

Tata Housing to skill 100,000 youth

Tata Housing, announced that the company will provide vocational skill development training to 100,000 socio-economically backward youth across the nation by 2024, under its 'Samarth' initiative in line with the Prime Minister's vision of skilling the youth in India.

A flagship program of Tata Housing, 'Samarth' is dedicated to

enhance employability and enable people from the bottom of the pyramid. It not only trains people but handholds and facilitates their gainful employment as well.

Under this initiative, the company has partnered with various non-government organisations, government institutions and professional bodies like Entrepreneurship

Development Institute of India, Don Bosco Tech Society, NIIT Foundation, LabourNet, Udyogwardhini amongst others. Samarth provides training in construction-related trades including masonry, carpentry, bar bending, construction supervisor, RCC etc as well as non-construction job-oriented trades such as computers and retail sales.

NIIT to skill 10 million youth

NIIT Limited committed to train 100,00,000 young Indians across 16 sectors over the next five years. The aim is to skill, re-skill and up-skill Indian youth with employable skill sets across multiple sectors. NIIT's Yuva Jyoti Limited – a joint venture of NIIT and NSDC, has enrolled 1550 students under the pilot phase of Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana, across three sectors – Telecom, Retail and IT in North East, Jammu & Kashmir and Jharkhand.

In 2011, NIIT entered into a significant public-private partnership with National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC), to enhance skills and employability for youth across India. NIIT Yuva Jyoti Limited – joint venture of NIIT and NSDC (a Public Private Partnership under the Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, with 49 per cent equity held by the Government of India), aims to provide skills training through over 1500 plus centres across India.