

Annual Progress Report

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SHAHEED BHAGAT SINGH STATE TECHNICAL CAMPUS

**Moga Road (NH-95), Ferozpur - 152004 (PB)
(Established by Government of Punjab in 1995)**

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FOREWARD

We are proud to present the annual report of Shaheed Bhagat Singh State Technical Campus, Ferozpur for the year 2015. This report summarizes the achievements and progress, the institute has made over the last year to improve our academic offerings and student services.

The institute has grown by leaps and bounds during last five years and its various departments currently offer a large range of undergraduate and postgraduate courses covering a broad range of engineering disciplines. The faculty numbers although substantial, needs to be strengthened by recruiting experts in specialized areas. Enhancement of qualifications of present faculty is necessary and desired.

Considering the depressing employment opportunities and economic recession, a special thrust is given to bring more number of companies for on-campus interviews resulting satisfactory placement except recruitment in Automobile sector. Activities like strengthening of Industry Institute Partnership, Summer Training, etc. are being conducted to boost the confidence of our students, enhance their skills & showcase their talent.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to our faculty, staff, and students, alumni for their continued support and remarkable contributions. Looking ahead, we will continue to work towards realizing our vision to be a leader in engineering education, and advancing research and innovation to support socio-economic development of the region.



Dr T S Sidhu
Director

INTRODUCTION

The Institute was established by the Government of Punjab in 1995 with the name **Shaheed Bhagat Singh College of Engineering & Technology** as a tribute to the great martyr Shaheed Bhagat Singh. In the academic year 2011-12, it was upgraded to the status of a technical campus and rechristened as **Shaheed Bhagat Singh State Technical Campus, Ferozepur**.

The institute is fully promoted by the Punjab Government and is registered as a Society under the Societies Registration Act 1860. Its affairs are administered by a Board of Governors. The Technical Campus, with its lush green state-of-the-art campus spread over 100 acres is situated on Ferozepur-Moga Highway, about five kilometers away from the Ferozepur city



centralised counselling as per the policy of Government of Punjab.

Reserved categories seats are filled according to the rules of Punjab Govt./affiliating University. Among the total seats, 85% are reserved for Punjab domicile and 15% for outside Punjab candidates. In case any seats remained vacant, candidates are admitted as per the policy of State Government and Punjab Technical University.



ADMISSIONS

B.Tech.

Students are admitted in this institute strictly on the basis of AIEEE merits through

B.Tech. Lateral Entry (LEET)

Under Lateral Entry Scheme of Punjab Govt, additional 20% seats of the sanctioned intake are filled directly in the 2nd year of B.Tech. Programmes in accordance with the guidelines issued by the Govt. of Punjab. In addition to this, the vacant seats of 1st year of B.Tech. programmes, if any, shall also be filled under this category.

AN OVERVIEW OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENTS AND COURSES

Name of the Department	Courses Offered and Seats		
	B.Tech.*	M.Tech.	Ph. D.
Department of Computer Science & Engineering (CSE)	120	18	As per availability of seats with supervisors
Department of Chemical Engineering (CHE)	30	-	
Department of Civil Engineering (CE)	120	-	
Department of Electronics & Comm. Engineering (ECE)	90	18	
Department of Electrical Engineering (EE)	60	18	
Department of Mechanical Engineering (ME)	240	18	
Department of Applied Sciences and Humanities (DASH)	Teaching of common courses to all branches		

*Plus 5% Fee Waiver seats and 20% LEET Seats

Post Graduate

Admissions to post graduate courses in engineering are carried on the base of Graduate Aptitude Test for Engineers (GATE). In case sufficient GATE qualified candidates are not available, then admission is made on the basis of merit in B.Tech.



Department of Management and Computer Applications

Master of Business Administration (MBA) and Master in Computer Applications (MCA) are offered under the Department of Management and Computer Applications with intake of 60 students in each course. Students in MBA and MCA courses are admitted on the basis of merit in graduation



School of Architecture

Five years degree course of Bachelors in Architecture (B.Arch.), approved by Council of Architecture, is offered under School of Architecture. Students are admitted on the basis of NATA test.



Diploma

The admission to three years Diploma courses is made through centralized counseling conducted by Punjab Govt. In case sufficient qualified candidates are not available, then admission is made on the basis of merit in matriculation examination.



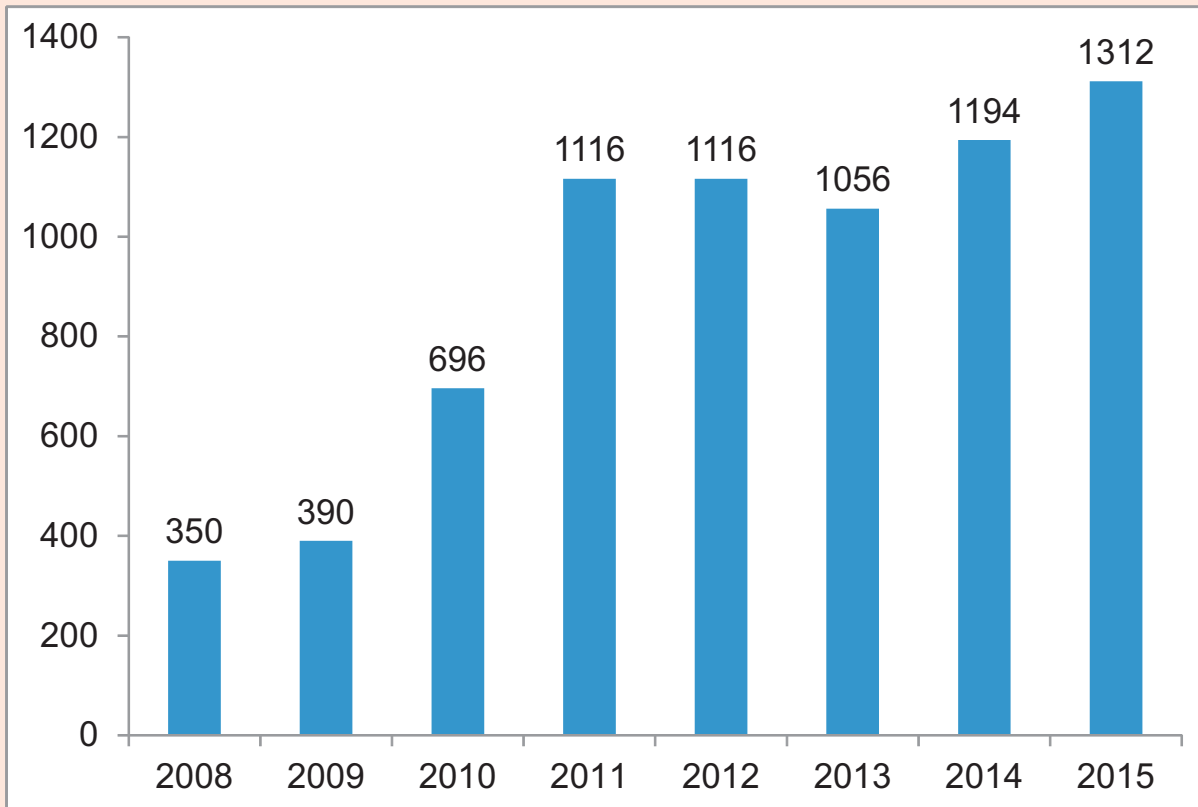
School

The institute is also running a School Wing with an annual intake of 50 students in Non-Medical stream. The admission in the school wing is made on the basis of an entrance examination conducted by the institute.

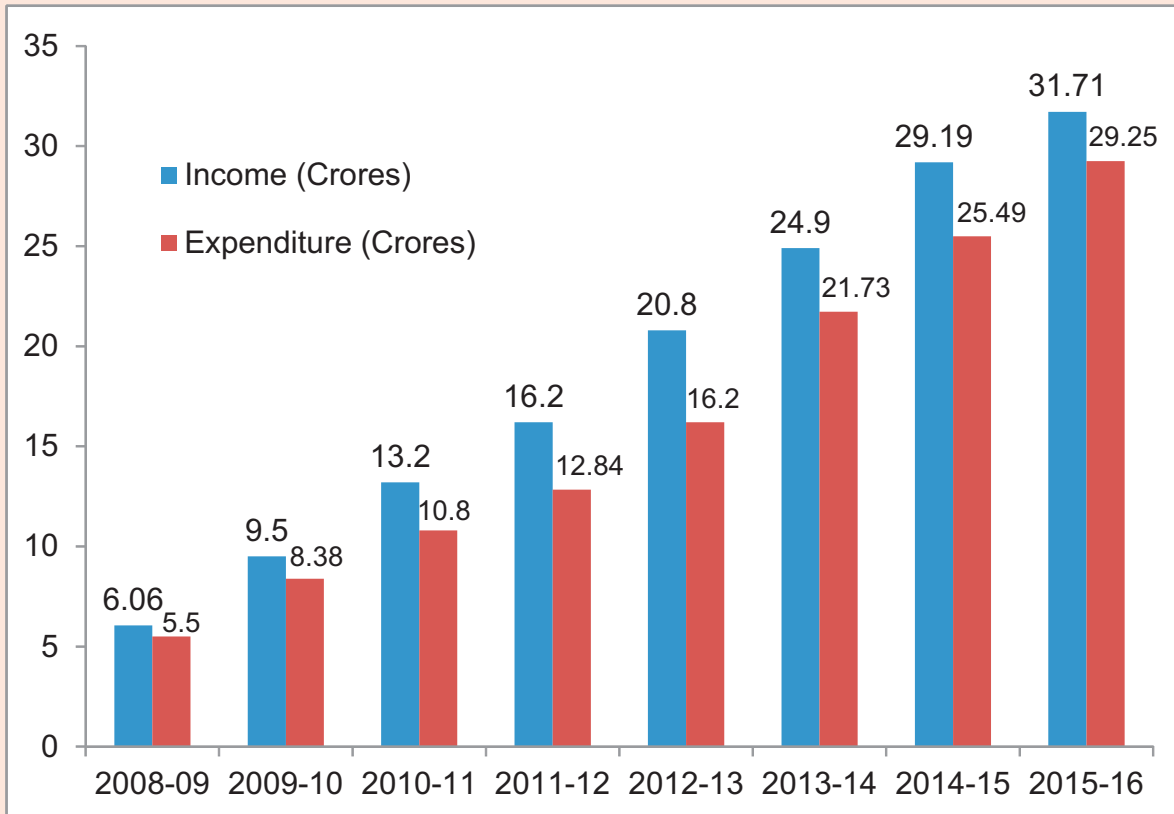
AN OVERVIEW OF POLYTECHNIC WING DEPARTMENTS AND COURSES

Department Name	Courses Offered and Seats in Three year Diploma
Department of Computer Science & Engineering (CSE)	60
Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE)	60
Department of Electrical Engineering (EE)	60
Department of Mechanical Engineering (ME)	120
Department of Applied Sciences and Humanities (DASH)	Teaching of common courses to all branches

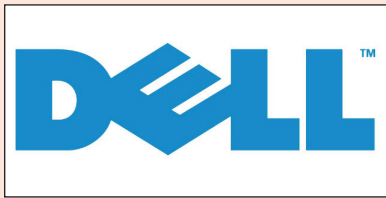
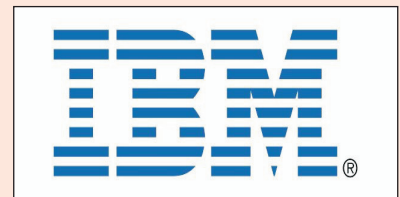
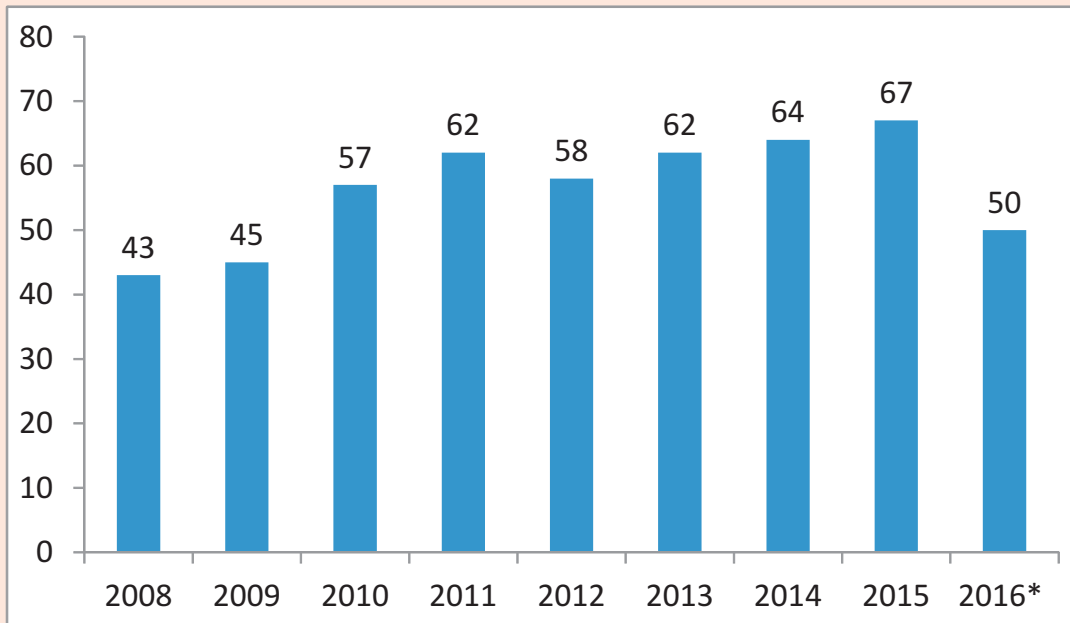
YEAR WISE ADMISSION DATA SINCE 2008



YEAR WISE FINANCIAL GROWTH OF THE INSTITUTE



CAMPUS PLACEMENT



ACCREDITATION & ACADEMIC AUTONOMY

- a) It is a matter of great pleasure to inform that five B.Tech Programmes of the institute have been accredited by National Board of Accreditation (NBA). Among all the Govt Engineering Colleges of Punjab, this is the only institute which got accreditation from NBA.
- b) The institute has also been accredited by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), which is another big achievement of the Institute. Again, among all the Govt Engineering College of Punjab, this is the only institute which got accreditation from NAAC.



- c) The UGC New Delhi has declared this institute as "Academically Autonomous". Now the institute is competent to conduct the examinations and declare the results at the institute level. This is the another major achievement of this institute.



- d) This is the first institute of Punjab Govt which have implemented ERP solution in the campus. We are working on this project from last 03 years. Now whole records of students and employees, accounts, HRM, Payrolls, Campus Management System, purchase, and passing of bills are computerized
- e) With the active contributions of its faculty, staff and students the Institute is making all round efforts to become deemed University within next few years.

- a) Two days' 2nd National Conference on Communication, Computing and System was organized in the institute during 24-25 August, 2015. Dr R S Kaler from Thapar University Patiala delivered key note address at the conference.

Participants from 60 institutions presented 100 research papers in the conference. After review and valuation, 64 papers were published in the conference proceedings.

- b) The 2nd National Level Conference on 'Advances in Manufacturing Systems' "CAMS-2015" was organized during 23rd and 24th December 2015. Total 35 research papers received from across India including renowned institutes like IIT's and NIT's were published in the conference proceedings.



c) Second National Conference on Frontiers in Materials Research & Applications' was organized on 25th December, 2016. In this conference, 75 participants from different parts of India participated and presented technical papers on the latest developments in the field of materials. Chief Guest of the conference, Dr Ramesh Chandra from Indian Institute of Technology delivered keynote address and presented the latest technologies on the material characterization.



d) Dr. S. K. Sharma, Professor, Dongguk University Seoul, South Korea has shared the technical education arrangements and subject based knowledge to the faculty members and students during One day's 'Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme' organized in the Institute on 13th January 2015.

e) One week Faculty Development Programme entitled "Material Technology and Characterization Techniques" was organised by the Department of Applied Sciences & Humanities and Department of Civil Engineering during 21-25 December, December, 2015.

f) Mechanical Engineering Department of the Institute organized one week Faculty Development Programme on "Research

Techniques" during 25-29 May 2015 and Sh. M.P. Singh Ishar, Vice Chancellor of MRSSTU, Bathinda inaugurated the course.



g) The 4th Convocation and 4th Alumni meet of the institute was held on 19th April 2015. Sardar Prakash Singh Badal, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Punjab conferred degrees and awards to the pass out students



h) Chemical Engineering Students Society "ChESS" organized two days Annual Technical-cum-Cultural Festival "CHEMOSPARK" on 7th and 8th Nov, 2015. Various Technical events like, Group Discussion, Aptitude Test, Technical Paper Presentation, Student of D Year, Treasure Hunt and Walk and Rock were organized during this two days Technical Festival.

i) One Day Principal's Conference on the theme of "Role of academic institutions in the development of truthful human being"

was organized. More than 120 school Principal's/Teachers from 70 different Schools of different Ferozepur, Faridkot and Fazilka district's participated in this Conference. Experts cautioned the decline of moral values in the society and emphasized the need for adopting value based teaching methodologies.

- j) The three days Techno Opus-2015 Seminar was organized by the Student Chapter of Indian Society for Technical Education during 4-6 March 2015. During this three days programme, the competition on technical activities and cultural events were organized. In the Project Competition, 7 students were given awards ranging from Rs. 2000 to 10,000.



- k) Technical Workshop on AutoCAD was organised in the institute on 10th March 2015. Another Workshop on "AutoCAD" was organised on 30th September 2015.



Technical experts from CADD Training Centers from Delhi and Ferozepur delivered expert lectures on AutoCAD. They trained students on Solid Works, Pro-E, CATIA, Unigraphics and Inventor series software's used for Solid Modeling.

- l) Department of Chemical Engineering organized 1-day workshop on 30th Oct, 2015 on "Application of Chemical Engineering in Alternative Sources of Energy" in association with Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers (IICHE) Student Chapter, Doaba Regional Center (DRC). The IICHE Student Chapter of Chemical Engineering Department was inaugurated by Shri G V Sethuraman (President IICHE). The IICHE is the largest organization for the Chemical Engineers which promotes the R&D in the field of Chemical Engineering. Six eminent scientists and academicians from India delivered expert lectures on the recent R&D in areas of renewable energy.
- m) Dr Viney P Aneja, Professor Environmental Technology, Department of Marine, Earth & Atmospheric Sciences, North Carolina State University Raleigh, USA visited SBS State Technical Campus from 16 – 18 September 2015. He interacted with faculty and students during his stay on the campus and delivered expert lecture on "Agriculture reactive Nitrogen and Sulfur Emission: Challenges in changing environment"



CAMPUS PLACEMENTS

a) Top Multinational Company INFOSYS visited the institute on 3rd and 4th Nov 2015 for campus placement drive of 2016 passing out students. The company selected 15 students of different streams from the campus at the package of Rs. 3.25 Lacs per annum.



b) Rockman Industries Limited, Ludhiana conducted placement drive on 16th march 2015 and selected 12 students of Mechanical Engineering.

c) Kaynes Technology Limited, Mysore selected 07 students of Electrical Engineering and Electronic and Communication Engineering on 12th October 2015.

d) Webcom Systems Pvt. Ltd. Mohali an IT Company visited the institute on 9th November 2015 for the placement drive of 2016 passing out students. The company had selected 7 students of CSE & MCA.

e) Step Consultancy, Ludhiana visited the institute on 10th November 2015 and selected 7 students of CSE and MCA. .

f) G. Tech. Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Ludhiana visited the institute and selected 11 students of CSE and MCA at pay package of Rs.2.4 Lacs per annum.

g) A Cetpa Infotech Pvt. Ltd., Noida visited the

institute on 11th December, 2015 for the campus placement drive of 2016 passing out students of B.Tech Engg (CSE/ECE/EE) /MCA. The company selected 6 students from the campus.

h) A NetMax Technologies Pvt. Ltd., Ludhiana visited the Institute on 11th December, 2015 and selected 11 students of B.Tech Engg. (CSE/ECE)/MCA.

i) A Vee Software Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Mohali visited the Institute on 12th December, 2015 for the campus placement drive of 2016 passing out students and selected 02 students of B.Tech Engg. (ECE/EE).

j) Kehin Fie, a Leading Carburetor Manufacturing Japanese MNC selected 17 students of Mechanical Engineering during Campus Recruitment Drive held on 22 Dec 2015.



SPONSORED PROJECT RECEIVED

a) The Institute got a grant of Rs. 10 Crore under Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme. This institute is leading institute among all other Engineering colleges of India for procuring the equipment under TEQIP scheme.

b) MHRD Govt of India has declared this institute as best performing institute among all the state managed Engineering Colleges and has announced to give Rs.

5.00 Crore as additional grant under TEQIP. This is the biggest achievement of institute.

- c) Institute has got Rs. 2.00 Crore from AICTE for the construction of Boys Hostel for SC/ST students. More grant of Rs. 4.00 Crore is expected in this year from welfare Deptt of Govt of India under Babu Jagjiwan Ram Scheme for construction of Boys and Girls Hostel.
- d) Institute has received a grant of Rs. 22.69 lac from the Department of Science & Technology, Government of India. under the Women Scientists Scheme (WOS-A). The main aim of women scientists scheme is to provide opportunities to women scientists and technologists for pursuing research in the field of basic or applied sciences in frontier areas of science and engineering. Er. Navjot Sidhu, a Women Scientist is pursuing her research on topic “Experimental Test bed for validation of network layer attacks in wireless sensor networks”.

BEST PERFORMING INSTITUTE AWARD

Polytechnic Wing of the Institute has been awarded with “Outstanding Technical Institution Award” under Best Polytechnic Colleges Category for the year 2014-2015 by National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training and Research, Chandigarh (NITTTR) from nine states of northern region comprising of J&K, HP, Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh, Delhi, UP, Utrakhhand, and Rajasthan.

Dr T. S. Sidhu, Campus Director was awarded with Appreciation Certificate by Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepur for beatification project of NH-95 along college boundary wall under Project Green Tribute.



INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

- a) A Teaching Block consisting of 24 Lecture Halls was inaugurated by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Punjab Sardar Prakash singh Badal on 19th April, 2015. This teaching block having a sitting capacity of about 2000 students, was constructed at the cost of Rs. 7.00 Crore.



- b) The fourth boys hostel was constructed at the cost of Rs. 5.00 Crore. Institute has got Rs. 2.00 grant from AICTE for the construction of this hostel under SC/ST welfare scheme.
- c) Shaheedi Smarak in the name of Great Martyr Shaheed-e-Azam Sardar Bhagat Singh Ji is developed in the institute.
- d) The building of New Library and Computer Centre, which was inaugurated by Hon;ble Chief Minister of Punjab on 19th April 2015, is likely to be completed by April 2016 with the cost of Rs. 5.00 Crore.

- e) All the three boys hostel and one Girls hostel (old) are renovated and white washed. Similarly all the teaching blocks, dispensary and administrative blocks are renovated and white washed.
- f) We have installed LCD Projectors in all the class rooms and laboratories. Further, 30 CCTV Comers are installed at strategic points throughout the campus and TV screens are provided in HOS's room for constant surveillances of student activities.
- g) Seminar Room was renovated and ergonomically designed Godrej Chairs were fitted. .
- h) All roads of the institute are repaired and re-carpeted. A Gantry is installed in front of the institute on National Highway NH-95.
- i) Main gate is renovated to give it modern look. Footpaths on both sides of the main road and center path were covered with interlocking tiles.



NEW PROPOSALS FOR INFRASTRUCTURE

- a) The institute has applied to Welfare Department of GOI for getting grant of Rs. 2.00 Crore for construction of Hostel for SC/ST Girl Students.
- b) Another proposal has been submitted to Welfare Department of GOI for getting grant of Rs. 2.00 Crore for construction of Boys Hostel for SC/ST Students.

STUDENT INTAKE & FINANCIAL STATUS

- a) The intake of B.Tech Programmes in Mechanical Engineering was enhanced from 180 to 240. One new Programme of M.Tech in Electrical Engineering was started.
- b) One new Course of B.Arch, approved by Council of Architecture, was started with an intake of 40 students.
- c) The DDO powers as well as approval of purchase powers were delegated to Head of Departments up to single purchase of Rs. 1.00 Lacs.
- d) The income of the institute has increased considerably during the last 6-7 years as pr detail below:

Year	Income (Crores)	Expenditure (Crores)
2009-10	09.50	08.38
2010-11	13.20	10.80
2011-12	16.20	12.84
2012-13	20.80	16.20
2013-14	24.90	21.73
2014-15	27.0*	24.50
2015-16	-	-

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BLOOD DONATION & TREE PLANTATION CAMP

- a) Red Ribbon Club and NSS Unit of the Institute organized Blood Donation Camp on 24th Feb, 2015. During this Camp, 50 Unit blood was donated.
- b) “Sikh Environment Day” was celebrated on 16th March, 2015 in collaboration with Guru Gobind Study Circle Ferozepur. On this occasion 52 rose saplings were planted in the institute. This day was celebrated to commemorate the Guruai Day of 7th Guru of Sikhs Guru Har Rai Ji. Shri Guru Har Rai was a nature lover and he instilled a vision among his followers to care for and to live in harmony with nature and other living beings. Shri Guru Har Rai Sahib established 52 gardens in his lifetime.
- c) Red Ribbon Club and National Youth Services jointly organized Blood Donation Camp and Seminar on Aids, Environment and Swine Flu on 27th March, 2015. During this Camp, 34 Unit blood was donated.
- d) A Blood Donation Camp was organized by Red Ribbon Club and NSS Unit of the Institute on 27th August, 2015. Rotary Club, Ferozepur and Civil Hospital Ferozepur played significant role in successful organization of this Blood Donation Camp. Total 80 units of Blood was collected by Civil

Hospital Ferozepur.

- e) A MEGA BLOOD DONATION CAMP was organized jointly by Achiever's Society, NSS unit and Red Ribbon Clubs of the institute in association with various Youth Clubs of Youth Services Department, Ferozepur and District Red Cross Society, Ferozepur on 17th September, 2015.



Total 404 units of blood were collected during this Camp, in which students of SBS Campus, Baba Bidhi Chand Polytechnic College, Government Polytechnic College, and DAV College for Women, Ferozepur participated. Two teams of Blood Bank from local Civil Hospital, Ferozepur and Guru Nanak Dev Hospital, Amritsar have collected the Blood.

- f) World Environment Day was celebrated on 5th June, 2015. On this occasion, saplings of decorated plants were planted.

SPORTS ACTIVITIES

- a) 16th Annual Athletic Meet was held in the Institute during 11th -12th Feburary 2015. About 500 students had participated in the athletic meets.
- b) Poly Wing students of the institute won Runners Up Trophy at PTIS State Level inter Polytechnic Colleges Athletics Meet (20-21, March, 2015)





CURRICULAR, CO-CURRICULAR & EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- a) 76th Republic day was celebrated in the institute on 26th January, 2016 and National Flag was hoisted by Sh. Dinesh Lakra, Hon'ble Chairman BOG of the Institute.



- b) Basant Fest–2015 was celebrated on 21st January, 2015 with message of “Saying No to Chinese Dore”. Kite Flying Competitions among Boys and Girls students and Staff were organized during this fest.



- c) Diploma students of Shaheed Bhagat Singh State Technical Campus, Ferozepur have performed magnificently and won Runners Up Trophy in the State Level inter Polytechnic Colleges Athletics Meet organized under PTIS (Punjab Technical Institute Sports) held at S.U.S. College of Engineering and Technology, Tangori on 21-22 March, 2015. Girls of this Polytechnic Wing won 5 Gold Medals, 5 Silver Medals and 1 Bronze Medals, whereas Boys won 5 Gold Medal, 5 Silver Medals and 1 Bronze Medal. In total Polytechnic Wing students won 22 medals, with 10 Gold Medals; 10 Silver Medals and 2 Bronze Medal.
- d) Two Day super sixes Cricket Tournament PPL-2015 (Poly Wing Premier League) was organised in which total 32 teams competed with each other
- e) Inter College Lawn Tennis Tournament organised in SBS Campus during 8th and 9th Nov, 2015
- f) National Sports Day was celebrated on 29 August which was dedicated to the birth anniversary of Major Dhyan Chand (29 August 1905 – 3 December 1979) known as 'The Wizard' for his superb ball control in the field of Hockey. Large number of students participated in the race organized in memory of great player.

- c) National Voter's Day was celebrated on 25 Jan, 2015 to improve the Electoral Participation in the country for building up a culture of participative democracy among youth. Various activities like, Signature Campaign, Sensitisation Workshops, Human Chain, Debates, Essay Writing and Poster Making, etc were organized to spread the message of "ethical voting" of the Election Commission of India.

- d) To pay homage to Shaheed Bhagat Singh on his Martyrdom Day Shaheedi Diwas was organized on 18th March, 2015. Various events like, Patriotic Songs, Play, Speech and Choreography were organized to present the life of Shaheed Bhagat Singh Ji. The event was part of eleven day festival to commemorate the Martyrdom of Shaheed Bhagat Singh under the banner of Shaheed Bhagat Singh Rajguru Sukhdev Memorial Society, Ferozepur.
- e) A Motorcycle Rally was organized on 19th March, 2015 from institute to Husanniwala Border to pay rich tribute to Great Martyr Shaheed-E-Azam Sardar Bhagat Singh on his Martyrdom Day. Around 400 students decorated with Basanti turbans and white Kurta Pajama's participated in this Rally with great enthusiasm.



- f) Annual cultural festival "VIRSA-2015" was celebrated with great pomp and show on 1st April, 2015. The main theme of this cultural festival was to aware people to curb the practice of women feticide, which is an alarming and frightening reality in today's society. In this cultural extravaganza various events on Women Empowerment, Punjab's rich and deep rooted culture and heritage were presented.



- g) Sadhbhawna Diwas was celebrated in SBS Campus on 20th August on the occasion of Birth Anniversary of former Prime Minister Sh. Rajiv Gandhi. All the faculty, staff and students of SBS Campus took oath for National Integration.
- h) Institute has organised Slogan Writing, Declamation Contest and Signature Campaign to create awareness among the voters on 21st September, 2015 as per the directions of Election Commission of India. The entire event was designed to reach out to youth in an effort to mobilise them to participate in the 2017 assembly elections.
- i) Motorcycle Rally was organized on 28 September, 2015 to pay rich tribute to Great Martyr Shaheed-E-Azam Sardar Bhagat Singh on his 109th Birth Anniversary. The entire entourage was followed by Dr. T. S. Sidhu Campus Director and Mr. Gazal Preet Singh Principal Poly Wing, who were leading the rally on specially decorated jeep. Around 200 students participated in this Rally with great enthusiasm.
- j) Diwali Fete was organised in the institute on 15th October, 2015 in which 13 stalls were erected. Many stalls like eatables, puzzles, Ice Cream parlour, Tambola and Games were main attraction of students and outside guests throughout the day. Faculty and staff members of the institute joined

with the students in Diwali fete celebrations.

- k) To commemorate 139th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel as National Unity Day (Rashtriya Ekta Divas), Seminar and Oath taking ceremony was organized on 31st October, 2015.
- l) A new Unit of NSS (Unit IV) was inaugurated in SBS Campus comprising of School Wing and Polytechnic Wing on 4th Nov, 2015.
- m) **“Inspire Awards 2015”**, Innovative Project competition was organised by Education Department and Department of Science & Technology (DST) in the institute on 9th and 10th Nov, 2015. In this competition more than 200 students from 100 schools competed for this prestigious award. Around 150 faculty members of these Schools accompanied these students during two days Competition.



- c) A Nagar Kirtan for the Darshan's of Relics of Guru Gobind Singh Ji, the Tenth Sikh Guru, passed through College Main Gate on National Highway 95 on 15th May, 2015. All College staff and students paid homage to the Nagar Kirtan for the Darshan's of relics of Guru Gobind Singh Ji.

- d) The institute has contributed Rs.40,000/- in the relief funds to Sewa Bharti (Regd) Society, Ferozepur on 18th May, 2015 for providing food, shelter, water and healthcare facilities to Nepal victims. The main focus is to overcome logistical obstacles and bring relief to people living in some of the hard to reach rural areas of Nepal.

- e) A Drug Awareness Seminar entitled, “Awareness regarding increase in Drug Addiction” was organized by NSS Unit on 2nd September, 2015 in association of Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle.

- f) A Jagran (Jagrata) was organized by Faculty, Staff and Students of SBS Campus in residence area on 21st Oct, 2015.

- g) The bhog of Akhand Path was performed in the institute in the memory

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

- a) One day Workshop was organized by NDRF Team (National Disaster Rescue Force) on 9 Feb, 2015. This exercise was organized by 35 members from NDRF team and exhibition of various tools and equipments used by NDRF Team during rescue and rehabilitation programme were displayed for students, faculty and staff of SBS Campus.
- b) Shri Akhand Path Sahib was organized from 13th to 15th March in the institute. Bhai Baldev Singh Ji Wadala, Hazoori Raagi Shri Darbar Sahib Amritsar, performed Kirtan during Bhog ceremony. Prof. Inderjit Singh Gogoani, Professor, Khalsa College, Amritsar, delivered Lecture on social evils.

of Mata Sahib Kaur Ji on 1st November, 2015 to pray for peace in Punjab in wake of wide spread incidents of sacrileges of Shri Guru Granth Sahib Ji. Bhai Jaspal Singh Ji, Shri Darbar Sahib Amritsar, performed Kirtan during Bhog ceremony. Guru ka Langar was served in the end.

- h) Around 800 Free Books along with Tea Langar and snacks were distributed on 22nd Dec, 2015 at the Campus Main Gate to commemorate the martyrdom of four Sahibzadas of Guru Gobind Singh Ji and Mata Gugri Ji.
- l) Visits of Government School Students to different departments of the institute were organized to provide opportunity to schools students to see the infrastructural facilities of this Premier Technical Institute so as to motivate them to join the engineering profession.

Total 1025 students of 10th and 10+2 classes (Science group) from Senior Secondary Schools of Ferozepur Districts visited the institute from 12th Dec to 24th Dec, 2015. All these

students were highly motivated and enthused to see the facilities and infrastructure of this NBA and NAAC Accredited Institute.

- j) Prerna Association for Blind an NGO from Pune visited the institute to interact with the students. A team of six visually impaired persons including one girl travelled hundreds of miles from Pune to this Border District of Punjab to celebrate Diwali and interact with youth. "Prerna", an NGO working for the visually impaired in Pune, has been ensuring that these youths celebrate Diwali with security personnel at various international borders of the nation for the last Forteen years.

On this occasion many students took pledge to help visually impaired persons for crossing roads and for donation of their eyes. In the end, students interacted one to one with these six members of Prerna Group. They listened very carefully about the problems faced by these visually impaired persons.



