

FACTSHEET

- 1. The Indian Institute of Management Visakhapatnam (https://iimv.ac.in) is an Institution of National Importance, established by the Government of India (GOI).
- 2. The Institute's **Vision** is:

"To champion and excel in educating and nurturing entrepreneurial leaders in creating innovative solutions for business, government, and society".

- 3. The **Mission** of the Institute is:
 - To be a pre-eminent business school focusing on contextually-relevant solutions for techno-managerial problems, leveraging global best practices and knowledge resources.
 - To foster an environment that encourages creative learning for innovative outcomes.
 - To promote relevance and excellence in all academic, research and allied knowledge pursuits.
 - To demonstrate commitment to ethical and sustainable management practices.
 - To contribute to professionalization of management education with equity and inclusivity as key drivers.
- 4. In the pursuit of this **Vision** and **Mission**, the Institute is guided by the **Core Values** of: Academic Freedom, Equity, Excellence, Professionalism and Sustainability.
- 5. With a wide bouquet of offerings rich in scale, scope, spread and specialization, the Institute enjoys a distinctive place among the business schools of the country (including IIMs), with several first-mover initiatives to its credit. Among the many significant achievements of the Institute are:
 - (a) First-ever IIM to conduct a specialized MBA Program in Digital Governance & Management in blended learning mode, under the aegis of the Ministry of Electronics & IT (MeitY), Government of India (GoI).
 - (b) Among the 9 IIMs chosen to conduct the two-year Mahatma Gandhi National Fellowship Pgm. under the aegis of the Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (MSDE), Gol. Through this initiative, the Institute is facilitating the development and growth of the skill ecosystem across 76 districts in the states of Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh and Bihar.
 - (c) One of the few IIMs to have a dedicated Incubator IIMV-FIELD (Foundation for Incubation, Entrepreneurial Learning & Development), a Section 8 (not-for-profit) company. Every year, it hosts large cohorts of women-entrepreneurs under a special and successful initiative called the Women Start-up Program, helping them

translate their ideas into products and services. The Incubator thus far mentored and trained more than 1000 aspiring entrepreneurs (men and women) in managing their startups. The corporate sector too is funding the social entrepreneurship initiatives of the Foundation.

- (d) Only the 5th IIM to be granted a Technology Incubation and Development of Entrepreneurship (TIDE) Centre under the aegis of MeitY, Gol. Received funding for the Accelerator Program under the National Initiative for Developing and Harnessing Innovations (NIDHI) by the Department of Science & Technology, Gol.
- (e) The only IIM to have a Board-approved Institute Start-up and Innovation Policy, with allocation of 1% of the expenditure budget for an Innovation Fund, to encourage students towards entrepreneurship with seed funding, prototype grants etc.
- (f) Only the 4th IIM to be recognized as a "Scientific & Industrial Research Organization (SIRO)" by the Dept. of Scientific & Industrial Research (DSIR), Gol.
- (g) The only IIM to have been granted the Dr B R Ambedkar Chair by the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment (MSJE), Gol. This Chair focuses its research and allied activities on equitable development and growth, financial inclusion, skill development and entrepreneurship for the disadvantaged sections of the society.
- (h) Only the 3rd IIM to sign up for PRME (Principles for Responsible Management Education), an initiative of the UN Global Compact.
- (i) A member of the United Nations Sustainable Development Solutions Network.
- (j) Once completed in March 2023, the Institute will be the only the 3rd IIM (among 20) to have the GRIHA 5-star rating campus, with a net-zero status in energy, water and carbon footprint.
- 6. The Institute has the highest cohort of <u>faculty</u> (36) among all the new generation IIMs established in 2015-16. The faculty have impeccable academic and research credentials, with a good blend of industry experience.
- 7. The average salary package in 2023 of about INR 1.661 Mn. per annum for the graduating MBA students of the Institute, amounts to a "Return on Investment" to the tune of 116%, and thus, a pay-back period of less than one year.
- 8. In the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) Ranks (2022) released by the Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, IIM Visakhapatnam is at the top of all new generation IIMs and is ranked higher than many older generation IIMs, on some of the key parameters.
- 9. The Institute is a sought-after destination for executive education and continuing professional education programs and the clientele include GOI ministries/departments, reputed public sector and private sector enterprises.
- 10. The Institute has built a reputation for itself, firmly focusing on attaining standards of global excellence in management education, management research and allied areas of knowledge.

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