

ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL
EDUCATION
New Delhi.

The following Mandatory Disclosure of Information disclosure of information under Section – 4 of RTI Act, 2005 is available at AICTE Website under RTI Link:-

1. Power and duties of officers / employees
2. Norms set by it for discharge of its functions
3. Statement of categories held by the organization.
4. Details of consultative committees and other bodies, with names and designations of members and the functions of these committees.
5. Monthly remuneration of officers / employees
6. Budget allocation to each agency indicating the particulars of all plans proposed expenditure reports on disbursements made.
7. Execution of subsidy programme and details of beneficiaries of such programmes.
8. Particulars of recipients of concessions, permits and authorizations granted.
9. Details of information available in electronic form.
10. Facilities available for obtaining information including working hours of a library or reading room, if maintained for public use.
11. Particulars of PIOs including the names and designations of Public Information Officers and First Appellate Authority.
12. Name of the competent authority in whose favour RTI application fee is to be drawn by the applicant.
13. Directory of AICTE officers and Employees.
14. Schemes/Programmes held during 2022-23 and 2023-24 (MIC)

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RTI LINK

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**1. Powers and duties of
officers/employees Administrative**

Structure:-

Chairman

All orders and decisions of the Council shall be authenticated by the signature of the Chairman or any other member authorized by the Council in this behalf, and all other instruments issued by the Council shall be authenticated by the signature of the Member Secretary or any other officer of the Council authorized in like manner in this behalf.

Vice Chairman

The Vice Chairman shall perform such functions as may be assigned to him by the Chairman from time to time.

Member Secretary

All orders and decisions of the Council shall be authenticated by the signature of the Chairman or any other member authorized by the Council in this behalf, and all other instruments issued by the Council shall be authenticated by the signature of the Member Secretary or any other officer of the Council authorized in like manner in this behalf.

S.No	Bureau Heads and Officers	Duties and Responsibilities
1.	Approval Bureau - Adviser-II - Director - Assistant Director - IT Consultant - DEO	Grant of Approval for the following:- 1. Setting up new Technical Institution offering Technical Programme at Diploma/ Post Diploma/ Degree/ Post Graduate Degree/ Post Graduate Diploma Level. 2. Change of Site/ Location. 3. Closure of Institutions. 4. Conversion of Women's Institution into Co-Ed Institution and vice-versa. 5. Conversion of Diploma Level into Degree Level and vice- versa.

	<ol style="list-style-type: none">6. Extension of approval to the existing Institutions/ Continuation of approval after a break in the preceding academic year/ Restoration.7. Increase in Intake/ Addition of Course(s) in the Regular/ First Shift in existing Institutions.8. Addition of Integrated/ Dual Degree Course in the Regular/ First Shift in existing Institutions.9. Fellowship Programme in Management in existing Institutions.10. Introduction/ Continuation of supernumerary seats for OCI/ PIO/ Foreign Nationals/ Children of Indian Workers in the Gulf Countries.11. Introduction/ Continuation of seats for sons/ daughters of NRIs12. Change in name of the Course/ Reduction in Intake/ Closure of Programme and/ or Course.13. Change in name of the Institution.14. Change in name of the Trust/ Society/ Company.15. Change of Affiliating University/ Board.16. Furnishing comments in the sub-judice matter related to grant of approval to existing institutions.17. Monitoring and compliance of norms and standards as per regulations including irregularities and malpractices.18. Coordination and Monitoring with Regional Offices in respect of the above.19. Penal Action in case of Violations of Regulations/Approval Process.20. Collaboration and Twining Programme between Indian and Foreign University/Institution in the file of Technical Educations, Research and Training.21. RTI matters related to all above tasks handled by the Bureau as PIO and FAA.22. Preparation of replies to Parliament Questions related to the tasks handled by the Bureau.23. Any other work to be assigned by Competent Authority from time to time.
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2.	E-Governance Cell – Director – Dy. Director – System Analyst/ Programmer	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Administration of AICTE Web Portal/ advice on Purchase of Computer etc.2. DMS3. AMC of PC and peripherals.4. Maintenance of Institutional data base.5. Maintenance of Expert list. <p>Any other work to be assigned by the Competent Authority from time to time.</p>
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3.	Skill Development Cell – Dy. Director	<p>SD Cell deals with different Skill Development initiatives of AICTE. Major schemes are as follows:</p> <p>1. Kaushal Augmentation and Restructuring Mission of AICTE (KARMA) :</p> <p>Karma was launched on 15 Dec 21 with an objective to encourage the institutions for making the best use of available infrastructure of higher education system during off hours for skill training by re-aligning the existing infrastructure for the skill courses. This Scheme has been implemented in self-financing mode. The scheme was launched with three models viz.</p> <p>Model 1: For School Dropouts after class 10th pass for fee-based NSQF-aligned training.</p> <p>Model 2: Targeting Advance level Skilling of students already studying in AICTE approved Technical institutions.</p> <p>Model 3: Integrating School Education with Higher Education for skilling students (Training in CSR Mode)</p> <p>2. Jammu & Kashmir Employability Enhancement Training (JEET)</p> <p>JEET is the Initiative of AICTE with ICT Academy for providing Employability Enhancement Training to Engineering, Management, and Polytechnic Students of final and pre-final years in the Union Territories of J&K and Ladakh.</p> <p>3. Project SUNSHINE :</p> <p>The objective of this Project to spread the knowledge across AICTE affiliated colleges/institutions on niche skills technologies among student’s communities to prepare them industry ready. HCL Software will provide this Sunshine Certificate course to students of MCA and B.Tech (All Stream) from AICTE approved institutions free of cost and there will be no registration charges.</p>
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<p>4.</p>	<p>Policy and Academic Planning Bureau (P&AP Bureau)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adviser-I - Director - Dy. Director - Assistant Director - Staff 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Annual Report 2. Matters related to Deemed Universities/ Private and other Universities, as applicable. 3. Nomination of AICTE representatives on various bodies/institutions, committees etc. 4. Executive Committee and Council meetings. 5. Constitution of various committees 6. Matters related to Distance Education, ODL, Professional bodies and related tasks. 7. Degree/Diploma Authentication/Verification/queries on Equivalence 8. Model curriculum 9. Approval Process Handbook related work 10. RTI matters related to all above tasks handled by the Bureau as PIO and FAA. 11. Preparation of replies to Parliament Questions related to the tasks handled by the Bureau. 12. Coordination with Ministry of Education and other Ministries 13. Coordination with State/UT Governments and various Ministries 14. Preparation of various reports asked by various Standing Committees of Parliament. 15. Academic Bank of Credit (ABC) 16. Memorandum of Understanding 17. Vidyanjali 18. Implementation of National Education Policy 19. National Award to Teachers
	<p>Swayam Project cell</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assistant Director - Consultant - IT Consultant - DEO - MTS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Appointed as 9th National Coordinator (NC) by Ministry of Education for development of all courses that do not fall in the purview of other NCs. ➤ Development of Sixteen (16) online unique “Yoga Credit Courses” for SWAYAM through SWAMI VIVEKANANDA YOGA ANUSANDHANA SAMSTHANA (S-VYASA), BANGALORE. Out of 16 courses, a number of four (4) Yoga Credit Courses have already been developed and uploaded on SWAYAM Platform in respect of January 2023 Semester and the remaining courses would come up in July 2023/January 2024 Semesters as per the accomplishment of the Yoga Courses. ➤ Appointed as National Coordinator for Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching (ARPIT) a major and unique initiative of MoE under P MMMNMTT Scheme. AICTE has

		<p>so far successfully coordinated ARPIT 2018, ARPIT 2019 and ARPIT 2020 (Re-run). ARPIT 2022-23 is likely to launch shortly as the same is at final stage of approval in Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, New Delhi.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Disbursement of Grant to discipline-specific NRCs for ARPIT out of the fund received from MHRD for ARPIT Courses and to seek Utilization Certificates and Receipt & Payment Accounts in compliance of GFR; ➤ Translation of Nineteen (19) SWAYAM Online Courses into Twelve(12) different Indian Regional Languages viz. Assamese, Odia, Punjabi, Urdu, Bengali, Gujarati, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Tamil, Hindi & Telugu. ➤ To provide “Certificate of Appreciation” to translators and validators as per norms. ➤ Payment of Honorarium to Translators & Validators for translation and validation of SWAYAM Online translated courses as per norms fixed by AICTE through PFMS portal. ➤ To provide Help Desk Support to SWAYAM MOOC Platform through email and telephone for handling queries from end users and service requests relating to Self-Paced/Credit Courses from respective Course Coordinators. ➤ RTI matters related to tasks handled by SWAYAM Cell as PIO and FAA. ➤ Replying to VIP References appropriately with a copy to PS to MS. ➤ Grievance Matters. ➤ Preparation of replies to Parliament Questions and any other information sought related to the tasks handled by SWAYAM Cell. ➤ Any other work assigned by Competent Authority from time to time.
	<p>Parliament Cell – Director</p>	<p>Deals with Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha questions and assurances.</p>

<p>5.</p>	<p>Administration Bureau</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adviser-II - Director - Deputy Director - Assistant Director - Administrative Officer - Hindi Officer - DEO Gr.I - Assistant - Jr. Hindi Translator - UDC - LDC - DEO Gr.III - Photocopy Operator - Peon/ MTS 	<p><u>Administration-I (Personnel Section) :</u></p> <p>Service & Personnel matters of all Officers & staff of the Council, opening & maintenance of Personal files of all Officers & staff of the Council, maintenance of Service Books/Records, matters related to Annual Performance Appraisal Reports (APARs), Immovable Property Returns (IPR), Ministry of Education(MoE) I-Cards/Passes for Officers/staff, Payment of Leave Salary & Pension Contribution (LSPC) to parent departments of Officers/Officials who are on deputation with the Council, pay fixation, arrear calculation for all existing and former AICTE employees. Pay Commission related matters. Empanelment of Hospitals for treatment, payment of Medical Claim Bills of all Officers and staff of the Council (Regular/on Deputation) including retired employees. Matters related to Hiring of Manpower Agency for hiring manpower purely on temporary basis. Payment of wages & OTA etc. to temporary employees. Replies of VIP references / matters related to MoE, Reply of RTI related to Personnel Section. Replies of complaints related to Personnel Section received on CPGRAM.</p> <p><u>Administration-II (Establishment Section):</u></p> <p>Framing of Recruitment Rules and its Notification, up to date information of staff position, creation of posts, recruitment and maintenance Roster, Delegation of Administrative and Financial Powers, work related to Departmental Promotion Committee, MACP Scheme, Transfer & Posting, training of officers and staff of the Council, Staff Welfare Scheme, issue of general Circulars/Office Orders to conduct various meeting related to Admn. Bureau. Appointment of Consultants and processing of consultancy fee. Issue of Passes of Republic Day & Independence Day. Matters connected to all the Regional Coordinating offices of the AICTE. Printing of visiting cards and letterheads of the Competent Authority . Engagement of staff for MIC, IKS, NEAT & NETF Cell. NTMIS cases. Reply to Audit and Legal Queries, Parliament Question & RTI.</p> <p><u>Administration-III (General Administration):</u></p> <p>Store & Purchases matters related to Stationary, Furniture's, Electrical & Electronics equipments, Plasma TV, TV connections at office & residence office of CM/VCM, Broadband connectivity. Installation of Telephones, EPABX System, Payment of telephone bills, AMC of EPBAX, Xerox machines, Fax machines. Matters related to Transport, issue of Gate Passes, Air-ticketing, Payment of Petrol Bills, Maintenance of staff cars, R&I Section, necessary arrangement of Hospitality in all meetings including for staff attending the office on Saturday/Sunday & other Holidays, Reprographic unit.</p>
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Administration-IV (हिन्दी अनुभाग / Hindi Section):

अभातशिप के हिन्दी अनुभाग के पास मुख्य कार्य: -

कार्यान्यवन संबंधी कार्य

- अभातशिप में भारत सरकार की राजभाषा नीति के अनुपालनार्थ राजभाषा नियमानुसार पत्राचार करने को बढ़ावा देने विभिन्न सूचनाएं एकत्र करने के लिए अभातशिप के क्षेत्रीय कार्यालयों, ब्यूरो तथा अनुभागों के साथ पत्र व्यवहार तथा परिपत्र इत्यादि जारी करना। हिन्दी तिमाही प्रगति रिपोर्टें सहित, राजभाषा संबंधी विभिन्न रिपोर्टें तैयार करना तथा विभिन्न सूचनाओं का संकलन करना।
- अभातशिप की राजभाषा कार्यान्यवन समिति का आयोजन कार्य करते हुए इस समिति की बैठकों का समयानुसार आयोजन करना तथा इन की कार्यसूची एवं कार्यवृत्त तैयार करना तथा इनकी बैठकों में लिये गये निर्णयों के अनुपालन हेतु कार्यवाही के लिए उचित व्यवस्था करना।
- भारत सरकार की प्रेरणा एवं प्रोत्साहन की नीति के अंतर्गत अधिकारियों एवं कर्मचारियों को हिन्दी में कार्य करने के लिए प्रेरित
- एवं प्रोत्साहित करने हेतु अभातशिप में विभिन्न हिन्दी प्रोत्साहन
- योजनाएं संचालित करना। इन योजनाओं के अंतर्गत पुरस्कार देने हेतु पुरस्कार समिति का गठन करवाना तथा प्राप्त प्रविष्टियों को पुरस्कारों की अनुसंशा करने हेतु पुरस्कार समिति को प्रस्तुत करना।
- अभातशिप द्वारा संचालित हिन्दी तकनीकी पाठ्यपुस्तक पुरस्कार योजना के लिए प्रविष्टियां आमंत्रित करना उनका संकलन करके सक्षम प्राधिकारी द्वारा गठित पुरस्कार समिति को प्रस्तुत करना तथा इस हेतु पुरस्कार समिति को सहयोग।

अभातशिप में सितम्बर में हिन्दी दिवस तथा हिन्दी पखवाड़े का आयोजन करना, जिसमें अनेक प्रतियोगिताएं आयोजित करना तथा विजेताओं के प्रमाण-पत्र तैयार करना तथा पुरस्कार वितरण समारोह का आयोजन करना।

- अभातशिप के संसदीय राजभाषा समिति के निरीक्षण हेतु प्रश्नावली तथा निरीक्षण संबंधी कागजात तैयार करना। शिक्षा मंत्रालय की हिन्दी सलाहकार समिति तथा संसदीय राजभाषा समिति को अभातशिप द्वारा दिये आश्वासनों की पूर्ति के लिए अनुवर्ती कार्रवाई करना।

- अधिकारियों तथा कर्मचारियों को हिंदी में कार्य करने हेतु प्रशिक्षित करने तथा इस हेतु उन्हें प्रेरित एवं उत्साहित करने हेतु अभातशिप मुख्यालय में हिन्दी कार्यकायों का आयोजन करना।
- शिक्षा मंत्रालय/गृह मंत्रालय/संसदीय समिति द्वारा अभातशिप मुख्यालय के हिन्दी के कार्यों की प्रगति से संबंधित किए जाने वाले निरीक्षणों हेतु वांछित अपेक्षाओं को पूरा करना तथा उपरोक्त के लिए वांछित सभी दस्तावेज/जवाब तैयार करना।
- हिन्दी के कार्यान्वयन एवं राजभाषा नियमों के अनुपालन से संबंधित दे के विभिन्न भागों में आयोजित होने वाली हिन्दी संगोष्ठियों एवं सम्मेलनों में प्रतिभागियों की प्रतिभागिता सुनिश्चित करने एवं अभातशिप द्वारा हिन्दी संगोष्ठी/सम्मेलन के आयोजन से संबंधित कार्य।

- गृहमंत्रालय/मानव शिक्षा मंत्रालय द्वारा संचालित की जाने वाली प्राज्ञ प्रबोध, प्रवीण परीक्षा पास करने संबंधित प्रशिक्षण हिन्दी टंकण प्रशिक्षण तथा हिन्दी अनुवाद प्रशिक्षण संबंधी कार्य।

अनुवाद संबंधी कार्य

- अभातशिप द्वारा जारी की जाने वाली गजट अधिसूचनाओं/विज्ञापनों/नियमों एवं विनियमों सहित संसद के पटलपर रखे जाने वाले तथा विभिन्न समितियों के समक्ष प्रस्तुत किये जाने वाले प्रलेखों का हिन्दी में अनुवाद, पुनरीक्षण व संपादन करना/जिसमें अभातशिप की वार्षिक रिपोर्ट तथा वार्षिक लेखों का हिन्दी अनुवाद व संपादन कार्य भी शामिल हैं।
- प्रतिवर्ष प्रकाशित होने वाली 'अनुमोदन प्रक्रिया' पुस्तिका का अंग्रेजी से हिन्दी में अनुवाद।
- अभातशिप मुख्यालय द्वारा अभातशिप के क्रियाकलापों, उद्देश्यों, सुधारों, संशोधनों से संबंधित मंत्रालय को भेजे जाने वाली सूचनाओं का अंग्रेजी से हिन्दी में अनुवाद।

अभातशिप के आर.आई.एफ.डी. ब्यूरो की विभिन्न छात्रवृत्ति योजनाओं से संबंधित फार्मों, दिशानिर्देशों एवं भेजे जाने वाले पत्रों का अंग्रेजी से हिन्दी में अनुवाद।

- अनुमोदन ब्यूरो के अनुमोदनपत्र एवं आशय पत्र के ड्राफ्ट पत्रों का अंग्रेजी से हिन्दी में अनुवाद।
- अभातशिप की वेबसाईट के विभिन्न प्रकरणों का अंग्रेजी से हिन्दी में अनुवाद।

- इसके अतिरिक्त विभिन्न भारतीय भाषाओं में प्राप्त पत्रों, सूचनाओं आदि का अंग्रेजी व हिंदी में अनुवाद करवाने हेतु कार्रवाई करना।

हिन्दी पुस्तकालय का अतिरिक्त कार्य

- हिन्दी पुस्तकालय की देख रेख करना।
- पुस्तकालय पर्यवेक्षण कार्य के साथ-साथ अभातशिप के उच्च अधिकारियों को प्रतिदिन 18 हिन्दी एवं अंग्रेजी के समाचारपत्रों से उच्च शब्दकोशों अभातशिप शिक्षा मंत्रालय से संबंधित समाचारों तथा अन्य महत्वपूर्ण एवं तकनीकी एवं वैज्ञानिक समाचारों की क्लिपिंग उपलब्ध करवाना।

समाचार बुलेटिन (अतिरिक्त कार्य)

अभातशिप के समाचार बुलेटिन के हिन्दी एवं अंग्रेजी में प्रकाशन संबंधी कार्य। समाचार बुलेटिन हेतु सभी ब्यूरो/क्षेत्रीय कार्यालयों/प्रकोष्ठों/अनुभागों से सामग्री एकत्रित करना प्रारूप तैयार करना एवं अनुवाद करवाकर हिन्दी अंग्रेजी में पूरफ देखना प्रकाशन करवाने संबंधी कार्य।

6.	Media Cell Advisor II Director	This is with reference to the Office Note received from RTI Cell dated: 25.09.2023, the required roles and responsibilities handled by Media Cell are as follows- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● News/Press release for print & non print media. ● Dissemination of AICTE activities. ● Establish liaison with PIB/ media houses. ● Studio at AICTE HQ - Media related uses. ● Repository of information of AICTE events - Creating an archive of events in all forms with photographs. ● Organize press release in print & electronic media of AICTE initiatives and achievements. ● Coordinate with empanelled Advertising Agency for circulation of Advertisements/creatives of various bureaus of AICTE in Print Media. ● Manage Photography and Videography of special events organized by AICTE at AICTE HQ or at the venue of the event. ● Overall management of all media related works of AICTE and Nodal Cell for empanelled as well as other Media/ Advertising Agencies. ● Covering all events/ webinars/ MoU signing events/ other important activities on AICTE's Social Media handles. ● Undertake / arrange invite of media for holding press conferences / media briefings. ● A quarterly magazine named, AICTE connect Magazine, content creating, designing & publishing. ● Newsletter designing task and printing as per requirement of any concerned bureau as and when required. ● Creation of day specific creatives for all AICTE Social Media handles. ● Live streaming of all AICTE events on AICTE YouTube channel. ● Dispersal of miscellaneous bills received from empanelled agency/ vendor against availed facilities.
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7.	Estate Management Cell <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Director - Assistant Director - Sr. Admin. Officer - Council Engineer - DEO Gr.I 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Upkeep /maintenance of Main Building, Guest House, Auditorium Conference Halls at HQ AICTE New Delhi, correspondence in matters relating to land/building records etc. for Regional Offices located at Muambi, Chennai, Bengaluru, Bhopal, Chandigarh, Kanpur, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Guwahati, Thiruvananthapuram & Vadodara. b) Maintenance of Horticulture, Sewage Treatment, Plant Air-conditioning Unit, Electric Panels/Sub-station, Common facilities, Surveillance and CCTV, Solar System, Supervision of the duties of Malis, Conservancy & Housekeeping Staff and other technical staff(Civil, Electrical and Mechanical works). c) Booking of Guest House for Experts. Booking of Auditorium and Conference Halls for various meetings, workshops, etc. d) Liaison with BRPL, SDMC, Delhi Jal Board for proper Directorate of Estates for proper supply of Electricity, Sewer Management, Water Supply. e) Maintenance of residential quarters of Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Member Secretary. f) Liaison with State Govt. Estate Offices, CPWD for possession/ allotment of land for Regional Offices/Camp offices and construction of building thereof.
8.	Public Grievance Redressal Cell <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advisor-II • Deputy Director • UDC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All matters related to grievances of students. - All matters related to ragging of students in AICTE approved Institution. - All complaints related to violation of norms and standards by AICTE approved Institution. - Centralized Public Grievance Redress and Monitoring System (CPGRAMS) shall also be dealt by the PGR Cell, for which input will be obtained from the respective Bureau/ Cell and thereafter the reply will be sent by the PGR Cell. <p>2. All anti ragging matters including conduct of visit and meeting of RC Sub-Committee, issues of show cause etc. organizing anti ragging awareness programs in AICTE approved Institutions.</p>
9.	RTI Cell <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CPIO/Assistant Director 	<p>Timely disposal of all RTI matters.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Effective Monitoring/Tracking of RTI matters within the organization. ➤ Proper coordination with CIC and other organizations in matters related to RTI. ➤ To provide Mandatory Disclosure of Information under Section - 4 of RTI Act, 2005 on AICTE Website.

<p>10.</p>	<p>Finance Bureau</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Director - Assistant Director - Sr. Accounts Officer - Accounts Officer - TAC - UDC 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Preparation and disbursement of Pay and Allowances, disbursement of various claims, advances, maintenance of PBR, CPF accounts and Broadsheet etc. of the employees of the Council. Disbursement of payment to various parties. Deduction of TDS. Issuance of Forms No.16 to the employees/outside parties and submitting of quarterly and annual returns relating to TDS/GST and other taxation matters with Taxation Authorities. 2. Preparation of budget under Plan and Non-Plan Head for various schemes. 3. Compilation of Annual A/c of Hqrs. And Regional offices under Plan and Non-Plan A/c. 4. Reconciliation of various bank accounts. 5. Release of Grant-in-Aid (through EAT students to Institutes & Scholarship to the students through DBT (Direct Beneficiary Transfer through PFMS Portal) such as: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Disbursal of scholarship of PMSSS for J&K students. b. Disbursal of funds of various AQIS schemes run by AICTE c. Disbursal of funds for SWAYAM Project. d. Disbursement of Non-Plan Schemes such as Pragati, Saksham etc. e. Any other scheme introduced by AICTE & MoE from time to time. 6. Coordination with CAG in conducting certification & transaction Audit every year. 7. Preparation of Annual Accounts of the Council and submission to MoE and CAG. 8. RTI matters related to all above tasks handled by the Bureau and PIO and FAA. 9. Preparation of replies to Parliament Questions related to the tasks handled by the Bureau. 10. Receipt and refund of security deposit and investment of funds.
<p>11.</p>	<p>Audit Cell Audit Finance Cell</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Director - Assistant Director - Sr. Accounts Officer 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Pre-audit of Financial concurrence of various plan and non-plan proposal. b) Pre-audit of various AQIS schemes run by AICTE c) Pre-audit of technical institution for PMKVY Scheme. d) Pre-audit of SWAYAM Project. e) Pre-audit of TEQIP-II Scheme. f) Pre-audit of Non-Plan Schemes such as Pragati, Saksham etc. g) Pre-audit of Any other scheme introduced by AICTE &

		<p>Ministry of Education from time to time.</p> <p>h) Pre-audit of scholarship of PMSSS for J&K students.</p> <p>i) RTI matters related to all above tasks handled by the Cell and PIO and FAA.</p> <p>j) Preparation of replies to Parliament Questions related to the tasks handled by the Cell.</p>
12.	<p>Internal Audit Cell</p> <p>– Director</p> <p>– Assistant Director</p>	<p>a) Internal audit cell formulates its annual plan and gets the same approved by the competent authority.</p> <p>b) Conducting the audit of each regional office every year and also conduct audit each bureau at headquarters office in such a manner that each bureau is covered at least once in three years, to verify (i) specific cases of implementation of various Bureaus, sections and departments including Regional Offices (ii) specific cases of implementation of various provisions of the act.</p> <p>c) Verify particularly whether or not the bureaus/ROs have implemented its suggestions and whether the follow up action has been taken. If the follow up action taken is not on the lines suggested, internal audit will examine the adequacy thereof.</p> <p>d) Examine files, documents etc. and suggest suitable remedial measures for rectifying the irregularities, observed.</p> <p>e) Suggest and recommend to the Competent Authority remedial actions based on finding of audit.</p> <p>f) Coordination for Audit Paras and related work.</p> <p>g) Help to ensure financial propriety, adherence to policies, prevention of frauds & errors and ensure better maintenance of financial records.</p> <p>h) Tool to improve the discrepancies in the financial matters which consequently helps in avoiding Audit objections.</p> <p>i) Finally establishing financial management in the Council</p>
13.	<p>Vigilance Cell</p> <p>– Adviser-I</p> <p>– TAC</p>	<p>1. All Vigilance matters, all CBI matters related to AICTE officers/ staff, Institution.</p> <p>2. Various reference and complaints received from CVC, Police and Government in the matter of corruption and financial irregularities having vigilance angle etc.</p> <p>3. Coordination with CBI, CVO, Ministry of Education and CVC.</p>
14.	<p>Legal Cell</p> <p>– Deputy Director</p> <p>– Assistant Director Legal</p> <p>– Technical Assistant Computer (TAC) Legal</p>	<p>1. Handling of All court cases in which AICTE is a respondent and coordinate with the AICTE Standing counsels/Bureau to defend the cases on behalf of AICTE.</p> <p>2. Legal Opinion/vetting of various documents viz Notification, Tender, POLicy and other schemes handled by AICTE from time to time</p> <p>3. Notification of AICTE Regulation in the official Gazette of India</p>

		<p>and notified Gazette submitted to the MoE for placing before both Houses of Parliament.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Processing of Professional fees, bills of Standing Counsels of Supreme Court of India, Delhi High Court, CAT Delhi and other fora. 5. Empanelment of Standing Counsels/Advocates for Hon'ble Supreme Court, High Courts, CAT and other lower courts.
15.	<p>Scholarships and Grants Bureau (Formerly Research, Institutional & Faculty Development (RIFD) Bureau)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Adviser-I – Director – Assistant Director 	<p>Scholarships and Grants Bureau of AICTE promotes Quality in Technical Education through Training, Research, Scholarships and several schemes which aim to improve the quality of technical education in the country through systematic efforts. Major activities of Bureau are as follows: -</p> <p><u>Students Development:</u></p> <p>Encouraging students to take-up higher education through PG scholarship and AICTE Doctoral Fellowship.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encouraging girl students, differently abled students and orphan students to take up technical education at graduation level. • To inculcate entrepreneurship values and encouraging start-ups by students. • Facilitating students to take-up Internship in Industry and Small & Medium Enterprises (SME's) • Improve the standard and quality of faculty in the technical institutes through various schemes and enabling them to tackle the challenges posed in the ever-growing field of technology. • Promoting Research in identified thrust areas in Technical Education. • Facilitating upgradation of knowledge and skill by induction training program to teachers employed in AICTE approved technical institutions. • Facilitating students and faculty to visit and participate in National/ International conferences, seminars, competitions and symposium etc. • Improvement of infrastructure of the Institutes.

		<p>Replacement and modernization of machinery and equipment with those of the latest technology.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote an effective link between Technical Education Institutes and other relevant organizations including research and development organizations, industry and the Government departments. • Providing support to the technical institutions located in North East India for quality improvement. • Providing assistance to the vision of transformational change in rural development processes by leveraging knowledge institutions. • The following the schemes are running • AICTE-MITACS GLOBALINK RESEARCH INTERNSHIP (GRI) SCHEME: Scheme to foster cross-border partnerships focussed on creating a platform that opens the path for collaborative research between Canada and India to a wider pool of student talent in India. • AICTE - SWANATH SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME: AICTE has approved 'AICTE - SWANATH SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME' for children from any one of the following categories: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Orphan 2. Either or both parents died due to Covid-19 3. Wards of Armed Forces and Central Paramilitary Forces martyred in action (Shaheed) to provide them financial support of Rs. 50,000/- per annum for every year of study. • AICTE - YOUTH UNDERTAKING VISIT FOR ACQUIRING KNOWLEDGE (YUVAK): AICTE Scheme for study tour of ATAL TUNNEL, Himachal Pradesh- YOUTH UNDERTAKING VISIT FOR ACQUIRING KNOWLEDGE (YUVAK)
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PG SCHOLARSHIP: Scholarship is awarded to full time GATE/GPAT qualified students admitted to M.E./ M. Tech/ M. Arch and M.Pharma courses in AICTE approved Institutions/Colleges @Rs. 12,400/- PM/student.• AICTE DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP (ADF): Admitting full time meritorious research scholars by providing research fellowship who wants to seek admission to Ph.D. in AICTE approved Technical Institutes/University Departments for carrying out research in thrust areas• PRAGATI SCHOLARSHIP: Scholarship/Contingency is awarded to meritorious girls taking admission in AICTE approved Technical institution at Degree/ Diploma. Total 10000 scholarships are given @ Rs 50000 as incidentals each year.• SAKSHAM SCHOLARSHIP: Scholarship/Contingency is awarded to Differently abled students taking admission in AICTE approved Technical institution at Degree/ Diploma. Scholarship given @ Rs 50000 as incidentals each year.• SUPPORT TO STUDENTS FOR PARTICIPATING IN COMPETITION ABROAD (SSPCA): The objective of the scheme is to provide travel assistance registration fees to a team of minimum 2 to 10 students for attending competition at international level in order to encourage engineering students to improve their field of technical education.• PRIME MINISTER'S SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME – PMSSS : Objective of the Scheme is to build up capacities in youth of J&K, educate, enable and empowering them to compete in normal course, enhancing and boosting employment potentials in students of J&K. Total 5000 scholarship are given @ Rs. 100000/- as Maintenance Charges and academic fee as Rs. 30000/- to General Degree, Rs. 125000/- to
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		<p>Engineering Degree & Rs. 300000/- to Medical Degree each year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AICTE-INAE TRAVEL GRANT SCHEME : An “AICTE-INAE Travel Grant Scheme” for Engineering Students to present papers abroad has been launched for enhancing the quality of engineering education in the country.
16	<p>PMSSS Cell</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - DIRECTOR - ASST. DIRECTOR - ADMN. OFFICER - DEO GRADE-1 - DEO GRADE-2 	<p>PMSSS Cell deals with Implementation of Prime Ministers Special Scholarship Scheme to J&K Students to pursue undergraduate studies outside the State of Jammu and Kashmir. The J & K cell is responsible for proper implementation of the scheme to fulfil the objectives of Prime Ministers Special Scholarship Scheme to J&K Students.</p>
17.	<p>Newsletter Cell</p>	<p>To publish the AICTE Quarterly News Bulletin in English and Hindi. For this materials/inputs inviting from all Bureaus Cells of AICTE along with the Photographs for incorporating the same in the News Bulletin.</p>
18.	<p>IKS Division</p> <p>National Coordinator Coordinator Research Fellow</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Established 53 IKS centers dedicated to research and promotion of Indian Knowledge Systems 2. Conducted 88 IKS research projects, contributing to the advancement of Indian knowledge and cultural understanding 3. Provided over 3200 IKS internships, offering valuable practical experience to students interested in IKS 4. Conducted 73 IKS Institutional Internships for the Indian Youth 5. Recently conducted A National Youth Conference from August 25 to 27, 2023 at IIT Roorkee 6. Conducted Faculty Development Programs (FDP) for 2500 teachers, empowering them to incorporate IKS into their curriculum and teaching practices. Last FDP was held from 11thSeptember-16th September, 2023 in Srinagar, Kashmir.

19.	Training and Learning Bureau <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advisor II • Director • Dy. Director • Asst. Director • Programme Coordinator • UDC • TAC • IT Consultant • Young Profession • Consultant • DEOs • MTS 	<p>The following work allocation has been identified in the Training & Learning Bureau is as under:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Coordination with the other Bureau 2. Technical Book Writing 3. Translation of Technical Book Writing in Indian Regional Languages E-KUMBH. 4. Training & Learning Bureau is operating various schemes which are as under: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. AQIS (AICTE Quality Improvement Schemes) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Quality Improvement Program. B. Research Promotion Scheme. C. Professional Development Scheme (Travel Grant). D. Distinguished Chair Professor (DCP). ii. PARAKH Portal Development maintenance. iii. SLA Project (PARAKH) iv. ATAL (Expansion). v. UHV (Universal Human Values) vi. J&K Internship related work. vii. Student Induction Programme (SIP) viii. STTP (Short Term Training Programme) ix. FDP (Faculty Development Programme). 5. Faculty norms pay scales related matter.
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2. **Norms set for discharge of functions**

All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), a Statutory Body under the Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, follows the DoPT's Rules in the discharge of its functions.

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3. Statements of categories held by AICTE (Model Curriculum and various reports developed by AICTE)

<p>A. Model Curriculum for UG Degree Course in: Mechanical Engineering</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology)• Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE)• Computer Science and Engineering (Engineering & Technology)• Computer Science and Engineering Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (AI&ML)• Computer Science and Engineering Artificial Intelligence and Data Science (AI&DS)• Computer Science and Engineering Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (AI&ML)• Mechatronics• Automobile• Biotechnology <p>B. Model Curriculum for Bachelor of Architecture (B. Arch) - 2019</p> <p>C. AICTE Model Curriculum of Courses at UG Level in Emerging Areas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Engineering & Technology - Vol. I (Jan 2018)• Engineering & Technology - Vol. II (Jan 2018) <p>D. Model Curriculum for PG Degree Courses in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Engineering & Technology - Vol. I (Jan 2018)• Engineering & Technology - Vol. II (Jan 2018) <p>E. Model Curriculum for Master of Planning</p> <p>F. Model Curriculum for Bachelor of Planning</p> <p>G. Lecture Based Modules for Bridge Courses in (Physics, Chemistry & Mathematics)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">https://www.aicte-india.org/education/model-syllabus</p>
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<p>H. Syllabi for M.Tech in Defence Technology & Guidelines</p> <p>I. Model Curriculum for Management Program - MBA & PGDM (Jan 2018)</p> <p>J. Model Curriculum for Diploma Course in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IC Manufacturing • Engineering & Technology-2019 <p>K. Sample Model Curriculum for Entrepreneurial Degree/Diploma Courses</p> <p>L. Model Curriculum for Minor Degree Course in: Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable Energy Engineering (SEE) • Advanced Web Development • Universal Human Values (UHV) • Engineering & Technology <p>M. Report on the Design of the Introductory Programming Course</p> <p>N. Open Elective (Economy & Electric Vehicles)</p> <p>O. List of AICTE approved institutions for M.Tech Defence Technology and contact details for Academic Year 2021-22.</p> <p>P. List of Suggested Books of Indian Authors & Publishers for UG Degree Courses in Engineering & Technology (2018)</p> <p>Q. List of Suggested Books of Indian Authors & Publishers for PG Degree Courses in Engineering & Technology (2018)</p> <p>R. List of Suggested Books of Indian Authors & Publishers for UG Degree Courses in Engineering & Technology (2018)</p> <p>S. List of Suggested Books of Indian Authors & Publishers for PG Degree Courses in Engineering & Technology (2018)</p> <p>T. List of Suggested Engineering Books of Indian Authors and Publishers For UG and PG</p> <p>U. Annual Report and Annual Account.</p>	<p>https://www.aicte-india.org/sites/default/files/AR/AICTE Annual%20Report 2022 English.pdf</p>
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4. Details of consultative committees and other bodies, with names and designations of members and the functions of these committees.

<p>All India Board of studies and functions :-</p> <p>AICTE has the following bodies Council Executive Committee</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All India Board of Hospitality & Tourism Management 2. All India Board of Information Technology Education 3. All India Board of Management Studies 4. All India Board of Post Graduate Education & Research in Engineering & Technology 5. All India Board of Town and Country Planning 6. All India Board of Technician Education 7. All India Board of Undergraduate Studies in Engineering Technology 8. All India Board of Vocational Education 9. All India Board of Applied Arts, Crafts & Design 	<p>https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/policy-academic-planning</p>
<p>Council Committees and its functions :-</p>	<p>https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/policy-academy-planning/council</p>
<p>Executive Committees and its functions :-</p>	<p>https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/policy-academy-planning/executive-committee</p>
<p>Committees and its functions :-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Functions of Regional Committees 2. Central Regional Committee, Bhopal 3. North Western Regional Committee, Chandigarh 4. South Central Regional Committee, Hyderabad 5. Southern Regional Committee, Chennai 6. South Western Regional Committee, Bangalore 	<p>https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/policy-academy-planning/regional-committee</p>

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">7. Western Regional Committee, Mumbai8. Eastern Regional Committee, Kolkata9. Northern Regional Committee, Kanpur | |
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5. Monthly remuneration of Officers/Employees

Sl.NO.	NAME OF THE OFFICER / EMPLOYEES	DESIGNATION	BASIC PAY (in Rs.)
1	DR. ABHAY JAGDISH JERE	VICE CHAIRMAN	2,05,400
2	SH. AJIT SINGH	UDC	41,000
3	SH. AKHILESH KUMAR SINGH	SR. ACCOUNTS OFFICER	59,700
4	SH. AKHIL SHARMA	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	69,700
5	SH. AMALENDU NASKAR	LDC	37,200
6	DR. AMIT DUTTA	DIRECTOR	1,26,800
7	SH. AMIT KUMAR SINGH	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	69,700
8	DR. AMIT VISHWASRAO SALUNKHE	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	99,500
9	SH. ANAND BIR	SCD	33,300
10	DR. ANIL KUMAR SHARMA	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	69,700
11	SMT. ANJU	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
12	SMT. ANJU KOHLI	SR. ADMIN OFFICER	67,200
13	SH. ANKIT MISHRA	UDC	29,600
14	SH. ARUN KUMAR PANDEY	LDC	27,600
15	SMT. ASHA PRAKASH TANAWADE	RESEARCH ASSOCIATE	58,600
16	SMT. ASMITA DHILLON	DIRECTOR	1,23,100
17	SH. AVDESH KUMAR	JUNIOR HINDI TRANSLATOR	56,900
18	SH. BABU MANI TIWARI	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	71,800
19	SH. BHUPENDER KUMAR	UDC	30,500
20	SH. BUDHAN MEHTO	UDC	39,800
21	SH. CHANDRA SHEKHAR VERMA	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	1,15,800
22	MS. CHARANJIT RAKHRA	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
23	SH. DALBIR SINGH	PEON	36,100
24	SH. DAL CHAND	SR. ADMIN OFFICER	71,300
25	SH. DAVINDER SINGH	SCD	23,100
26	SH. DEVENDRA KR. DWIVEDI	UDC	49,000
27	SH. DHARMENDRA SINGH	ASSISTANT	55,200
28	DR. DINESH SINGH	DIRECTOR	1,34,000

29	SMT. GARIMA ROHELA	DIRECTOR	1,26,800
30	SH. GIRISH KUMAR BHASIN	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	80,900
31	SH. GOPAL	UDC	41,000
32	SMT. GUJJU MANUSREE	DIRECTOR	1,30,600
33	SH. HARINDER SINGH	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
34	SH. HARISH CHANDER	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
35	SH. HEMANT KUMAR	ACCOUNTS OFFICER	56,900
36	SMT. HIMANSHI MANN	LDC	22,400
37	SMT. JAGRITI PRAKASH	UDC	27,900
38	SH. JATINDER KUMAR	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	68,000
39	SH. JOHN BOSCO WORCHUI HONGRAY	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	88,400
40	SH. KAMAL SINGH	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	71,800
41	SMT. KANCHAN DEWAN	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
42	SH. KARAMBIR SINGH	LDC	36,400
43	SH. K.C. ROY	CSA	72,100
44	SH. KUNAL JEET SINGH	DIRECTOR	1,26,800
45	SMT. MAMTA RANI	ADVISOR-I	1,57,600
46	SH. MANOJ KR. SRIVASTAVA	ASSISTANT	49,000
47	SMT. MARRY KUTTY	UDC	36,400
48	SH. M G VAMSI KRISHNA	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	81,200
49	SH. MRINAL KONWAR	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	69,700
50	SH. M.S. GHUGE	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	98,284
51	SH. M SUNDARESAN	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1,02,800
52	SH. MUKESH CHAND SHARMA	COMPUTER OPERATOR CUM PROGRAMMER	78,800
53	SH. NALIN PRASAD KULSARI	DEO GRADE-III	24,500
54	SMT. NANDITA BAKSHI	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
55	SH. NARENDER SINGH	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1,34,300
56	DR. NAVEEN ARORA	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	69,700
57	SH. NAVIN KUMAR	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	71,800
58	SMT. NEERA KAKKAR	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
59	DR. NEETU BHAGAT	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1,05,900
60	DR. N.H. SIDDALINGASWAMY	ADVISOR-II	1,35,329
61	SH. NIKHIL KANT	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	83,600
62	SH. PANKAJ	UDC	38,600
63	SH. PURUSHOTTAM RAMCHANDRA PATIL	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	79,800

64	SH. RAHUL RICHHARIYA	PHOTOCOPY MACHINE OPERATOR	21,100
65	DR. RAJENDRA B. KAKDE	ADVISOR-I	2,05,600
66	SH. RAJESH PAL DIWAKAR	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	52,000
67	PROF. RAJIVE KUMAR	MEMBER SECRETORY	1,15,000
68	SH. RAKESH KUMAR GANJU	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	88,400
69	SH. RAMESH UNNIKRISHNAN	ADVISOR-II	1,52,000
70	SH. RAVINDER PAL SINGH	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	74,000
71	SH. RAVINDER SINGH	DIRECTOR	1,42,700
72	DR. RAVINDRA KUMAR SONI	ADVISOR-II	1,56,600
73	SMT. REENA SHARMA	HINDI OFFICER	58,600
74	SMT. RITA ARORA	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	74,000
75	SH. SAMSON KEVIN WARTIKA	DEO GRADE-III	21,100
76	SMT. SANGEETA CHAINANI	CSA	72,100
77	SH. SANJAY SHARMA	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
78	SH. SANJOY DAS	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	69,700
79	SH. SATISH KUMAR	COUNCIL ENGINEER	85,100
80	SH. SATYAVAN SINGH	SCD	44,900
81	SMT. SEBIKA NEOG	PA	42,200
82	SH. SHAILENDRA SATSANGI	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	62,200
83	DR. SHRISHAIL SURESH KAMBLE	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	83,300
84	SMT. SIMMI MAHAJAN	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
85	SH. SUBBA RAO KOTHURI	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	85,800
86	SH. SUNILKUMAR K.	ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	74,000
87	DR. SUNIL LUTHRA	DIRECTOR	1,26,800
88	SMT. SUNITA AGGARWAL	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
89	SH. TARUN KAKAR	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	72,100
90	PROF. T.G. SITHARAM	CHAIRMAN	2,25,000
91	SH. VINOD KUMAR	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT COMPUTER	70,000
92	SH. YALLAPPA SHIVAJI PATIL	PA	39,800
93	SH. YOGESH WADHAWAN	SR. ACCOUNTS OFFICER	75,600

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6. Budget allocation to each agency indicating the particulars of all plans proposed expenditure reports on disbursements made

The All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) receives grants – in – aid under Plan Head from Ministry of Education, Govt. of India towards implementation of its programmes and activities. Funds so received from Ministry are utilized on various schemes for development of technical education system throughout the country. No grant is received from Ministry of Education under Non Plan Head and expenditure is met from the AICTE Internally generated funds. The budget allocation for the year 2023-24 and actual expenditure incurred up to the Month of September, 2023 under Plan Head are as under:

(Rs. in Crores)			
S.No	Name of the Scheme	Budget Allocation 2023-24	Actuals Expenditure upto September, 23
1	PG Scholarship	198.53	58.73
2	Pragati (Degree)	118.20	25.56
3	Pragati (Diploma)	108.36	28.27
4	Saksham (Degree)	7.38	0.06
5	Saksham (Diploma)	9.21	0.20
6	National Doctoral Fellowship	49.29	8.89
7	QIP	24.20	6.58
8	AICTE-Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Degree)	9.55	1.35
9	AICTE-Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Diploma)	9.16	0.84
	Total	533.88	130.48

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7. Execution of subsidy program and details of beneficiaries of such programmes. AICTE does not have any subsidy program.

STUDENTS DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES:

Sl. No.	Schemes	Link
1.	PG SCHOLARSHIP	https://www.aicte4dia.org/#schemes/students-development-schemes
2.	PRAGATI SCHOLARSHIP	
3.	SAKSHAM SCHOLARSHIP	
4.	4. AICTE-INAE TRAVEL GRANT SCHEME	
5.	5 PRERANA - SCHEME FOR PREPARING SC/ST STUDENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION	
6.	6. SAMRIDDHI - SCHEME FOR SC/ST STUDENTS FOR SETTING START-UPS	
7.	NATIONAL DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP TNDP]	
8.	8 SUPPORT TO STUDENTS FOR PARTICIPATING IN COMPETITION ABROAD TSSPCA]	
9.	9. SMART INDIA HACKATHON 2017	
10.	M.TECH PROJETS AS INTERNSHIP WITH SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES TMSMES)	

INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES:

S.No.	Schemes	Link
1	L SHARE AND MENTOR INSTITUTIONS (MARGDARSHAN)	https://www.aicteindia.org/bureaus/rifd/AQIS
2.	UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN	https://www.aicteindia.org/schemes/institutionaldevelopment-schemes
3.	MODERNISATION AND REMOVAL OF OBSOLESCENCE [MODROBS)	
4.	SKILL AND PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME CENTRE FOR SC/ST STUDENTS	
5.	HOSTELS FOR SC/ST STUDENTS	https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/rifd/AQIS

6.	SPECIAL SCHEME FOR NORTH EASTERN STATES	https://www.aicte-india.org/schemes/institutional-development-schemes
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RESEARCH AND INNOVATIONS DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES:

S.No.	Schemes	Link
1.	RESEARCH PROMOTION SCHEME TRPSI	https://www.aicteindia.org/schemes/researchinnovations-developmentschemes
	ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT CELL (EDCI)	

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8.Particulars of recipients of concessions permits and authorizations granted.

Duties and Responsibilities

Processing of proposals for grant of approval for:

- Programmes viz., Engineering and Technology, MCA, Architecture, Planning, Management (MBA/ PGDM), Hotel Management and Catering Technology, Applied Arts and Crafts
- Setting up new Technical Institution offering Technical Programme at Diploma/ Post Diploma/ Degree/ Post Graduate Degree and Post Graduate Diploma Level
- The Institutions approved by the Council of Architecture in the previous Academic Years/ Non-Technical Institutions conducting MCA/ MBA seeking approval for the first time from AICTE shall submit an application as a new Technical Institution.
- Institutions Deemed to be Universities seeking approval for the first time from AICTE (in compliance to the order dated 03.11.2017 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court Order CA No. 17869-17870 /2017) shall submit an application as a new Technical Institution.
- University Departments/ Constituent Colleges/ Private Universities seeking approval for the first time from AICTE may submit an application as a new Technical Institution.
- Change of Site/ Location
- Closure of Institution
- Conversion of Women's Institution into Co-Ed Institution and vice-versa
- Conversion of Diploma Level into Degree Level and vice-versa.
- Extension of Approval to the existing Institutions/ Continuation of approval after a break in the preceding academic year/ Restoration
- Increase in Intake/ Additional Course(s) in Regular/ First Shift in existing Institutions
- Addition of Integrated/ Dual Degree Course in the Regular/ First Shift in existing Institutions
- Fellowship Programme in Management in existing Institutions
- Introduction/ Continuation of supernumerary seats for OCI/ PIO/ Foreign

- Nationals/ Children of Indian Workers in the Gulf Countries
- Introduction/ Continuation of seats for sons/ daughters of NRIs
- Change in name of the Course/ Reduction in Intake/ Closure of Programme and/ or Course
- Change in name of the Institution
- Change in name of the Trust/ Society/ Company
- Change of Affiliating University/ Board

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9. Details of Information available in an electronic form.

All India Council for Technical Education recently has started the e-governance system for making on line submissions of various types of applications which includes approvals of new institutions, extension of existing institutions, increase in intake, variation of intake, change of name of institutions, change of name of trusts etc. The new website has already started as a web portal URL / www.aicte-india.org.

The salient features of this web portal are as below:

1. ABOUT US :

- a) This tab includes the features of the Council such as History of AICTE , overview including structure of the Council, Objective of the Council, Mission and Vision of the Council.
- b) Information w.r.t. the Regional Offices located in 8 parts of the Country
- c) Information regarding the office addresses and telephones numbers

2. NEWS ROOM

It includes NEWS, Press Release, Video Gallery, Image Gallery etc.

3. Bureaus:

The information w.r.t. Bureaus of the Council at the HQ New Delhi .

4. INITIATIVES :

Information about different initiatives such as Smart India Hackathon, AICTE-CII Survey, AICTE-ECI-Vishwakrama-Award, SWAYAM, Green and Clean Campus, Start- Ups.

5. SCHEMES:

The information about AICTE Quality Improvement Schemes for faculty/Staff, Student and Institutions.

6. EDUCATION:

Information about Collaborations, Finishing School, Vocational Education, Community college, Community colleges, Distance Education, IT & ICT in Education, Key Institutions, Module Syllabus, Library services :

7. OPPORTUNITIES:

information about all AICTE schemes and opportunities FOR students, Faculty and Institutes is available.

8. STATISTICS:

Dashboard gives statistical information of all AICTE Approved Institutions in India. List of AICTE Approved and unapproved institutions. List of PMKVY Institutions, Autonomous institutes, Accredited Institutes, Closed institutes and Information about all faculty of AICTE Approved Institutions.

9. BULLETIN:

Advertisement, Circulars, Tenders, Newsletter, Announcement

10. QUICK LINKS:

Information about other organization dealing with Technical Education.

11. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/FACILITIES

- a) Grievance: Online grievance form for all AICTE related matters.
- b) RTI: Online RTI request form and Appeal Management System (RTI-MIS)
- c) Reports: Important reports related to Technical Education
- d) Directory: Information and contact details of All AICTE officials
- e) Feedback: Feedback forms for Institutes on Various AICTE initiatives.

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10. Facilities available for obtaining information including working hours of a library or reading room, if maintained for public use.

Library or reading room of AICTE is under progress.

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11. Particulars of PIOs including the names and designations of Central Public Information Officer and First Appellate Authority.

Sl. No.	Name and designation of the PIO/ CPIO	Name and designation of the First Appellate Authority	Name of the Bureau AICTE
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6.	Shri Yogesh Wadhawan, Sr. Accountant Officer	Smt. Gujju Manusree, Director	Finance Bureau

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9.	Shri Sanjoy Das, Assistant Director Email id:- nwro@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581121	Dr. Amit Dutta,, Director Email id:- director1approval@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581117	NWR-Regulation Bureau
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11.	Shri Amit Kumar Singh, Assistant Director Email id:- nro@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581310	Dr. Amit Dutta, Director Email id:- director1approval@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581117	NR-Regulation Bureau
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21.	Dr. Purushottam Patil, Assistant Director, Email id:- ad1sag@aicte-india.org , Phone no:- 011-29581306	Shri Kunal Jeet Singh, Director Email id:- directorpmss@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581312	IDC - Scholarship & Grants Bureau (SAG)
22.	Shri Rakesh Kumar Ganju, Assistant Director Email id:- ad2pmsss@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581518/1519	Shri Kunal Jeet Singh, Director Email id:- directorpmss@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581312	PMSSS - Scholarship & Grants Bureau (SAG)

23.	Shri Kamal Singh, Assistant Director, Email id:- ad2.sag@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581010	Smt. Garima Rohila, Director, Email id:- directormdc@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581016	StDC & Margdarshak - Scholarship & Grants Bureau (SAG)
24.	Shri Chandra Shekhar Verma, Assistant Director Email id:- ad2tlb@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581208	Dr. Sunil Luthra, Director Email id:- directortlb@aicte-india.org Phone no.:- 011-29581210	Training and Learning Bureau
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12. Name of the competent authority in whose favor RTI application fee is to be drawn by the applicant.

An applicant can make the payment of fee in cash or demand draft or banker's Cheque or Indian Postal Order, payable to Member Secretary, AICTE, New Delhi.

13. Directory of AICTE officers and employees.

**The directory of AICTE officers and employees is available at:-
<https://www.aicte-india.org/directory>**

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14. Schemes/Programmes held during 2022-2023 and 2023-24

MIC takes following initiatives and programs to promote Innovation culture in education:

MoE's Innovation Cell

- Chief Innovation Officer
- Director
- Assistant Innovation Director (2)
- Innovation Officer (5)
- Regional Consultant (2)
- Start up fellow (2)

1. **Smart India Hackathon (SIH)** is a nationwide event that encourages students to develop innovative solutions for the government and private organizations. It started in 2017 and has since expanded to include hardware and software editions. The hackathon provides a platform for students to test their educational learnings in real-world problem-solving and promotes a culture of 'product innovation,' 'problem-solving,' and 'out-of-the-box' thinking.
2. **UNESCO-India-Africa Hackathon (UIAH)** is a 36-hour event that brings together students, educators, teachers, and the research community of India and its African partners to solve common challenges faced by their countries.
3. **The ASEAN India Hackathon (AIH) and Singapore-India Hackathon** are two international hackathons that have encouraged innovation and competition among students from India and the 10 ASEAN countries. The Singapore-India Hackathon has had two physical editions hosted in Singapore and India, with the Prime Minister of India participating in both. The ASEAN India Hackathon was conducted virtually in 2021 and focused on resolving social issues using computer.
4. **KAPILA: Kalam Program for IP Literacy and Awareness** is another program by MIC that provides financial assistance to the institutions that are part of the Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) for filing patent. KAPILA - creates appropriate awareness

regarding the need of IP filing, mechanisms, and methodology involved in filing IP in India and globally, especially amongst students and faculty of higher education institutions.

5. **Institution's Innovation Councils (IICs):** The Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell has established Institution's Innovation Councils (IICs) in Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) to promote Innovation and Entrepreneurship (I&E) ecosystem. The IICs engage students, faculty members, and staff in various activities related to ideation, problem-solving, proof of concept development, and project handling. The IICs submit regular reports on their activities, which are evaluated and monitored by the Innovation Cell.
6. **The School Innovation Ambassador Training Program (SIATP)** is an initiative by the Ministry of Education Innovation Cell, All India Council for Technical Education, Central Board of Secondary Education, and Ministry of Tribal Affairs to train school teachers to mentor students on ideation and innovation. The program aims to promote out of the box thinking amongst students and teachers, and to equip teachers with mentoring skills. The training is delivered through a digital platform and consists of five modules, including Design Thinking & Innovation, Idea generation & Idea hand-holding, Intellectual Property Rights, Finance, HR and Sales, and Entrepreneurship & Prototype/ Product Development.
7. **The School Innovation Council (SIC)** is an initiative by the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell for schools aimed at fostering a culture of ideation, innovation, and entrepreneurship among students and teachers. SIC provides a platform for schools, academia, industry, experts, innovators, and entrepreneurs to come together and work towards promoting innovation and entrepreneurship in schools. The objectives of the SIC program include

promoting ideation, innovation, and entrepreneurship in schools.

8. The School Innovation Contest- The skilling and innovation-driven activity calendar of School Innovation Council advocates various activities for the students. The purpose of School Innovation contest is to motivate, skill, train, handhold and nurture the Innovations from school students and finally fund them to create startups out of them.

9. National Policy for Promoting Innovations in School- The policy aims at providing guidance to the schools on how to create and manage the culture of Ideation, Innovation, entrepreneurship, and Design thinking in schools.

10. Design thinking and innovations Skill modules- Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell closely worked with the Central Board of Secondary Education to create and implement the Design Thinking and Innovation Skill modules for 6-12 standards. The course content for 6-12 has been developed to equip them with relevant skills to implement and teach these skill subjects in their respective classes. India is the first country in the world to introduce Design Thinking and Innovation at school level.

11. Adoption of National Innovation and Startup Policy (NISIP) guidelines in HEIs: A policy level intervention to enable HEIs to plan, build and sustain a streamlined innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem in campuses, adoption process is under progress. So far, more than 3200+ higher education institutes (both technical and non-technical) have adopted the policy in accordance with Innovation and Startup policies at center and received training and guidance on designing innovation policy at institute level.

12. Benchmarking I&E Ecosystem in HEIs through

NIRF-Innovation (Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements):

NIRF Innovation ranking (earlier named as ARIIA - Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements) Framework, which is objectively define and measure the innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem developed in educational ecosystem. Furthermore, it benchmarks the I&E performance and practices in HEIs and sets directions for achievements. ARIIA framework came into action in 2019 and so far three editions of Atal Ranking exercises have been completed to rank all major HEIs based on their innovation and startup ecosystem development efforts and achievements. The participation from both technical and non-technical HEIs have been increased substantially from 496 HEIs in very first edition of ARIIA (2019) to record high participation of 1438 HEIs for ARIIA 2021. For the ARIIA 2022, 1417 HEIs are part of the benchmarking process. Result of the NIRF-Innovation (ARIIA) 2023 has been declared on 5th June 2023.

12. Building a vibrant network of Institution's

Innovation Councils (IICs) in HEIs:

An approach to institutionalizing innovation and startup culture in HEIs and further to create, streamline and strengthen existing ecosystems in HEIs, Institution's Innovation Council model is in practice since 2018. So far, more than 7400+ IICs have been established in all major HEIs spread across states and UTs. These IICs in HEIs are leading in driving the innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem both at institute and community level.

13. Faculty Innovation Ambassador (IA) Training Program in HEIs and Schools:

Innovation Ambassadors (IA) program is to strengthen the in-house mentoring capacity of faculty members in HEIs and School by providing training and upgrading their skills on innovation and

entrepreneurship and enabling them to mentor, nurture, and handhold ideas from students and faculty enthusiastic. So far 22000+ faculty members from HEIs and 25000+ teachers from schools have been trained and deployed as Innovation Ambassadors to drive campus I&E ecosystems in educational institutions.

15. Mentor-Mentee Program for IIC Institutions: The objective of Mentor-Mentee scheme for IIC institutions is to engage high performing IIC institutions to act as mentor to newly joined and underperforming IIC institutions to receive guidance and support in I&E ecosystem development and implementation of various I&E schemes. This twining program is to facilitate knowledge exchange and resource mobilization between institutions by offering inter-institutional collaborations. So far 205 high performing IIC institutions are supported by MIC with grant support for their role as mentor and guiding 550 IIC institutions in improving their competencies.

16. Impact Lecture (IL) Series Program for IIC Institutions: Under this program, MIC supports IIC institutions specially from aspirational districts, rural and hilly areas of the country, and disconnectedness with regional ecosystems due to having geographical disadvantageous to conduct of impact lecture sessions to generate awareness on innovation, IPR and start-up. The impact lecture sessions conducted by inviting external experts in selected IIC institutions not only streamlines the campus innovation and start-up ecosystem but also helps in establishing strong connection with ecosystem enablers at regional and national level, and aware students and faculty members about innovations happening in their surrounding and aligned with the vision at the national level.

17. Organizing Regional Meets for IIC Institutions: To

make the IIC network more vibrant, proactive, collaborative and productive, MIC conducts IIC regional meets in different cities across the country to bring existing and prospective IIC institutions together, to provide a platform for sharing I&E knowledge and best practices in HEIs, to celebrate the achievements and impact created by IIC Institutions and to witness successful emergence of innovators and startup founders from HEIs. Regional meets act as a platform to IIC institutions to showcase institutions' innovations and entrepreneurship ecosystem preparedness, models/best practices, contributions, recent achievements and impacts made by IIC institutions. During the academic year 2021-22, MIC organized regional meets in 15 cities across the country, which saw a participation of 1400+ faculty and student members from 3500+ IIC institutions, 1200+ IIC posters and 1700+ innovations were exhibited and 600+ ecosystem enablers includes incubators, accelerators, angel and VC firms, Govt. agencies, state startup missions and industry CSR units extended their collaborations to support IIC institutions in building campus I&E ecosystems.

18. YUKTI – National Innovation Repository (NIR):

Institute Innovation Repository created at each IIC institution level get converged and integrated to form the National Innovation Repository which is maintained by the MoE's Innovation Cell. YUKTI IR is an IIC integrated market convergence platform to build a system of repository of ideas, innovations and start-ups developed in academic institutions and enabling institutions to systematically foster the I&E culture by managing and nurturing these innovations by offering continuous support in terms of one-to-one mentorship, grant assistance, referral and linkage with incubation units, connecting with Angel/Venture Capital (VC) investors network,

knowledge agencies, technology transfer and commercialization etc.

19. YUKTI Innovation Challenge/ National Innovation Contest: Building upon the platform of YUKTI Innovation Repository (YIR) created at the institute level, it provides multiple benefits and networked opportunities for innovators, IIC institutions, Govt. and non-govt. agencies, ecosystem enablers, Innovation Ambassadors and external experts/mentors to support each other towards building a vibrant and dynamic campus ecosystem while connected with regional and national ecosystems.

20. IICs in HEIs Linkage with Atal Tinkering Labs (ATLs) in Schools for Mentorship Support: Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell (MIC), All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), and Atal Innovation Mission (AIM) of NITI Aayog have come up with a plan to connect Atal Tinkering Labs (ATLs) established in schools with Institution's Innovation Council (IICs) functioning in higher educational institutions spread across all the states and UTs.

21. Introduction of New Academic Program at PG Level and Model Curriculum on MBA/PGDM in Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Venture Development (IEV): MBA/PGDM in Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Venture Development programs objective is to connect theory of innovation and entrepreneurship with practice and enabling students to acquire innovation and entrepreneurship skills, this outcome-oriented program has incorporated specialize learning modules and designed to deliver in phased manner. Course will facilitate learning on management of innovation, entrepreneurship, and venture development from foundation to advanced stages and simultaneously enable students to apply their entrepreneurial skills in real life situations, validate ideas, build

innovations, test market, and build a successful venture out of it. Program is also designed to prepare learners in leading family and social enterprises, effective management of exiting business units as an Intrapreneur, and meet the demand of shortage of competent human resource to manage innovation and incubation facilities, policy design and implementation etc.

22. Introduction of New Academic Program at UG Level and Model Curriculum on Minor Degree in Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Venture Development (IEV): Minor Degree in 'Innovation, Entrepreneurial and Venture Development (IEV)' for UG Program is a credit-based internship structure to enhance innovation prowess, entrepreneurial ability, and aspiration of a student during the entire period of undergraduate study. Student can earn up to 25 credits to meet the internship credit requirement and by earning up to 20 credits, he/she can claim for a minor degree in Innovation, Entrepreneurial and Venture Development (IEV). Institute can formulate the minor degree in IEV which can be integrated into undergraduate programs.

23. Setting up Indovation Centres in Various Regions to Promote Technology Transfer and IP Commercialisation: Indovation centers in regional locations is to facilitate technology transfer, IP commercialization, innovation, and entrepreneurship development in higher educational institutions across the country. These centers at the regional level will act as HUB for the spoke institutions to promote industry-academia collaborations, technology transfer through industry linkages and more importantly, as a knowledge consolidation unit that will help in designing effective policy interventions and pathways for building knowledge-based local economy. Furthermore, it is also proposed that Indovation Centers will also perform as a one-stop point for institutions and

stakeholders to access information related to innovation and startup schemes and programs of AICTE, the Ministry of Education and various central/state government agencies to reduce information asymmetry. Each Innovation Centers will thrive to build the capacity, skill, and knowledge of targeted beneficiaries through structured training and capacity-building programs and mentoring sessions, etc.

24. TOYCATHON (2021 & 2022) Under the 'Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan' initiated by our Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri. Narendra Modi, Toycathon was conceived to challenge India's innovative minds to conceptualize novel Toy and Games based on Bhartiya civilization, history, culture, mythology and ethos. Toycathon presented a unique opportunity for Students, Teachers, Start-ups and Toy experts/professionals in India to submit their innovative toys/games concepts and win large number of prizes worth Rs. 50 lakhs. The physical edition of Toycathon was conducted in 2022

25. MANTHAN The "MANTHAN 2021" Hackathon was a unique national initiative designed to unearth cutting-edge ideas and technology solutions aimed at resolving the security challenges faced by our intelligence services in the twenty-first century. This online hackathon took place in November and December, where talented individuals from higher education institutions and registered start-ups from across the country actively participated. Participants were entrusted with the task of developing powerful, secure, and efficient technology solutions that harnessed their technical expertise and creative abilities, with a total prize fund of Rs. 40 lakhs. Leveraging cutting-edge national security technologies like artificial intelligence, deep learning, augmented reality, and machine learning, the competition focused on six thematic themes and twenty different challenge statements.

26. SINGAPORE INDIA HACKATHON Three editions of the Singapore India Hackathon have been successfully organized in ,2018, 2019 and 2023. This was a 36-hour collaborative event. The hackathon brings together students from India and Singapore fostering cross-country collaboration Collaborative Teams: Teams formation with representatives from different nations, promoting diverse perspectives and collaboration. Cultural Exchange: The event facilitates a deeper understanding of each other's cultures, work ethics, and values, promoting cultural exchange. Focus Areas: The hackathon focusses on two main areas: Blue Economy and Education, addressing critical sectors for economic development.

27. KAVACH (2023) In pursuit of empowering crucial societal ideals, the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell, in collaboration with AICTE, the Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D) (MHA), and the Indian Cybercrime Coordination Centre (I4C) (MHA), launched 'KAVACH-2023,' a distinctive national Hackathon. This initiative sought innovative concepts and technological solutions to address the 21st-century security challenges confronted by our intelligence agencies. KAVACH-2023 served as a platform to challenge India's innovative minds to conceptualize cyber security ideas using artificial intelligence, deep learning, machine learning, automation, big data, and cloud computing.

28. BOOTCAMP (2023) The primary objective of the IDE Boot camps is to equip participants with the necessary skills and mind-set to thrive in today's dynamic business landscape. A total of around 1550 participants, including student innovators, faculty members, and teachers were trained during the boot camps. The program offered a 5-day immersive and action-packed experience focused on hands-on, experiential learning.