

Partnership for Safer Roads with Warwickshire Traffic Police, UK

The Institute of Road Traffic Education has joined hands with Warwickshire Constabulary in UK to enhance road safety in India and the United Kingdom.

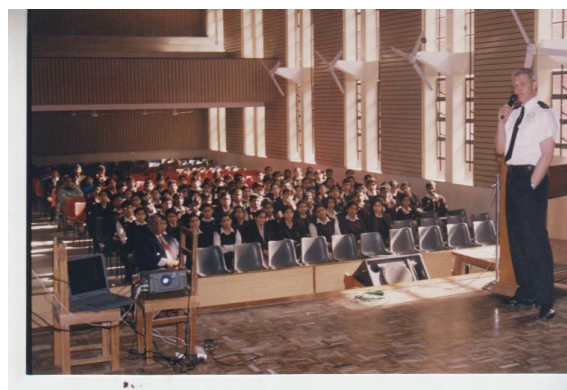


Three officers from Warwickshire Traffic Police visited India in February 2001 and spent two-weeks under a joint venture programme with IRTE. During the visit, a Memorandum of Understanding 'Partnership for Safer Roads' was signed by IRTE & Warwickshire Traffic Police at a public function attended by school teachers, students, police personnel, press members, representatives from the British High Commission and members of the government.



The terms of the partnership include exchange of expertise and experiences on:

- School and University Road Safety Education Novice Driver Education & Training
- Accident Recording and Analysis
- Traffic Engineering
- Traffic Enforcement
- Public Participation in Road Safety



During their visit, the team from Warwickshire Traffic Police addressed several school and college students and workshops along with IRTE.



A seminar was jointly organised by IRTE & Warwickshire Constabulary on February 14, 2001 to discuss the "Road safety Education Practices in India & UK".

Both the Indian and British teams deliberated at length about how to initiate result-oriented training and awareness programs in road safety education.