# SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI COLLEGE



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#### HC POLICY

# VISION

To promote Innovation, Design Thinking, Entrepreneurship, and Research, leading to patenting.

## MISSION

- To constitute an ecosystem to incubate and promote innovative ideas.
- To orient faculty and research scholars to develop products and processes through research.
- To promote entrepreneurship among the students.
- To create awareness about IPR.

# The objectives of the IIC are

- To establish an incubation center to promote innovation and implementation of ideas.
- Nurture the attitude of entrepreneurship through curricular and co-curricular activities.
- Produce successful student entrepreneurs.
- Register and publish as many patents as possible every year.

#### GOVERNANCE & FUNCTIONS

## Institutional Support

The Institution supports the faculty and students in innovation and entrepreneurship-related activities in the form of seed funding, mentoring, and motivating. Both the students and faculty members are granted access to the resources and facilities available within the institution.

# **Functions of IIC**

- Promote and conduct entrepreneurship-related activities prescribed by Central MIC.
- Identify and reward innovations and share success stories.
- Organize periodic workshops/seminars/ interactions with entrepreneurs, investors, and professionals and create a mentor pool for student innovators.

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- Network with peers and national entrepreneurship development organizations.
- Create an Institution's Innovation portal to highlight innovative projects carried out by the institution's faculty and students.
- · Organize hackathons, idea competitions, mini-challenges, etc., frequently.
- · Entrepreneurial Engagement of Faculty Members
- Faculty members are encouraged to help students with innovation and entrepreneurship activities and mentor at least one start-up in a year.
- Faculty members are encouraged to participate in workshops/training programs/certificate courses on Innovations, Entrepreneurship, IPR, and Venture Development.

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