

# National Institution for Quality and Reliability

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## **15<sup>th</sup> NIQR National Convention**



Humanity has always turned to excellence as a flower turns towards the sun. Quality thus is an abiding interest in and a desire to develop excellence in scholarly pursuit of Arts, Sciences, Engineering, Technology and Humanities. The need to educate and train young men and women, to hone them into professionally competent personalities has been the passion of SASTRA University.

SASTRA University, committed to excellence, with a holistic approach has been consistently maintaining the highest standards in "a man-making education". In the immortal words of Swami Vivekananda, this can only be ensured by quality teaching of the finest calibre.

SASTRA University has vision and mission which reflects its commitment towards providing quality higher education, undertake meaningful research and create overall progress amongst the stake holders involved.

SASTRA's vision is "To be a world class university engaging in meaningful research & development offering quality education to the students and other learners".

The mission statement of SASTRA University is "To impart education turning out good scholars, who are at the same time good individuals and good citizens, in order that they may become useful members of an enlightened humane society".

The goals and objectives of SASTRA University are, establishment of World class University, offer value based education, promote research in social and rural development, establish relationship with renowned universities, facilitate exchange programmes and last but not the least extend benefits of higher education to economically backward and physically challenged students. SASTRA University had been accredited with Grade 'A' by NAAC (National Assessment and Accreditation Council) and recognised as an Autonomous body by the UGC (University Grants Commission).

SASTRA University has emerged as a front runner in higher education and this has led to the establishment of synergetic relationship with multinational giants, international universities and research centres worldwide. SASTRA University has established collaborations with many national and international institutes / industries., notably, AIIMS, (Delhi), CMC, (Vellore), Dartmouth University, (USA), Ecole Polytechinque, (France), Google (USA) and Facebook (USA) among others.

Under SASTRA, the aegis of NMEICT, Indian Institute of Technology, Mumbai have jointly taken up a project of preparing tutorials for the rural and under-privileged people of this country by using ICT tools and knowledge, enabling students prepare a 10minute tutorial on useful topics like safety, nutrition, farming, business, computer literacy, employment, etc. to rural youth, children, traders, etc. SASTRA is ever sensitive and responsive to the needs of the society. It has provided timely help to the needy at times of national calamities.

SASTRA has also designed development programmes for coaching classes on English, Science and Mathematics for the XI & XII standard students of Boys Higher Secondary School, Vallam. Similarly, a motivational camp was conducted at Girls Higher Secondary School, Vallam.

We, the members of NIQR, are privileged to present **NIQR – TVN KIDAO AWARD for OUTSTANDING EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION – 2016 to SASTRA UNIVERSITY** on this day, 11th June 2016 at Chennai.

### **S.Rajasekaran** Convention Chairman – NIQR

#### **R.Sivanesan** National President – NIQR