

### 7.3.1 Institutional Distinctiveness

Provide the details of the performance of the institution in one area distinctive to its vision, priority and thrust in not more than 200 words

KPRIET is functioning with a focus on fulfilling United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) to ensure quality education, innovative outcomes, gender equality, environmental sustenance and poverty reduction. The *Times Higher Education* Impact Rankings (THE Rankings) are the global performance rankings for Educational Institutions which uses the metrics based on SDGs. KPRIET is the only self-financed autonomous institute in Tamil Nadu to receive 1001+ band THE Impact Ranking for the contributions in Quality Education, Gender Equality, No Poverty, Responsible Consumption and Production, Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions and Partnership for the Goals.

- ❖ Quality education is ensured to the students with outcome based education system and close interaction with the industries. Institute is guiding the students towards an informed carrier choice and honing their carrier skills to achieve their goals. Lifelong learning measures are assured through our unique and strategic approach. The students and faculty members are utilizing the facilities at different National/International industries and R&D organizations for internships, projects and higher studies as a result of MoUs created by the institute. Student Enrichment Programs, International Guest Lectures, International Alumni Chapter, International Higher Education Conclave, On-the-spot Scholarship Assessment and Registration program etc. were conducted by the institute for the students to achieve international exposure as well as higher study opportunities.
- ❖ First generation female students benefitted through our institute, student access measures, available senior female academicians, number of women receiving degrees and women's progress measures were the exceptional aspects considered for THE Ranking in gender equality. In spite of these, institute is involved in conducting several gender equality promotion programs.
- ❖ Financial support provided to the stakeholders in several aspects including scholarships and anti-poverty programs conducted for the benefit community by the institute are remarkable.
- ❖ The institute followed suitable operational measures for the responsible consumption of energy and production. The "wealth from waste" principle is practiced substantially in the sewage management.
- ❖ KPRIET is concerned in educating its stakeholders as well as community regarding United Nation's SDGs through different programs.
- ❖ KPRIET proudly presented SDGs on Affordable and Clean Energy (7), Industry Innovation and Infrastructure (9) and Climate Action (13) in the IGEN-Green9 SDG Conclave 2020.
- ❖ Effectual implementation of all SDGs and constant upgrading of implemented SDGs are our obligation.