

KURTA Golden Jubilee Celebration: A Grateful Acknowledgement

Dear Members,

The Golden Jubilee celebration of our beloved **Kakatiya University**, organised by KURTA, was held successfully on **11 August 2026**, at the Senate Hall, Administrative Building, between **11:00 a.m. and 1:45 p.m.** The programme was graced by the **Vice-Chancellor as the Chief Guest** and presided over by **KURTA President, Prof. A. Sadanandam**.



possible support within his capacity towards improving the conditions and strengthening the University.

We were also honoured by the presence of **Sri Kadiam Srihari, former Deputy Chief Minister of Telangana**, who has a special and personal association with our University. He is an alumnus of the erstwhile **Post-Graduate Centre**, where he pursued his **M.Sc. in Chemistry during 1973–75**. Recalling his student days, Sri Srihari shared his cherished memories of the Centre and its early academic environment. He expressed his continued attachment to the University and assured the gathering that he would extend **all**

The KURTA Executive Committee places on record its **deep and heartfelt gratitude to all the members who attended in such large numbers** and made the occasion truly memorable. The reminiscences, experiences and cherished memories shared by our senior members brought warmth and nostalgia to the gathering and made the celebration a fitting tribute to our University's fifty-year journey.

At the same time, we sincerely regret that, **owing to paucity of time, many members who had enthusiastically wished to share their thoughts and memories could not be given an opportunity to speak**. We regret that we could not felicitate some the senior members - 80 and above as we planned to do. We will invite them to our union office to felicitate them a shawl very soon.

We deeply appreciate their enthusiasm and request them to kindly share their reminiscences in written, audio or video form so that they can become part of our collective institutional memory. We have arranged for **photographs and video recordings of the celebration**, which will be uploaded shortly on the KURTA Golden Jubilee website:

Thank you all once again for your wholehearted participation and for making the Golden Jubilee celebration a grand and memorable success.

With warm regards,

**Executive Committee
Kakatiya University Retired Teachers' Association**