CATEGORY : PREMIER

PREFERENTIAL RANK*	NAME	CITY	STATE
1	Indian Institute of Science (IISc)	Bangalore	Karnataka
2	Homi Bhabha National Institute	Mumbai	Maharashtra
3	Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research	Mumbai	Maharashtra
4	Indian Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa	New Delhi	Delhi
5	Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT)	New Delhi	Delhi
6	Birla Institute of Technology (BIT)	Mesra	Jharkhand
7	Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS)	Mumbai	Maharashtra
8	Defence Institute of Advanced Technology	Pune	Maharashtra
9	University Institute of Chemical Technology	Mumbai	Maharashtra
10	Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology	Thiruvananthapuram	Kerala
11	International Institute for Population Sciences	Mumbai	Maharashtra
12	Jamia Hamdard	New Delhi	Delhi
13	National Brain Research Centre	Gurgaon	Haryana
14	Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research	Bangalore	Karnataka
15	National Dairy Research Institute	Karnal	Haryana
16	National Institute of Food Technology Entrepreneurship & Management (NIFTEM)	Sonepat	Haryana
17	Central Institute of Fisheries Education	Mumbai	Maharashtra
18	Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology	Patiala	Punjab
19	TERI School of Advanced Studies	New Delhi	Delhi
20	Birla Institute of Technology & Science	Pilani	Rajasthan
21	Banasthali Vidyapith	Banasthali	Rajasthan
22	Manipal Academy of Higher Education	Manipal	Karnataka
23	Institute of Liver and Biliary Sciences (ILBS)	New Delhi	Delhi
24	Indian Law Institute	New Delhi	Delhi
25	National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration	New Delhi	Delhi
26	Forest Research Institute	Dehradun	Uttarakhand
27	Indian Veterinary Research Institute	Izatnagar	Uttar Pradesh
28	Tata Institute of Fundamental Research	Mumbai	Maharashtra
29	Deccan College of Post-Graduate & Research Institute	Pune	Maharashtra
30	Lakshmibai National Institute of Physical Education	Gwalior	Madhya Pradesh