FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK



Dr. R.R. RAUSARIA

Director Directorate of Distance Education Kurukshetra University Kurukshetra

The Directorate of Distance Education was established in 1976 with the objective of enhancing the spread of higher education to the learners residing in rural and far-flung areas. A humble beginning was made with the launch of Pre-University and B.A. Programme with an initial intake of 400. Over the years, the Directorate has now diversified the programmes and is now offering 13 traditional courses - B.A., B.Com., M.A., M.Sc. and M.Com. and 20 professional courses - courses in Computer/IT, Management, Library & Information Science and other job-oriented Diplomas with a regular enrolment of around 35,000 students every year.

The Directorate's focus has always been on providing quality education to learners for overall personality development using print material and contact classes. It is making efforts to computerise services for better delivery system and feedback to the students. It is also making an attempt to incorporate interactive technology in delivery of programmes. It has been the endeavour of the Directorate to Launch programmes which will fulfil the specific needs and requirements of the learners and has been a topmost priority on the Directorate's agenda.

The Directorate strives to offer quality programmes using well-defined course materials incorporating technology in delivery of programmes to make the system vibrant and dynamic. This will fulfil the long-felt needs of the learners of the country in general and of Haryana in particular.

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INTRODUCTION

THE UNIVERSITY

Kurukshetra University, established in 1956, has a well-developed Multi-faculty Campus spread over 400 acres of land on the south bank of Brahmsarovar, having centrally air-conditioned auditorium with a seating capacity of 2500 and 70mm projector, Senate Hall, Conference Hall, well-equipped Sports Complex (Play fields, Gymnasium, Stadium, Swimming Pool, Tennis Courts, Volleyball, Basketball Courts, etc.), Teachers' Club, Club for Administrative staff, 17 Hostels, 8 for Boys & 9 for Girls, School, Health Centre, Business Complex, about 700 quarters for all categories of staff, a rich Library with more than 3.00 lac documents including books, journals and rare manuscripts, Internet Section of 100 nodes, Computer Centre, Museum, Instrumentation (USIC) workshop, MSS Centre, Students, Guest House, Faculty House, etc.

Ever since laying of foundation stone by Dr. Rajendra Prasad, the First President of India, the University has taken quantum leaps and has emerged as an advanced centre of Study & Research for quality education in conformity with the international standards. The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), Bangalore had bestowed the four star status on this university. The University has 43 Teaching Departments and 159 affiliated colleges situated in the Districts of Ambala, Panipat, Kaithal, Yamuna Nagar, Hisar, Fatehabad, Jind, Karnal, Sirsa, Kurukshetra and Panchkula.

THE DIRECTORATE

The Directorate of Distance Education was started by the University as Directorate of Correspondence Courses in 1976 to make available the benefit of higher education to the multitude of people who due to various compulsions, and reasons could not continue their studies by joining regular colleges. It has been endeavour of the Directorate to combine the twin objectives of offering educational opportunities for higher education and fulfilling the rising aspirations of the people for higher education maintaining excellence all the while. Beginning with the courses of Pre-University and B.A. with about 400 students in 1976, the Directorate now enrols every year around 35000 students in about 33 undergraduate and postgraduate. Job-oriented professional courses in the areas of Computer Science, Management, Science, Commerce, Library & Information Science, Journalism, Law, etc. The courses and their curriculum are periodically reviewed and updated to incorporate the recent development in the field.

The Directorate has a separate three-storey teaching-block exclusively for the distance education students. It houses well-equipped, **centrally air conditioned** Computer Labs/Library, lecture theatres, common-rooms, teachers-rooms, canteen, etc.

It is hoped that learner, including young and old, men and women, will take advantage of the opportunities offered by the Directorate to pursue higher education.

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SCHEDULE OF FEE

(Payable by the candidates at the time of Admission)

Dates	Late Admission Fee Rs.	Late Examination Fee Rs.	Total Rs.
Upto 29-09-2006	-	-	-
31-10-2006	200	-	200
15-11-2006	500	-	500
30-11-2006	1000	-	1000

SCHEDULE FOR PAYMENT OF SECOND INSTALMENT OF FEE

i)	For B.A./B.Com./BIM/BCA/BSCHNE/ B. Sc.IS/D.Lib. Sc./CCA/CCU	upto	03.01.2007
ii)	For other courses	upto	02.02.2007

Note: Late fee of Rs.300/- will be payable by the candidates who fail to pay the second instalment in full or part thereof by the prescribed date.

LIST OF ENCLOSURES

The list of documents required to be submitted by the candidates alongwith the Admission Form has been given in **Important Instructions at Sr. No. 19 on pages 3-5** of this Prospectus.