

P.V. Narasimha Rao - Knowledge Centre (PVNR - KC)

An astute Administrator and a multifaceted Personality
An Economist, Reformer, Scholar, Writer and Polyglot.



Remembering Sri. PV Narasimha Rao's Centenary Celebrations



Kakatiya University
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This proposal has been accepted by the Government of Telangana.

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Proposed Budget

The proposed Centre requires the following estimated grants to meet its recurring and non-recurring expenditure for the first Five years:

Estimated Expenditure

SI	Name of the Item	Amount (Rs.) in Lakhs
Non- Recurring		
1	Building (Estimated cost)	100-00
2	Office equipment, electronic gadgets, furniture, etc.	30-00
A. Non- Recurring Expenditure		130-00
Recurring Expenditure (Per Annum)		
3.	Director's Honorarium @ 2000/- Per Month & Maintenance	1.50
4	Salaries of Administrative Staff Superintendent (1), Rs. 40,000/- pm Office Assistant (1), Rs. 30,000/- pm Attender (1) Rs.20,000/- pm	10.80
5	Contingency	2.40
6	Library Books	5.00
7	Journal Publication Grant	2.00
8	Seminars/ Workshops/ Conferences	5.00
Total		26.70
9	Salary of P.V. Narasimha Rao Chair (Professor) (@ Rs. 3,00,000/- pm)	36-00
10	Fellowship for 2 Research Associates (@ Rs. 40,000/- pm each) Incharge Librarian and Museum (Rs.40,000 pm)	14.40
Total		77.10
B. Recurring Expenditure (per annum)		77.10
Total Recurring Expenditure for the Initial 5 years		385.50
Grand Total (Recurring & Non-Recurring Expenditure) for 5 years		515.50


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About Kakatiya University

Kakatiya University is the second largest university in Telangana. Since its inception in 1976, it has been catering to the higher educational needs of the Telangana people by offering teaching and research programmes in addition to training and extension activities in the fields of Arts, Commerce, Social Sciences, Education, Engineering, Technology, Law, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Natural Sciences, Environmental Studies, Biotechnology and Microbiology etc.

The Vision of this University is transforming the University into a Centre of Excellence ensuring Quality, Access, Equity and Values. The Mission of this University is acquiring commanding heights in the field of Innovation, Knowledge dissemination, Cutting-edge Research, Competency building and Extension activities with Holistic approach for Societal needs.

Special features of the University

- The University is accredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade with improved CGPA of 3.36.
- The University was placed in II Band (101-150) in overall category and III band in Institutional category by National Institutional Ranking Framework of Ministry of HRM in 2018.
- In 2018, the university was awarded with Graded Autonomy by the UGC and was sanctioned 50 crores for research by RUSA.
- Awarded the Best University in Rain Water Harvesting System by Central Government.
- Geographically the University is spread into three districts of the state.
- It has 18 constituent Colleges and 480 affiliated Colleges and catering the needs of 2.23 lakhs of students.
- It has 8 faculties, 24 departments and 225 programmes and 30 programmes through distance mode.

P.V. Narasimha Rao: An Illustrious Son of Telangana Soil

Sri. P.V.Narasimha Rao was a visionary born in the Telangana Soil. He was a first rate intelligent and mastered sixteen languages acted as a frontline driver and introduced economic reforms to save the country from economic crisis. He has got exceptional insights into societal needs as a result he introduced many reforms in different fields of the economy.

As a Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh, HRD, External Affairs, Home Minister and later as Prime Minister of the country he had a mission and passion to design and execute the programmes that won the public confidence and yielded desired results. He has shouldered the responsibilities for policy making and implementation and got name and fame, goodwill world wide as a reformist and transformed the Indian Economy into a vibrant and self sufficient one. He concurred many achievements and became a multi faceted personality and ensured balance in his political and personal life and achieved 'sthithapragna' in his personal life.

Late P.V. Narasimha Rao was an illustrious son of the Telangana, who became the Prime Minister of India. He had a very close association with Warangal. He was an alumnus of University Arts and Science College, Subedari, which is now a constituent college of Kakatiya University. He was also instrumental in the establishment of Kakatiya University.

His land reforms, which resulted in the enactment of the Telangana Land Reforms (Ceiling on Agricultural Holdings) Act, 1973, drastically changed the rural economy. His economic reforms during the early 1990s, not only saved India from bankruptcy but also integrated the country with the world economy.

In the field of higher education, he brought about many reforms such as decentralization of the UGC and insistence on quality assurance, which finally led to the establishment of NAAC. As HRD Minister, he introduced Navodaya Schools for ensuring quality education. Apart from being an able administrator and reformer, P.V. Narasimha Rao was a great scholar, writer, translator and polyglot with many literary works to his credit. Finally, he was also a great visionary who laid stress on democratic values.

Justification for establishing the Centre

P.V. Narasimha Rao is widely known not only for his profound scholarship but also for his innovative ideas on social, economic and political reforms. He was a great statesman as well as an inspirational figure. His life and contribution to the Indian economy, polity, society and literature needs to be studied and appreciated. His legacy should be cherished and preserved for the benefit of future generations. His ideals should be emulated and propagated.

He had a special concern for the development of Kakatiya University. During his Convocation Address at the University, he had proposed that the University should have a Centre for the study of Social Change and Development. Kakatiya University is now fully prepared for setting up such a Centre. It has already a vast experience of running similar Centres, such as Women's Studies Centre, Dr B.R. Ambedkar Studies Centre, Gandhian Studies Centre, and Telangana Study Centre. The faculty and staff of the University, thus have the required expertise and experience for running the P.V. Narasimha Rao Centre for the Socio- Economic and Cultural Studies.

Proposed activities shall include:

1. The Centre shall conduct practice-led transitional research in different fields of the economy, society, literature, culture etc.
2. The Centre shall organise training and development programmes for different sections of the society for enhancing their knowledge, skills and attitudes in their professional life.
3. The Centre will also conduct leadership development programmes to transform the younger generation into future leaders.
4. The Centre will publish research studies, unpublished works of Sri. PV Narasimha Rao and a house of Information.
5. The Centre will bring out half yearly Journal - PVNR Journal of Intellectual Studies.
6. It is proposed to establish mini library and a museum in the memory of Sri. P.V.Narasimha Rao

Vision, Mission and Objectives of the Centre

Vision

To focus on socio-economic, cultural and political changes by conducting interdisciplinary research and disseminate knowledge to reach out to the larger community through extension activities. In pursuance of this vision, the Centre shall propagate and strengthen the Philosophy of Sri. P.V. Narasimha Rao in terms of his vision towards the economy, society, values, and culture.

Mission

Our mission is to translate the vision of PV Narasimha Rao and enhance the capacities of individuals, communities and the institutions for creating competent and committed socially relevant professionals.

Objectives

1. To propagate the **Philosophy and Ideals** of Sri. P.V. Narasimha Rao in terms of his Vision towards the economy, society, values, and culture.
2. To undertake cutting edge **research on contemporary issues** concerning the Nation in general and Telangana in particular.
3. To **organize Seminars, Conferences, Workshops, Symposium** on social transformation, economic empowerment and cultural preservation.
4. To **conduct training and development programmes** with a view to enhance the competency and knowledge levels for establishing creative benchmarks in their performances.
5. To **develop future leadership** in terms of academic leaders, business leaders , social leaders , cultural leaders and spiritual leaders to take care of the future generations.
6. To **preserve the Legacy** of PV by establishing a Physical, Digital Library and Museum.
7. To **collaborate** with other similar centres and Universities and NGO's to improve the quality of research and extend its activities.

Management Structure of the Centre

The proposed P.V. Narasimha Rao Knowledge centre shall have the following Management Structure.

SN	Designation	Description	Responsibilities
1	Advisory Board to be chaired by an eminent person to be appointed by the Government from a panel of names suggested by the Vice-Chancellor. The Vice-Chancellor shall be the executive Chairman. About nine (9) members drawn from different fields shall be nominated. (9)	Made up of eminent scholars, civil society representatives etc and P.V. Narasimha Rao's family members.	Advisory & Policy Formulation
2	Director (1)	To be appointed by the University from among the faculty (Social Sciences).	Policy Implementation and routine Administration
3	Administrative Staff (3)	Superintendent (1) Office Assistant (1) Attender (1)	Office Work
4	P.V. Narasimha Rao Chair (Professor) (1)	To be appointed by the University following UGC guidelines	Research and extension Activities
5	Research Associates (2)	To be selected by the Centre following UGC guidelines	Research Projects
6	Librarian (1)	To be selected by the Centre following UGC guidelines	Library maintenance and documentation

The details of recurring expenditure per annum to the above categories are shown in page 9.

Advisory Board

Eminent personalities of national and International repute drawn from different fields shall be included in the Advisory Board of the Centre.

The Chairperson of the Advisory Board will be nominated by the Government from a panel submitted by the Vice-Chancellor and the Vice -Chancellor will be the Chairman. Nine (9) members will be drawn from the following fields.

The Director of the Centre will be the Member -Secretary

- 1. Reputed Academician (2)**
- 2. Economist**
- 3. Social worker/ NGO's**
- 4. Cultural Promoter/Literary/**
- 5. Law / Business CEO**
- 6. Directors from other Centres**

Organisation Chart of the Centre

The proposed Centre shall have the following departments to execute its objectives and functions:



Social Sciences Field: Society and Violence, Social Movements, Women, minorities, Social stratification. Sexual Harassment at Work Place, Child labour.

SCs, STs, BCs and Minorities Welfare Schemes, Tribal Development, and Environmental Issues.

Economics Field: Micro Finance, Agriculture, Irrigation, Artisans, labour Migration, Urbanization, and Clean & Green Management, Rural Development, Water Resources Management.

Cultural Field: Culture and Conflict, literature and social consciousness, Social Responsibilities of the Corporate Sector.

Political Field: Political dimensions of the region and the State, cooperative societies and panchayat institutions.

Academic Leaders: Quality Education, E-Learning, Achieving Excellence, Innovation & Creativity, Change Management, Administrative Rules,

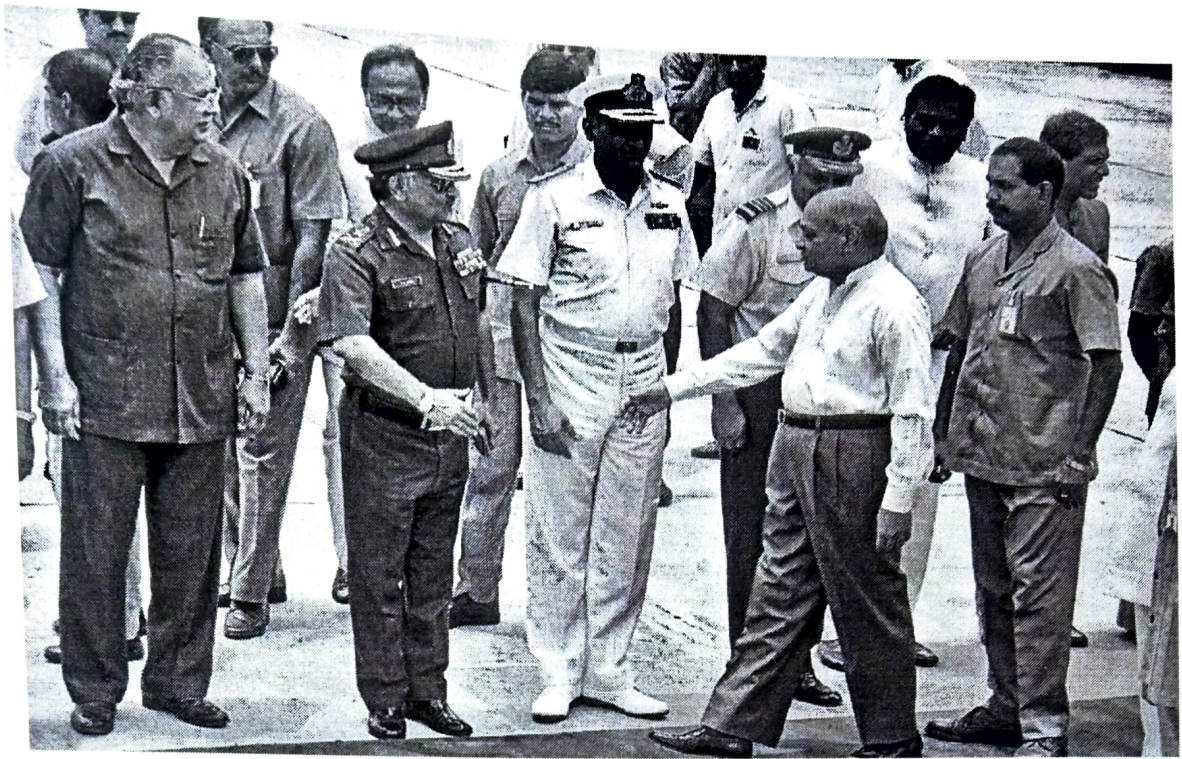
Political Leaders: Best Practices, Success stories, MIS, Consumerism, Innovations in Public system, Behaviour Studies, IT and MIS. Government Acts.

Social Leaders: NGO's Empowerment, Public Governance, Social Responsibilities, Water & Waste Mgt.

Business Leaders: Micro Finance, Entrepreneurship Development, Skill India, Make in India, RTI.

Cultural Leadership: Culture and Change, Climate literacy, Peace and Communal Harmony,

Spiritual Leadership: Individual excellence, Spiritual & Behavioural Studies, Yoga,



**100 years of PV Narasimha Rao - A memorable tenure
of 'PV as PM'**

A Great Son of Telangana Soil