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Date: 16 January 2026

To,

Vice-Chancellors / Principals / Directors  
AICTE-Approved Universities / Institutions

**SUBJECT: Participate in Joint AICTE-Veterans India National Patriotic Runs |  
Republic Day 26 January 2026**

Respected Sir/Madam,

1. AICTE is pleased to advise all Vice-Chancellors, Principals, and Directors of Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) to actively participate in the Joint AICTE-Veterans India National Patriotic Runs – 2026, to be organised on the occasion of Republic Day, 26 January 2026, on the national theme “Vande Mataram.”

**Date:** 26 January 2026

**Time:** 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM (Uniform National Time Slot).

2. This national initiative, conducted successfully for the last four consecutive years, has demonstrated a strong and visible positive impact on patriotism, discipline, physical fitness, and nation-building values among students and faculty across campuses.
3. The event will be organised as a Joint AICTE-Veterans India National Initiative, featuring:
  - a. Common AICTE-Veterans India banner and branding
  - b. Online registration and digital participation certificates
  - c. Implementation strictly as per SOPs issued by Veterans India.
4. All HEIs are requested to confirm participation by submitting the Consent Form at the link below:

**HEI Consent Form:**

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfUjhKXwFBbQI27qgErmz9\\_4px\\_Pde8HqkCUia3HWtAKiKlw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfUjhKXwFBbQI27qgErmz9_4px_Pde8HqkCUia3HWtAKiKlw/viewform)



- Joint grant applications (AICTE, DST, MeitY, etc.) and project collaboration

We have prepared a comprehensive MoU draft (attached) that reflects mutual academic values, flexibility for future activities, and compliance with standard institutional MoU frameworks (including provisions for SoW, IPR, and confidentiality) and will be shared with you at the venue.

**Venue:** IIT Campus, Hauz Khas, New Delhi, Delhi 110016

**Date:** 28-01-2026 & 29-01-2026

**Timings:** 10 AM to 3 PM followed by lunch

We kindly request your esteemed institute to:

1. Suggest any modifications as per **IIT Delhi's** policy, and
2. Facilitate the formal signing process at your earliest convenience.

This collaboration will significantly enrich our academic ecosystem and empower students and faculty to contribute to India's vision of **"Viksit Bharat through Innovation."**

Thank you for your time and support. We look forward to building a meaningful and enduring partnership with IIT - Delhi.

Yours sincerely,  
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From  
The Director  
Indian Institute of Technology - **IIT Delhi**

Subject: Request to attend the annual meet of IIT Delhi and exchange a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for Academic, Research, and Innovation Collaboration on **AI and Quantum Computing with Placements** on 28th and 29th Jan 2026.

In this context, we propose a formal institutional partnership through a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between IIT Delhi and SITS to collaboratively engage in the following:

- Joint Research & Development (R&D) in **AI/HealthTech & Quantum Computing**
- Synergy between IIC and IEDC cells for innovation and entrepreneurship
- Summer/winter internships for students of both institutions
- Faculty Development Programs (FDPs) and Short Duration Programs (SDPs) on emerging AI topics
- Capstone and research projects under joint faculty supervision