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Notification

Ministry of Education, Government of India, invited participation for National Innovation and Startup Policy (NISP). The same has been recommended by Higher Education Department, Gujarat (Annexure 1). Accordingly, the institute has registered on the NISP portal with the intention to connect, get aware and participate at national level student startup and innovation initiatives. Since, the objectives and indicators of SSIP and NISP are common, hence for government funded engineering institute – GEC, Valsad, actionable points prescribed in NISP frame work are found at par with SSIP to implement. As per the discussion and deliberation done during various meetings regarding NISP implementation and the suggestions provided in the communication with NISP implementation team, MoE, GoI, a guiding document has been prepared for the implementation of SSIP and uploaded on the institute web portal. In this common guiding document, the actionable points prescribed in the NISP and its strategy for implementation at GEC, Valsad are also included. Hence, all heads of the departments and faculty members are hereby informed to consider the guidelines mentioned in the guiding document in executing all innovation and entrepreneurial activities under SSIP. It is also informed to NISP committee and the heads of the departments to ensure the maximum participation of the students and faculties for in I & E activities suggested by NISP implementation team, MoE, GoI.

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Encl.
- Annexure 1

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Subject: You can leverage the National Programs of MHRD Innovation Cell & AICTE at your Institute to enable the creation of robust innovation and Start ecosystem up across the state

Dear Sir/Madam,

Please refer to letter by Chairman, AICTE (Copy enclosed) for information and action.

Gujarat has been at the forefront of working towards providing a thriving environment to empower and encourage its young innovators and entrepreneurs, the Education Department, Government of Gujarat has formulated and successfully implemented its iconic Student Startup and Innovation Policy (SSIP) launched in 2017. The policy provisions for the creation of a Student Innovation Fund of INR 200 Cr for a period of five years to support 1000 student innovations for prototyping and 1000 for IPR support every year and envisage to nurture 500 student start-ups in policy period and eventually, build capacity for at least 200 educational institutes in the state to have robust pre-incubation support for students.

Gujarat is the state from where the maximum number of Government-funded universities have been ranked among the top 5 universities as released by Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA) ranking by MHRD recently. At present, the registration process for IIC3.0 and ARIIA 2021 is ongoing and the nomination of Sr. faculties for the implementation of National Innovation and Startup Policy (NISP) is also under progress.

You may find the registration links with the guidelines of the recommended programs to take necessary steps at your institute to further strengthen the ecosystem in the enclosures.

For any further query or assistance, write to programs@ihubgujarat.in or reach out to Mr. Jay Joshi- +91 9825013774.

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