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### **Vision:**

Setting the global, national and regional standards in online, blended, and digital learning.

### **Mission:**

The centre is committed to providing wide access to high quality education using a variety of online, blended, and digital learning methods while driving innovation in both a local and global sense.



**Dr. S. Chandralingam, Director, SCDE, JNTUH**

JNT University has established the Centre for Distance Education in 1983. Under this umbrella, the University has launched an innovative programme, called B.Tech. Correspondence cum Contact (CCC) programme adopting the Distance Education made for the first time in the country, translating into reality the recommendations of the Kothari commission for introducing correspondence education in the Science and Technology.

In the year 1990, the Centre for Distance Education has been renamed as School of Continuing and Distance Education (SCDE) by clubbing the erstwhile P.G. School to the SCDE. Hence this school was used to offer both part time P. G. Programmes as well as B. Tech (CCC) programmes till 2003. From the year 2004 onwards, part time P. G. programmes have been shifted to respective constituent units of the University. Since then, the SCDE has been offering B. Tech (CCC) programmes alone till the year 2009. More than 30,000 engineers were graduated

from this School and are occupying pivotal positions in various State and central organizations, private and public sectors.

The school is headed by a rank of Professor, presently **Dr. S. Chandralingam**, Professor, Physics, JNTUH CEH holding the post of **Director of SCDE**. The school was recognized by Distance Education Council (DEC), New Delhi, India. **Areas of Interest:** Nuclear Radiation Physics, Optics, Solid State Physics, Material Science and Fibre Optics

Received Ph.D. from the Department of Physics and M. Sc. Physics (Electronics as specialization) from the Kakatiya University, Warangal. Joined in the JNT University Hyderabad as Assistant Professor in the year 1985 and has been promoted as Associate Professor and Professor in the years 1996 and 2004 respectively

- He is involved in the development of laboratories in Physics Department.
- Served as Head & Chairman, BOS, Physics, JNTU College of Engineering from 2005 to 2008 and 2009 to 2010, JNTUH CEH. • Additional Controller of Examinations (JNTU) from 1990 to 1994 and Coordinator, SCDE from 2001 to 2005 and 2008 to 2009, JNTU Hyderabad.
- Principal, JNTUH College of Engineering Manthani, Karimnagar District from June 2010 to Dec 2012.
- Vice-Principal, JNTUH CEH from Oct 2014 to May 2015.
- Served as Chairman, BOS, Physics from 2009 to 2011 and presently also serving as Chairman, BOS, Physics from 2013 to till date JNTUH.
- He is also an expert member of Selection committees for JNTUH and its affiliated colleges. • Guided 05 Ph. D. scholars and 04 scholars were submitted.
- Currently guiding another 09 Ph. D research scholars.
- He is a Fellow of ISTE and ISRP.
- Presently, Director, School of Continuing and Distance Education (SCDE), JNTUH from May, 2015 to till date
- Academic Qualifications - Ph.D. in Nuclear Radiation Physics, Kakatiya University with Awarded (1981-1984)
- **At JNTUH** - Professor, JNTUH College of Engineering Hyderabad (1985 - Till Date)
- **Books** - Dr. S. Chandralingam, Modern Engineering Physics - Dr. S. Chandralingam, Engineering Physics

## Mile Stones of School of Continuing and Distance Education:



## Organizational Structure:



Dr. A. Venu Gopal Reddy  
Vice-Chancellor



Dr. A. Govardhan  
Rector



Dr. N. Yadaiah  
Registrar

## Prelude:

According to National Knowledge Commission report, only 7% of the population between the age group of 18-24 has access to the higher education. This population must be increased to enable India to attain improvement in gross enrolment ratio. Open and Distance Education (ODE) has a very important role to achieve this goal, since more than 1/5<sup>th</sup> of students enrolled in higher education are from ODE stream. The ODE provides education opportunities not only to those who discontinued formal education an account of economic / social compulsions but also to young school leavers who are simply unable to secure admission in formal stream of universities. With the establishment of National Mission on Education through Information & communication Technology (ICT) the Distance Education has become nearer and more accessible than ever.

## Historical Background:

Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, the first Technological University in the county, was established on 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 1972, through an act of legislation by the Government of Andhra Pradesh. This University has been divided into 4 different Universities by the Government of Andhra Pradesh vide Act No.30 in the year 2008. Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad (JNTUH) located at Kukatpally is one among them. The University is accredited by NAAC as 'A' grade institution and recognized by UGC under 12 B category. Realizing its role in providing continuing technological education for working engineers and scientists by removing obsolescence and offering opportunities for upgrading, broadening and diversifying their knowledge and skills, the University has established a Post Graduate School of Continuing Technological Education in 1976. It was inaugurated by the then President of India Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed in the historic Jubilee Hall of Hyderabad. Under this school the part time M. Tech programmes were used to be conducted since then.

## Infrastructure:



Entrance, SCDE



Office, SCDE

## SCDE Office Staff:



Sri. Praveen Kumar, Record Assistant

Sri. Ashok, Driver, SCDE

Sri. Mahesh, Office Subordinate

S.no	Staff Names	Designation
1	Smt. PLK Durga	Senior Assistant
2	B Venkatesh	Computer Programmer
3	T Gopal	Jr. Assistant
4	M Swapna	Jr. Assistant
5	T Prasanna	Jr. Assistant
6	M Praveen Kumar	Record Assistant
7	G Praveen Kumar	Record Assistant
8	B Shyam Rao	Office subordinate
9	R Mahesh	Office subordinate
10	S Ashok	Driver
11	Md Yousuf Sharief	Attender
12	D. Balamani	Attender

## ✚ Academic Year: 2017-18

- ✓ SCDE was offered both part time P.G programmes.
- ✓ B. Tech (CCC)- (CE, EEE, ME, ECE & CSE) programmes till Ac. Yr. 2013- 2014.
  - Master of Business Administration (MBA)
  - Master of Computer Applications (MCA)
  - M. Sc (Chemistry)
  - P.G diploma in Industrial Safety
  - P.G diploma in Supply Chain Management
  - P.G diploma in Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance & Regulatory Affairs
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- ❖ **The activities during this academic year:**
  - Maintenance of data for CCC
  - Issue of Transfer certificates

## Convocation Proceedings /Material Printing by SCDE:

### Equipment for printing:



High speed printer



Pinning Machine



**Colour Printer**



**Computer System with printer**