

## **CITY DIGEST**

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### **Professional chair created**

NITK Surathkal, created a Professorial Chair position in the department of mining engineering, supported by The Hutti Gold Mines Ltd with a grant of Rs 6 crore. Since its establishment in 1984, the department emerged as one of the top mining institutes in India. It offers a BTech programme in mining engineering. This

collaboration with Hutti Gold Mines presents a unique opportunity for NIT-K to integrate industry expertise into the curriculum and provide students with first-hand insights into real-world challenges. The chair position is expected to advance research and development at NIT-K, fostering innovative solutions to industry-specific issues and promoting knowledge exchange. This partnership will also strengthen NIT-K's ties with the industry.