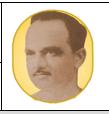


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Name of Event: MoE's Innovation Cell Institutions' Innovation Council Regional Meet Date of Event: 01 August 2022 Time of Event: 9:00 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Venue:- Symbiosis International University, Lavale, Pune

Name of faculty participated:- 1. Dr.Kashinath Munde,

2. Dr. Sujay Deshpande,

3. Prof. Nilesh Jadhav

Innauguration:

The regional meet of the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) organized at Symbiosis International (Deemed University) (SIU) on August 1, 2022, at Lavale campus in Pune. The meet was hosted by Symbiosis Institute of Business Management (SIBM) Pune, and Symbiosis Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation (SCEI) in coordination with the Innovation Cell of the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

Across the country, more than 4000 IICs have been established for driving the innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem development in educational institutions across India. 25+ innovation stalls and 80+ IIC posters were exhibited during the event along with presentations under four tracks related to knowledge sharing in HEIs in various areas.

Dr. Abhay Jere, Chief Innovation Officer (CIO), Ministry of Education, Government of India, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. The mega event had more than 500 delegates, including Dr. Ajeet Singh, Regional Officer and Assistant Director of AICTE, Western Regional Office, delegates from AICTE and the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell, entrepreneurs, and faculty members from colleges across Western India.

The day began with the welcome address by Dr. Ramakrishnan Raman, Director, SIBM Pune; Dean, Faculty of Management, SIU, and Director, Strategy and Development, SIU. Dr. Rajani Gupte, the Vice Chancellor, SIU, talked about Symbiosis as a multidisciplinary university that brings together clusters and associations for nurturing the spirit of creativity and innovation.



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Dr. Vidya Yeravdekar, Pro-Chancellor, SIU talked about its vibrant e-cells and a positive shift in the aspirants' motivation from being job seekers to job creators as entrepreneurs.

Mr. Dipan Sahu, Assistant Innovation Director, Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell & AICTE, Government of India, spoke about India's leap in the Global Innovation Index and its aim to be amongst the top in this domain. He expounded on how India's entrepreneurial ecosystem is maturing and is ready to respond to future challenges. The audience was next addressed by Mr. Sanjay Inamdar, co-founder of Bhau Institute and Founder, FLUCON. He spoke about the need for social entrepreneurship and social innovation and the role of champions for social causes in this journey.

The next speaker was Dr. N.K. Bhosale, Commissioner and CEO, MSSDS and CEO, MSINS, who exposited the importance of having a curious attitude towards innovation. He stated, 'unless we believe we are students, we cannot create innovation,' and highlighted the importance of spreading the entrepreneurial support structure across geographies. He made a special mention of the Startup Yatra, a GoI initiative, starting from 15 August, which will see ministry delegates visiting remote places and providing support structures to innovators in rural areas.

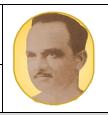
The last speaker for the session was the chief guest, Dr. Abhay Jere, Chief Innovation Officer (CIO), Ministry of Education, Government of India. He stressed upon the need for the present as well as future generations to stay relevant considering they would need to work for more than fifty years with the increasing life span due to advancements in medical science and technology. The Gig economy will further propel this need to be technologically competent and continuously innovate and outperform others. The only way forward, he said, was innovation, creativity and out of the box thinking. He highlighted the need for inter-institute collaboration to nurture vibrant innovation ecosystems through support schemes.

Knowledge sharing session on IIC, NISP, ARIIA and IP and Technology Transfer:

In this session Presentation is delivered from 3 top performing IIC Institutions and Innovation Ambassadors Innovators/Start-ups, HEIs those have Successfully Adopted and benefitted from NISP and Developed I&E policy, top ranked HEIs in ARIIA 2021 and benefits of participation in ranking and experts on IP generation and Technology Transfer.



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Agenda plan of meet

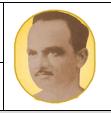
Time	Program
09:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Registration & IIC Signatory Campaign
10:00 AM - 10:45 AM	Inaugural Session of the Regional Meet
10.45 AM -:	1.1.15 AM -Visit to IIC Poster Gallery and Innovation Stalls & Networking Tea
10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	IIC Poster Gallery Space: Participating IIC institutions will display posters highlighting
	IIC-Institution's achievement and impact.
11:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Innovation Stalls: Innovations and start-ups from the host institute and other IIC institutions from the city and nearby region/state will be demonstrated.
	11:15 AM - 2:45 PM - Impact Sessions
11:15 AM - 12:15 PM	An Impact Session on IIC Model, Participatory Approach, Achievement and Performance Maximisation through Quality Participation of HEIs
12:15 PM - 1:00 PM	Policy Awareness and Advocacy Session on I&E Initiatives of MIC & AICTE
	01:00 PM - 02:00 PM - Networking Lunch
02:00 PM - 02:45 PM	Participation Drive Session on YUKTI-National Innovation Repository (NIR) and Orientation Session on Data Submission for ARIIA 2022.
03.00 PM - 04:30 PM	A Round Table Interaction Session: Engaging Regional Ecosystem Enablers (incubators, State and Regional Knowledge Agencies, Govt. and Non Govt. Enablers etc.) for an Effective Collaboration and Knowledge Sharing.
	Track 1: Knowledge sharing session on IIC: Presentation by top performing IIC Institutions and Innovation Ambassadors and Innovators/Start-ups.
	Track 2: Knowledge sharing session on NISP: Presentation by HEIs those have Successfully Adopted and benefitted from NISP and Developed I&E policy.
	Track 3: Knowledge sharing session on ARIIA: Presentation by top ranked HEIs in ARIIA 2021 and benefits of participation in ranking.
	Track 4: Knowledge sharing session on IP and Technology Transfer: Presentation by experts on IP generation and Technology Transfer.
04:30 PM - 05:00 PM	Valedictory Session: Recognizing Best Posters from IIC Institutions and Facilitating Best innovation stalls.
05.00 PM	High Tea

Valedictory Function:-

In the valedictory function, best Posters and best innovation stalls from IIC Institutions are rewarded with certificates. Meet ends with vote of thanks.



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