RKDF UNIVERSITY, RANCHI



INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN (IDP)

2025 - 2035

(Based on NEP-2020 and UGC Guidelines)

About the University

It was in the year 2018, The founder decided to fulfil his dream of establishing an institute for quality education to the people and the region & beyond initiated "Ayushmati Education And Social Society" trust in an attempt to make the holy city of Ranchi, a recognized destination for knowledge seekers from different spheres of life and strive to become one of the best Universities in Jharkhand. This is what led to the foundation of a milestone at the karmabhoomi of the versatile and sagacious Bhagwan Birsa Munda.

RKDF group has been actively involved with social causes since its very inception and has drawn appreciation from one and all for its works in various facets of societal paradigms. The Group started its journey in 1994 by establishing 1st private engineering college at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. Now the group has 162 institutions & 6 universities (5 in M.P. and one in Jharkhand). The six universities and social society as established by Ayushmati Education are RKDF University, Bhopal (2011), Sri Satya Sai University of Technology & Medical Science Sehore (2014), Sarvepalli Radhakrishna University, Bhopal (2015), Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam University, Indore (2016), Bhabha University, Bhopal (2018), RKDF University,Ranchi (2018)

RKDF Ranchi is a highly prestigious government recognized, established under the Jharkhand government act registered under UGC 2(f) 1956 and approved by the state government. It is also the recognize member of AIU (Association of Indian universities) and the best University as recognized by Indian students as well as students from abroad.

RKDF University in very less time after establishment has signed many MoUs with different company for Research , faculty and student exchange program. RKDF University is also actively participating in conservation of environment Seeing the present scenario RKDF University has launched tree ambulance on 22nd august, 2020 for the treatment of trees in areas around Ranchi which is highly appreciated.

Vision

To establish a University of excellence to impart Higher Education through Knowledge, Pioneering Scholarship, Research and Teaching.

To improve the lives of many students through growth, prosperity and sustainable physical environment through education in the country.

To Fulfil Commitment of providing Quality Education and empowering Excellence for Better Jharkhand.

Mission

Harmonize Higher Education with excellence in Science and Technological output and contribute to livelihood, security and sustainable societal development.

To be recognized as a premium National University providing dedicated service for the Socio-Economic Development of the Nation.

To promote Entrepreneurship in Youth by imparting professional and life skills.

Vice Chancellor's Message

It is my pleasure to welcome you all to our vibrant RKDF University, Ranchi. RKDF University, Ranchi, has made significant strides in imparting quality higher education to the students of all over India & aboard and developing them to be globally competitive and socially responsible citizens with intrinsic values.

We take pride in saying that our University is dedicated to the cause of excellence in Higher Education through Knowledge, Research and Teaching and gives great thrust to empirical research and extension activities with emphasis on application and innovation that caters to the emerging societal needs through all-round development of students of all sections.

At RKDF University, Ranchi, we offer contemporary courses in engineering, management, computer Sciences, Basic Sciences, Applied Sciences, Arts, Commerce and Hotel Management of high quality and strive to pursue distinction in all academics pursuits so as to match global benchmarks.

RKDF University, Ranchi believes in "Contain Multitudes" with different world views, cultures and innovative ways of giving solutions to any problem. We welcome students, faculties, staffs and all irrespective of caste, creed, color, race, religion, language or borders. I wish you all the best for your bright career and promising future portraying an icon of this university.

Prof. (Dr.) Shuchitangshu Chatterjee,

Ph.D in Physics from IIT Kharagpur, WB, India Vice Chancellor, RKDF University, Ranchi

Registrar's Message

It is indeed an honor to be a part of RKDF University, Ranchi which have traversed a long distance in a short span of time by setting up new bench marks in the field of technical as well as professional education. Higher Education in general and technical education in particular holds greater promises for individuals as well to national economy. Besides it produces the sense of self-esteem and dignity. In the present era of globalization, quality has become a dominant factor of success in every sector of the economy and this includes quality in the provision of education. RKDF University with its vision of expanding the frontiers of knowledge and human base is committed to focusing trinity namely the academic excellence, eternal human values and social concern with a view to enabling the young minds to realize their fullest potential.

All of us at the RKDF University aim at preparing talented work force needed by the modern world. Our highly committed 82 dedicated faculties are conscious of the fact that they have to prepare the leaders for tomorrow's world and which is why they do ensure blending of both theory and practical. It hardly needs any mention that in such an academic ambience which the teachers have the responsibility to create the most inspiring teaching and learning environment, the students are obliged to make the most out of it.

Dr. Amit Kumar Pandey

M.Sc (Microbiology), Ph.D Registrar, RKDF University Ranchi

Strategic Pillars and Action Plan (2025–2035)

1. Multidisciplinary Education

- Integrate arts, science, commerce, technology, and vocational subjects.
- Establish an Innovation and Entrepreneurship Cell.
- Offer flexible elective and value-added courses.

2. Academic Bank of Credits (ABC)

- Enable seamless mobility for students between programs and institutions.
- Integrate the university's ERP with ABC portal by 2026.

3. Multiple Entry and Exit System (MEES)

- Implement progressive exit options with UG Certificate/Diploma/Degree by 2026.
- Create awareness campaigns among students.

4. Curriculum and Credit Framework (CCF)

- Revise all programs by 2026 to align with the National Higher Education Qualifications Framework (NHEQF).
- Embed life skills, environmental education, and value-based learning.

5. Digital and Online Learning

- Establish Digital Learning Hubs and Smart Classrooms.
- Integrate LMS and MOOCs like SWAYAM.

6. Internship & Apprenticeship Embedded Degree Programs

- Partner with local industries and hospitals for BBA, BCA, BSc internships.
- Ensure 100% UG/PG internship embedding by 2026.

7. Alumni Connect

- Establish Alumni Association Portal.
- Organize annual alumni meets and involve alumni in mentoring and CSR.

8. Industry-Academia Collaboration

- Sign MoUs with 50+ industries by 2028.
- Establish a Career Development & Industry Connect Cell.
- Create student-industry innovation projects.

9. Research and Development

- Already had a University R&D Cell.
- Starting at Science & Technology Journal by the end of 2025.
- Encourage publication in UGC-CARE, SCOPUS-indexed journals.
- Promote faculty and student patents.

10. Global Engagement and International Collaboration

- Collaborate with foreign universities for faculty exchange.
- Launch an Office of International Affairs by 2028.

11. Ranking and Accreditation

- Prepare for NAAC accreditation by 2026 and NIRF participation by 2026.
- Conduct regular SWOC analysis and performance reviews.

12. Courses in Indian Languages

• Develop multilingual study material for first-generation learners.

13. Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS)

- Introduce foundation courses on Ayurveda, and Culture.
- Collaborate with IKS Division, MoE.

14. Sustainable Financial Strategy

- Launch skill-based, industry-sponsored diploma courses.
- Encourage consultancy, alumni donations, and CSR funding.
- Develop endowment fund by 2030.

15. Student Support & Inclusivity

- Establish Career Counselling & Mental Wellness Centre.
- Strengthen Women Empowerment Cell and SEDG support.
- Offer scholarships for underprivileged and tribal students.

16. Technology Integration

- Use AI tools for academic tracking and personalized learning paths.
- Automate student attendance, feedback, and grievance redressal.

Monitoring and Evaluation

- **IQAC** will act as the nodal agency to monitor implementation.
- Bi-annual IDP review reports and yearly audits.
- Stakeholder feedback integration.

Conclusion

RKDF University, Ranchi envisions this Institutional Development Plan (2025–2035) as a strategic framework to grow into a multidisciplinary, research-driven, digitally empowered, and socially responsible university. This plan aligns with India's educational aspirations and lays the foundation for academic excellence and nation-building.