Blekinge Institute of Technology (BTH) is the most profiled modern university focused on applied Information Technology, Telecommunication and Sustainability Development in Industry and Society. Established by Government of Sweden & full individual member of European University Association.

- Ranked #5 in the world within Systems and Software Engineering - #2 in Europe and #1 in Sweden
- Ranked #1 or #2 on a majority of the quality factors among the four universities and institutes of technology in Sweden
- Ranked #1 among all Swedish universities by PhD students
- Over the last four years, around 50 of our research students were awarded the doctoral degree
- Sweden is a country where natural luxuries like wide-open spaces, fresh air, clean water and beautiful, pristine nature and wilderness exist in abundance
- There are some 70 nationalities represented on faculty level and among the students at BTH. This gives us a truly international environment.
- Campus in two cities, Karlskrona and Karlshamn
- A part of Telecom City, Soft Centre and Netport which are innovative clusters of Swedish Industries like Ericsson etc. The largest human resource provider for the international companies and Swedish Companies of the region

1) DOUBLE DEGREE MASTER’S PROGRAM IN SOFTWARE ENGINEERING (10 Seats)

M.Tech in Software Engineering by AU, India and Master of Science in Software Engineering by BTH, Sweden

2) DOUBLE DEGREE MASTER’S PROGRAM IN TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEMS (10 Seats)

M.Tech in Telecommunication Systems by AU, India and Master of Science in Electrical Engineering with emphasis in Telecommunication Systems by BTH, Sweden

ADMISSION INFORMATION

I. GENERAL

1. Double Degree (Masters) Program (DDP) is designed for the advantage of Student Community through which students can acquire M.Tech degree from AU and M.Sc degree from Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden. This Masters degree is recognized in India through AU and in Europe through Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden and globally through AU and BTH. This program enhances the career prospects of the students in a better way both in India and abroad.

2. Applications for admission into M.Tech / M.Sc - Software Engineering / Telecommunication Systems under DDP will be processed jointly by Andhra University and Blekinge Institute of Technology.

3. There will be no provision for students to discontinue the studies in the middle of the program and claim alternative degree.

4. All Admissions are purely provisional and the university reserves the right to cancel the admission at any stage.
2. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

i) Software Engineering: - BE/B.TECH - CSE / IT / MSc – Computer Science, Masters of Computer Applications or Equivalent.

2) Telecommunication Systems: - BE/B.TECH – ECE, CSE, IT, MSc – Electronics, Masters of Computer Applications or Equivalent.

(60% marks in qualifying examination minimum requirement for admission)

3. ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Education in “English” as medium of instruction from secondary (10th Class) and Intermediate level (10+2) to the university level.

4. STRUCTURE OF PROGRAM

The program is structured in 4 semesters in such a way that, student pursue their education both in India and Sweden. The program study will be one semester in AU, India and three semesters in BTH, Sweden, which includes One Semester Thesis work.

5. FEES STRUCTURE

- 1st Semester at Andhra University: 110 000 INR
- 2nd Semester at BTH, Sweden: 30 000 SEK
- 3rd Semester at BTH, Sweden: 30 000 SEK
- 4th Semester at BTH, Sweden: 30 000 SEK

Note: Remittance of 2nd Semester tuition fee to BTH is mandatory for grant of Residence Permit from Migrationsverket.

6. VISA REQUIREMENTS

The Students should be able to fund their living expenses and stay at Sweden. Students should be able to show a minimum financial requirement of SEK 7300 per month for the entire planned study period. Documentation certifying one’s own must be provided at the time of applying visa. (For 18 months - SEK 131400 (approximately equivalent Indian Rupees) # is financial requirement as per the rules of Swedish Migration Board). For further details check www.migrationsverket.se

NOTE: Students are responsible to show the required financial proofs to the migration authorities while applying for student permit (VISA). BTH or AU will not be responsible for the visa rejections caused on the grounds of insufficient financial funds/statements in front of Migration Board. Pre & Post departure & Consular guidance will be provided by Society of Indian Alumni of Swedish & European Universities (SIASEU), Recognised by Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden without any fee.

7. HOW TO APPLY

Candidates are required to download application form from the website www.andhrauniversity.info/doa/index.html. The duly filled in application with 2 sets of all the enclosures should reach the Director, Directorate of Admissions, Andhra University, Vijayanagar Palace, Pedha Waltiar, Lawsons Bay Post, Visakhaptanam – 5300017 by post or in person before 5.00 p.m on 26th August – 2013.

Applications received after 26th August 2013 will not be accepted. Office of the Directorate of Admissions will not be responsible for the non-receipt or late receipt of applications sent by Post / Courier. In complete applications are liable to be summarily rejected.
8. LIST OF DOCUMENTS TO ATTACH WITH THE APPLICATIONS

- Attested copies of secondary education (10th Class) certificate.
- Attested copies of higher secondary education (10+2 Class) certificate.
- Attested copies of qualifying examinations (B.Tech / B.Engg. etc) degree certificate.
- Attested copies of consolidated marks memo of B.Tech / B.Engg.
- Undertaking letter stating that the applicant is capable enough to fund the financial requirement in-order to cover the tuition fee and living expenses at Sweden.
- Copies of 1, 2, 3, 4 and last pages of passport.
- DD of Rs1000 from any nationalised bank in favour of Director, Directorate of Admissions, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.

11. IMPORTANT DATES

Last date for Applications Submission: - 26th August 2013
Date of Admission Counselling for students: - 1st week of September 2013
Commencement of 1st Semester Class work at AU: - Second week of September 2013

Note:- Candidates applied earlier need not apply again. All eligible candidates (including the candidates applied earlier) who fulfill the admission criteria as per information brochure can attend the admission counselling scheduled on 26th Sept 2013 at the office of Director, Directorate of Admissions, Andhra University, Vijayanagar Palace, Pedha Waltair, Lawsons Bay Post, Visakhapatnam – 5300017. The intimation of Admission Counselling will be done through Andhra University website. No separate call or intimation letters for admissions counselling will be sent.

For any details about the program and admissions:

Andhra University, India:

1. Prof. O. Aniel Kumar, Director, Directorate Of Admissions, Andhra University, Vijayanagar Palace, Pedha Waltair, Visakhapatnam - 5300017, Andhra Pradesh Pincode:- 0891-2573441, 270892, www.andhrauniversity.info/dao
2. Prof. Prof. E. N. Dhanamjaya Rao, Director, International Affairs, Department of Geology Andhra University, Visakhapatnam - 530003 Ph: 9966354754, Email. internationalaffairs.au@gmail.com

Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden:

1. Mr. Gurudutt Velpula, Project Director – India, Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden Email:- gurudutt.velpula@bth.se, Mobile: -00-91-9959405670 (India), Mobile: -00-46-734405670 (Sweden), www.bth.se

For practical information about Sweden:
Mr. Phani Sekhar G, Mobile: 00-91-9032011127, Email. Phani@siaseu.com

DOUBLE DEGREE MASTER’S PROGRAM

ANDHRA UNIVERSITY
Double Degree ( Master’s ) Program 2013
ANDHRA UNIVERSITY
VISAKHAPATNAM, ANDHRA PRADESH, INDIA
Memorandum of Co-operation
BLEKINGE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
KARLSKRONA, SWEDEN

APPLICATION FORM

General instructions: Applicants should fill in this form completely and send it along with DD of Rs.1000 in favour of Director, Directorate of Admissions, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam with 2 sets of all enclosures to the following address (kindly write name and code of program opted on the envelope).

Director, Directorate Of Admissions,
Andhra University,
Vijayanagar Palace,
Pedha Waltair,
Visakhapatnam - 5300017
Andhra Pradesh

1) PROGRAM OPTED
Instructions: The applicants should put Tick (✓) mark against the program applied.

☐ M.Tech / M.Sc IN SOFTWARE ENGINEERING ( Program Code: AUDDMSE 13 )

☐ M.Tech / M.Sc IN TELECOMUNICATION SYSTEMS ( Program Code: AUDDMPTS 13 )

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2) BASIC INFORMATION

Instructions: Make sure you provide ALL requested data

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First name: ____________________________
Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy): ________________ Gender: ________________
Nationality: ____________________________
Address for Communication

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Door Number: ____________________________
City/Town: ____________________________
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If not acquired: ____________________________ Expected date to provide the document: ____________________________

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5) SWORN STATEMENT

I declare that all statements made in this form are true and complete. I understand that untrue statements may cause exclusion from the program. I have required financial ability to cover my living expenses for period of my stay in Sweden.

SIGNATURE:

NAME: ___________________________ DATE: ___________ PLACE: ___________________________

Note: For the purpose of reference, the candidates are advised to send the scanned copy of filled application in pdf format to the following emails: i) gve@bth.se ii) internationalaffairs.au@gmail.com
For any other information related to Sweden in general:

Practical information / queries about Sweden, Student life and culture, consular (VISA) issues, Pre and Post-departure services, Social life, Living & Accommodation and any information about Sweden in general can contact:

Mr. G. Phani Sekhar, Project Coordinator, Ph: +91-9032011127, Email: phani@siaseu.com

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