

# IIM ranked first in CSR-GHRDC B-School Ranking 2022

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IIM Raipur has been ranked first in the CSR-GHRDC B-School Ranking 2022 which is a testament to the institute's dedication to academic excellence, innovative research and socially responsible initiatives.

The CSR-GHRDC B-School Ranking is considered one of the most respected and comprehensive rankings in the education sector. This prestigious ranking is based on a rigorous evaluation of various parameters such as faculty, infrastructure, research and outreach activities. The ranking was conducted by Centre for Sustainability and Responsibility (CSR) and Global Human Resource Development Centre (GHRDC), two renowned organisations that have been evaluating educational institutions for over two decades.

This year's ranking was particularly competitive, with more than 500 business schools from across the country participating. IIM Raipur's commitment to excellence is reflected in its world-class faculty and renowned experts in their respective fields. The institute has also invested heavily in research, with its faculty and students regularly publishing research papers in top-tier journals. Furthermore, IIM Raipur has established Center of Excellence, Center of Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Center of Energy Management and Center of Supply Chain Management. IIM Raipur has also been actively involved in various outreach activities,

including social responsibility initiatives. The institute has collaborated with several government agencies, NGOs and private organisations to address pressing social issues.

Director of IIM Raipur Dr Ram Kumar Kakani said, "The COVID-19 pandemic has dramatically changed how we work, learn, and connect with others. At the beginning of the pandemic, there was a rapid shift from physical to virtual classrooms. The institute was able to adapt to both pre and post-Covid teaching environments. We have started Adult Learning using Andragogical tools, Simulation and Digital Engagements. We at IIM Raipur also focus on teaching methods such as Flipped Classrooms, Kinaesthetic learning, producing multi-sensory learning, game-based learning, student-centred learning, teacher-centred learning and inquiry-based learning, which engages students by making real-world connections through exploration and high-level questioning."

IIM Raipur's outstanding performance in the CSR category has earned it the top spot in the ranking. The institute has been acknowledged for its efforts towards creating a sustainable society, promoting education, healthcare and environmental conservation.

IIM Raipur's achievement is a testament to its unwavering dedication to producing socially responsible leaders who will make a positive impact on society. It is a proud moment for the institute, and it will continue to work towards creating a better and sustainable future.

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