

30. SOCIETIES/STUDENT CHAPTERS/CLUBS

GAMES AND SPORTS

The Institute has several playgrounds and well-maintained athletic track to encourage the students to take part in different games such as Cricket, Hockey, Football, Basketball, Volleyball, Lawn Tennis and Badminton. The Institute also boasts of a Gymnasium-cum-Badminton Hall and a Swimming Pool Complex equipped with all modern facilities. The sports department organizes various sporting events like 'Thaparlympics', 'URJA' etc.

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LITERARY SOCIETY

Literary Society has been formed with the objective to hone literary skills, improve oratorical, communication and subliminal skills. This Society also brings out the yearly Institute magazine '*Avant Garde*'

Major Activities: ACUMEN (Inter hostel competitions), Debates, Script writing, ELIXIR (the Inter year literary festival), Choreography, Poetry, Group Discussions, Quizzes, etc.

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MUSIC AND DRAMATIC SOCIETY (MUDRA)

The objective of this society is to hone the extra-curricular skills of students in the area of Music, Dramatics, Theatre and developing managerial prowess contributing towards their overall personality. It organizes several big events such as MUDRA night and Izhaar etc.

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FINE ARTS AND PHOTOGRAPHY SOCIETY (FAPS)

Fine Arts and Photography Society provides a forum to the young budding engineers to give an expression to their varied talents in the field of Fine Arts, Painting, Sketching, Photography, etc.

Activities: Collage making, Wall Graffiti, Diya Painting & Ganesha Decoration, Art Exhibition on paintings, sketches, photographs, handicrafts. The society also organizes an exhibition of the creative work done by the students, twice every year, in addition to organizing skill workshops in the field of painting and photography.

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YOUTH WELFARE CLUB (YWC)

This society develops students' personality through their exposure to the outdoor and welfare activities like: Yoga; Talent-Hunt; public speaking, etc. The society is at the forefront of organizing various festivals on TU campus.

Activities: Celebration of festivals like Lohri, Basant Paschmi, Navratras, Ram Navmi, etc. and organization of yoga camps, blood donation camps etc. The society organizes medical check-up camps as well.

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SOCIETY FOR PROMOTION OF INDIAN CLASSICAL MUSIC & CULTURE AMONGST YOUTH (SPIC MACAY)

This society organizes functions throughout the country in which great classical artists from India and abroad give performances and demonstrate to students/youth the values of our culture through LECDEM series. Several great artists like Sh. Zakir Hussain, Sh. Amjad Ali Khan, Pt. Shiv Kumar Sharma, Pt. Rajan Mishr and Pt. Sajan Mishr and many more have performed on the Institute stage under the aegis of SPIC MACAY.

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CREATIVE COMPUTING SOCIETY (CCS)

CCS society's basic objective is to encourage students to actively participate in computer and coding related activities over and above what is taught to them in the classroom.

Activities: The main events include Chakravayu, CompuQuiz contests, Algorithm mania, Web Hunt, Programming –Overnight & Long term



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DANCE CLUB 'NOX'

The official dance club of the Institute with an aim to hone the dancing skills of students. It provides a platform to the students to display their skills in all kind of dance be it hip hop or modern, be it classical or Bollywood.

The club organizes various dance workshops on campus and students of this club actively participate in various cultural festivals across institutes. The NOX nite is the most sought after evening of dance presented under the aegis of this club.



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THAPAR MOVIE CLUB (TMC)

To help motivate, involve and promote appreciation (artistic, commercial and overall theme) of quality international and national films and foster an independent spirit of film criticism by the students and encourage them for critical writing on Indian and International cinema from the perspective of science, technology, technical education art and culture

The club organizes movies screenings on relevant technical and social themes and also organizes the inter-institute event 'CINEYOUTH'.



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PRATIGYA SOCIETY

PRATIGYA--"a pledge"... An initiative started by the students of TU to remove illiteracy from community in and around campus... PRATIGYA is an effort to shape the dreams which every kid nurtures in his eyes, heart & thoughts. PRATIGYA from its root is a team which basically teaches the underprivileged kids from classes 1 to 10+2 as well as diploma classes. These kids include those of the children of fourth class employees of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology as well as those residing outside the campus. Evolved in 2005, PRATIGYA is one of the biggest and most active societies at Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology , Patiala.



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YOUTH UNITED -THAPAR CHAPTER

The objective of Youth United is to encourage development of society as a whole through its activities like publishing periodicals on social issues, organize community service events & visits. Youth United organizes painting competition among small children, visits institutions like Pingalwara, Old age homes, School for Deaf and Dumb etc. It also organizes '*The joy of giving week*' as a part of its initiative to inculcate cultural and social values amongst the residents of the Thapar Technology campus.



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THAPAR MODEL UNITED NATIONS (TUMUN)

This Society is for all those students who want to master the art of negotiation. Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology , Model United Nations brings forth one of the best platforms for debate and negotiations and to get a rich experience in these activities.

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INTERNATIONAL FORUM FOR LEADERSHIP AND SUSTAINABILITY (IFLS)

International Forum for Leadership and Sustainability is a social enterprise working to develop community leadership in sustainability. The main focus of the society is on waste management, food security and environmental education in India. It focuses on driving change by developing innovative solutions, engaging local communities, and empowering social change makers. IFLS is a non-profit social start-up, working to develop leadership potential in individuals, through community based sustainability initiatives across world.



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ADVENTURE CLUB

Adventure Club @ Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology is the forum for adventure enthusiasts, trekkers, climbers and armchair mountaineers in the student community. It works to develop the spirit of adventure in Thaparians. The aim is to make the best of the absolutely beautiful terrain around Himachal region and beyond, in the short vacations one gets in a year, while having the greatest fun possible. While the stock activities are trekking, rock climbing and mountain cycling, adventure club has also organized skiing and river rafting sporadically.

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FROSH WEEK

FROSH WEEK comprises of various activities and events for the fresher class of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology to ease them into their new surroundings. It includes two major initiatives like PROEM (One week orientation session) and FORSH WEEK (society fair and alumni interactions). The first-year students through these two programs are acclimatised to the facilities at Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology and what the future holds in store for them, not just in their coming four years but also beyond graduation.

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LINUX USER GROUP (LUGTU)

Linux User Group Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology [LUGTU] is an organization established under the guidance of Dr. Maninder Singh which aims to establish a culture of open source development and product usage in Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology . It also promotes information security and safety on the Internet through expert talks and seminars

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VISUAL BULLETIN

Visual Bulletin is a society in Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology formed in the with the objective of providing the students of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology knowledge and technical skills about various technologies and software used in modern visual communication. It is also the official society for generating event reports of the activities organized by various societies and clubs of TU.



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ECONOMICS CLUB (ECON CLUB)

Econ Club at Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology is dedicated towards inculcating economics and financial know-how among the student community. It aims to inspire an understanding and application of economic concepts in day-to-day issues of life among Institute students who realizes the immense importance and practical relevance of this field in the complex world.



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PARYAVARAN WELFARE SOCIETY (PWS)

The PWS was set up in the year 2009, as a scheme to uphold biodiversity, guard “paryavaran” (environment), and save energy resources at local level. This society also spearheads with the ‘Swachh Bharat’ campaign on the TU campus. The society has many honors and awards to its credit for carrying out exemplary work in the field of environment protection and sustainability.



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SPIRITUAL SCIENTISTS' ALLIANCE (SSA)

Spiritual Scientists' Alliance is a students' body that aims at providing spiritual solutions to material problems. It provides a platform to the students to interact with the renowned spiritual scientists that opens a new paradigm. Looking towards meta-science, a step ahead of physical science, the students are encouraged to have a glimpse of cause of the causes, and thus enable themselves to lead a fulfilling life.



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ENACTUS

ENACTUS is a community of students, academic and business leaders committed to using entrepreneurial action to transform lives and shape a better world.



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ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT CELL (EDC)

Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology Entrepreneurship Development Cell, is a non-profit organization, completely run by T.U. students for helping future entrepreneurs and start-ups. It works very closely with the Venture Lab of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology, Patiala.

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INDIAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS (IICHE)

The IICHE is a student chapter of Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers at TU campus. The various activities organized by ICHE include Quizzes, Group Discussion, Gaming event, Article writing competition, paper presentations etc. mainly in the field of chemical engineering.

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SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL AND INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERS (SOMIE)

SOMIE (Society of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering) is the society which helps students gain technical and practical knowledge in the field of mechanical engineering. SOMIE also acts as a bridge between students and faculty. SOMIE organizes various events like industrial tours, engine assembly workshops, technical quiz contests, guest lectures etc.

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President: Dr. Vivek Jain



MATERIALS AND PHYSICS SOCIETY (MAPS)

To generate an interactive environment that encourages conditions for learning and stimulates personal and professional growth, providing exposure to new ideas and creativity in the field of materials and physical sciences.

Major activities organized: Expert lectures on physical science, quizzes, paper presentations, organization of seminars etc.

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MECHATRONICS AND ROBOTICS SOCIETY

To provide a platform to all the technical minds to come up and share their ideas to metamorph their dream 'robots' to reality. The prime principles of working would be learning and sharing the know how amongst students from all streams of engineering.



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INDIAN SOCIETY OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION (ISTE)

ISTE-TU is the student chapter of the erstwhile Indian Society for Technical Education, wherein the students actively participate in conferences and seminars related to their own technical field of expertise.

Major Activities: Organization of technical workshops, quizzes, seminars, paper presentations, ISTE week



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INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY (IET)

IET aims at supporting the students to explore their professional and intellectual abilities, to develop their skills, increasing their competence, adopting the right attitude to maximize their potential and building a professional network that will help them to succeed in their professional endeavours.

Activities: Guest Lectures, Paper presentations, ArithMania, Workshops etc.



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MICROSOFT STUDENT CHAPTER. NET STUDENT CLUB

Microsoft Student Chapter provides opportunity to students to interact on a world-wide common platform, help students to gain competitive edge in the global scenario and in turn polishing them into a globally accepted product. The purpose is to make the student aware of the coding skills required at the back end for Windows operating system operations.

Major Activities: MS Session, Lectures and Hands on Course in Visual Basic.Net C#



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INSTITUTE OF ELECTRONICS AND TELECOMMUNICATION ENGINEERS (IETE) (ELECTRONICS CLUB)

The IETE club provides an interactive platform to all students of Electrical and Electronics Engineering to deliberate and discuss issues pertaining to advances in the related fields.

Major Activities: CAT Workshops by R. Swami, an IIM-alumni and a motivational guru, War of the Physicist, Orcad & PCB design, Digi-War

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President: Dr. Hem Dutt Joshi (8288088161)

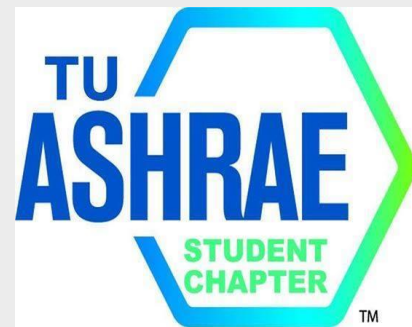


ASHRAE (AMERICAN SOCIETY OF HEATING REFRIGERATION AND AIR-CONDITIONING ENGINEERS)

ASHRAE stands for the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers. Founded in 1894, it is a global society advancing human well-being through sustainable technology for the built environment. The Society and its more than 50,000 members worldwide focus on building systems, energy efficiency, indoor air quality, refrigeration and sustainability. Through research, standards writing, publishing, certification and continuing education, ASHRAE shapes tomorrow's built environment today.

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INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STUDENTS IN ECONOMICS & BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (AIESEC)

AIESEC is an international, non-political, and independent, not for profit organization run by students and recent graduates of institutions of higher education. Each year, since 1948, AIESEC has worked to fulfil the mission of developing young people to meet the challenges of the world, countries and local communities. Our vision for the organization, when we started off was "Peace and Fulfilment of Humankind's Potential" and still remains the same.

It organizes youth meets across the globe and is one of the sought-after societies of the Institute.

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OWASP STUDENT CHAPTER

The OWASP student chapter provides an opportunity to the students to work and develop skills in the field of web and mobile applications, and computer information security.



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TU TOSTMASTERS CLUB

Thapar Toastmasters Club, a chapter of Toastmasters International is an organization that helps its members to improve their **public** speaking, communication and leadership skills. A very juvenile club started in Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology in September 2014, has 50 enthusiastic members who meet every Wednesday, not just to overcome their stage fear and improve their communication skills, but to become a better orator and a better leader for tomorrow.



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AICHE STUDENT CHAPTER

AIChE (American Institute of Chemical Engineers) is a professional organization for chemical engineers. It was established to distinguish the chemical engineers as a profession independent of chemists and mechanical engineers. **Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology Student Chapter** is also one among them. The chapter organizes technical events related to the field of chemical engineering. The student chapter is also working to participate in the **Chem-E-Car** competition series. It also organizes various technical events such as Chem-E-cannon, Chemopoly etc. in addition to various guest lectures and workshops.



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STUDENT ALUMNI INTERACTION CELL (SAIC)

Student Alumni Interaction Cell, TU, is a platform for the interaction of students and alumni of the Institute, therein helping the students in various aspects, such as training, placements, etc. SAIC organizes various Alumni Reunions, Freshers and farewell functions, Industrial Trips for students and provides corporate networking platforms to students. It also comes up events for the cause of student-development.



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THAPAR CODECHEF CHAPTER – TU CODERS YU CODERS

TuCOders aims at promoting and encouraging students into competitive programming and help prepare them for various global level competitions. CodeChef Campus Chapters are independent programming clubs that use CodeChef's platform and resources. The aim is to promote competitive programming at institute level.

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YATHARTH

Yatharth was formed with the aim of encouraging the students to work on inter-disciplinary design and research projects. It prepares students to be multi-disciplined by organizing workshops, seminars, guest lectures, design competitions and many more related activities.

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President: Dr. Tapas Karmaker

LEAD SOCIETY

LEAD society provides platform to students of all disciplines to organize industrial visits, lectures and workshops. It is a one stop society for institute-industry collaboration for students.

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SPORTS ADDICITON AND DISCIPLINE EDUCATIONG SOCIETY (SPADES)

SPADES was formed with the objective of promoting sports and inculcating discipline among students of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology . The society encourages students to participate in sports, maintain their fitness and to bring out the sportsman in each individual. Sports-addiction and Discipline inculcation is one of the most important aims that the society focuses on.

Major Events: Inter Year Sports League (ACE), Inter Hostel Sports Tournament, Thaparlympics etc.

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TEDx THAPAR INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

TEDx TU aims at bringing the best of orators and speakers to the Institute platform under the TED initiative. The 20 minute sessions on social and technical issues are recorded and uploaded on YouTube and TED links.

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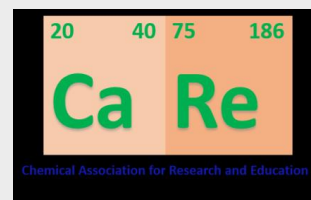
CARE(CHEMICAL ASSOCIATION FOR RESEARCH AND EDUCATION)

CARE earlier known as SCORE was established in 2009 by faculty members and students affiliated with school of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology Patiala.

The objectives of CARE:

- To promote the chemical research and education for the benefit of the society.
- To encourage the young students for joining the science stream as a career option.
- To provide a single platform to students and researchers for their scientific and methodical growth

President: Dr. Amjad Ali (8288008179)



THAPAR SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (TSCE)

TSCE was formed with the main aim of providing a platform to all the budding civil engineers to update their skills in civil engineering design and field work. TSCE organizes workshops, guest lectures, design competitions, paper reading contests in the field of civil engineering.

President: Mr. Tanuj Chopra (M. No. 7837122924)

STUDENTS CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE (SCC)

To obtain the students feedback, Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology has a Students Consultative Committee (SCC) comprising of ex-officio faculty representatives and over 200 student representatives from across the various disciplines. SCC's objective is to assist the administration in preparing and implementing students' welfare plans



President: Dean, Students Affairs

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

National Service scheme at TU is a part of the nationwide mission of providing service in social sphere. The society of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology organizes activities for the welfare of society and celebrates the days of national importance. Major activities include organization of Blood donation camps, health check-up camps, cleanliness drives etc. It is also a part of the nationwide "Swachh Bharat" mission of the GOI.



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GENE SOCIETY

GENE, the society has been formed with a mandate to question, find solutions, take-up real issues, latest news updates & scientific innovations so as to make people aware about scenario of Biotechnology in the present world. GENE takes off, with an ominous goal, to pursue sciences with a social relevance. Main objectives being

- provide a platform to the students for enhancing their extracurricular skills.
- To make the students aware of the developments occurring in Biotechnology and update their technical knowledge.
- To hope their technical, literary, management skills required for a promising career in Biotechnology.

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President: Dr. Ms. Vasundhara Reddy

THAPAR MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY (TMS)

Thapar Mathematical Society” was established by the School of Mathematics for advancement and dissemination of knowledge in the field of mathematics. Main objectives being:

- To promote the mathematical sciences in the society for worldwide knowledge to advance mathematics.
- To promote the School of Mathematical by organizing conferences, workshops, expert talks and by doing interdisciplinary.
- To support mathematical education in young people by encouraging them for higher education in mathematics.
- To encourage the Institute-industry interaction and provide platform for young minds.
- To manage the society’s affairs and resolutions effectively and make efforts to generate financial returns for the society.

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President: Dr. Meenakshi Rana

KALAM STUDENT CHAPTER

The purpose of the Chapter is to make people aware about harsh realities behind begging and making them aware that it is an illegal offence. Kalam intends to work towards enrolling under privileged children in school and getting pen in their hands rather than rags.

It spreads its messages through street plays, flash mobs etc.

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