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FOOTWEAR DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

AN INSTITUTION OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE under FDDI Act 2017

2025-26 PROGRAMME PROSPECTUS







- Footwear Design & Production
- Leather, Lifestyle & Product Design
- Retail & Fashion Merchandise
- Fashion Design

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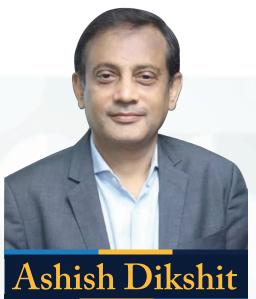
RECOGNITION

" **FDDI IS PLAYING A KEY ROLE** IN IMPARTING EDUCATION, **FACILITATING THE INDIAN INDUSTRY BY BRIDGING THE SKILL GAP IN THE AREAS OF** FOOTWEAR, FASHION, RETAIL **AND LEATHER ACCESSORY &** LIFE STYLE PRODUCT, AND **BECAUSE OF ITS CONTINUOUS CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS NATION BUILDING, FDDI HAS BEEN GRANTED THE STATUS OF "AN INSTITUTION OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE**" UNDER THE FDDI ACT 2017.

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

Dear Students and Industry Partners,

Footwear Design and Development Institute (FDDI) which is having its twelve campuses across the country located at Noida, Fursatganj, Chennai, Kolkata, Rohtak, Chhindwara, Guna, Jodhpur, Ankleshwar, Banur, Patna and Hyderabad are improving the quality of education and leaving no stone unturned to achieve and surpass the expectations cast upon it as an 'Institute of National Importance'.



To make mark on the educational spectrum, FDDI is in the process of consolidating these campuses and establishing FDDI as a brand in the educational landscape.

It has also developed strong competencies for promoting skill and knowledge in retail, fashion, and leather goods sectors. With India's economy poised to grow at a significant rate for many years to come in future, these sectors, especially retail, will offer plenty of opportunities to graduating students.

FDDI has established Centers of Excellences (CoEs) at some of the campuses. These CoEs have been provided with the facility specifically equipped for addressing a particular thematic area of specialisation and is having the best available infrastructure and skills to not only aid research and development, but, also address concerns of the industry like product development, technological assistance and centres for incubation and entrepreneurship development.

FDDI is intensively engaged in the work related to quality & certification through its International Testing Centre (ITC) located at Noida and Chennai having physical & chemical testing laboratories. These labs are equipped with state of art testing facilities where testing of leather products, footwear, footwear components, textile products and miscellaneous articles made up of plastics is carried out. Prominent brands such as Adidas, Reebok, Puma, Nike, Renault, Nissan, and IOCL have used our lab for testing their products.

It is awarded with prestigious certifications and accreditations such as SATRA Technology Center-UK, ISO 9001 and ISO 14000 Certification and Bureau of Indian Standard Certification.

Recently, we have restructured the Noida & Chennai labs with new advanced machines for improving testing and inspection in a transparent manner.

I take this opportunity to extend a cordial invitation to the industry representatives as well as students on campus to become a part of this journey.

Thank you for taking the time to read this message.

Best regards, Ashish Dikshit Chairman, FDDI - Governing Council

MESSAGE FROM THE MANAGING DIRECTOR

Footwear Design and Development Institute (FDDI), with twelve campuses across India in locations including Noida, Fursatganj, Chennai, Kolkata, Rohtak, Chhindwara, Guna, Jodhpur, Ankleshwar, Banur, Patna, and Hyderabad, stands as a premier 'Institute of National Importance.' Committed to setting benchmarks in education, FDDI strives to excel in shaping the future of retail, fashion, and leather goods, aligning with India's economic aspirations and the leather and footwear industry's growth trajectory.

The institute aims to elevate its brand presence across the educational landscape by consolidating resources and expanding its impact.



To strengthen industry relevance and foster innovation, FDDI has established Centers of Excellence (CoEs) across seven campuses. These CoEs provide specialized resources, cutting-edge infrastructure, and high-end technology to support research, product development, and entrepreneurial ventures. Incorporating advanced methods, including Industry 4.0 technologies such as additive manufacturing, AI, and augmented reality, the CoEs emphasize FDDI's dedication to staying ahead of industry trends.

FDDI's International Testing Centers (ITCs) at Noida and Chennai are recognized by prestigious bodies, including SATRA, UK, and NABL, India. Equipped with modern facilities for testing leather, textiles, and footwear, the ITCs cater to prominent brands like Adidas, Nike, and Renault, reinforcing India's leather sector through Quality Control Orders (QCOs) issued by the Government of India. FDDI plays a critical role in implementing these standards, thus supporting the government's vision for the leather industry as a 'Champion Sector' under 'Make in India.'

Aligned with national initiatives such as 'Skill India,' 'Start-Up India,' and 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat,' FDDI imparts skills-based education through its four specialized schools: Footwear Design & Production, Fashion Design, Leather Goods and Accessories Design, and Retail and Fashion Merchandise. FDDI' s hands-on approach combines theoretical learning with industry-specific training through seminars, webinars, industrial visits, and practical Quality Control exposure, which help students secure Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) and bolster career progression.

FDDI's modern campuses offer advanced facilities like smart classrooms, IT labs, and internationally accredited testing centers, all designed to prepare students for professional challenges and entrepreneurial paths. Accredited with ISO certifications, FDDI sets rigorous quality standards for education, infrastructure, and industry collaboration, making it a Launchpad for students' aspirations. The institute's robust alumni network and industry partnerships testify to FDDI's commitment to nurturing professionals who drive innovation and lead in their fields. Prospective students will find FDDI a vibrant, supportive community that is committed to empowering them through a transformative academic journey. As FDDI continues to shape future leaders, the institute invites students and industry partners alike to join its mission of innovation, growth, and national advancement.

> Best regards, DR. SUMEET KUMAR JARANGAL, IAS MD, FDDI

FROM THE DESK OF THE SECRETAR

Dear Students,

Responding to the need and sustained demand of the leather and footwear industry at a time when the industry was faced with several challenges that needed comprehensive and quick response FDDI was set up in the year 1986 under the aegis of the Ministry of Commerce, Government of India.

A Governing Council, consisting of a judicious blend of Col. Pankaj K Sinha Government Representatives, Industrialists, Financial Persons and



Academicians from all over the country has been constituted to supervise matters related to the institute.

The Government of India has a very strong vision of positioning India as a 'Global Manufacturing Hub'and achieving the ambitious target of USD 47 Billion by 2030 by the Leather and Leather Products Sector of the country. The leather and footwear industry holds an important place in the Hon'ble Prime Minister's drive to 'Make in India' programme and thus, has been chosen as a 'Champion Sector'.

Fulfilling the goals of Hon'ble Prime Minister's 'Vocal for Local', 'Make in India', 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat', 'Skill India', and 'Start-up India' Programmes, the need of the hour is to adhere to the 7S i.e. Skill, Scale, Speed, Sustainability, Supply Chain, Style and Sales which are interrelated factors that determines the effectiveness of Leather and Leather Products and Allied Sector.

Thus, being the apex institute, the onus lies upon FDDI which is imparting skill base training and education through its four schools namely, School of Footwear Design & Production (FDP), School of Fashion Design (FD), School of Leather Goods and Accessories Design (LGAD), and School of Retail and Fashion Merchandise (RFM).

Since its inception, FDDI has been a cornerstone of nurturing talent and fostering growth in the dynamic sectors of Footwear, Leather Products, Retail, and Fashion Design. FDDI got the "Institution of National Importance" status under the FDDI Act 2017, a testament to our unwavering dedication to nation-building and education.

At FDDI, we believe in setting the highest standards of education and infrastructure. Our state-of-the-art 12 campuses located across the nation, provide an inspiring environment for learning. Equipped with modern amenities such as smart classrooms, cutting-edge workshops, advanced IT labs, and internationally recognized testing centers, FDDI creates an immersive learning experience that prepares you for the challenges of the industry and grow as an entrepreneur.

FDDI has set up Centers of Excellence (CoEs) at seven of the campuses which are dedicated hubs of specialized knowledge, equipped to address industry concerns, conduct research, foster innovation, and provides one-point solutions for product development.

To meet the cutting edge technologies requirement such as additive manufacturing, AI application in design and data analysis, latest software's, and augmented reality application, digital enterprise, FDDI has initiated the processes of Industry 4.0 application through operationalization of these CoEs which are having the best available infrastructure and skills to not only aid research and development, but also to address concerns of the industry like product development, technological assistance and centers for incubation and entrepreneurship development. These centers underscore our dedication to staying at the forefront of technological advancements and industry trends.

FDDI has two International Testing Centre (ITC) one in North India (Noida) & other in South India (Chennai) recognized with prestigious certifications and accreditations, including ISO 17025 recognition from NABL, India and accreditation by Shoe and Allied Trades Research Association (SATRA), United Kingdom and well equipped with state of art testing equipment's. The center specializes in testing of leather, leather products, footwear (Safety, Fashion and Sports), footwear components, textile products & plastics.

To help in increasing production of quality footwear and establishing Indian brands in the global markets, the Government of India has issued Quality Control Order (QCOs) for the leather and foot- wear sector. This has paved way for FDDI ITCs enhancing its scope of testing. FDDI is instrumental in implementation of QCO and resolving the teething problem of the industry. It is and contributing in finalization of standards and also in sensitizing the industry about the implementation of QCOs.

These accolades reflect our unwavering commitment to quality education, industry relevance, and global standards.

For furtherance of the skills & knowledge and to secure the career progression, seminars, webinars, industrial visits, hands on Quality Control & testing are carried out by the Institute. They are also encouraged for filing of 'Intellectual Property Rights' (IPRs).

As you explore our diverse range of Bachelor's, Master's degree, PhD programs, short-term industry-specific courses, and specialized training, you'll find that FDDI isn't just an institution; it's a Launchpad for your dreams. Our expert faculty, in collaboration with industry leaders, crafts a curriculum that seamlessly blends theory with practice. The hands-on experience you gain on cutting-edge machinery and workshops sets you on the path to becoming proficient and industry-ready professionals and world-class leaders.

Our strong alumni network and industry collaborations speak to the credibility and impact of an FDDI education. We pride ourselves on nurturing professionals who drive innovation, steer change, and shape the future of their chosen fields.

As you contemplate your academic journey, envision FDDI as more than a college—it's a community that will challenge, inspire, and empower you to realize your full potential. Our commitment to your growth, coupled with the nurturing environment we provide, assures that your time at FDDI will be a transformative experience.

I invite you to join us on this path of discovery, innovation, and excellence. Together, let's build a future that not only enhances your career but also contributes to the growth and development of our nation and industries.

Best regards, Col. Pankaj Kumar Sinha Secretary, FDDI

FDDI ADVANTAGES



PRESIDENT OF INDIA IS A VISITOR OF FDDI

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INSTITUTE OF IN NATIONAL **IMPORTANCE UNDER FDDI ACT 2017**



CENTRALIZED PLACEMENT





INCUBATION CENTRE

UG, PG DOCTORATE **DEGREE** (PhD)

FOREWORD

The FDDI, under the aegis of Ministry of Commerce & Industry, has been playing a pioneering role in shaping the development of the Footwear & Leather sector in India.

It has been at the fore-front of providing technical education and expertise in this sector, propelling India to become the 2nd largest producer of footwear, 2nd largest exporter of leather garments and 5th largest exporter of leather goods in the World. The footwear industry in India now contributes about two per cent to India's overall GDP and providing job to about 4.42 million people, making the sector one of the top employment generators in the country. Additionally, with the Apparel and foot- wear sector growing in double-digits in the last few years, they are likely to propel growth in organized retail segment as well in the coming decade.

FDDI has completed 38 eventful years making significant contributions to the footwear, leather and allied industry through its academic programmes in design, technology and management, capacity building through skill up gradation to compete globally and offering technical assistance and support to the leather industry for product development, quality assurance, technology enhancement and other managerial, environmental and business solutions.

For the purpose of upgrading the skill at grass route level, for the unorganized sector, FDDI has provided training to the artisans in remote villages/ SMEs clusters engaged in the leather/foot-wear sector by 'spreading & sustaining a technology culture in the leather sector'.

FDDI is among the top three Institutions in the World taking up higher education in the core domain and aiding in bridging the skill gap in the areas of Footwear, Leather Accessory & lifestyle products.



In its zest for fostering the culture of innovation as part of its vision for shaping the future of Footwear & Leather sector in India, FDDI has established Centres of Excellence across seven of its campuses in differ- ent areas such as FDDI Rohtak – Center for Non-Leather Footwear, Products & Accessories, FDDI Jodhpur – Center for High Performance/ Specialized Footwear & Products and Start Ups, FDDI Kolkata- Center for Leather Goods, Garments & Accessories, FDDI Chennai – Center for Design, Development & Fabric Interface, FDDI Hyderabad – Center for Design, Development & Fabric Interface for Leather Products & Accessories- Extended and FDDI Patna- Center for Leather Finishing Innovation & Product Retailing.

Many of the leading Indian industrialists act as academic and governing council members of this Institute and participate in its academic matters such as curriculum upgradation, programme designing, expertise lectures, etc. It offers a vast range of academic programs in the niche areas of Footwear, Fashion, Retail & Leather goods such as B.Des., BBA, M.Des. and MBA through its four schools namely School of Footwear Design & Production, School of Fashion Design, School of Leather Goods & Accessories Design, School of Retail & Fashion Merchandise. The programme curriculum includes creative workshops, case studies and meetings with professionals to understand the specificities of fashion and footwear related careers.

For furtherance of the skills & knowledge and to secure the career progression of the students, industrial visits, seminars, webinars are conducted by the Institute throughout the year.

To provide a unique learning experience and facilitate global industry exposure for students, FDDI has been building strong international linkages and tie-ups through technical trainings and application-based managerial specialized courses in the fields of Footwear Fashion/Styling and CAD, Marketing, Merchandising, Buying/Sourcing, Costing and Quality Management in the Footwear Retailing sector.

FDDI has worked very diligently to maintain its position as one of the key industry partners and a preferred sourcing destination for talent acquisition pertaining to leather, fashion, footwear and retail industries.

With the admission cycle for academic year 2025-26 now being initiated, we are fully com- mitted to creating industry relevant graduates and tomorrow's business leaders. We welcome you all to be a part of this exciting journey!



ABOUT FDDI



Footwear Design & Development Institute was established in 1986, under the aegis of Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India with major objectives:

- > To Develop Human Resources within the country by imparting appropriate knowledge and skills to promote the rapid growth of footwear and allied industry in the country
- > To provide and develop appropriate infrastructure for the Indian footwear industry to enable it attain international standards of production and
- To particularly promote the growth of export production of quality footwear and allied products from the country

FDDI offers Bachelor, Masters, PhD programmes in the areas of Footwear Design & Production, Fashion Design, Retail & Fashion Merchandise and Leather Goods & Accessories Design, besides offering short term Industry specific programmes.

FDDI is playing a key role in imparting education, facilitating the Indian industry by bridging the skill gap in the areas of Footwear, Fashion, Retail and Leather Accessory & life style product, and because of its continuous contribution towards nation building, FDDI has been granted the status of "Institution of National Importance" under the FDDI Act 2017.

FDDI has Pan India Presence with 12 state-of art campuses spread across the country. It has world class Infrastructure & Facilities (equipped with Smart Class Rooms, Workshops with latest machineries & equipment's, High tech IT lab, High end Product development Centre, International Testing Centre, Comprehensive Library, Auditorium & Sports facilities, and In campus Hostels etc.), created across the functional domain to ensure international standards of higher education, training & delivery for Footwear. Leather products, Retail and Allied Industries - 360° interventions under one umbrella.

FDDI ADVANTAGES / UNIQUE PROPOSITION

- FDDI is a premier academic and training institution dedicated to the development and growth of the Footwear & Product, Leather Products, Retail and Fashion Merchandise and Fashion Design sectors.
- Institution of National Importance (INI) like IITs and IIMs that has the authority to grant degree. Academic programs covering niche areas like Footwear, Fashion, Retail & Leather Goods all under with holistic interventions under one umbrella.
- Curriculum designed and developed by experts from eminent institution/ organizations such as University of Northampton (UK), IIT, IIM, etc.
- Courses designed to provide real Industrial experience resolving challenges faced by industry through Internship, Live projects, Field visits, Case studies etc. with well qualified faculties.
- FDDI has international partnerships for training and consulting with countries like South Africa, Vietnam, Ethiopia, Nepal, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka among others.
- Alumni have grown to key positions in the industry such as Vice President, CEOs in national and multinational companies.
- Centralized placements equal opportunities for all candidates.
- 7 campuses of FDDI approved as "Centre of Excellence" to take up research and innovation, as pioneer, in the core domain
- World class laboratories and testing centers at Noida and Chennai with state of art testing equipment's mostly from SATRA, UK and PFI, Germany

PAN INDIA PRESENCE WITH 12 FULL-FLEDGED CAMPUSES

FDDI is known for nurturing high end trained specialized professionals through its programmes. The Institute has a strong Alumni base and strong industry linkage. Almost all the leading Industries of the country are associated with the Institute and have a key participation in academic matters such as Programme design, curriculum upgradation, expertise lectures, as academic and governing council members etc. Due to the excellent quality of skill development, contemporary industry oriented curriculum and hands on experience on state of the art machine and workshops, FDDI holds an excellent record of placements in the industry.

VISION AND MISSION

OUR VISION

In our endeavor to make India the leading hub for Design, Technology, Retail and Management in the world, we shall take necessary steps for creating quality infrastructure for design, development, production and support service system for the Indian industry. Our efforts would be in the direction, which makes this Institute the world leader in the field of fashion design, technology, retail management due to the quality of our products & services, response and cost effectiveness."





OUR MISSION

"Our Mission as an institution is to provide world-class education, foster research and development, evolve innovation application and encourage technology, entrepreneurship and ultimately mould young men and women capable of assuming leadership of the society for the betterment of the country."



ACCREDITATION, MEMBERSHIPS & CREDENTIALS

The Footwear Design and Development Institute Act 2017 published in the Gazette of India on August 5, 2017 confers Statutory Status on the Institute. The President of India is the 'Visitor' of the Institute under the Act. The Act empowers the Institute to grant degrees, diplomas, certificates, or any other qualification and to confer awards, honorary degrees or other academic distinction or titles.

FDDI is the first training Institute in the area of core competencies to be awarded various prestigious certifications / accreditations from leading international organizations.



EDUCATION COLLABRATION

FDDI recognized by National Council for Vocational Training (NCVT) as its awarding body.





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FDDI collaborate with Tomas Bata University in the Czech Republic to establish a student and faculty exchange program, fostering cross-cultural learning and innovation. This partnership aims to enhance academic experiences and global perspectives for both institutions.





The Study in India portal, an initiative by the Government of India led by the Ministry of Education in partnership with the Ministries of External Affairs, Commerce and Industry, and Home Affairs, promotes quality higher education in India. It provides essential resources on courses, scholarships, and admission processes for international students to reinforce India's role as a global education hub. FDDI is proudly listed as a partner institute on this platform.

Recognized by Ministry of external affairs for awarding Atal Bihari Vajpayee General scholarship scheme for international student.





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The primary aim of this institutional collaboration is to enhance LFMEAB's capabilities in preparing, developing, and delivering training and related services for the footwear and leather goods sector in Bangladesh.





FDDI and ICAR-NINFET have joined forces to enhance academic and research collaboration, opening doors for innovative product development through advancements in materials and design. This partnership aims to drive forward both institution's capabilities in creating impactful, industry-leading solutions.

FDDI has taken a leading role in fostering skill development and industry alignment by partnering with Careerself Service Pvt Ltd, Allure, REC, and Galgotias University. Through these collaborations, FDDI is extending its expertise and resources to benefit students and faculty from other institutions, enhancing academic growth, industry readiness, and career opportunities across the board to bridge academia and industry, supporting India's vision of enhancing its global stature in the footwear and leather sectors.



PEDAGOGY

Educational Methodology

At FDDI, the academic transaction methodology provides students with a holistic understanding of their subjects and contexts, fostering innovation and adaptability. The curriculum blends contact hours, studio practice, group work, and self-study, emphasizing immersive learning through hands-on experience and reflection.

Interdisciplinary Minors

Students can choose from a variety of interdisciplinary minors that enhance their knowledge and skills, supporting diverse career paths. These options provide valuable insights that can complement their primary studies or open new avenues for professional growth.

Integrated assignments

Integrated assignments are designed to foster holistic understanding by requiring students to synthesize their knowledge and skills across various subjects. This approach ensures comprehensive evaluation and encourages a deeper assimilation of learning.

Specialization

Students can enhance their core majors through focused specializations, providing them with a competitive advantage in specific industries. Additionally, floating majors are available for those eager to explore topics beyond the traditional curriculum.

Academic Mentoring

Each student is paired with an academic mentor in addition to their subject mentor, offering personalized guidance to identify strengths and areas for improvement. This mentorship supports students in selecting deepening specializations and interdisciplinary minors, complementing the academic mentoring they receive during internships and graduation projects.

Craft Cluster Initiative

All FDDI students will engage in an immersive experience with a craft cluster, featuring lectures and demonstrations by master artisans. This initiative includes visits to the craft cluster to explore the techniques, practices, and the socioeconomic and cultural context of the craft. Students will also have opportunities for co-creation and design infusion in areas such as product development, branding, and marketing.

Industry Connect

The new curriculum strengthens FDDI industry engagement by formalizing visits to industry sites, exhibitions, and fairs. It includes coursework conducted in industry environments, along with mentorship and live classroom projects based on real industry briefs.

Continuous Evaluation

FDDI courses emphasize creativity and flexibility, aiming to produce well-rounded graduates skilled in millennial competencies. The evaluation process is designed to recognize the nuances of creativity and innovation while ensuring fair and impartial assessment.

WE ARE THE NEWS MAKERS



लिए सराहना की। उन्होंने उद्योग की जरूरतों को परा करने तथा विकास को आगे बढ़ाने में संस्थान के योगदान पर जोर दिया।कार्यशाला में प्रमुख संगठनों के वरिष्ठ प्रतिनिधियों की भागीदारी शामिल थी, जिनमें भारतीय फुटवियर उद्योग परिसंघ (सीआईएफआई)-

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Gurugram. On Saturday, at Apparel House, Sec-44, Gurugram the FDDI's School of Fashion Design, an arise of Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Gover dly unve iled its an ual Fashion Bla zen 2024 wity of its Graduating Batch of 2020

perspectives, inspirations, and technical prowess. From

utting-edge couture to sustainable fashion, the runway was blazed with a diverse array of designs that push the

ng to the prestige of the occasion, Col. Pankaj K. a, Managing Director, FDDI, graced the event as t

Chief Guest, expressing his excitement: "We are thrilled to showcase the cuimination of our students' hard work

daries of creativity.

and creativity at this year's Fashion Show. Each collection is a testament to their talent, innovation, and unwavering commi to excellence."

The Fashion Show not only provided a platform for our graduating batch to exhibit their talent to industry professionals, media, and fashion enthusiasts but also represented the culmination of years of dedication, passion, and hard work. It marked a significant e in their academic and creative journey, setting the stag future endeavors in the fashion industry



Organized by FDDI's Fashion Design Department, this event promises an evening of glamour, sophistication, evening of glamour, sophistication, and artistic flair. It's an unparalleled opportunity to witness the of the next ger n luminaries as they leave lible mark on the glo



एफ डी डी आई दीक्षांत समारोह में स्नातक छात्रों को दी गई डिग्री

नोएडा, मेट्रो मीडिया।

एफडीडीआई का दीक्षांत समारोह 16 दिसंबर 2023 को आयोजित किया गया, जिसकी शुरुआत एफडीडीआई के प्रबंध निदेशक कर्नल पंकज कुमार सिन्हा के हार्दिक स्वागत भाषण के साथ हुई, जिसने स्नातक छात्रों के लिए उत्साह और गर्व का माहौल स्थापित किया। कर्नल सिन्हा ने उद्योगों और बाजारों के निरंतर विकसित परिदृश्य के संदर्भ में उनकी उपलब्धियों के महत्व पर प्रकाश डालते हुए स्नातकों को उनकी कड़ी मेहनत और समर्पण के लिए बधाई देते हुए पास छात्रों को डिग्रिया प्रदान को गई।

एफडीडीआई में माननीय मुख्य अतिथि राजेश कुमार सिंह, भा.प्र.से., सचिव, डीपीआईआईटी, वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार का एक प्रेरक संबोधन देखा गया। सचिव जी, ने एफडीडीआई में छात्रों द्वारा अपनी शैक्षणिक यात्रा के दौरान अर्जित कोशल और ज्ञान के महत्व पर जोर दिया। उन्होंने छात्रों को परिवर्तन के लिए उत्प्रेरक बनने, देश



की वृद्धि और विकास में योगदान देने के लिए प्रोत्साहित किया। उनके संबोधन ने दर्शकों को भाव-विभोर किया और स्नातकों को दृढ़ संकल्प एवं जिम्मदारी की भावना के साथ अपनी व्यावसायिक यात्रा शुरू करने के लिए प्रेरित किया।

दीक्षांत समारोह में संकाय सदस्यों, छात्रों और शुभचिंतकों ने भाग लिया, जिन्होंने स्नातकों को अपनी उपाधि और पुरस्कार प्राप्त करते हुए देखा गया। दीक्षांत समारोह का वातावरण उपलब्धि और गर्व की भावना से ओत-प्रोत था, क्योंकि छात्रों ने अपने शैक्षिक वैभव से सुसज्जित होकर, अपनी शैक्षणिक गतिविधियाँ के सफल समापन का जञ्जन मनाया।

कर्नल पंकज कुमार सिन्हा ने इस अवसर की शोभा बढाने और स्नातक वर्ग को बहमुल्य परिज्ञान प्रदान करने के लिए डीपीआईआईटी के सचिव, श्री राजेश कमार सिंह के प्रति आभार व्यक्त किंया। उन्होंने दीक्षांत समारोह को यादगार बनाने में सामूहिक प्रयासों के लिए सभी संकाय सदस्यों, कर्मचारियों और छात्रों को धन्यवाद दिया।



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डिजाइन एंड डेवलपमेंट इंस्टीट्यूट (एफडीडीआई) में शुक्रवार को फुटवियर डिजाइनिंग व डेवलपमेंट पर राष्ट्रीय कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया।

इसमें इंवेस्ट इंडिया, चमड़ा निर्यात परिषद (सीएलई), भारतीय फुटवियर उद्योग परिसंघ (सीआइएफआइ), चमड़ा क्षेत्र कौशल परिषद (एलएसएसइ), इंडियन फुटवियर कंपोनेंट्स मैन्युफैक्चरर्स एसोसिएशन (आइएफसीओएमए) समेत अन्य संगठनों ने हिस्सा लिया। इस दौरान भारत सरकार के उद्योग संवर्धन और आंतरिक व्यापार विभाग (डीपीआईआईटी) के अपर सचिव राजीव सिंह ठाकर ने एफडीडीआई के विश्व स्तरीय



बुनियादी ढांचे और फुटवियर फैशन एवं चमडा क्षेत्रों में शीर्ष प्रशिक्षण प्रदान करने की भूमिका की सराहना की। एफडीडीआई के प्रबंध निदेशक कर्नल पंकज कुमार सिन्हा ने अत्याधुनिक शिक्षा और प्रशिक्षण प्रदान करने के लिए संस्थान के चल रहे प्रयासों पर प्रकाश डाला। व्यरो



फुटवियर उद्योग के विकास में एफडीडीआइ की अहम भूमिका

जागरण संवाददाता, नोएडाः सेक्टर-24 स्थित फुटवियर डिजाइन एंड इंस्टीट्यूट डेवलपमेंट (एफडीडीआइ) में शुक्रवार को फुटवियर डिजाइनिंग और डेवलपमेंट पर राष्ट्रीय कार्यशाला का किया आयोजन गया। इसमें फुटवियर इंडस्टी से जुड़े अकादमिक विशेषज्ञों और उद्यमियों ने प्रतिभाग किया। इसमें भारतीय फुटवियर उद्योग परिसंघ, इंवेस्ट चमड़ा निर्यात परिषद, इंडिया. इंडियन फटवियर कंपोर्नेट्स मैन्युफैक्चरर्स एसोसिएशन, चमडा क्षेत्र कौशल परिषद समेत अन्य संगठनों की सहभागिता रही। कार्यशाला का शुभारंभ करते हुए भारत सरकार के अधीन डीपीआइआइटी के अपर सचिव राजीव सिंह ठाकुर इंडस्ट्री व अकादमिक समन्वय बढाने पर जोर दिया।

एफडीडीआइ के प्रबंध निदेशक कर्नल पंकज कुमार सिन्हा ने कहा कि वह उद्योगों की जरूरत को देखते हुए अत्याधुनिक शिक्षा व प्रशिक्षण पर काम कर रहे हैं। जहां पर माइक्रो स्तर पर काम हो रहा है।



celebrated for their achievements.







12वीं कक्षा उत्तीण छात्र कर सकेंगे कोर्स

एफडीडीआई के कार्यकारी निदेशक अनिल कुमार ने इस समझौते को एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम बताया है। जिससे पश्चिमी राजस्थान में आर्थिक विकास को बढ़ावा मिलेगा और एफडीडीआई के छात्रों को भी फायदा होगा तथा राजस्थान व आसपास के 12वीं उत्तीर्ण छात्र फुटवियर डिजाइन कोर्स करने के लिए प्रेरित होंगे व उनकी पढ़ाई पूरी होने के बाद जोघपुर में ही उनके लिए रोजगार की संभावना बढ़ जाएगी।

> समझौते का मुख्य उद्देश्य राजस्थान में फुटवियर उद्योग को नया आयाम देना एवं राज्य सरकार के राइजिंग राजस्थान के उद्देश्य को पूरा करना है। जिससे राज्य में रोजगार के नए अवसर पैदा होंगे और आर्थिक विकास को बढ़ावा मिलेगा तथा फुटवियर डिजाइन के विद्यार्थियों को रोजगार के लिए अन्य शहरों में नहीं जाना पडेगा।

देने के लिए एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम है। एफडीड आई के पूर्व छात्र एवं उद्योगपति नीरेन आनंद विदेशी दौरे पर होने के कारण उद्योग समिट में उपस्थित नहीं हो पाए जिसके चलते उनकी जगह एफडीडीआई के प्रतिनिधि मोहित माथुर ने एमओयू की प्रतिप्राप्त की। उनके भारत लौटते ही आगे की विस्तृत जानकारी मीडिया के साथ साझा की जाएगी । इस

एफडीडीआई के पूर्व छात्र व उद्योगपति नरेंद्र आनंद ने एफडीडीआई के साथ किया एमओयू

नवज्योति/जोधपुर। उद्योग समिट में राज्य सरकार और फुटवियर डिजाइन और डेवलपमेंट इंस्टीट्यूट एफडीडीआई के पूर्व छात्र व उद्योगपति नीरेन आनंद के बीच 100 करोड़ रुपए के फुटवियर उद्योग का एमओयू किया गया। इस एमओयू से सूर्यनगरी में जल्द ही फुटवियर इंडस्ट्रीज की स्थापना की जाएगी। यह समझौता फुटवियर उद्योग में नए अवसरों को बढ़ावा देने और राज्य में आर्थिक विकास को बढ़ावा

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राजस्थान में फुटवियर उद्योग को नया आयाम देना एवं राज्य सरकार के राइजिंग राजस्थान के उद्देश्य को पूरा करना है। इससे राज्य में रोजगार के नए अवसर पैदा होंगे और आर्थिक विकास को बढ़ावा मिलेगा। फुटवियर डिजाइन के विद्यार्थियों को रोजगार के लिए अन्य शहरों में नहीं जाना पड़ेगा। एफडीडीआई के कार्यकारी निदेशक अनिल कुमार ने इस समझौते को एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम बताया। राजस्थान व आसपास के 12वीं उत्तीर्ण छात्र फुटवियर डिजाइन कोर्स करने के लिए प्रेरित होंगे।

जोधपुर | राइजिंग राजस्थान के तहत फुटवियर डिजाइन और डेवलपमेंट इंस्टीट्यूट (एफडीडीआई) के पूर्व छात्र व उद्योगपति नीरेन आनंद के बीच 100 करोड़ रुपए के फुटवियर उद्योग का एमओयू किया गया। नई फुटवियर इंडस्ट्री स्थापित होने से फुटवियर इंडस्ट्री स्थापित होने से फुटवियर उद्योग में नए अवसरों को बढ़ावा मिलेगा एफडीडीआई के पूर्व छात्र एवं उद्योगपति नीरेन विदेशी दौरे पर होने के कारण उद्योग सम्मिट में उपस्थित नहीं हो पाए। उनकी जगह एफडीडीआई प्रतिनिधि मोहित माथुर ने एमओयू की प्रति प्राप्त की।

इस समझौते का मुख्य उद्देश्य

FDDI CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE (COE)

Under the Establishment of Institutional Facilities, Sub-Scheme of Indian Footwear, Leather and Accessories Development Programme (IFLADP) of Department for Promotion of Industries and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India, FDDI has brought up world class infrastructure and the skills second to none through upgradation of seven of the existing campuses of FDDI into 'Centre of Excellence' (CoEs).

Sr. 1	No. CoEs established on "Thematic Area "	FDDI Campus
1.	Center for Design, Development & Fabric Interface	Chennai
2.	Design, Development & Fabric Interface for Leather Products & Accessories - Extended	Hyderabad
3.	Center for Leather Finishing Innovation & Product Retailing	Patna
4.	Center for Leather Goods, Garments & Accessories	Kolkata
5.	High Performance / Specialized Footwear & Products and Start Ups	Jodhpur
6.	Center for R&D, Course Development and Leather Fashion Footwear & Products Innovation	Noida
7.	Center for Non-Leather Footwear, Products & Accessories	Rohtak

1.COE Chennai, Center of Design, Development & Fabric Interface **MAJOR FACILITIES :-**



Last scanning & Modelling Facility



Milling Turning & Finishing Setup





Pattern Cutting



3D Multicolor printer

Innovative, Indigenous & Low-cost Shoe Lasts and Moulds leading towards a sustainable footwear industry

- · Ergonomically evaluated and market-validated prototypes providing solutions to industrial problems.
- · Latest technological advancements & transfer of technology with enhanced commercialization value.
- · IPR generation including copyrights, patents and publications.

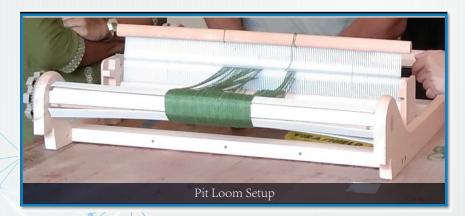
• Development of skilled and trained human resources, developing training programmes for skill development in industrial personnel.

 \cdot Strengthening industrial collaborations through providing testing, evaluation services, and multiple research inputs.

2. COE HYDERABAD, Design Development & Fabric Interface for Leather Product & Accessories- Extended MAJOR FACILITIES :-





















- The project focuses on innovative footwear design, emphasizing ergonomic and affordable solutions for safety, occupational, sports, and everyday use, including orthoses and prostheses.
- It encompasses the development of patterns, molds, and soles using advanced materials, alongside compounding new fibers and leather substitutes. Prototyping and rigorous lab testing ensure biomechanical and ergonomic effectiveness, while user testing incorporates UX/UI perspectives for optimal design.
- · Marketing strategies aim to promote these innovations across various markets.

3.COE PATNA, COE for Leather Finishing innovation & Product Retailing **MAJOR FACILITIES :-**



OUTCOMES

- Training programs and resources to build expertise in leather finishing techniques.
- Records of joint research projects, exchange programs, and knowledge-sharing initiative

4. COE KOLKATA, Main Objective is dissemination of knowledge & technical know-how to the Indian industry through research & development and interaction

MAJOR FACILITIES :-



Automatic pattern sewing machine



Gluing Spray Booth



Milling Machine



- · Design documentation and technical specifications for each product.
- Training modules, workshops, and seminars focused on the latest trends, technologies, and best practices in the footwear industry.

5.COE JODHPUR, High Performance/ Specialized Footwear & Products and Start ups MAJOR FACILITIES :-



Assessment and Innovation in Footwear and Orthotic Aid through Reverse Engineering Technology

> Analyzing Postural Attributes and Customizing Orthotic Aids for Enhanced Performance and Safety



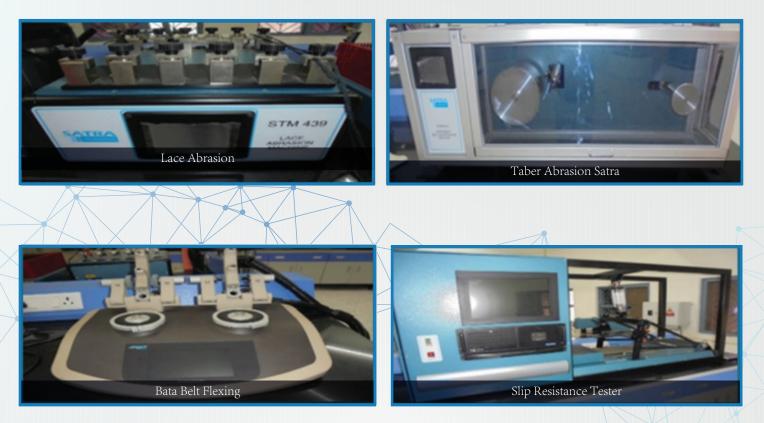


- Innovative design and material improvisation can be transformed into low cost, sustainable products that include orthotics, prosthetics and other related aids used in occupational safety, special purpose and traditional footwear.
- Ergonomic, biomechanical and physical testing services combined with research input can boost collaboration and participation.
- IPR generation into patent, copyrights and publication related to product/ prototype assessment and its generation.
- Development of trained human resource imparting skills through courses to create extensive job opportunities.
- Ergonomic, biomechanical and physical testing services combined with research input can boost collaboration and participation.

6. COE NOIDA, Government of India Ministry of Commerce and Industry FDDI CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE (COE)

MAJOR FACILITIES :-

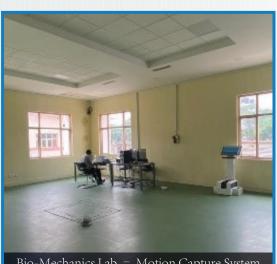




Prototypes and samples of innovative footwear designs.

- Design and development of new leather and fashion footwear products.
- · Development of new technologies and processes for the footwear industry

7.COE ROHTAK, Center for Non-Leather Footwear Products & Accessories



Bio-Mechanics Lab – Motion Capture System (AI based Marker Less)













- · Innovative low cost sustainable competitive sports footwear.
- · Ergonomically and biomechanically tested and validated products and prototypes.
- · New Technology development, transfer of technology and commercialization.
- · IPR generation that includes patent, copyright and publication.
- · Development of trained human resource.
- · Skill development training.
- · Strengthen industry relations through providing testing service and research inputs

RESEARCH AND PATENT

Media coverage in Times of India newspaper for six patents led by FDDI Hyderabad in the year 2022-2023 for 'Creative Shoes';

The cornerstone laid down by National IPR policy and the efforts made by Footwear Design and Development Institute (FDDI) Hyderabad campus has transpired into a credible achievement by making six patents with various streams in 'Creative Shoes' which will further increase the research thesis.

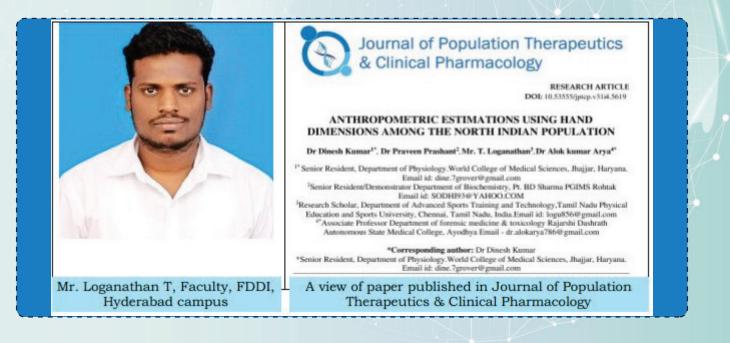
Adding another feather in FDDI's cap, student of Chennai campus presented the research paper at 21 UITIC Congress - Milano, Italy

Mr. Hrishikesh Ranjith, a student of FDDI, Chennai campus of 2019 - 2023 batch of School of Footwear Design and Production (FDP) presented his ground- breaking research paper titled "Novel Running Shoe Design for Persons with st Plantar Fasciitis" at the prestigious 21 UITIC Congress held in the vibrant city of Milano, Italy from 20 to 22 September 2023. His presentation at the UITIC Congress in Milano is not only an opportunity for him, but, also a moment of pride for FDDI and the entire footwear community.

Invention by Faculty of FDDI, Hyderabad campus Filed & Published in Indian Patent Office Journal

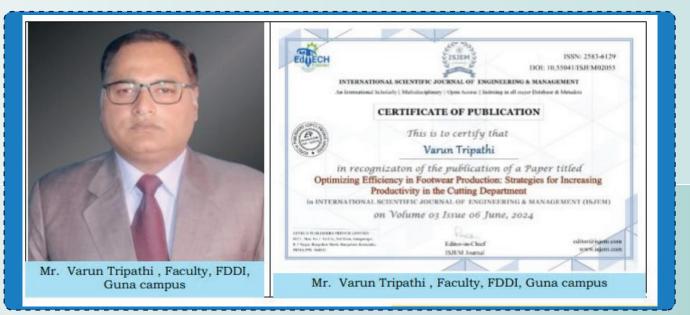
Mr. Loganathan T, a Faculty of School of Footwear Design & Production (FDP), of FDDI, Hyderabad campus has led and published an invention in the Indian Patent Office Journal. His 12 research papers have been published in reputed international journals covering topics like Biodegradability, Tanning systems, Sports footwear, Environmental science, evaluation study about leather etc. His invention of Design and Development of Sustainable Sports Shoes using natural plant based alternative.

The invention emphasizes sustainability by incorporating energy-efficient production processes and potential recycling or biodegradation options, aligning with the growing demand for eco-friendly and cruelty-free products. In essence, this groundbreaking invention seeks to revolutionize the footwear industry by combining sustainability, style, and performance.



• Research paper of academic staff of FDDI Guna Campus gets published in ISJEM A joint research paper of the academic staff of the School of Footwear Design & Production(FDP) of FDDI, Guna

The topic of the research paper is 'Optimizing Efficiency in Footwear Production: Strategies for Increasing Productivity in the Cutting Department' in which Mr. Varun campus has been published in International Scientific Journal of Engineering and Management (ISJEM).



• Faculty from School of Footwear Design, FDDI receives 'Best International Researcher Award 2024' Mr. Prashant Kumar Saxena, Faculty at the School of Footwear Design & Production (FDP), and Management (ISJEM).

Mr. Prashant captivated the audience with his presentation, shedding light on the ground breaking research conducted at FDDI,

His presentation focused on the pioneering study titled 'The Future of Footwear: Exploring the Transformative Potential'

Amongst FDDI researcher in innovative category of Footwear Design, researchers from medical fields from AIIMS, University College of Medical Science, Delhi University in COVID detection for the Excellence in Medical Science, Artificial Intelligence, Information technology sectors and few more were awarded as Outstanding/Best Researchers under different categories from various organizations and countries across the Asia.



• Faculty from School of Footwear Design, FDDI receives 'Best International Researcher Award 2024' Mr. Prashant Kumar Saxena, Faculty at the School of Footwear Design & Production (FDP), and Management (ISJEM).

Dr. Krishi Sarin, Chief faculty at FDDI, Noida presented a research paper during 7 International Conference on Technical Textiles and Nonwovens (ICTN – 2023) "Sustainable Technologies and Entrepreneurship.

The conference served as a platform for sharing research, papers, and design applications focused on sustainable design. It addressed a broad range of themes and subthemes related to sustainability across design, technology, management, and related fields.

• Joint research paper presented by Faculty - FDDI, Hyderabad campus during conference published in International journal

Dr. Rambabu Muppidi and Mr. Elayaraja presented their paper, "Wax Art: Innovative Solutions in Sustainable Research," at the Multi-Disciplinary International Conference (MIDIC-2024) held at Idhaya College for Women in Tamil Nadu, organized in partnership with the Education Research and Development Association (ERDA). This paper aims to promote Indian art forms among research scholars, design students, academic professionals, artists, and designers interested in art, craft, and design.



Technical article co-authored by Faculty of FDDI, Noida campus gets published in Indian Textile Journal

A technical article co-authored by Dr. D. Anita Rachel, Sr. Faculty Grade – II, School of Fashion Design (FD) of FDDI, Noida campus has been published in the Indian Textile Journal (ITJ). The topic of the article is 'ECO FASHION IN SUPPLY CHAIN'



• Research paper of Faculty of FDDI, Fursatganj campus published in IJFMR The research paper with the topic 'A Study of Khadi as an Identity of India and Creating a Khadi Community' has been written by Mrs. Neelam Patel, Associate Faculty – School of Fashion Design (FD), FDDI, Fursatganj.



• Joint research paper of Faculty of FDDI gets published in Journal of Krishi Vigyan

A joint research paper titled 'Health Care Textile Products using Antibacterial Herbal Finish' by Dr. Sushila Hooda of the School of Fashion Design (FD) of FDDI.



Research paper of Faculty of FDDI, Chhindwara campus gets published in UGC Care Group I Journal

The title of the research paper is 'Emerging Trends in Digital Payments and its Impact on the Growth of Organized Retail Industry'. Mrs. Shashwati Bhowmick also received the 'Best Research Paper Presentation' Certificate for presenting her research paper during the International EConference on 'Research Innovation & Development', organized by Kala's Research & Skill Training Organization and Hi Learn Edutech Institute, Vijyapur, Karnataka.





ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES OFFERED

FDDI offers Bachelor and Master Degree & PhD programmes. Most of these programmes have been developed after an initial survey of the demand for such studies. They are launched with a view to fulfil the student's need for:

- Improvement of skills
- · Acquisition of professional qualification,
- · Continuing educational and professional development at work place,
- · Diversification of knowledge
- · Self-enrichment

Increased Industry interaction for students through classroom projects, internships and graduation project is the focus of the restructured curriculum. Students are provided with understanding of technical, managerial and design fundamentals along with a strong exposure to real life situations so that they are able to adopt industry ready skills.

BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMMES

1. Bachelor of Design (B. Des.): Duration: 4 Years (8 Semesters)

- · B. Des. (Footwear Design & Production) (B.Des. FDP)
- · B. Des. (Fashion Design) (B.Des. FD)
- · B. Des. (Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design) (B.Des. LLPD)
- 2. Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA): Duration: 4 Years (8 Semesters)
- · BBA (Retail & Fashion Merchandise) (BBA RFM)

(MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMMES)

- 1. Master of Design (M.Des.): Duration: 2 Years (4 Semesters)
- M. Des. (Footwear Design & Production) (M.Des. FDP)
- M. Des. (Fashion Design) (M.Des. FD)

2. Master of Business Administration (MBA): Duration: 2 Years (4 Semesters)

MBA (Retail & Fashion Merchandise) (MBA - RFM)

DOCTORATE DEGREE PROGRAMMES

3. PhD Programme starting from Jan 2025 (For more information visit FDDI website).

SCHOOL OF FOOTWEAR DESIGN & PRODUCTION

School of Footwear Design & Production is the oldest School of FDDI, which is in existence since 1986, with the very inception of the institute. The School has a high reputation in academic/industrial fraternity and with grant of "INI status" to FDDI, is amongst one of the four leading Institute in the world offering higher education in Footwear Design, technology and management. The School is also engaged in competency building and development of Footwear sector in India and other neighboring countries/continents. The high end infrastructure equipped with latest Design Software & CAD, 3D Printing and related integrated technology, facilitate a close approximation of theory and practice which integrates academic environment with business reality and is an ideal atmosphere to foster Design Research & Innovation with hands-on training on industrial best practices, across the 12 campuses of FDDI. Because of the uniqueness of the programme, the students graduated from the school have a high acceptance in the industry with many of them being placed as the decision makers in Footwear Industry being a multi-billion dollars industry commands a premium place in world economy. Footwear market size was USD 373.19 billion in 2021 and is expected to grow at the com- pound annual growth rate of 4.3% from 2022 to 2030. The Industry is strongly concentrated in Asia where almost 9 out of every 10 pairs are being manufactured. India is one of the most favorable potential destination for manufacturing & sourcing for developed nations such as Italy, Germany, UK, USA, Hong Kong, France, Spain, Netherlands and Belgium.



India is the second largest Producer and Consumer of Footwear in global market. GOI has ambitious plans for the development and growth of the sector in the Prime Minister's drive to "Make in India" and Atmanirbhar Bharat.

GROWTH DRIVERS OF LEATHER & FOOTWEAR INDUSTRY OF INDIA

- High growth potential for exports
- The ready availability of leather
- The abundance of essential raw materials
- Modernized manufacturing units
- World-class institutional support for Design & Product Development,
- HRD, and R & D
- Presence of support industries like leather chemicals and finishing auxiliaries
- Rapid strides in the areas of capacity modernization and expansion
- Skill development and environment management

B. DES. (FOOTWEAR DESIGN & PRODUCTION);

AIM

To create world class Footwear Designers who can demonstrate high degree of competence in Product Design, Fashion Forecasting, Product branding & management and through "Design in India" initiative can facilitate establishment of brand India in the global arena. The course also aims to create specialized professionals who can serve the critical functional domains of the Footwear & allied Industry and excel efficiently across the globe.

STRUCTURE

The four years' course (1+3 years) comprises of eight Semesters wherein the first two semesters are to be treated as Compulsory Foundation year where the students will be given basic knowledge of Design, Design principles, process, 2D & 3D CAD, Materials, Ergonomic aspect of design and Design Projects to understand the intricacies involved in conceptualization an idea to conversion as a product and encourage experiential learning. In the last semester the students will be taking up Design Project/Research Project. Industrial internship is in built in the curriculum.

CONTENT

The course contents have been designed in close approximation with industrial need and the ongoing latest developments in the sector, globally. In the background of creating world class designers and professionals the course curriculum broadly includes Design thinking; tinkering studio; fashion & trend forecasting; Biomechanics; ERP, MRP & Digital manufacturing; Industrial Ergonomics; Internet of things; Technology, material & processes; Fabrication techniques; application of Block Chain & Big Data in Footwear; Smart Products/Wearable Electronics; Athletic & Sports specific Footwear etc. including the business aspects such as Product Costing Production planning & management, Marketing, Merchandising, Footwear Retailing & E-commerce besides soft skill development. Professional specializations are offered in the last semester (s) which includes design of Leather Fashion footwear, athleisure, jogging footwear, sneaker design perspective, knitting design software etc. The experiential learning and active industry/alumni integration are the core of pedagogy.

The curriculum has been designed by a team of experts from IIT- Delhi, one of the prestigious institutions of the country in the area of Product design & engineering.

CAREER PROSPECTS

The emerging large domestic market dominated by young population and the increasing role of the country in global trade, establishes a promising career opportunity in the trade as Footwear Designers for Fashion and Sport shoes, Product developer, CAD specialist, Footwear stylist, Merchandiser, buyer, Managers for Production planning, Quality management & control, Costing, specialists for handling E-Commerce, to name a few. The course also prepares individuals to take up entrepreneurship and the "Center of Excellences" established at FDDI campuses can help in nurturing the ideas and converting them into business acumen. The course has a track record of qualitative placement in leading Footwear Industries, Buying Houses and Allied Industry in India and abroad.

FOOTWEAR BRANDS SOURCED FROM INDIA

Acme, Ann Taylor, Bally, Charter Club, Clarks, Coach, Colehann, Daniel Hector, Deichmann, Dkny, Double H, Ecco, Elefanten, Etienneaigner, Florsheim, Gabor, Geoffrey Beene, Guess, Harrods, Hasley, Hush Puppies, Kenneth Cole, Liz Claiborne, Marks & Spencer, Nautica, Next, Nike, Cole Haan, Nunn Bush, Pierre Cardin, Reebok

FOOTWEAR BRANDS SOURCED FROM INDIA

Tommy Hilfiger, Tony Lama, Versace, Yves St. Laurent, Zara, Johnston & Murphy, Oocksteps, Timberland, Arrnani, Geox, Diesel, Ted Baker, Lacoste, Kickers, Calvin Klein, Siou45x, Brasher, Zegna, Massimu Dutti, Buggatti, Lloyd, Christian Dier, Salamander, Camper, Bata, Espirit, French

Connection, Legero, Mercedez, H & M And Many More Famous Brands.



M. DES (FOOTWEAR DESIGN & PRODUCTION)

AIM

This program is intended to create Specialized Footwear Designers & CAD specialists and techno-management professionals who can understand the new dynamics of global business within a framework of business ethics and corporate governance and meet the ever growing demand of the Leather & Non Leather Footwear, Footwear Retail and allied industries in a highly modernized setup.

STRUCTURE

The two-year course is focused on in-depth understanding of Footwear (Leather & Non Leather) Design, Manufacturing, Management and Retailing. The course encourages Research based study of the relevant area to take up higher challenges in the relevant Industry.

CONTENTS

Besides having the in depth knowledge of materials, processes & manufacturing techniques, the specializations are offered in the area of Designing & Manufacturing of Fashion Footwear, Non-Leather Foot-

wear, Safety Footwear, Ethnic Footwear, International Business and Footwear Retailing. The relevant Management subjects such as Product Costing, Testing & Quality Control, Six Sigma, Productivity Improvement Techniques, Marketing & Market Research, Product Merchandising along with Industrial Training and Projects are the integral part of the training program.



CAREER PROSPECTS

The two-year program is designed to create high end specialized Product Designers & techno-man agement professionals equipped with right skills and knowledge to serve various domains of Footwear design, manufacturing, retailing and related area, globally. With the unique structured blending of Design, technology and the application based managerial specialization the School offers promising career opportunities, both in India and abroad.

The course also extends further scope of pursuing PhD in the relevant area.



SCHOOL OF FASHION DESIGN

FDDI has emerged as one of India's leading centers for Fashion Design, a reputation based around its pedagogy and achievements of its graduates and the creative energy of its staff and students.

The School of Fashion Design at FDDI offers students a matchless introduction to the fast-paced, creative, and energetic fashion industry. Fashion education under this program aims to nurture creativity while providing a rigorous grounding in practical and technical skills needed for career success.

Our close ties with the industry let us immerse the students in what's happening now in this fast-changing field exposing them to the real demands and practices of the fashion world preparing students for success at every level, from haute couture to ready- to-wear to mass market.

FDDI-School of Fashion Design has been evolving creative talents for the ever-growing Indian Fashion Industry. We manage the demand for innovation by cultivating new opportunities and partnerships and traversing the worlds of design, technology, and enterprise. Programmes are structured through a process of interaction and dialogue with the fashion Industry, focusing on professional profiles which are of interest for companies represented by the leading trade associations involved in the project.

Growth Prospects of Fashion Design Industry in India

The Indian Fashion Design Industry is experiencing unprecedented growth, fueled by a rising middle class, global fashion influence, and the proliferation of e-commerce. With a rich heritage of textiles and craftsmanship, the industry combines tradition with innovation to cater to a diverse and fashion-conscious market. Celebrity endorsements and government initiatives have further accelerated this growth, making India a dynamic force in the global fashion landscape.



India's technical textile market likely to double in 5yrs: Secretary, (MoT)

The technical textile segment in India has in recent years shown robust growth, both internationally and in the domestic market, and the market is likely to double in the next five years, said Rachna Shah, Secretary, Ministry of Textiles.

"Within India, the market size is around USD 22 billion, and the goal of the government is to take it to USD 40-50 billion over the next 5 years," she said while addressing the 6th edition of National Conclave on Standards and Regulations for Technical Textiles', here on 25th July 2023. According to the secretary, the global technical textiles market is around USD 260 billion and is expected to increase to USD 325 billion by 2025-26.

Technical textiles are defined as textile materials and products used primarily for their technical performance in various high-end industries.

On India's export of such textiles, Shah said the export of technical textile presently is USD 2.5 billion, and the government's objective is to enhance it to USD 10 billion.

"The government is working in the technical textiles sector with a multi-pronged approach with a focus on R&D activities in the technical textile sector including in fibre and in the development of its various applications. The focus is also on developing a skilling eco-system and skilled manpower for the sector," she was quoted in a press release.

The Secretary also stated that the ministry is working closely with various inter-ministries and departments within the government and state governments to increase the demand and penetration of technical textiles.

"One of the critical elements of the approach is focusing on standards and regulations for technical textiles as these are highly specialized products with high-performance requirements," she added.

Shah further informed that in addition to developing standards, it is also important to map the technical textiles with HSN codes as it will help track the trade of these products.

The HSN codes are in turn being mapped to various regulations and standards. A collaborative approach between the certification agencies, industry and various government ministries will be critical in ensuring the success of our initiatives and the growth of the sector, she said in her remarks.



(Source: The Stateman Date : 26/07/2023)

AIM

B. DES. (FASHION DESIGN)

This programme is specifically initiated with the intent of making the students to have a global knowledge of various fashion sectors so they are able to blend them with local cultures. It further aims to make the students equipped to enter the world of fashion by developing their own creative universe while being adaptable to different styles, types of brand and market segments at the same time and get benefit from our large array of networks within the industry. The programme fosters to create design professionals who understand dynamics of global business environment and meet the ever growing demand of the Fashion Design sector.

STRUCTURE

It is a four years programme comprising of eight semesters focusing on inculcating a broad spectrum of design concepts and skills. Further, the design attitude of the students is developed through design thinking and creative problem solving process.

CONTENT

DESIGN FOUNDATION

This being the first introductory module of the curriculum the emphasis is on opening the horizons of the individuals in order to build designing and professional competency. The students are taught basic skills in conceptualization and idea generation to support their designs. The subjects broadly taught during the foundation year are Design Evolution, Observational Drawing,2D&3D CAD,Tinkering Studio Design Thinking, Photography &Videography, etc.

SPECIALIZATION

The subsequent three years are devoted to promote the Technical expertise and Design excellence, introducing pupils to various Techno commercial aspects of the fashion industry and developing skills in the technical areas of garment manufacturing like Pattern Making, Garment Construction, Surface Embellishment, Dyeing & Printing, Textile studies ,Fashion Styling & Merchandising, Software Training in Computer Aided Design (Adobe Illustrator, CLO-3D etc.).

With our close associations to the industry the curriculum is designed to nurture creativity while providing a rigorous grounding in the practical and technical skills needed for career success, exposing the pupils to the real demands and practices of the fashion domain.

The students get intensive training & education pertaining to design thinking & innovation, Aesthetics in Design and Fashion, Creative Pattern Making, styling, and organizing fashion shows. The students get ample opportunities to interact with buyers as well backstage with eminent designers learning the entire look and feel required for professional models for the ramp shows. One of the prime aspects of the curriculum is craft documentation where in the students travel to different part of the country and stay there with the craftsmen, to understand and learn our native crafts and accordingly develop innovative products to promote the Indian Craft. They also visit Production houses, Museums ,Trade shows, printing and textile mills, and designer studios to enhance classroom studies.

We nurture the next generation of Fashion Entrepreneurs, Fashion Designers, Fashion Stylists, Make-up Artists, Fashion Photographers, Fashion Journalists and Fashion Event Managers. We give them the skills they need and provide them with unique insights into the workings of this ever-changing industry.

The School of Fashion Design has a State of Art Center of Excellence in Design, Development & Fabric Interface with Fashion Design which undertakes Industry Collaborative Research projects, students are encouraged to involve themselves in the same.

CAREER PROSPECTS:

The onset of the International fashion market in India has given an impetus to the fashion industry which has emerged as the booming industry and a career as a fashion designer is like a pot of gold. It is estimated that plentiful employment opportunities will be created in the field of fashion technology in recent future, because of this wide reach of fashion industry. This makes fashion industry the dream destination of many young women and men who aspire for glamorous and creative self-sustaining jobs.

Fashion designing is one of the most lucrative, appealing, glamorous and exciting career options in today's world. If you have a penchant for creativity, style and originality, a career in fashion designing is the one tailor made for you.



M. DES. (FASHION DESIGN)

Discover the creativity of Design at the FDDI through our Master of Design – Fashion Design (M.Des. FD) program. FDDI, renowned for its innovation and excellence in design education, invites you to embark on a creative journey like no other. Our M.Des FD program is a testament to our commitment to nurturing design talent and pushing the boundaries of creativity. With a dynamic curriculum, state-of-the-art design studios, Centre of Excellence, and a team of accomplished faculty members



deeply rooted in the design industry, We The School of Fashion Design offer a unique platform for students to explore their creative potential. Whether you aspire to redefine fashion or lifestyle, our M.Des. FD program equips you with the skills, knowledge, and industry insights needed to excel in the world of design.

AIM: This rigorous specialist Fashion Design course helps to equip the next generation of creative Designers for a dynamic career in Fashion design and innovation.

The M. Des in Fashion Design program offered by the School of Fashion Design, FDDI, empowers students with a well-rounded skill set and a global outlook to thrive in the vibrant world of fashion design. Guided by a well-balanced

curriculum, the program nurtures students' creative expression, research capabilities, and technical proficiencies. Covering essential aspects from fashion creation and textiles to digital design and sustainability, students adeptly blend cultural sensitivities with market dynamics. The program also immerses students in specialized domains such as knitwear, accessories, and branding, complemented by insights into fashion photography, merchandising, and entrepreneurial insights. This transformative journey culminates in the creation of an advanced portfolio or research, laying the foundation for graduates to flourish as inventive fashion designers, enterprising individuals, and leaders within the industry.

COURSE STRUCTURE: "FDDI's M.Des. program is built on a firm foundation of dedication to design research. We understand that there is more to design than aesthetics, so we place an emphasis on research-based innovation in our curriculum. Our students learn to develop ideas that are not only aesthetically pleasing but also highly functional and sensitive to real-world problems by conducting thorough research into user needs, market trends, and emerging technology, also influential figures in the industry.

FDDI's M.Des. Fashion Design program trains students to be "visionary designers who lead the way in shaping a better, more innovative future through the power of design research" by emphasizing an interdisciplinary approach, an emphasis on ethical and sustainable design, and practical experiences.

Over the course of two years divided into four semesters, the M. Des in Fashion Design program at the School of Fashion Design, FDDI, offers a well-rounded educational experience. The curriculum strikes a balance between nurturing creativity, honing research abilities, and refining technical skills. Students engage with diverse subjects like fashion creation, textiles, pattern making, and digital design, blending cultural awareness with market insights. The program delves into different areas including knitwear, accessories, and branding, while also providing valuable knowledge in fashion photography, merchandising, and entrepreneurship. Culminating with an advanced portfolio or research project, graduates are equipped with a holistic skill set, ready to succeed as imaginative fashion designers, enterprising professionals, and influential figures in the industry.

COURSE CONTENTS: The two-year curriculum of the M. Des in Fashion Design program at the School of Fashion Design, FDDI, offers a comprehensive and well-structured journey through four semesters. In the initial year, **Semester 1** introduces students to fundamental concepts like fashion creation, textile studies, fabric structures, and digital illustration. They also engage with practical skills in pattern making and garment construction. **Semester 2** continues with an emphasis on fashion trends, research methodologies, and surface design, complemented by learning digital fashion design and experimental draping techniques. An industry internship during the summer provides real-world exposure. In the second year, **Semester 3** delves into creative pattern making, fashion accessories, and photography, while also exploring fashion merchandising and branding. Electives offer specialization in sustainable design or project management. **Semester 4** concludes the program with a focus on store design, intellectual property, and international fashion trends. Students culminate their studies by creating a portfolio or research thesis, fully prepared to thrive as versatile fashion designers, entrepreneurs, and experts in the industry.

DISTINCTIVE FEATURES OF THE COURSE:

The course provides you with an in-depth appreciation of the complexity of sustainable and ethical Fashion Designing in the contemporary global fashion industry. And is further supported by FDDI Centre of Excellence Centres

With a problem-solving approach to Fashion Designing, the course will give you a relevant grounding for your future

The course includes projects with industry clients, and regular industry speakers to ensure the curriculum remains relevant to current industry challenges. A strong focus on creativity ensures you develop the skill sets to become a future creative leader in the global fashion industry.

The course will prepare you to successfully navigate the complex Fashion industry.

'INDIAsize standards for garments shortly

The Textiles Ministry will soon rollout 'INDIAsize' — measurements and standards designed to better suit the Indian body types, Textiles Secretary Rachna Shah said on 25th July 2023.

Presently, international and domestic brands available in India use measurements from the US or the UK for garments.

However, Western body types differ from Indians in terms of height, weight, which causes issues with the fit.

"We are hoping that will happen very soon," Shah said. the government's goal is to take the domestic technical textiles segment to USD 40-50 billion in the next five years or so, from USD 22 billion at present.

"Our exports of technical textiles is presently at USD 2.5 billion, our objective is to enhance it to USD 10 billion during this period," Shah added.

The technical textile market globally is to the tune of about USD 250-260 billion and is expected to increase to about USD 320-325 billion by 2025-26, she said.

"Focus is on research, development applications, and a skilling ecosystem for this sector," she said.

(Source: Financial Chronicle Date : 26/07/2023)

CAREER PROSPECTS: Graduates of the M. Des in Fashion Design program from the School of Fashion Design, FDDI, are well-equipped to embark on diverse and promising career paths within the dynamic world of fashion and related industries. With a comprehensive skill set and a global perspective, they have the potential to excel in various roles.



OUR STAR ALUMNI

Upon completion of the program, graduates may pursue careers as:

- **Fashion Designers:** Graduates can work as fashion designers, conceptualizing and creating innovative clothing lines that resonate with global trends while catering to specific cultural preferences. They can specialize in areas such as ready-to-wear, couture, or sustainable fashion.
- Accessory Designers: Those interested in accessories can design and create a range of fashion accessories, including jewelry, bags, footwear, and other embellishments.
- **Textile Designers:** With expertise in textiles and fabric structures, graduates can design and develop unique textiles, prints, and patterns for clothing and other applications.
- **Fashion Illustrators:** Graduates can work as fashion illustrators, visually representing design concepts and ideas through artistic and digital mediums.
- **Sportswear Designers:** Graduates may design and create specialized sport wear clothing and accessories, catering to the growing demand for unique sports & Fitness wear.
- **Digital Designers (Fashion):** The program equips students with Digital skills in pattern making and Virtual garment construction, making them well-suited for roles involving translating designs into Digital garments.
- Fashion Merchandisers and Buyers: Graduates with insights into fashion trends, forecasting, and merchandising can work as fashion merchandisers, responsible for curetting and presenting collections in retail settings.
- **Fashion Stylists:** With knowledge of fashion photography and styling, graduates can collaborate with brands, magazines, and designers to capture and visually enhance fashion narratives.
- Fashion Consultants and Educators: Graduates can offer their expertise as fashion consultants, advising individuals and companies on design strategies, market trends, and styling. They can also pursue careers in academia, becoming fashion educators and sharing their knowledge with the next generation of designers. Can also peruse Higher education in research PhD etc.
- **Fashion Industry Professionals:** Graduates can work in roles related to fashion management, retail operations, supply chain, fashion events, and more, contributing to the efficient functioning of the industry.
- **Brand Managers and Communication Specialists:** Those with a background in creative branding and communication can contribute to building and maintaining brand identities for fashion houses and retail establishments.
- Entrepreneurs: Graduates can establish their own fashion labels, leveraging their design skills, industry knowledge, and innovative approaches to create unique and marketable fashion products.

AS A PROFESSIONAL FASHION DESIGNER YOU CAN ALSO WORK AS:

- Costume Designer in Film Industry
- Technical Designer
- Fashion Journalist
- Fashion Entrepreneurs
- Fashion Quality Executive

- Fashion Consultant
- Graphic Designer
- Freelance Designer
- Visual Merchandiser
- Fashion Photographers
- Personal Stylist
- Fashion Coordinator
- Fashion Merchandiser
- Fashion Stylist

SCHOOL OF LEATHER GOODS & ACCESSORIES DESIGN

FDDI's School of Leather Goods & Accessories Design is making students stand out in a creative world. The Leather, lifestyle & product Design program equips aspiring design professionals with a deep understanding of fashion, enabling them to bring forth inventive ideas across a wide spectrum, including UI/UX design, jewelry, leather bags & garments, handicrafts, personal accessories, home decor, and travel ware. This program is a career-focused education that remains highly pertinent in the present and possesses the adaptability to meet the evolving demands of the future.

Students who pursue a course here get a hands-on training with real life studio & live projects under the guidance of internationally reputed design professionals and Industry experts in making of leather, lifestyle and products.

Our program provides students with several advantages, such as:

- 1. A comprehensive education in design principles and the latest technologies.
- 2. Learning from experienced faculty who are experts in their respective fields.
- 3. Access to cutting-edge facilities and equipment.
- 4. A strong emphasis on practical, hands-on learning and project work.
- 5. Opportunities to connect with fellow students and professionals in the design industry.

6. latest trend topics – 3D Design, AI in fashion, product design projects, Ergonomics, Design management, user interface design, design for social needs, environment design, automotive interior design, home decor, jewelry design.

Graduates of our program have a wide range of career prospects. UI/UX is growing market, the job market for UX/UI designers is expected to grow faster than average over the next decade. According to the US Bureau of Labor Statistics, employment of UI/UX designers is projected to grow 13% from 2020 to 2030. They can work as UI/UX designers, automotive designers, home furnishing designers, 3D modelers, and more. They can also work in a variety of industries, such as technology, automotive, manufacturing, and entertainment.

GROWTH DRIVERS OF LEATHER GOODS MARKET

- Rapid urbanization is playing a significant role in the growth of the market
- Income level of various consumer groups
- · Availability of Competitive Workforce
- · Growing demand for leather upholstery in automotive
- · As the tourism industry is booming, the sales of customized goods have increased

As per InVision's data, product design stands out as one of the most lucrative design careers globally. This is mainly due to the prevalent skill gap within the industry. Therefore, product design not only promises

earnings but also provides ample opportunities for career advancement. To gain a deeper understanding of how to pursue a career as a product designer and what the typical day-to-day activities of a product designer entail, further exploration is recommended.

B.DES:- LEATHER, LIFESTYLE & PRODUCT DESIGN

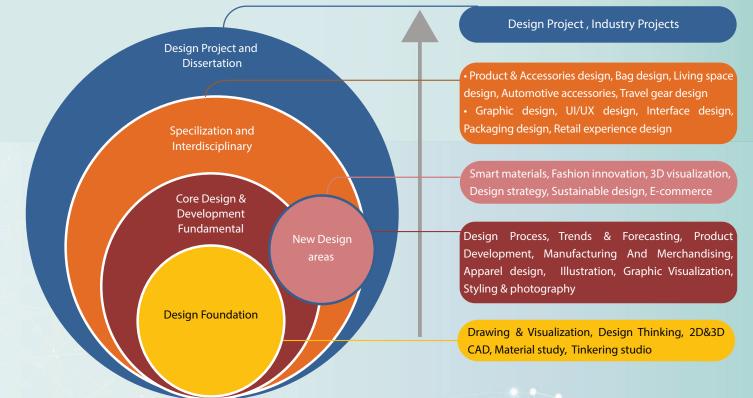
The Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design program nurtures design professionals with deep understanding of the domain of product design, lifestyle and accessory design and visual design. The program is amalgamation of core design subjects to deepen design and technical specialization and interdisciplinary courses that create alternate pathways for the students. The program is designed to address contemporary and emerging demands in areas of design and technology and hence create professionals who are future proof.



Aim:

The program aims to create pool of multidimensional design professional talents for national and international business sectors keeping in view the current and future demands of the industry.

STRUCTURE :



CONTENT:

DESIGN FOUNDATION:

The first year of the four years programme emphasizes on opening the horizons of individuals towards design thinking. The two semesters' rigorous training exposes the individuals to varied world of Fundamentals of Design and peripheral attitudes. The subjects broadly Orient towards are Observational Drawing, Design Thinking Process, Ideation and Innovation Technique, Material Studies, Essentials of Management and Software skills.

CORE DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY FUNDAMENTALS

Here students understand the fundamental and the latest technical developments which govern the growth of the Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design sectors.

The modules orient the students towards Design Process techniques, Product development process, Product lifecycle approach, Idea and product Visualization (hand and software, 2D & 3D), Trend Forecasting, Machines Operations, Fashion history and culture, Design materials &Processes, Fashion Marketing and Merchandising, Human centered design, Graphic design, UI & UX etc.

SPECIALIZATION:

In the third year, students are using acquired skills and concepts to explore, design and develop products in different specialized area with hands on learning in the process. Emphasis is given to the usage of contemporary and futuristic principles and techniques in their design and development. Emphasis to create visual experience that aims to improve a design's /product's aesthetic appeal and usability with suitable images, typography, space, layout and color. Students are encouraged to create interfaces that optimize user experience and drive conversion.

School of Leather and Accessories Design B.Des in Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design Lifestyle Product and Accessories Design

Visual Design and Graphic Design

Leather Goods / Accessories Brands sourced from India Coach, Liz Claiborne, Harrods, Yves St. Laurent, Tommy Hilfiger, Etienne Aigner, Geoffrey Beene, Marks & Spencer, Guess. Next. Pierre GAP, Cardin, Prada, Levis, H & M, British Home Stores, Banana Republic, Furia, American Eagle Outfitters, Bracciliani, Walmart etc.

The modules are designed with pool of courses leading to major in two different specializations:

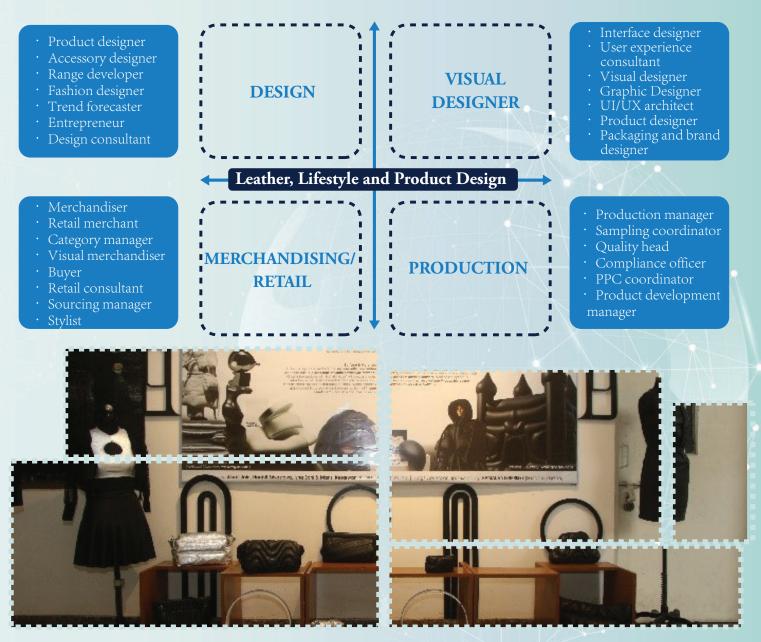
1st Lifestyle product and Accessory Design orienting towards the development of Women's and men's wear, Leather and lifestyle goods and accessory, Accessory design, business and retail gear, Home decor products, Outdoor gears, etc.

2nd Visual Design specialization oriented towards Graphic design, User experience design, Human interface design, Electronic and visual interface development, etc.

DESIGN PROJECTS, DISSERTATIONS AND INDUSTRY INTERNSHIPS

The last year focuses on building up industry, interdisciplinary research and management outlook of the students. The session focus on dissertations, creating Industry training and Internships, with inclusion of various projects and design development addressing customer, industry and social needs that helps to build up a sound portfolio and makes them industry ready.

CAREER PROSPECTS



SCHOOL OF RETAIL & FASHION MERCHANDISE

The School of Retail and Fashion Merchandise offers 4 Yrs Bachelor's degree and 2 Yrs Master's in Retail and Fashion Merchandise. These programs aim to inculcate in the student, the capacity, the drive, and the value based professional competence to address varied situations in the world of work that can be transformed into added business value.

Indian Retail industry is one of the fastest growing sectors in our country and also a major employment contributor in India. Indian Retail market is expected to reach \$1.1 Tn by 2027 & 2Tn by 2032 growing at 25% CAGR. There are several international and domestic business enterprises who have invested in Indian retail.

Retail is defined as the sale of goods to the public in relatively small quantities for use or consumption rather than for resale. It encompasses mainly at three different levels namely value, lifestyle and luxury. FDDI offers retail course at undergraduate BBA and postgraduate MBA (Retail and Fashion Merchandise) level. The Retail academic staff at FDDI comes from accomplished backgrounds with vast experience in the field of education and also from industry. This judicious mixture ensures availability of practical insights, in addition to theoretical inputs. At postgraduate level, the pedagogy is engaging students through discussions, role plays, lectures and industry projects. At undergraduate level, students learn in a class lecture setup along with individual projects and presentations.

Indian Retail Sector to Add 2.5 cr New Jobs by 2030* (Source: www.indianretailer.com/ Statement by Mr. Amitabh Kant, CEO, Niti Aayog 'India's Online retail sector may touch \$325 bn by 2030' (Source:

The Sunday Express Date: 02/07/2023)

India's online retail market size rise mainly due to rapid growth of e-commerce in tier – 2 and tier- 3 cities, as per a Deloitte India report

- 2.5 times: To outpace offline retail in 10 years
- \$23 bn: Investments from private equity & venture capital firms in 5 Years
- 220 mn: Online shoppers

Online sales are poised to surpass organised retail, with a growing emphasis on Omni channel retail strategies "By harnessing the power of technology, sustainability and forward-thinking strategies, retailers can create an ecosystem that sets new benchmarks for value, engagement and unforgettable shopping experience," said Anand Ramanathan, Partner, and consumer Industry Leader Consulting, Deloitte India.

BBA (RETAIL & FASHION MERCHANDISE)

AIM:

The Course aims at providing students with skills and knowledge to manage challenges in retail trade. This program fosters the intellectual, social and moral development of students. It aims to equip the students with modern day state of the art retail practices directed towards day-to-day needs of retail organizations. This program provides a platform for further education, training & employment.

The program emphasizes on acquiring the skills to capture market dynamics, retail planning systems, supply chain management and logistics and systematic retail operational studies for overall business growth. Most importantly, the program hones creativity, initiative, innovation and judgment along with intellectual insight to formulate, develop and communicate conceptual arguments rooted in a holistic perspective of the business context. The objective of this course is:

- To provide the necessary theoretical & practical inputs on fashion merchandise, retail and general management.
- To prepare a strong foundation for both the front-end & back-end store operations and management.

COURSE STRUCTURE:

Our curriculum at FDDI is designed to provide a comprehensive foundation in BBA retail and fashion merchandise, integrating theoretical knowledge with practical exposure to prepare students for dynamic industry demands. The program combines core subjects with specialized study areas, fostering creativity and analytical thinking. The key focus of the course includes subjects related to management, marketing, retail, fashion, design, research, and sustainability. Students are actively engaged in field observations, internships, workshops, industry lectures, and academic and industry projects to gain exposure to industry insights. The curriculum delivery combines theory, practical, and experiential learning to fit in with a desired outcome that has been extended over the years.



COURSE CONTENTS:

The purpose of this program is to provide students with a range of skills and knowledge suitable for employment in the retail industry and also for further study in India and abroad. Course contents include study about Retail concepts, Elements of Fashion, Fabric Study, Retail Management, Retail Operations, Buying and Merchandising, Product Knowledge in Footwear & Accessories, Visual Merchandising, Store Design, Franchising, Mall Management, Ergonomics, Supply Chain Management, Marketing Management, Human Resource Management, Retail Analytics, Team Management, Business Presentation, Workplace Readiness Skills etc.

CAREER PROSPECTS:

Employment in the retail sector accounts for a large and growing proportion of the Indian work-force. Graduates of this program find employment in the following areas:

Retail Store Visual Merchandising, Retail Merchandising, Buyers, Category Manager, Retail Operations – Area Manager, Retail Manager, Floor Manager, Department Manager, E-commerce Excutive, Category Manager, Merchants etc.

MBA (RETAIL & FASHION MERCHANDISE)

Focus of our Master's program in Retail Management is on developing a comprehensive understanding of different domains in the practice of retail management. The course aims at enhancing the critical thinking, reasoning skills, intellectual skills, particularly for retail sector.

This course aims at providing the knowledge, skills and analytical tools to enable candidates to learn skills needed to become a successful manager in retail by effective synchronization of the concepts at theoretical and practical levels. The course curriculum facilitates students in developing a holistic understanding of the retail industry thereby giving them an advantage over the others.

COURSE STRUCTURE:

AIM:

The MBA-RFM curriculum is meticulously structured to foster advanced analytical expertise and strategic management skills tailored to meet the demands of the dynamic retail and fashion industry. This program's teaching strategy integrates structured learning with experiential engagement, encouraging students to master complex, industry-focused concepts. Each module is meticulously calibrated with designated contact hours and immersive activities that align with the curriculum's advanced scope, equipping students to navigate the sector's evolving challenges effectively.

The first year focuses on developing analytical tools and knowledge that support the rest of the curriculum. First-year program covers essential business functions (finance, marketing, and operations), management (research and human resources), and fashion (trends, product knowledge) in which the retailers operate. During the second year, students go through an unparalleled range of core retail-specific subjects to enhance the basic retailing concepts developed in the first year. This portion of the program enables students to integrate the functional skills learned in the first year into understanding the retailers as a total enterprise. MBA (RFM) will help broaden the students' perspectives and knowledge in the retail area. We substantially revise the existing subjects regularly to respond to changes in the retail environment while keeping students' interests in mind.

Key components of the course include Marketing Management, Consumer Behavior, Sales and Customer Relationship Management, Retail Brand Management, Retail Concepts and Environment, Retail Merchandising and Buying, Retail Supply Chain Management, Visual Merchandising and also focuses on Fashion Studies and Product Knowledge.

COURSE CONTENTS:

This program covers a wide range of subjects including Retail Management, Brand Management, Consumer Behaviour, Fashion Studies, Store design, Visual Merchandising, Retail Merchandising, retail analytics, Product Knowledge in Footwear and Apparels, Retail Operation, Marketing, Site Selection, Retail Research, Retail Communication, Customer Relationship Management, Retail Financials, Sales Management, Supply Chain Management, Emerging technologies in retail, Retail ERP, Soft Skills and Corporate Skills, etc.

CAREER PROSPECTS:

After completion of program, students will have multiple opportunities and can join the fashion or retail industry as Retail Manager, Area Manager, Operation Manager, Management Trainee, Retail Merchandiser, Visual Merchandiser, Category Manager, Buyer, Department Manager, Floor Manager, Brand Manager, E-Commerce Manager, Digital Marketer, Researcher with various national & international brands like Uniqlo, Reliance Brands, Shoppers Stop, Lifestyle, Pantaloons, Aditya Birla group, Bata, Chanel, Burberry, Armani, Versace, Tommy Hilfiger, Puma, Zara and Benetton etc.

MBA Specialization in any one domain: Merchandising / Operations / Visual Merchandising / Retail Technology / Niche Retailing.

(Note: Selection of aforementioned specialization is subject to minimum number of students as decided by the Institute, based on the availability of the requisite infrastructure.)



ALUMNI

Since Inception, we are proud to have produced more than 9000 leaders across different walks of life. FAA (FDDI ALUMNI ASSOCIATION) is dedicated to bringing together the Alumni community and present students at FDDI. Our Alumni are spread the world over and figure amongst the who's who in their respective domains. Some of our distinguished Alumni since inception in 1986 are:



Mr. Dharmendra Singh Entrepreneur & Founder of FAA (FDDI Alumni Association)



Mr. Anurag Pandey (CEO Arvind fashion Ltd FW Business)



Mr. Ankur Rastogi Head Collection & Vice President at Bata India Ltd



Mr. Sumit Saran Business Head, Quality Assurance with Reliance Retail , Trends FW



Mr. Deepak Patil Business Lead, Sports Footwear , Accessories. & 3P Business, at Cult.fit



Mr. Niren Anand Managing Director, Evertrade Group China & India



Mr. Siddharth Chury Associate Vice President, Global Partnerships [Mktg partnerships, Licensing] at National Basketball Association (NBA), USA



Mr. Ajay Rawat Sourcing Head Footwear , Puma India



Mr. V Pavan Kumar Genral Manager , A V Thomas Leather & Allied Products



Mr.Arun Singh Head Of Retail , John Jacobs (Lenskart)



Mr. Sanjay Sinha Sr. Director, Operation Management FW, Global Operation at Adidas Sourcing Ltd, Jakarta, Indonesia



Mr. Uttam Kumar Regional Director – APEC, Bata Group



Mr. Suman Nayak General Manager Marketing , Nippon Audiotronix Ltd



Mr. Vikas Dutt Business Head, FW Africa Zetwerk



Mr. Hitendra Parashar Founder & Owner COO Monsia LLC , UAE



Mr. Navin Anand Managing Director , Creations World Wide Ltd, India & Hongkong



Mr. Ashish Bansal Country Head at BFL BRANDFOLIO PVT LTD



Mr. Bharat Mahajan Founder EOSCO Design & ProductSolution (India /Vietnaam/China)



Mr. Rachit Jasoria AVP , Buying & Merchandising , Bata India Ltd



Mr. Rahul Prakash Mishra Business Head , Women Footwear Reliance Trends



Mr. Ashish Kumar Jha Sales & Marketing Head , Groz Beckert (Germany)



Mr. Vibhor Maheshwari Founder & Owner Pikup Shoes Agra



Mr. Alok Goel Head Of Sales & Technical Team-BASF (Germany),Home Appliance Business



Mr. Siddharth Kumar Business Head Men's FW RIL (Trends FW)



Ms. Shrvistha Shukla Garment Technologist , Kamal Osman Jamjoom Group LLC



Ms. Sushmita Key Account Manager , Esme Consumer Pvt. Ltd.



Mr. Manish Bhushan Business Head , Brand Buckaroo



Mr.Deepak Sachdeva Associate Director Footwear, Snapdeal



Mr. Nilesh Kumar General Manager - Head of Buying & Merchandising at Clarks



Ms.Snigdha Kesarwani Category Merchandising Head, Bata India Ltd



Ms. Tanya Mishra Retail Merchandiser Pero by Aneeth Arora



Ms. Somya Chauhan Visual Merchandiser, Shoppers Stop Ltd



Mr. Ashim Satpathy AGM Head Of Buying & Merchandising , Reliance Retail , Payless ShoeSource



Mr. Ritesh Kumar General Manager , Max Fashion India



Mr. Yogesh Mankar Founder Goods India24 & Social Entrepreneur



Ms. Prachi Dwivedi Brand Manager NineWest & Toms, Apparel Group UAE



Tunir Chatterjee Senior Designer, VARUN and NIDHIKA



Ms. Asmita Singh Visual Merchandiser Homecentre (Landmark)



Mr. Ashish Jain Founder & Owner Shoematic Industries



Mr. Rahul Kumar Founder & Owner Welvaart Trading Pvt Ltd



Ms. Priya Pushpita Asia Pacific Sr Merchandiser Crocs Singapore



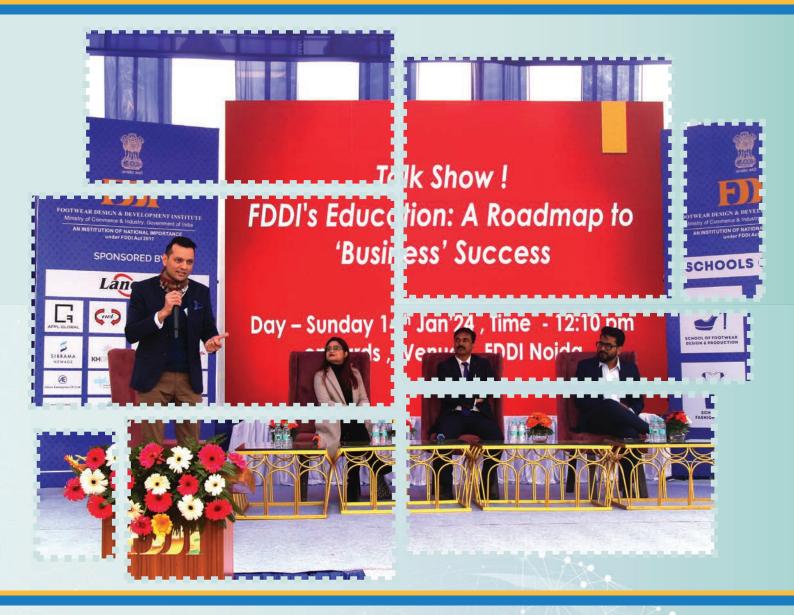
Ms. Sushmita Singh Merchandiser-Kidswear, Fabindia Overseas Pvt Ltd.



Dhruv Jaitely Designer Rimple & Harpreet Narula



Ms. Sucheta Manish Malhotra, Associate Menswear Design



Designation	Organization
MD	Chemico- Processing
Sr Manager	Eicher, Good Earth
Head, Ecommerce	Apparel Group
Vice President	Lifestyle (Landmark)
VP- Sourcing	Bata
COO Footwear	Arvind Fashion Ltd
Head - R&D, Accessories	H&M
Category Manager	Apparel Group, Dubai, UAE
Business Head	Wildcraft
MD	Tupperware
Manager Footwear Business	Tata International Ltd.
Design & Product Development Head	Bata India
Designer	Rimple & Harpreet Narula
Brand Head	Al Futtaim, Dubai
Dy. Manager	Royal Enfield
COO- SEVEN by MS Dhoni	Rhiti Sports
	MD Sr Manager Head, Ecommerce Vice President VP- Sourcing COO Footwear Head - R&D, Accessories Category Manager Business Head MD Manager Footwear Business Design & Product Development Head Designer Brand Head Dy. Manager

Name of Alumni	Designation	Organization
Madhuri Mamgain Kopikkar	CEO & Creative Head	Massif by me & Yashraj films
Manorma Wadhwa	Creative Head	Adidas, Indonesia
Md. Tajul Murad	Sr. Production Manager	VF Asia Ltd, Bangladesh
Md.H.Zamal Ansari	Proprietor	Shaz J Creations
Misha Singh	Product Manager Accessories	Benetton
Naveen Vij	General Manager, (Footwear & Accessories)	Landmark Group
Neha	VM Head	Giovanni
Niharika Gupta	Creative Director & Founder	Notebook
Nikhil Dua	Director	Relaxo Footwear Limited.
Nilesh	GM_Buying & Merchandising	Clarks
Niren Anand	CEO & MD	Xiamen Evertrade Imp & Exp Ltd, China Evertrade Imp & Exp Ltd, Hongkong
Prashant Kumar Ray	Head- Ecommerce & Strategies	Robobull Technologies
Prateek Goel	Retail Head	Hemant & Nandita
PriyaPushpita	Sr.Merchandiser	Crocs Singapore
Puneet Bhardwaj	Vice President	Carlton London
Rajesh Joseph	Managing Director	Nova Buying House
Rishi Patnaik	Sr. VP- Fashion & Lifestyle	Noon.com, Dubai
Sharon lee	Sr. Merchandiser	Rohit Gandhi Rahul Khanna
Sankalp Khare	General Manager(Marketing & Production)	Universal Exports
Shubham Pander	Sr Designer	Anamika Khanna
Soumendra Barik	Head Operations	Avetos, Global Exports
Siddharth Chury	Associate VP, Global partnerships (marketing partnerships, Licensing)	National Basketball association
Swati Malhotra	Managing Director	SwatiModo
Tunir Chatterjee	Sr Designer	Varun & Nidhika
Uttam Kumar	Country Manager	Bata, Thailand
Vikas Dutt	Footwear- Business Head	Mitsumi Distribution, Kenya
Vikas Katiyar	Vice President	Leayan Global
Virender Awal	Managing Director	Mochiko Shoes
Vivek Mohan	Director- Global operations	Adidas
Yoginder Singh	AVP- Business	Reliance Brands
Bharat Bhushan	Sr. Merchant	Leiner Shoes Pvt. Ltd.
Shashi Piyush	Head - Footwear, Accessories & Innerwear Business	Blackberrys Menswear

Name of Alumni	Designation	Organization
Rohit Puri	Executive Director	- Powerloom Development and Export Promotion Council,(PDEXCIL), Mumbai, Ministry of textiles, Government of India
Amit Srivastava	MD	OPL INTERNATIONAL
Ashutosh Bhatia	Technical Head India Director	Bevaform & Grohmann, Austria A3footwears
Dharmender Singh	MD	. Gopsun Leather & Footwear Pvt Ltd
Himanshu Ratnakar	Assistant General Manager -Sales & Mktg	WOODLAND
Sanjay Gupta	Sr. Manager	Croma Infinity Retail ltd.
Pankaj kumar Jha	Business Head	Solitaire Brands
Ashwani Srivastava	Category Manager	Ajio.com (Reliance Retail Ltd).
Neeraj Bhardwaj	General Manager-Retail Merchandising	Liberty Shoes Ltd
Mukul Sachdeva	MD	Punjab Hide co.
Ashish Joshi	Business head – Spunlaid division	Freudenberg Performance Materials
Ajay Rawat	Head of Sourcing	Puma India
Deepti Chandani	Senior Buyer Own Retail, Ecom Franchise	Adidas, Dubai
Kushagra Srivastava	Buyer, Footwear	Reliance Trends
Vangapalli Pavan Kumar	General Manager	A.V.Thomas Leather & Allied Products Private Limited.
Yogesh Mankar	CEO	Goods India24



OUR STAR ALUMNI

PLACEMENT CELL

The Placement Department plays a key role in counselling and guiding the students of the Institute for their successful career. It is a crucial interface for the students between the stage of completion of academic program of studies and entry into the professional world. The Placement department invites reputed National & Multinational companies for Internships & Placement of students across all campuses & courses. The department ensures proper counselling & grooming sessions to prepare students to face interviews, discussions & challenges that await them pre- & post- their career journey.

The Placement department invites stalwarts from the Industry for guest lectures, seminars, webinars, & events to share insights on latest trends, market scenario, economic growth, Industry need etc. Such sessions help in holistic development of students as they imbibe the practical learning along with academic learning.

PLACEMENT PROCESS AT FDDI

FDDI has a centralized campus placement process for all the 12 campuses of FDDI.

The Companies may send their manpower requirement at the placementcell@fddiindia.com or they may register through the link mentioned on the website of FDDI. Placement Department would respond to the requirement/query as per the confirmation for application received from students. Companies may extend Pre Placement offer to students during internship time.





INDUSTRY ASSOCIATES

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For Placement related queries, please write to us: placementcell@fddiindia.com

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

To showcase the creative skill and edifying creativity of the student community, the campus provides a suitable platform for the budding artists to bring to light the Indian culture and showpiece its present integration with the Western community by way of Co-curricular activities.

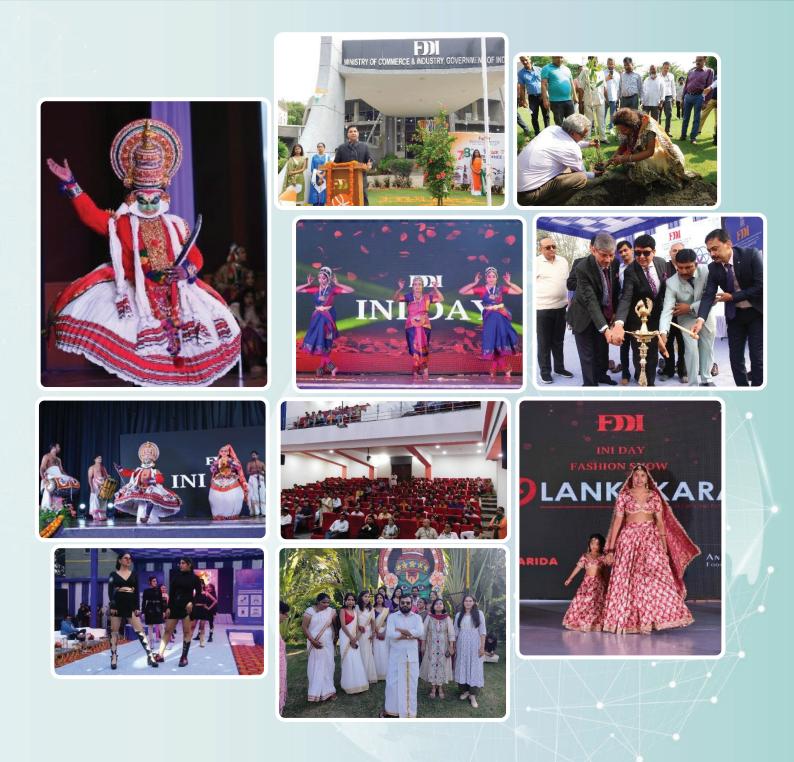
Students can develop their social and interpersonal skills by getting involved in various co-curricular activities. Various clubs like Sports, Cultural, and Literary are functional in the FDDI and these clubs and activities encourage our students to delve deeper into activities and subject areas that they are passionate

about. Such activities also improve their teamwork skills, and ability to build meaningful relationship with friends and peers, as well as with junior and senior students. A core committee consisting of staff and students' members manages these clubs. Some of these events and activities include Footwear and Leather Expo, Inter College/School Design Competition, Knowledge Festival, etc.



CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

At our Institute, a well-rounded education goes beyond the classroom and that cultural events are essential for encouraging individual development, teamwork, and innovation. Campus is home to a wide range of societies, each providing a unique opportunity to explore a variety of interests. Every student has a place to express their passion, whether it is in literature, photography, dance, theater, music, etc. Our frequent activities and cultural festivals give students a vibrant stage on which to display their abilities, make friends, and develop their leadership abilities. Our students thrive academically and develop personally in a dynamic cultural environment thanks to these extracurricular activities that enhance the college experience and foster a strong sense of community.



CULTURAL CLUBS



INFRASTRUCTURE & FACILITIES

OUR CAMPUSES

FDDI got the status of an Institution of National Importance by an Act of Parliament in 2017. It has campuses at Noida, Fursatganj (Near Lucknow), Chandigarh, Ankleshwar, Guna, Chennai, Patna, Hyderabad, Kolkata, Rohtak, Chhindwara and Jodhpur. All campuses have modern state-of-art machineries, conference halls, Digital Classroom, seminar halls, auditorium, open-air theatre, computer labs, and the library along with fully furnished separate Girls & Boys Hostel.

FDDI NOIDA CAMPUS

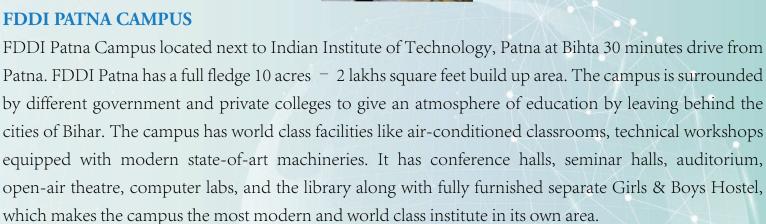
The Noida campus established in the year 1986 extends over an area of 10 acres with many topographical features imaginatively laid out with picturesque landscape.

With clean and wide roads, the campus presents a spectacle of harmony in architecture and natural beauty having the world-class facilities for training of students.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Retail & Fashion Merchandise
- Fashion Design
- Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design

FDDI PATNA CAMPUS



The classrooms are made not only to just create an atmosphere that is conducive to learning but, in a sense to nurture the quest for knowledge that the students possess. All classrooms are air-conditioned and equipped with all modern teaching aids. The campus also extends the facility of virtual class rooms and video conferencing.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design
- Retail & Fashion Merchandise







FDDI KOLKATA CAMPUS

Kolkata is known for its rich cultural heritage. With Kantha stitch in one hand and leather designing & export on the other, Kolkata has always marked its presence in the world of fashion and lifestyle. When it comes to academics, Bengal has provided the brightest minds. The epicenter of academics in the country has its own FDDI campus situated at the Kolkata Leather Complex. A 20 minute drive from Science City will take you to the lush green 15 acre campus of FDDI, Kolkata.

The state of art campus is well equipped with hi tech class rooms, technical workshops, conference hall, auditorium, seminar halls, computer lab, Design Studio, CAD-CAM Lab and resourceful library with fully furnished separate Girls & Boys Hostel. This makes FD-DI-Kolkata a most modern and world level campus.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design
- Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design

FDDI JODHPUR CAMPUS

The FDDI campus based in Jodhpur is spread in area of 15 Acre. It is surrounded by two sides from agriculture university and Ambedkar school and in front is the national highway 65 connecting Jodhpur with Nagaur / Bikaner.

The campus have admin cum academic building, Air-conditioned classrooms and labs, Auditorium, Boys and Girls Hostel, Residence of Executive Director, Gymnasium, Cafeteria, Student Mess, Staff and Student parking area, Outdoor sports areas.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design

FDDI ANKLESHWAR CAMPUS

FDDI-Ankleshwar Campus is located adjacent to the NH-8 Mumbai-Ahmedabad Highway next to Surat in the Bharuch district of Gujarat State. The campus is spread over 10 acres and is situated in The GIDC (Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation) Near ESIC Hospital, Sardar Park Road in the surrounding with the state-of-the art housing & buildings. Besides ample air-conditioned classrooms, technical workshops equipped with modern state-of-art machineries, it has conference halls, seminar halls, auditorium, computer labs, Design Studio, CAD- CAM Lab and the library along with fully furnished Boys Hostel. This makes FDDI-Ankleshwar a most modern and world level campus.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design

FDDI GUNA CAMPUS

FDDI-Guna Campus is located on Puraposar Road at Gram Maharajpura, District - Guna, Madhya Pradesh. This is situated on the parallel road of Hanuman Tekri (Tekri Sarkar) Road.

The FDDI Campus at Guna has been conceived with an objective to train managers, designers, supervisors and retail professionals to meet the acute shortage of trained manpower in the Industry.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Retail & Fashion Merchandise

FDDI CHHINDWARA CAMPUS

Chhindwara is an urban agglomeration and a Municipal Corporation in Chhindwara district in the Indian state of Madhya Pradesh. It is the administrative headquarters of Chhindwara District. Chhindwara is one of the largest towns in the Satpura range. It is on a plateau, surrounded by lush green fields, rivers and by dense forest with diverse flora and fauna.

Chhindwara is the most rapidly developing city in Madhya Pradesh. Chhindwara is home to brands like Raymond's & Hindustan Liver.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design
- Retail and Fashion Merchandise

FDDI FURSATGANJ CAMPUS

FDDI-Fursatganj Campus is located next to Indira Gandhi Udaan Academy, Fursatganj, C.S.M. Nagar, U.P., 80 minutes' drive from Lucknow. The campus is spread over 10-20 acres and is situated in a calm and serene surrounding with the state-of-the art housing & buildings having a built-up area of approximately 3 lacs sq. ft. Besides ample air-conditioned classrooms, technical workshops equipped with modern state-of-art machineries, it has conference halls, seminar halls, auditorium, open-air theatre, computer labs, International Design Studio and the library along with fully furnished separate Girls & Boys Hostel. This makes FDDI-Fursatganj a most modern and world level campus.

FDDI-Fursatganj campus is located near to Kanpur & Unnao clusters of leather products and footwear. The retail sector is also growing very fast in the region of Lucknow and Kanpur with its modern infrastructure and facilities complied with FDDI international brand and quality, this campus attracts best students, faculty and industry (Recruiters).

For practical training the campus has a full-fledged workshop for cutting, closing, components, lasting, finishing. All labs are equipped with state of art machineries and equipment.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design

FDDI ROHTAK CAMPUS

FDDI Rohtak campus is located at Plot No. 1, Sector 31-B, IMT, Rohtak, Haryana. The campus area spread over 15 acres of land and is planned to intensively focus on Design and Fashion related requirements.

Haryana has great potential in leather and footwear clusters. The present clusters of Haryana like Bahadurgarh, Faridabad, Karnal and Ambala etc. are expanding fast and have promising future and this institute is working as a catalyst in their growth process.

The institute being established is equipped with most modern and high-end state of art infrastructure to ensure world class training environment and prepare the students to excel efficiently across the globe & provide gainful employment to the youth of the region.

FDDI Rohtak centre is providing critical support to the industry in the area of Design, Fashion & Trend forecasting, Technology, Retail and Management so that the Indian industries can become more competitive, in terms of Design, Cost, Quality and Delivery time in the global market.

Courses Offered

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design

FDDI CHANDIGARH CAMPUS

FDDI-Banur (Chandigarh Campus) is located on National Highway 07, Chandigarh-Patiala Highway, Banur, Distt. S.A.S. Nagar Mohali (Chandigarh), Punjab. . The campus is spread over 7.2 acres and is situated in the heart of Institutional Area of Chandigarh/Mohali City with the state-of-the art housing & buildings. Besides ample air-conditioned classrooms, technical workshops equipped with modern state-of-art machineries, it has conference halls, seminar halls, auditorium, ITSC, Design Studio, CAD-CAM lab and the Digital E-library along with fully furnished separate Girls & Boys Hostel. This makes FDDI-Banur (Chandigarh Campus) a most modern and world class campus.

Courses Offered:

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design
- Retail & Fashion Merchandise

FDDI HYDERABAD CAMPUS

Hyderabad, the Capital of Telangana is one of the fastest growing cities in India. It is known for its rich history for food, multi-lingual culture geographically and culturally. People are cooperative and can communicate in all the languages to make you comfortable with nice weather. It has become a center in various fields from IT, Pharmaceutical, Biotechnology& academics and of course now for FDDI.

FDDI Hyderabad is situated in the heart of city surrounded by IT Industry, Academic Institutions like ISB (Indian School of Business), HCU (Hyderabad Central University), Gachibowli stadium and also sought after townships like Film Nagar, Banjara hills and Jubilee hills etc.

With clean and wide roads, the campus presents a spectacle of harmony in architecture and natural beauty having the world-class facilities for training of students. This campus is spread in 16 acres.

Courses Offered:

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design
- Leather, Lifestyle and Product Design

FDDI CHENNAI CAMPUS

FDDI, Chennai Campus is located at Irungattukottai near SIPCOT Footwear and Component Park, 40 minutes' drive from Chennai. The most appealing campus area spread over 15 acres, located in calm and serene lake view which is surrounding with the ancient state of art cities like Kanchipuram, Thiruvallur and Sriperumbudur. The campus having a built-up area of more than 4 lakhs sq. Ft including Admin Block, workshop building, Retail Block, Resource centre, Boys and Girls Hostel and with the Staff quarters. An excellent infrastructure and modern facilities of the campus assists in conducting the various academic programmes. The Institute have a wide and pleasant separate building for resource centre which encourage the students to spend more time in library to make space for quality learning and aid towards the freshness of mind. A hi-tech computer lab and the Design Studio, well-furnished and centrally air-conditioned building, for class rooms and lecture halls, latest multimedia audio-video, educational support for teaching and a fully well-equipped auditorium. The Campus is equipped with International Testing Laboratory which is an icon of FDDI Chennai.

Courses Offered:

- Footwear Design & Production
- Fashion Design

LABS & WORKSHOPS

All campuses of FDDI are wirelessly equipped, offering all-round Wi-Fi Internet access to students and faculty round the clock. The Wi-Fi network provides network and Internet connectivity in every nook and corner of the campus that includes even the canteen and open theater, garden and the lawns.

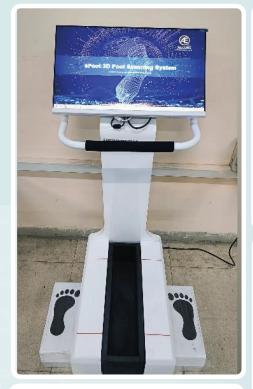
The Hi-tech IT Lab comprises of PCs and high-end Workstation with prominent application software to meet the academic needs. Students are encouraged to use art labs & studios across the courses offered in the institute. This integrated approach to learning promotes interactivity, practical knowledge and design sense. The Institute invests in the latest equipment to introduce the updated teaching practices to the students.

- Computer labs
- Photography lab
- Pattern making & draping labs
- Dyeing and printing lab
- Technology labs
 - Leather design labs



The campuses have well-equipped workshops with adequate number of latest machines & equipment's. State-of-the-art machines are available in the Cutting, Closing, Component, Lasting & Finishing Work-shops. The International Design & CAD/CAM division is equipped with most modern and sophisticated machineries and software's such as - 2D & 3D CAD Systems, CAM Systems, etc. to nurture the world-class designers for the industry.

To ensure international training and delivery across the programmes/campuses, state-of-art workshops and labs are functional in each area of operations so that the students can be introduced to the latest global technology (inclusive of software, machineries and equipment's), systems and standards and get hands on training.





















AMPHITHEATRES & AUDITORIUMS

Some of our campuses have fully air-conditioned world-class auditorium which is equipped with an ultra-modern, professional level light and sound systems, overhead LCD, recording system, spacious dais and solar lights etc. for lectures, discourses, conferences, company meetings, educational, cultural and recreational activities.

Amphitheatre: An innovative set-up with open-air seating, the Amphi-Theatre provides a platform for students to showcase their artistic and creative talents among other things. Lot of the events and activities take place in these amphitheaters.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION (STUDENT HELPDESK)













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FDDI JODHPUR

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FDDI CHENNAI

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FDDI CHHINDWARA

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FDDI CHANDIGARH

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FDDI ANKLESHWAR (GUJARAT)

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FDDI HYDERABAD

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FDDI PATNA

Contact Timing: 9:30 AM TO 5:30 PM Weekdays Plot No. B-6(P), Mega Industrial Park, Amhara, Bihta, Near Hero Cycle, Patna, Bihar, India

ADMISSION CALENDAR FOR ADMISSIONS 2025-26

Details	Date
Launch of Admission Prospectus / Online application for AIST 2025	15th November 2024
Last date of Online submission of application for AIST 2025	20 th April 2025
Last date of Online submission of application for AIST 2025 with Late Fee	30 th April 2025
Availability of open window for editing forms	21st - 22nd April 2025
Availability of Admit cards	1st May 2025
Entrance exam Date (AIST 2025)	11th May 2025
Merit list display on <u>www.fddiindia.com</u>	2nd -3rd Week June 2025
Dates of Counselling - 2025	June- July 2025
Last date of fee submission	15 th July 2025
Date of Orientation/Commencement of Classes	21st July 2025

ADMISSIONS

*If any candidate is unable to submit online application for All India Selection Test (AIST) 2025 by 20th April 2025 such candidates may be provided a final opportunity to online submit their Application for AIST 2025 by 30th April 2025 on payment of additional late fee of Rs. 800/- in case of General/OBC (Non Creamy)/GEN-EWS Category candidate and Rs. 400/- in case of SC/ ST/ PWD Category candidates.

Application Fee for (AIST/National level entrance examination/Industry Sponsored / NRI Category):

- Non-Refundable Application Fee for General/OBC (Non Creamy)/GEN-EWS Category:
 Rs. 600/- through online payment gateway only.
- Non-Refundable Application Fee for SC/ ST/ PWD Category: Rs. 300/- through online



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & AGE LIMIT FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2025-26

1. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMMES (B.DES. / BBA)

- A. A candidate who has passed,
 - a) 10+2, in any stream, from any recognized Board; or
 - b) any School or Board or University examination in India or in foreign country recognized by the Association of Indian Universities as equivalent to 10+2 system; or
 - c) School Examination conducted by the National Open School with a minimum of five subjects; or
 - d) All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) approved three years full time Diploma after Class X offered by Board of Technical Education of any state or Union territory;

B. A candidate who has appeared for any examination under clause (A), and whose result has not been declared at the time of admission, shall be eligible to apply for admission to the Bachelor' s Programmes and such candidate, if selected, shall be granted provisional admission and shall be required to submit the result of the requisite examination on or before the 30th day of September 2025 to the Admission In Charge where the admission has been granted, failing which the candidate' s admission may be cancelled and entire fee will be forfeited. Such candidates have to produce proof of having appeared for the examination during the Counseling process of FDDI programmes.

C. The age limit for the Bachelor's programme shall be 25 years as on the 1st July 2025.

2.ELIGIBILTY FOR ADMISSION TO MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMMES

A.) Master of Design (M. Des.) in Footwear Design & Production: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from any Institute / University recognized by law in India. However, the bridge programme comprising of two to three relevant subjects may be offered with the existing M.Des. programme to the students who doesn't have any design background to provide necessary design inputs in order to understand the design concepts.

B.) Master of Design (M.Des.) in Fashion Design : Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from any Institute / Uversity recognized by law in India.

C.) Master of Business Administration (MBA) in Retail & Fashion Merchandise) : Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from any Institute / University recognized by law in India.

A candidate who has appeared in any examination for any of the degree referred to under clause (A), (B) & clause (C) and whose result has not been declared at the time of admission, shall be eligible to apply for admission to the Master's Programmes and such candidate, if selected, shall be granted provisional admission and shall be required to submit the result of the requisite examination on or before the 30th day of September 2025 to the Admission In Charge where the admission has been granted, failing which the candidate's admission may be cancelled and entire fee will be forfeited. Such candidates have to produce proof of having appeared for the final examination during the Counseling process of FDDI programmes.

AGE LIMIT FOR MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMMES (M.DES./MBA): NO AGE LIMIT

ELIGIBILITY OF CANDIDATES WITH ANY NATIONAL LEVEL ENTRANCE EXAMINA-TION FOR ADMISSION IN UG & PG PROGRAMMES

All eligible candidates with any valid National level entrance examination score card is allowed for participating in Admission process for UG & PG programmes for the academic session 2025-26.

The criteria for processing score obtained against the FDDI AIST Rank are as follows:

"The aggregate percentile of any national level entrance examination score may be equated at par with FDDI percentile. Marks corresponding to the nearest percentile of the candidate who appeared in the FDDI AIST may be allotted and the candidate having score/percentage/percentile in entrance examinations may positioned just below such candidate".

Students having valid score are needed to apply online for admission 2025. However they may be given exemption from appearing in AIST 2025. In case they appear for AIST examination 2025, the rank for such candidates shall be determined on the basis of candidate's performance in AIST 2025.

Results of any National Level Entrance examination submitted after May 31st, 2025, will not be consid-

COMMUNICATION STANDARDS:

The candidates are expected to possess good communication skills in English. It is recommended that the candidates should have good command in written and spoken English language as the same may help the candidates to improve their performance in the entrance test and interviews for on-board placement, in comprehending the programme taught and also getting placements.

SEAT INDEX

A. Regular Seats for the Academic Session 2025-26

	Campus	Scho Footwear Produ	& Design	School o Des	f Fashion ign	School of Leather Goods & Accessories Design	School o & Fa Merch		Total
Sr. No.	Campus	B. Des (FDP)	M. Des (FDP)	B. Des (FD)	M. Des (FD)	B. Des (LLPD)	BBA (RFM)	MBA (RFM)	
1	NOIDA	80	60	80	30	60	60	60	430
2	FURSATGANJ (Raebareli)	60		60					120
3	CHENNAI	60	60	60					180
4	KOLKATA	60		60		60			180
5	ROHTAK	60		60					120
6	JODHPUR	60		60					120
7	CHHINDWARA	60		60				60	180
8	GUNA	60						30	90
9	ANKLESHWAR (Surat)	60		60					120
10	PATNA	60		60			60	60	240
11	HYDERABAD	80		80	30	60	60	60	370
12	CHANDIGARH	60		60			60	60	240
	TOTAL	760	120	700	60	180	240	330	2390

Note:

Over and above the regular seats, 10% seats are reserved for **NRI / PIO/ Industry-Sponsored** candidates who meet the prescribed eligibility criteria.

A. Fee structure for Undergraduate Students (for new students admitted during the year 2025-26

For FDDI Noida/ Hyderabad/ Chennai/ Kolkata/ Chandigarh campus

		2025	5-26	202	6-27	202	7-28	202	28-29
	Sem 1		Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4	Sem 5	Sem 6	Sem 7	Sem 8
Tuition Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 1,0	4,300	Rs. 1,04,300	Rs. 1,04,300					
Library Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 5,0	00/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-					
Mediclaim (Non Refundable)	Rs. 800)/-		Rs. 900/-		Rs. 1,000/-		Rs. 1,100/-	EXAN.
Student Development Fee	Rs. 8,5	00	-	Rs. 6,000	1-1	Rs. 6,600	4	Rs. 7,300	
Exam Fee	Rs. 2,0	00/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-					
ONE-TIME FEE									
Registration Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 10,	000/-							
Security Deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 10,	000/-							
Total	Rs. 140	600/-	Rs. 1,11300/-	Rs. 1,18200/-	Rs. 1,11300/-	Rs. 1,18900/-	Rs. 1,11300/-	Rs. 1,19,700/-	Rs. 1,11,300/-

B. Fee structure for undergraduate (BBA) Students (for new students admitted during the year 2025-26)

For FDDI Noida/ Hyderabad/ Chandigarh campus

		2025	5-26	202	26-27	202	27-28	202	28-29
	Sem 1		Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4	Sem 5	Sem 6	Sem 7	Sem 8
Tuition Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 87,5	500	Rs. 87,500	Rs. 87,500					
Library Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 5,00	00/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-					
Mediclaim (Non Refundable)	Rs. 800/	/-		Rs. 900/-	-474	Rs. 1,000/-		Rs. 1,100/-	+AAA
Student Development Fee	Rs. 8,50	00	-	Rs. 6,000	1-12-1	Rs. 6,600	4.14	Rs. 7,300	
Exam Fee	Rs. 2,00	00/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-					
ONE-TIME FEE									
Registration Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 10,0	000/-							
Security Deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 10,0	000/-							
Total	Rs. 1,23	5,800/-	Rs. 94,500/-	Rs. 1,01,400	Rs. 94,500/-	Rs. 1,02,100	Rs. 94,500/-	Rs. 1,02,900/-	Rs. 94,500/-

C. Fee structure for undergraduate (B.Des) Students (for new students admitted during the year 2025-26)

For Rohtak/ Jodhpur/ Ankleshwar/ Fursatganj/ Patna/ Guna & Chhindwara Campus

		2025	-26	202	6-27	202	27-28	202	28-29
	Sem 1		Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4	Sem 5	Sem 6	Sem 7	Sem 8
Tuition Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 70,7	700	Rs. 70,700	Rs. 70,700	Rs. 70,700	Rs. 70,700	Rs. 70,700	Rs. 70,700	Rs. 70,700
Library Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 5,0	00/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-
Mediclaim (Non Refundable)	Rs. 800)/-		Rs. 900/-	KTEK	Rs. 1,000/-		Rs. 1,100/-	+AAA
Student Development Fee	Rs. 8,5	00	-	Rs. 6,000	HAR P	Rs. 6,600	4	Rs. 7,300	
Exam Fee	Rs. 2,0	00/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-
ONE-TIME FEE									
Registration Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 10,0	000/-							
Security Deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 10,	000/-							
Total	Rs. 1,07	7,000/-	Rs. 77,700/-	Rs. 84,600	Rs. 77,700/-	Rs. 85,300	Rs. 77,700/-	Rs. 86,100/-	Rs. 77,700/-

D. Fee structure for undergraduate (BBA) Students (for new students admitted during the year 2025-26)

For Patna Campus

	202	5-26	202	26-27	202	27-28	20	28-29
	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4	Sem 5	Sem 6	Sem 7	Sem 8
Tuition Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300	Rs. 59,300
Library Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-
Mediclaim (Non Refundable)	Rs. 800/-		Rs. 900/-	-41-4-	Rs. 1,000/-		Rs. 1,100/-	1249
Student Development Fee	Rs. 8,500	-	Rs. 6,000	1452	Rs. 6,600		Rs. 7,300	
Exam Fee	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-
ONE-TIME FEE								
Registration Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 10,000/-							
Security Deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 10,000/-							
Total	Rs. 95,600/-	Rs. 66,300/-	Rs. 73,200	Rs. 66,300/-	Rs. 73,900	Rs. 66,300/-	Rs. 74,700/-	Rs. 66,300/-

E. Fee structure for Postgraduate (M.Des & MBA) Students (for new students admitted during the year 2025-26)

For FDDI Noida/ Hyderabad/ Chennai/ Chandigarh) Campus

Academic Fee Semester Wise F	or Non-NRI Category	(In Rupees)		
		2025-2026		2026- 2027
	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4
Tuition Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 1,29,700/-	Rs. 1,29,700/-	Rs. 1,29,700/-	Rs. 1,29,700/-
Library Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-
Mediclaim (Non Refundable)	Rs. 800/-	- ARK	Rs. 900/-	
Student Development Fee	Rs. 8,500/-		Rs. 6,000/-	
Exam Fee	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-
ONE-TIME FEE				
Registration Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 10,000/-			
Security Deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 10,000/-			
Total	Rs. 1,66,000/-	Rs. 136700/-	Rs. 143600/-	Rs. 136700/-

F. Fee structure for Postgraduate (MBA) Students (for new students admitted during the year 2025-26)

For FDDI Guna, Patna & Chhir	ndwara Campus			
Academic Fee Semester Wise Fo	r Non-NRI Category (I	n Rupees)		
	20	025-26		2026-27
	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3	Sem 4
Tuition Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 1,01,100/-	Rs. 1,01,100/-	Rs. 1,01,100/-	Rs. 1,01,100/-
Library Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-	Rs. 5,000/-
Mediclaim (Non Refundable)	Rs. 800/-	-	Rs. 900/-	
Student Development Fee	Rs. 8,500/-	- //	Rs. 6,000/-	
Exam Fee	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-	Rs. 2,000/-
ONE-TIME FEE				
Registration Fee (Non Refundable)	Rs. 10,000/-			
Security Deposit (Refundable)	Rs. 10,000/-			
Total	Rs.1,37,400/-	Rs. 108100/-	Rs. 115000/-	Rs. 108100/-

Kindly Note (Applicable for section A,B,C,D,E&F) : -

1. NRI/Industry sponsored candidates are required to pay twice the tuition fee in case of FDDI Noida and FDDI Hyderabad and for the rest of the mentioned campuses

candidates are required to pay 50% extra of the tuition fee (other components of FEE will remain the same.)

2. FDDI reserves the right to revise the above mentioned fee for any academic year.

HOSTEL FEE (EXCLUDING MESS FEE) for new students admitted during the year 2025-26

CAMPUS	Total Fee P	er Semester		
FDDI Rohtak/Jodhpur/Ankleshwar/Fursatganj/Patna/Guna/ Chhindwara Campus				
FDDI Hyderabad/Chennai/ Kolkata/ Chan	digarh Campus	Rs. 24000		
FDDI Noida Campus		Rs. 30000		

Kindly Note : -

- 1. Refundable security for hostellers is Rs. 5000/- (one time).
- 2. FDDI reserves the right to revise the above mentioned fee for any academic year.
- 3. Mess Fee varies from campus to campus.
- 4. Mess Facility will be compulsory for all hostellers. Mess fee has to be paid separately in the beginning of each semester.

5. Hostel Fees and Mess fees once paid is non-refundable after the allotment of hostel.

ADMISSION GUIDELINES

PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION THROUGH COUNSELING :

Admissions will be made strictly on merit basis (Rank-wise) and counseling.

The programme & campus will be awarded to the candidates on the basis of their rank and preference.

Successful candidates will be called for the counseling in order of their rank based on aggregate score in All India Selection Test (AIST) 2025.

For Postgraduate programmes, the candidates who have opted for both M.Des. & MBA programmes shall be offered separate ranks in both the programmes.

Students will be called in the counseling in excess of the seats, therefore, there are possibilities that all the seats will be filled as per merit. Institute does not take any responsibility for any inconvenience caused to parents/candidates due to closure of the counseling prior to their turn.

A candidate who is allotted a seat will be required to pay an amount of Rs. 25,000/- at the time of counseling /admission to reserve the seat. This includes Rs. 10,000/- (Non Refundable) as Registration Fee + Rs 15,000/- as Advance Fee to be adjusted against the balance fee.

The candidates will be given 10 working days from the date of reserving his seat to deposit the balance fee.

Note:

FDDI reserves the right to change the campus and / or programme of a student if the enrolment for that specific program at the campus is less than 20 students. Subsequently student will be required to pay fee and other charges as applicable for that specific campus and / or programme.

Based on the information provided by the candidate in the application form while applying online, the candidate will be provisionally allowed to appear for the FDDI AIST 2025 Entrance Examination. It will be the responsibility of the candidate to provide valid certificates at the time of admission.

HOW TO APPLY

FOR ADMISSIONS 2025, ALL CANDIDATES ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT ONLINE APPLICATION FOR ALL INDIA SELECTION TEST (AIST) 2025.

HOW TO FILL THE ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

1) Candidates are required to apply online through website: https://fddiadmissions.qualcampus.com/. They can access this website also through the 'Admission 2025 - Apply Now!' banner on the homepage of official website of FDDI (https://www.fddiindia.com)

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM

Step By Step guidelines for applying online may be referred for the purpose. The prospectus is available at FDDI website www.fddiindia.com free of cost. The application fee has to be paid through online payment gateway only. Candidates have to pay this amount for Bachelor / Master Programme he / she applies for.

- ▶ Non-Refundable Application Fee for General/OBC (Non Creamy)/GEN-EWS Category:
- Rs. 600/- through online payment gateway only.
- ➤ Non-Refundable Application Fee for SC/ ST/ PWD Category: Rs. 300/- through online payment gateway only.

MODE OF PAYMENT OF APPLICATION FEE: ONLINE PAYMENT (CREDIT/DEBIT CARDS)

(A) Online Payment

Payments of application fee (Rs.600/- or Rs.300/-) can be made online as explained above through any means. The bank and/or transaction charges on the application fee will be borne by the candidate. Candidates are advised to apply on or before the last date of submission of Application Form.

Candidates are advised to keep a printout/photocopy of Application Form for further reference along with proof of payment.

WINDOW TO EDIT/ UPDATE APPLICATION FORM

Prior to making the payment candidate can edit/amend the information in the online application. Once the payment has been made by the candidate he/she will not be allowed to change/modify any information by the system. However, candidates will be given an opportunity to review and correct their personal information (changing the City of Examination is not permitted) in the application form from 21st April (16:00 Hrs onwards) to 22nd April 2025 till 11:59 pm

Application fee already paid will not be refunded in case the application is found not eligible for admissions to FDDI after editing / updating of the application form.

It is the sole responsibility of the candidate to provide correct information during the application process. At any stage if it is found that the information provided by the candidate is not true, FDDI has the right to cancel his/her candidature. Any direct or indirect attempt to influence the management and employees of the institute will lead to automatic disqualification of the candidate.

After closing the window to edit the application form, the information filled up in the application form will not be changed at any stage. Therefore, candidates/guardians are advised to fill-up the application form with due diligence.

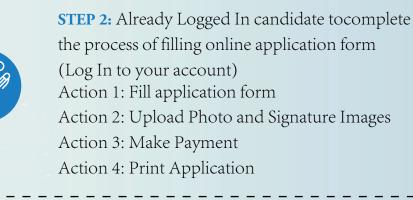
STEP BY STEP PROCESS TO FILL ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

STEP 1: New Candidate to Create Log In (New Log In)



Essential documents

to be made ready





STEP 4: Download the admit card

STEP 1: New Candidate to Create Log In (New Log In)

- New Candidate to visit the website: https://fddiadmissions.qualcampus.com/ and click : Registration Fresh Candidate to create Log In (New Log In)
- Fill the details to register for any programme. You must have a valid email ID for applying online.
- Press the button "Submit". Once the information filled here will not be changed.
- The confirmation along with login credential for the registration will be sent on your email entered.
- Note: Kindly note the User Name & Password (Credential) will be used to login to the website to fill the online application form.

Essential Documents to be made ready

- Before starting to fill up the on-line application, keep ready with you the following details / documents / Information
 - a) Valid Email ID (the email should be valid for at least 1 year).
 - b) Personal and Educational qualification details.
 - c) Caste / Tribe/ Class certificate (for SC / ST/ OBC(NC) candidate).
 - d) Disability Certificate for Persons with Disabilities.
 - e) EWS Certificate if eligible.
 - f) Image of scanned photograph in jpg / jpeg format and size should not exceed 50 kb.
 - g) Image of scanned signature in jpg / jpeg format and size should not exceed 50 kb.
 - h) Debit / Credit Card details for making online payment against the Application Fee.

STEP 2: Already Logged In candidate log in to complete the process of filling online application form (Log In to your account)

- Already Logged In Candidate to visit the website : **https://fddiadmissions.qualcampus.com/** and login by credential (Sent on registered mail ID) to Complete Process.
- On clicking Login to Complete Process (Log In to your account) page will appear which will have following action which are to be completed for submission of online application form:
 - ► Action1 : Fill Application
 - Action 2 : Uploading image (Photograph and Signature)
 - > Action 3 : Make Payment
 - ► Action 4 : Print Application

Action 1: Fill Application (Click on the button to fill application form)

- Fill the details on the online application form. Since your eligibility will be screened based on the information furnished by you, you are required to exercise sufficient care to correctly furnish the details of your Qualification, etc.
- While filling the application form online, please save the information by clicking the button "SAVE" & "PROCEED".

In case you wish to edit any information you can do that by log in again using User Name & Password and after editing the information, make sure to save the information by clicking the button "SAVE"& "PROCEED".

Action 2 : Uploading images

- Upload Photograph Photograph must be a recent passport size colour picture. Make sure that the picture is in colour, taken against a light-coloured, preferably white background, and has no harsh shadows. If you wear glasses make sure that there are no reflections and your eyes can be clearly seen. Also, ensure that both ears are visible in the picture. Caps, hats and dark glasses are not acceptable. Religious headwear is allowed but it must not cover your face. The image should only be in .jpg or .jpeg format. Size of file should be not be more than 50 kb.
- ➤ Upload Signature Sign on white paper with Black ink pen and scan it. Please scan the signature area only and not the entire page and ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 50 kb. Please note that this signature would appear on the Admit Card, and if it does not match the signature on the answer sheet at the time of the written test and at the time of Interview, the candidature will be cancelled. The image should only be in .jpg or .jpeg format. Size of file should not be more than 50 kb.

Action 3 : Make Payment

Payment through Debit Card / Credit Card: Keep the Debit Card / Credit Card Details handy.

In case you wish to change the category, click button "Home" and then click button "Action 1: Fill Application" so that the application form will be opened. After editing the information, make sure to save the information by clicking the button "SAVE". Now click button "Home" and then click button "Action 3: Make Payment" and proceed for the payment.

NOTE:

1. Once the payment has been made, you will not be allowed to change/modify any information.

2. Prior to making the payment, candidate can edit / amend the information in the online application form. Once the payment has been made, you will not be allowed to change/modify any information by the system. However, candidates will be given an opportunity to review and correct their personal information (changing the City of Examination is not permitted) in the application form from 21st April (16:00 Hrs onwards) to 22nd April 2025 till 11:59 pm

Action 4 : Print Application

Candidate can view the submitted form by clicking the button "Action 4: Print Application" and can take print out of the same for their record.

STEP 3: Verify the status of your submitted Application Form

STEP 4: Download (Print) the Admit Card

- On the basis of information given in the FDDI Application Form, Admit Card of provisionally eligible candidates will be available for download from website: https://fddiadmissions.qualcampus.com/
 from 1st May 2025 (1300 Hrs.) onwards.
- Download Admit Card On the due date for Admit Card, re-login to the website:
 https://fddiadmissions.qualcampus.com/ A link for downloading Admit Card for written test, containing the details of the center/venue for the examination, etc., will be available.
- Print Admit Card Take a printout of the admit card. Candidates will not be allowed to enter the Written Test Venue without a valid Admit Card.

Note:

The admit card for written test will NOT be sent by post or email. Candidates are advised to regularly check FDDI website for updates.

The Examination Process (For All Programmes)

All eligible candidates would have to go through an examination process (Paper Based Test). The medium of the test will be in English/Hindi only. The process for Bachelor & Master programmes is separately listed below.

The Written Examination (For All Programmes)

Based on their choice of city, all eligible candidates will have to appear for the written entrance examination at the Examination Centres opted by them. The written entrance examination is designed to test the knowledge, skill and aptitude of the candidates for the programme opted.

BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMMES (B.Des. / BBA)					
Section	Description	No of Questions	Marks per question	Max Marks	
Section A	Analytical Ability	25	1	25	
Section B	Business Aptitude Test	25	2	50	
Section B	Design Aptitude Test	1	50	50	
Section C	General Awareness	35	1	35	
Section D	Comprehension	25	1	25	
Section D	Grammar, Usage, etc.	15	1	15	
Total	ARTIZ	126	+	200	

MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMMES (M.Des. / MBA)					
Section	Description	No of Questions	Marks per question	Max Marks	
Section A	Analytical Ability	25	2	50	
Section B	English Comprehension & Grammar	50	1	50	
Section C	General Knowledge & Current Affairs	50	1	50	
Section D	Management Aptitude Test & Design Aptitude Test	50	1	50	
Total		175		200	

LIST OF EXAMINATION CENTRES

A Paper Based Test (PBT) for all Undergraduate (UG) and Postgraduate (PG) Programmes will be conducted on 11th May 2025 at 36 cities.

The candidate may select only ONE city for the examination. No request for change in examination center will be entertained at any stage.

Sr. No.	List of Examination Cities	Sr. No.	List of Examination Cities
1	Ankleshwar (FDDI Campus)	19	Jamshedpur
2	Agra	20	Kochi
3	Ahmedabad	21	Kolkata(FDDI Campus)
4	Bengaluru	22	Kanpur
5	Bhopal	23	Lucknow
6	Chandigarh (FDDI Campus)	24	Noida (FDDI Campus)
7	Chhindwara (FDDI Campus)	25	Pune
8	Chennai (FDDI Campus)	26	Patna (FDDI Campus)
9	Chennai	27	Ranchi
10	Dehradun	28	Raipur
11	Delhi	29	Rohtak (FDDI Campus)
12	Fursatganj (FDDI Campus)	30	Vishakhapatnam
13	Guna (FDDI Campus)	31	Mumbai
14	Gwalior	32	Guwahati
15	Hyderabad (FDDI Campus)	33	Kota
16	Indore	34	Dimapur
17	Jaipur	35	Jammu
18	Jodhpur (FDDI Campus)	36	Nagpur

Note: Please note that FDDI reserves the right to cancel any of the Examination Centres mentioned above. In such a case, an alternate centre, which is locationally and administratively convenient, will be allotted. Candidates may e-mail: admission@fddiindia.com for related queries.

ADMIT CARDS

Entry to the Examination Centre will be allowed with admit cards only.

On the basis of information given in the FDDI Application Forms, Admit Cards of provisionally eligible candidates will be available for download from www.fddiindia.com or https://fddiadmissions.qualcampus.com/ from 1st May 2025 onwards. Candidates are advised to regularly check FDDI website for updates.

Note: Admit Cards and Results for AIST 2025 will be available on FDDI's website only. No separate communication will be sent by post.

EXAMINATION CENTRE

Candidates should reach the examination centre at least 90 minutes before the commencement of the examination. Mobiles and other electronic gadgets are not allowed inside the Examination Centre. Candidates found with mobile or other electronic gadgets will be asked to leave the examination centre and shall be disqualified.

ADMISSION UNDER NRI /PIO/ INDUSTRY SPONSORED CATEGORY

Over and above the regular seats, 10% seats are reserved for NRI /PIO/ Industry Sponsored candidates who meet the prescribed eligibility criteria. The NRI/PIO/ Industry Sponsored Candidate shall be interviewed and the selection shall be done on merit basis. NRI/ Industry sponsored candidates are required to pay twice the tuition fee in case of Noida, Hyderabad campuses and 50% extra tuition fee for other campuses in addition to the other components of the fee.

NON RESIDENT INDIAN (NRI)/PERSON OF INDIAN ORIGIN (PIO) settled abroad

Non-Resident Indians, who are citizens of India holding an Indian passport and have temporarily immigrated to another country for six months or more for work, residence or any other purpose and who meet eligibility and admission requirements of FDDI can also apply for admission.

Only a person who is an NRI himself/herself may seek admission and no other candidate without NRI status would be eligible. Admission under this category shall be made on the basis of merit. If any or all seats from the NRI quota remain unfilled, the resulting vacancy shall be filled on merit of the applicants for admission.

PERSON OF INDIAN ORIGIN (PIO)-

A person of Indian origin possessing foreign citizenship (except that of Pakistan and Bangladesh) without 'NRI' status, who holds a foreign passport at the time of application, consideration for admission and during the period of his/her study, he/she or anyone/both of his/her parents or anyone/both of his/her grandparents is (or was)/are (or were) citizen(s) of India by virtue of the provisions of the Constitution of India or Sec. 2(b) of Citizenship Act, 1955 (Act No. 57 of 1955).

The vacant seats under NRI / PIO/ Industry-Sponsored/ Foreign Nationals category will not be offered to any regular candidate.

Candidates may apply for admission under NRI/ PIO/Industry Sponsored category in the mid of July 2025. Please visit the FDDI website for regular updates regarding submission of Application Form under this category.



ADMISSION UNDER INDUSTRY SPONSORHIP

Industry Sponsored candidate applying for admission into Bachelor & Master programmes have to fill the registration form available at the Institute website (first come first basis serve). Candidates applying in the sponsored category must submit a sponsorship certificate issued on the company letter head duly signed & stamped by the authorized person as per the format given below.

SPECIMEN OF SPONSORSHIP CERTIFICATE	
То	
The Managing Director,	
Footwear Design & Development Institute,	
NOIDA - 201301	
Dear Sir,	
We are sponsoring Mr. / Ms progra	mme
scheduled to commence from 21st July 2025.	
We also undertake to employ Mr. / Msafter the programme is completed.	
We agree to pay twice of the tuition fee. (For Noida & Hyderabad Campus)	
We agree to pay 50% extra of the tuition fee. (For all other Campuses)	
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* select the applicable option	
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Office Seal	Sign

ADMISSION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

FDDI offers its courses on full time programs in long term and short term. The seats are available in all campuses and in all schools. The institute has fully furnished hostel facility at all campuses.

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Foreign students- Any foreign student who is not covered under NRI or PIO

Student can apply in following ways:

1. Directly through website to the institute

2. Through Study in India website

5% seats of regular seats are reserved for the foreign students with maximum 2 seats per programme per campus will be considered for 25% scholarship/ concession in Tuition Fee under Study in India Programme.

Scholarship:

Students joining through Study in India scheme of Government of India may get 25% tuition fee concession seat provided they secure admission under G3 category by Government of India. For number of seats availability under this category please refer study in India website for Footwear Design and Development Institute.

The details and application can be accessed to Study in India portal for FDDI:

https://www.studyinindia.gov.in/admission/studentcourses?instituet_ID=C-58646&active_tab_index=1

Students can create their Study in India ID and after creating ID they can apply for the specific program.

General Scholarship Scheme:

FDDI also offers admissions to the foreign students through Atal Bihari Vajpayee General Scholarship Scheme . Interested students may apply through their embassy /High Commissions of India and contact Embassy in respective countries in this regard.

For any query /information-

Contact Person: Mr. Sharad Srivastava (Chief Faculty) **Email:** sharad@fddiindia.com

FOOTWEAR DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

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BATCH POST GRADUATE M.DES./MBA					
EIGN/PIO/NRI					
	Year -1	Year 2			
A ACADEMIC FEE STRUCTURE(IN INR)					
on fee	407447	449196 41500 11122 8300 4482			
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2. The fee is exclusive of any tax or any other liabilities.					
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4. Fee for Redo examination /re examination etc. will be separate on semester to semester basis as per the policy of the FDDI.

5. In case of G3 Scholarship through Study in India - the limit of scholarship is 25% to the Tuition fee (T.F.) only.

*Calculation of USD will be on the current rate.

FEE ST	FOOTWEAR D						
CATE	GORY- G4 UNDER STUDY I	n india s	CHEME				
	ВАТСН	UNDER	UNDER GRADUATE - B.DES./ BBA			S3(25% TF SCHOLARSHIP)	
			e - Foreign I (Amount in	Amount	(In USD)	Amount(In USD)
S.No.	Head	Year -1	Year -2	Year -1	Year -2	Y-1	Y-2
1	Tuition fee	407364	448200	4908	5400	3681	4050
2	Materials	41500	41500	500	500	500	500
3	Library Fee	11122	11122	134	134	134	134
4	Mediclaim	8300	8300	100	100	100	100
5	Examination Fee	4482	4482	54	54	54	54
6	Studio access charges						
	Sub Total(A)	472768	513604	5696	6188	4469	4838
В	One time payment						
1	Security deposit(Refundable)	10000		134		134	
2	Alumini association membership						
3	Registration fee	27775		370		370	
4	Gymkhana						
5	Internet & Computer access						
6	Transport charges						
7	Student distress fund Scheme						
8	Insurance scheme						
9	Admission fee						
10	Student welfare fund						
11	Modernization fees						
12	Benevolent fund					12	
13	Training and placement charges		450	4-F)			
	Sub Total(B)	37775	A WAY INST	1			X
А	Total(INR)	510543	513604	NK 1/ T			- LX
В	USD @83*/USD	6151	6188	6200	6188	4973	4838
	Annual fee (in USD)	6200	6200	6200	6200	5000	4900
	Fee per semester (in USD)	3100	3100	3100	3100	2500	2450
	Total academic fee (Excluding Nonacademic		44				
	fee) for course in USD	24800		24800		19700	

В	Residential Expenses(Annual basis) in USD		
	Head	Revised	Remark
1	Annual Hostel fee@ USD 175 /month	1800	Hostel charges@USD150pm
2	Institute sponsored excursion(other than personal travel expenses) in USD - Annual	100	
3	Mess expenses per month@ USD 100 per month	1200	
	Total(USD) per annum	3100	

	NOTE:			
	1. FDDI reviews the fee structure on annual basis.			
2. The fee is exclusive of any tax or any other liabilities.				
3. The fee indicated for the second, third and fourth year is indicated fee and may change based upo				
	internal and external factors.			
	4. Fee for Redo examination /re examination etc. will be separate on semester to semester basis as per			
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*Calculation of USD will be on the current rate.

REFUND POLICY FOR THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

In case the student had deposited the fee but is not able to join the program. The policy of refund is as below;

1. If a student who had deposited the academic and non academic fee to the institution, he/she is eligible for the refund of entire amount under following conditions:

A. Denial of VISA by the Embassy

B. Delay in issuing the VISA by the embassy by 3 months after the commencement of the program. In such cases the admission stands cancelled.

C. Demise/ serious accident of the student/terminal medical case/ death of the parent(either) before joining the program because of which the program can not be joined by the student

D. Cancellation of the admission by the institute prior to departure / discontinuation of the program by the institute

E. Civil war or war condition/earth quake of high magnitude or similar disaster because of which the student is unable to travel for study.

In all such cases the candidate has to file request to the institute in writing clearly stating the reason for seeking refund. The candidate has to submit the letter and evidence with the detail of bank account and Passport number along with the proof of payment and official letter from the bank from which the fee was credited to FDDI. The fee will be returned in the same account from where it was credited to the institute. A confirmation of account detail shall be submitted by the student prior to transfer of the fee by FDDI.

In all the cases above the institute will deduct 5% of the total amount deposited towards administrative cost prior to remittance to the bank. In case of cancellation of the admission by the student by own prior to arrival in India, the same shall be dealt as per the existing fee policy for the student.

In case, the student has joined the institute and do not wish to continue the program, the fee in such cases will be dealt with existing rules and regulations of fee policy.

RESERVATION FOR SC/ST, OBC, EWS & DIFFERENTLY ABLED CANDIDATES

- Institute reserves 15% seats for Scheduled Caste (SC) and 7.5% seats for Scheduled Tribe (ST) and 27% seats for OBC (Non Creamy) candidates respectively in each programme for regular seats.
- 3% seats are reserved for differently abled candidates in each programme for regular seats as per the Persons with Disability Act 1995. Such candidates should submit the disability certificate issued by medical board notified by State / Central authority certifying their disability as 40% or more.
- 10% seats are reserved for Economically Weaker Section (EWS) as per MHRD office memorandum number 12-4/2019-UI dt. 17/01/2019. (As per MHRD office memorandum number 12-4/2019-UI dt. 17/01/2019 regarding Reservation for Economically Weaker Section (EWS), candidates who are not covered under the scheme of reservation for SCs, STs and OBCs and whose family has gross annual income below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees eight lakh only) are to be identified as EWSs for benefit of seat reservation in FDDI Admissions 2025)
- Candidate applying under OBC quota has to satisfy the caste and creamy layer requirement details. National Commission for Backward Classes (NCBC) websites may be seen for reference :
 - (a) http://www.ncbc.nic.in/backward-classes/index.html
 - (b) http://www.ncbc.nic.in/html/creamylayer.html
- Candidate applying under this OBC quota are to produce a Caste Certificate issued not before April 01, 2024 from the Competent Authority of the respective States/ Union Territories certifying that they don't belong to the creamy layer. Failure to produce an appropriate certificate shall make the candidate ineligible.
- The caste which is mentioned in the OBC document should find its mention in the central list of OBC available at the below mentioned links :

http://ncbc.nic.in/backward-classes/index.html

- The candidate should possess an OBC (Non-Creamy) certificate issued in the name of the candidate and not in favour of the respective parent/guardian.
- The OBC (Non-Creamy) certificate should clearly mention that the candidate belongs to the non-creamy layer.
- Candidates belonging to the Creamy Layer of OBC are not entitled to apply under the reserved category OBC(NC) and will have to submit their application under General (Unreserved) category.
- In case of married women applying to any course under reserved category, she has to produce the caste certificate in her own name. Certificate in the name of husband/mother/father is not acceptable.

FEE CONCESSION FOR RESERVED CATEGORY CANDIDATES (ONLY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE NOT APPLIED FOR ANY SCHOLARSHIP PROVIDED BY ANY GOVERNMENT /PRIVATE BODY)FROM 2024 - 2025

FDDI will provide 10% (Fee Concession on tuition fee) to reserved category candidates -Scheduled Caste (ST), Scheduled Tribe (ST), OBC (Non-Creamy)*, and Economical Weaker Session (EWS)*, Person with Disability (PwD)

This concession is only for those reserved category students/candidates who have not applied the Scholarship provided by any government or private body in any form.

Criteria for the 10% concession on the tuition fee mentioned below:

- (i) The concession will be open to Indian Nationals Only. Not applicable for NRI / Industry Sponsored/Foreign Nationals.
- (ii) For OBC and EWS category*, the concession will be paid to the students whose parents' / guardians' income from all sources does not exceed Rs. 8,00,000 (Rupees Eight lakh only) for OBC and EWS category during the last Financial Year. The income certificate shall be issued by the Authority as decided by the State / Central Government. This has to produce every year depend upon the eligibility.

The students getting any other financial assistance / reimbursement / scholarship / stipend towards expenditure on education from any other source viz Central / State Government / PSU (Public Sector Undertaking) / Trusts / private persons etc. shall not be eligible to apply for the financial assistance under this scheme.

FEE CONCESSION FOR FDDI BACHELOR'S STUDENTS WHO WOULD LIKE TO PURSUE MASTER'S DEGREE AT FDDI FROM 2024-2025

FDDI may provide 10% fee concession on first year tuition fee (semester -wise) to FDDI students who have completed the bachelor's degree with 7 .0 CGPA and would like to pursue master's degree from FDDI. Students have to fulfil the eligibility criteria for the masters' program.

Students have to write AIST and based on the merit list, seat will be provided. This fee concession is not on the basis of AIST merit.

For the continuation of Fee concession to the students in 2nd year of postgraduate level, minimum average 6.0 CGPA in the last two consecutive semesters will be a necessary condition. The students will be required to submit their application for continuation of financial assistance in the next year along with all the documents in the beginning of the semester.

GUIDELINES FOR WITHDRAWAL OF ADMISSION AND FEE REFUND

- A A candidate, who secure admission in any programme and further withdraws admission, will not be considered for admission during subsequent rounds of counselling, if any.
- B. In case the candidate is seeking refund before commencement of the academic session, the request for withdrawal of admission may be submitted to the Admission department, FDDI Noida to admission[AT]fddiindia[DOT]com only
- **C.** After commencement of the academic session, refund request may be submitted to the Admission In Charge of the Campus allotted to the candidate. The candidate will be required to surrender the original Admission receipt issued at the time of Counselling/Admission while applying for withdrawal of admission.
- D. Requests for withdrawal of admission would not be entertained without original Admission receipt.

THE CRITERIA FOR REFUND OF FEE IN CASE OF WITHDRAWAL OF ADMISSION UNDER REGULAR/ NRI/ INDUSTRY SPONSORED/ FOREIGN NATIONAL CATEGORY IS

Sr. No.	Submission of Application for Withdrawal at FDDI	Amount to be refunded
1.	On or before 20 th July 2025	100% of the total fee submitted minus Rs. 10000 (Registration Fee)
2.	After 20 th July 2025	Only Security Deposit shall be refunded.

ALL DISPUTES SUBJECT TO LEGAL JURISDICTION OF DELHI ONLY.

Note:

1.No further representation/ correspondence in this regard will be entertained by the Institute after the Commencement of Academic Session (as per the reporting date will be mentioned in your allotment letter).

(i) No request for either change of Programme or Campus will be entertained after allotment of seats.

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