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(CSIBER), KOLHAPUR, MH, INDIA

An Empowered Autonomous Institute  
College with Potential For Excellence (CPE) Phase III  
Reaccredited by NAAC with 'A+' Grade (CGPA 3.55)  
CSIBER NIRF Ranking: Rank Band 201–300 at the National Level



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# CSIBER AT A GLANCE

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CSIBER's legacy is rooted in the vision of the Chhatrapati Shahu Institute of Business Education & Research Trust, established in 1976 by the eminent educationist and chartered accountant, (Late) Prof. Dr. A. D. Shinde, along with his committed colleagues. Their mission was clear—to provide high-quality professional education to the youth of southwest Maharashtra and Karnataka. Today, this vision continues under the dynamic leadership of CA Dr. R. A. Shinde (Managing Trustee), CA Shri Hrishikesh Shinde (Secretary), and the Board of Trustees, whose guidance has been instrumental throughout the institution's formative challenges and its journey towards autonomy.

The Trust now manages 8 institutions across Kolhapur and Sangli districts, serving over 6,000 students and supported by 400+ employees. CSIBER, established in 1976 as a postgraduate teaching and research institute, holds a pioneering position in Maharashtra's educational landscape. In 1987, it became the first institution in the region to introduce computer and environmental education. As we celebrate 50 years (Golden Jubilee), CSIBER stands strong with 58 full-time qualified faculty members dedicated to excellence in teaching, research, and consultancy. The institute offers a wide range of programs, including MBA, MCA, M.Sc. Cyber Security, MSW, and various undergraduate courses, addressing the region's demand for professional education.

CSIBER has been at the forefront of educational reforms. In alignment with national educational policies, the institute embraced autonomy early and was granted Autonomous Status in 1995—becoming the first autonomous institute in Maharashtra. Recently recognized as an Empowered Autonomous Institute, CSIBER functions like a “mini university,” enabling continuous curriculum innovation.

Major National Recognitions:

- NAAC A+ Grade (4th Cycle, 2023)
- UGC “College with Potential for Excellence (CPE)”
- Recipient of the RUSA Special Grant of ₹5 Crores (2019), first in Maharashtra
- Listed in the NIRF 2025 Rankings

With a legacy of strong leadership, innovation, and academic excellence, CSIBER remains committed to empowering students and contributing significantly to regional and national development.

## ABOUT IMS UNISON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN, INDIA

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IMS Unison University, Dehradun, is a premier multidisciplinary private university in Uttarakhand, known for its strong academic ethos, industry-oriented pedagogy, and emphasis on holistic education. Established with the vision of nurturing competent professionals and responsible global citizens, the University offers a wide range of undergraduate, postgraduates and doctoral programmes across Management, Liberal Arts, Laws, Hospitality, Media & Communication and Computer Applications. IMS Unison University places strong emphasis on experiential learning, research-driven teaching, and continuous industry engagement through internships, live projects, simulations, and expert interactions. Its scenic campus at Makkawala Greens, Dehradun, provides an intellectually stimulation and environmentally conscious setting for academic and research pursuits.



# ABOUT CONFERENCE

## Conference Theme

The International Conference on Innovations in Computer Science and Technology (ICICST) aims to bring together researchers, academicians, professionals, and industry experts to exchange ideas, present research findings, and explore emerging trends in computing technologies that drive innovation, sustainability, and societal impact.

## Objectives

- Showcase innovations in Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, Cybersecurity, Cloud, IoT, and Blockchain.
- Promote trustworthy and human-centric computing for societal well-being.
- Encourage digital solutions aligned with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- Foster collaboration between academia, industry, and policy makers for a sustainable digital future

## TRACKS

<b>Artificial Intelligence &amp; Machine Learning</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Human-Centric AI</li><li>• Generative AI</li><li>• Explainable AI</li></ul>
<b>Data Science &amp; Analytics</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Big Data</li><li>• Data-Driven Decision-Making</li><li>• Health Informatics</li></ul>
<b>Cyber Security &amp; Trustworthy Computing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Privacy</li><li>• Ethics</li><li>• Digital Forensics</li><li>• Secure Systems</li></ul>
<b>Cloud, Edge &amp; IoT Technologies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Smart Systems</li><li>• Green Computing</li><li>• Industry 4.0 Applications</li></ul>
<b>Blockchain &amp; Emerging Technologies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Decentralized Systems</li><li>• Digital Identity</li><li>• Secure Transactions</li></ul>
<b>Computing for Sustainability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ICT for SDGs</li><li>• Climate Informatics</li><li>• Energy-Efficient Computing</li></ul>
<b>Business Innovation &amp; Digital Transformation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• FinTech</li><li>• AI in Business</li><li>• Tech Entrepreneurship</li></ul>
<b>Robotic Process Automation (RPA)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• RPA Technologies, RPA Applications.</li></ul>

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# Registration Details

## ➔ Registration Details

Participants	Early Registration till (2026, 20 March)	Registrations After (2026, 20 March)	Participations from Abroad
Delegates from Industry / Corporates	₹12,000	₹15,000	\$200
Authors including Faculty / Academia /Research Guide/ Research Scholars - paper wise	₹10,000	₹12,000	\$150
Students	₹7,500	₹8,500	\$100
Only Participation	₹5,000	₹5,000	\$100

## ➔ Important Dates

Participants	Early Registration till (2026, 20 March)
Last Date for Paper Submission	6th March 2026
Notification of Acceptance	15th March 2026
Last Date for Submission camera ready copy	20th March 2026
Last Date for Registration	20 th March 2026

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# Guidelines

## Call for Papers

Authors are invited to submit original research papers that align with the conference themes. Papers must be unpublished and not under consideration elsewhere.

## The CMT Acknowledgement

The Microsoft CMT service was used for managing the peer-reviewing process for this conference. This service was provided for free by Microsoft and they bore all expenses, including costs for Azure cloud services as well as for software development and support.

## Paper Submission Guidelines

- Submission through Microsoft CMT.
- Double-blind peer review process.
- Plagiarism checks via Turnitin.
- Acceptance rate: 30–35% for ensuring quality.
- Papers must follow the IEEE format.
- Maximum limit: 6–8 pages.
- PDF format only.
- Submit original and plagiarism-free work.
- Detailed Submission Guidelines

## Paper Submission Guidelines for Author:

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# About Kolhapur, Maharashtra, India

Kolhapur is situated on the bank of the Panchganga River and surrounded by the Sahyadri mountain ranges. It is a city known for its historical forts, temples and royal places of erstwhile kings. One of the best places to explore the splendor and heritage magnificence of India. Situated at an altitude of 1800 feet above the sea level, Kolhapur enjoys a pleasant climate for the major part of the year. The best time to visit Kolhapur is from September to March.

About 387 kms from Mumbai, the financial capital of India famous for the traditional handcrafted leather slippers, the Kolhapuri chappals and its unique local jewelry, a special type of necklace called Kolhapuri Saaj.

The Bhonsle dynasty was the ruling family of Kolhapur Princely State and they pride themselves for being the descendants of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj the Great. King Chhatrapati Shahaji II was the last ruler of the State of Kolhapur. Down the years the rulers of Kolhapur promoted theatre, wrestling and other crafts. Today, Kolhapur is a modern and industrialized city.

Kolhapur is famous for the Goddess Mahalakshmi Temple. People from all religious backgrounds live here harmoniously. Hinduism is followed by the majority of residents in Kolhapur and Marathi is the mother tongue of Kolhapuri people. Along with Marathi, Hindi and English languages are commonly spoken. Festivals like Diwali, Ganesh Chaturthi, Navaratri and Holi known as the festival of colors are celebrated with great enthusiasm and the Kolhapuri People are hospitable and welcoming.

## How to Reach CSIBER

CSIBER, Kolhapur Campus is located 6 kms away from Kolhapur airport, 3 km from the Bus Stand/ Railway Station. Three wheelers are available (reliable and fixed charges) at the Airport / Railway Station/Bus Stand.

By Air from foreign you have to travel to Mumbai or Delhi international Airport. On arrival you have to take domestic flight to Kolhapur, Maharashtra, Chhatrapati Rajaram Maharaj Airport. If travelling within India, domestic flights from Delhi, Mumbai, Hyderabad, Ahmedabad and Tirupati are available to Kolhapur.



## Historical Heritages of Kolhapur



Kopeswar Temple  
Khidrapur



Mahalaxmi Temple



New Palace



Rankala Lake



Shalini Palace



Panhala Fort

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