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To,

Principal/Directors of GTU Affiliating Institutes

Sub: Student Innovators & Start-ups to benefit from GTU SSIP Grants

Dear Sir/Madam

GTU has been at forefront in the sphere of student innovation & start-up ecosystem development. To carry forward the efforts for the above and by taking early insights from interventions at GTU, Gujarat has developed a Student Start-up & Innovation Policy, SSIP at State level with a commitment of 100 Crore INR grant for student innovators and start-ups.

This will primarily facilitate and pre-incubate innovative ideas to go through a stage of proof of concept, prototype, product, testing & trial, redesign and deliver innovative solutions catering to end users. The Broad objective is to harness creative potential of young students across universities and educational institutions.

As a part of this GTU will extend support for the below by this academic year:

- Support up to 25,000 INR for filing IPR for 125 Student Innovators/Start-ups
- Support up to 200,000 INR for Prototyping support for 200 Student Innovators/Start-ups at POC stage

GTU affiliating institutes are encouraged to take maximum benefit from this. Each affiliating institute should form technical committees at their college level and scout best student/alumni projects/innovations/start-ups which are worth taking forward and then recommend for support for above through GTU Innovation Council portal. Detailed information for the same will be shared separately with all colleges.

For any query you may write to <a>ssipgtu@gtu.edu.in

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