MSIT
A POSTGRADUATE PROGRAM IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

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ABOUT MSIT

MSIT (MS in IT or Master of Science in Information Technology) is a two-year postgraduate program in Computer Science that started in 2001. It is an innovative multi-university and interdisciplinary postgraduate program. The MSIT program is offered by the 'Consortium of Institutions of Higher Learning' (CIHL), formed by the Universities and Under MOU with CMU(USA), some Carnegie Mellon Researchers are providing guidance on the course content.

Students are admitted to one of the Learning Centers at International Institute of Information Technology (IIIT-H), Hyderabad, School of IT, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad (JNTUH), College of Engineering, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Kakinada (JNTUK), Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Anantapur (JNTUA) and Sri Venkateswara University (SVU).

The MSIT Program aims at shaping up students to be well-rounded professionals, invoking their dormant capabilities through a constant process of individual mentoring. The course follows a unique pedagogy of learning by doing, which facilitates students to learn theory as well as the practical nuances of foundation IT courses. Students also undertake a specialization in a particular domain in their second year of study. As part of this process, the program also includes soft skills training that follows a holistic approach to teach students the life skills required to excel in corporate life.

MSIT produces 'employable students' and adds great value to its students, which reflects in its placements.

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CONSORTIUM OF INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING (CIHL)

The Consortium of Institutions of Higher Learning (CIHL) was incorporated by G.O. Ms. No. 25 (dated 28.05.2002) and G.O. Ms. No. 69 (dated 06.09.2002) issued by the Higher Education Department. CIHL was registered as an educational society.
Admission Procedure

Eligibility
B.Tech / B.E (All branches)
The duration of this program is 2 years


Admissions are based on scores obtained in the entrance test (GAT/GRE).
Admissions are based on ranks obtained in the entrance test. In the MSIT Counseling 2019, candidates are asked to select learning centers and they are allotted seats in rank order.
Candidates admitted into IIITH & JNTUH will be given direct admission into MSIT main program. Candidates admitted into JNTUK, JNTUA & SVU have to undergo a 4-week preparatory program. After successful completion of the preparatory program, they will be admitted into the MSIT main program.

Fee
Annual Fee Rs. 2,00,000/- (IIITH)
Annual Fee Rs. 1,70,000/- (JNTUH)
Annual Fee Rs. 1,60,000/- (JNTUK, JNTUA & SVU)

Admission Fee
Those who get direct admission into the MSIT main program (IIITH, JNTUH) should pay a non-refundable admission fee of Rs. 30,000/- (part of annual fee) at the time of counseling.

Preparatory Fee
Those who obtain admission into the Preparatory program should pay a non-refundable fee of Rs. 10,000/- at the time of counseling.

GAT
Graduate Aptitude Test (GAT) will be conducted by CIHL in two ways.
One is walk-ins and the other one is regular entrance test. Candidates can appear either for walk-ins or regular entrance test OR both tests. Candidates can appear for the GAT for a maximum of 4 times. Walk-ins can be attempted for a maximum of 3 times with a gap of one week and the regular test (GAT) can be attempted once, on fixed dates. The best of these two Test's will be considered for the rankings.

1. Walk-ins
Candidates can attend the test on their convenient dates by booking their slots online at www.msitprogram.net. The test will be conducted in Hyderabad and Kakinada.

2. Regular GAT
This is conducted on fixed dates in 7 centers. (Hyderabad, Warangal, Vijayawada, Kakinada, Tirupati, Vishakhapatnam and Anantapur).

Entrance test waived
GRE: Candidates who have taken the GRE after July, 2016 are exempted from the entrance test (GAT) if they have a score of 301/3.5.

How to Apply
After applying online, a non-refundable amount of Rs.1000/- has to be paid on our website (www.msitprogram.net) by using Credit / Debit card or net banking.
### No. of Students Registered for the placements – 204
### No. of Students placed - 174
### Placements in progress at IIIT-H, JNTUH & JNTUK

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**Major Companies that visited for MSIT 2017 - 2019 Batch**

Packages offered range from 29 lakhs to 3.5 lakhs per annum

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**MSIT A Unique Academic Program**

“MSIT is one of the best IT Programs that has been attracting global reputes to recruit. Involving the students in projects will enable to give a wider scope to understand the industrial requirements in cutting edge technologies*, that is making them industry ready.

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STUDENTS' TESTIMONIES

I secured a full-time job with GE INDIA. Subsequently, I managed an internship with NVIDIA GRAPHICS. On the first day, I was given a problem statement and asked to come up with a solution.

I treasure my experience at MSIT. Importantly because we work on problems in the society that are given as projects as a part of our course work. It was an incredible experience coming up with workable solutions. The learning involved individual and group activities cultivating team skills. Opportunity to work on emerging technologies as Machine Learning has given me an edge to secure a job in one of the best companies in the world.

- Srinivasa Karthik Reddy Guddeti, IIITH

Campus placement got me a job at Amazon. Now, am interning with Amazon before my employment begins. My placement is my dream come true. I always wondered how Amazon is rapidly growing. I realized it in my first experience at Amazon. It is the incredible professionalism that People display; which is an essential dimension for producing good output.

I was able to easily cope with the culture that i inherited at MSIT. We were constantly told that “the solution to the problems is not in the course material!”. We acquired strong foundation of theory and best practice knowledge that can be applied in technical and business situations.

- A.Sahithi Reddy, IIITH

Getting a MSIT degree was a right decision for me in many ways. The most prominent one that I can think of is to explore and learn, which gave me the credence to handle any challenge. Today I have the confidence to acquire any necessary skill required to execute any job.

I am one of the first students to be placed in my batch. I got my placement with Value Momentum and pursuing internship for the company.

- Yaswant Reddy Kadiyam, IIITH

I am placed in American Express as an Analyst and currently interning for the company. The habit of self learning and freedom to choose academic references which I have developed and practiced at MSIT is helping me in being able to quickly contribute to team.

Specialization in DevOps helped me getting the best of two worlds. The experience of professional deliverables as an outcome of the Specialization course gave me a heads up into the work culture. It is helping me communicate better and co-exist with the team.

- Gowtham Saireddy, IIITH

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- Sankalp, JNTUH

I completed my Btech in ECE. But I discovered passion for IT. I was sure that MSIT is the path to make a career in IT. I particularly wanted admission to IIITH where this program is being offered in collaboration with one of the premier institutes in India.

I was keen on this program because it was creating IT-industry-ready graduates and was aiming to offer 100% placement. I am impressed by the Mentorship found throughout IIITH center. There is a strong sense of community learning students and faculty that promotes a steep learning curve. Am happy that I found my job at Huawei Technologies, Bangalore.

- Sheela Jyothsna, IIITH

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- Sankalp, JNTUH

Studying at MSIT gave me abundant confidence and strength to deal with cutting edge technologies which is now helping me a lot in dealing with real world problems. I got placed in Gramener.

- Gandi Ganga Lova Prasad, JNTUH

MSIT course has given me immense confidence to adapt to any technology, to handle pressure and to survive in an ever dynamic and competitive IT industry. I got placed in ZOHO Corporation.

- Harshit Tummuri, JNTUH

MSIT's practical-oriented learning regime in the latest technologies combined with the training in interpersonal and leadership skills drives us to be industry-ready, so much so that facing interviews becomes a breeze. I'm very grateful for my time in MSIT.I got placed in Saven Technologies.

- Ravi Anuraag Daniel, JNTUK
IMPORTANT DATES

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"Walk-in" Entrance Test

The candidates can take walk-in Entrance Test on any Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday (every week) from March 14, 2019 to May 18, 2019.

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**GAT Test Centers**
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Tirupati, Ananthapuramu, Warangal.