

Sr. No.	Vertical Name	Student strength	Hub Location
1	PHARMACEUTICALS	571	CHENNAI
2	DIALYSIS TECHNOLOGY	92	MUMBAI & CALICUT
3	INDUSTRIAL TOOL MANUFACTURING	78	COIMBATORE
4	PRINTING TECHNOLOGY	42	MUMBAI
5	AUTOMOTIVE	62	CHENNAI
6	REFRIGERATION	19	CHENNAI
TOTAL STRENGTH		864	

**Zone-wise Hub distribution
[Agreements executed + Hubs in pipeline]**



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Six students under Printing Technology graduated this May 2015 [B.E in Printing Technology].

Convocation Ceremony was organized in TISS campus on 12th May, 2015.

One of the batches of Industrial Tool Manufacturing vertical has completed one year Diploma program.

Make an informed choice with Vocational Aptitude Tests



TISS-SVE implemented Vocational Aptitude Tests in collaboration with DIPR (Defence Institute of Psychological Research, New Delhi) to address and avoid issues like mismatch between candidates' innate abilities and trade.

7 ability tests have been developed so far, they are Hand-Eye Coordination, Colour Distortions Identification, Colour Matching, Concentration, Control Precision, Abstract Reasoning, and Attention. The tests that have been developed to help students make better career choices and is being implemented in the Printing, Dialysis Technician, CNC Machine Operations and Welding courses.

In order to support the students, TISS-SVE has been facilitating Group Counselling sessions, Soft Skills Workshops and Individual Counselling as per the need of the hour. Counsellors have been empanelled currently in Mumbai, Hyderabad, Vizag and Coimbatore and the services have already been initiated.

ERP Highlights

The ERP Phase 2 Enhancements proposed on existing platform are focused on Student and Invoice Management and, Examination cycle Management. New proposed features include Class Scheduler, Quality Management and Notification system. Our new modules and enhancements across the Marketing Manager, HUB Trainer, SKP Instructor, Content Head and Student areas are aimed at enhancing efficiency and effective management of the TISS-SVE ecosystem.

SKP Count



LAUNCH OF WORK INTEGRATED TRAINING PROGRAM



Apar India Institute of Management and Technology organized a function to officially launch work integrated training programs like PGDM in HR & ADMIN, PGDM in Sales and, Bachelor of Vocational Studies (B.VOC) provided by the institute in collaboration with the TATA Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai (TISS).

NEW HUBS



Krushi Mitra Grameen Abhivruddhi Sansthe, a new addition to TISS HUBs, was launched in Belgaum, Karnataka.

Earnest HR has inaugurated its first training center at Pune in collaboration with TISS – SVE for conducting the flagship HR courses of TISS in Pune. The training institute is fully equipped with new technologies. The courses offered by TISS at Earnest HR 'Training centre' have been created with the collaboration of industry experts in order to cover the current industry needs. The courses shall also be conducted during evening hours and also on weekends to cater to working professionals.



Inauguration of Orange Tech Solutions the new HUB in Healthcare and Geriatric vertical, launched on 4th July 2015 in Bangalore.



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TRAINING THE TRAINERS – A BETTER WAY TO LEARN & TEACH!

The pictures below show a Training of Trainers session held for the Child Care vertical and Geriatric Care. The session was held at TISS, Mumbai campus from May 17th to 20th, 2015. Master trainers from the nine hub partners in child care attended the training conducted by experts from the field. On 29th and 30th June, a TOT training session for the Generic module was provided to all hub partners.



