Tracing IISc’s Journey After its Centenary

P Balaram, who was the Director during IISc’s centenary year, announced at the time that Karnataka’s Chitradurga district would be IISc’s second home. Realising the need to improve the quality of teaching in India, in 2011, the Talent Development Centre (TDC) was created to train teachers on the temporary campus in Chitradurga. This building was once a sheep breeding farm.

The TDC is expected to move to the 1500-acre campus which is a stone’s throw from the existing campus in Chitradurga. The building will also house a Skill Development Centre to boost the manufacturing sector by training people in various engineering disciplines. A Solar Power Generation and Research Centre and a Climate Research Centre will begin functioning on this campus.

The first batch of BS [Research] students at their graduation ceremony. The undergraduate programme was established in 2011.

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