

Strategic Plan for JNTU by March End: VC

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The proposed strategic plan of action for comprehensive development of the Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University (JNTU) here would be ready by March end, Prof Allam Appa Rao, Vice Chancellor of the University said today.

Talking to newspersons, in a New Year function, he said Dr Chris Kaufman, President of Agovia Consulting of Seattle, Washington, US and Dr Raghu B Korrapati, Director of Computer Sciences Corporation, US were here to lend their assistance in the development of the strategic plan. The Vice-Chancellor said every effort was being made to achieve the status of World Class University to the JNTU within 1,000 days. He said primary strategic focus areas of the University and its affiliated colleges were education, contribution in the field of research, discovery and innovation besides trasformation and promotion of entrepreneurism. Mr Rao said the intense week of workshops and data gathering would mark the midpoint of the stragetic planning process.

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