Faculty Development Programme on Biotechnopreneurship™
(12th to 23rd December, 2022)

Sponsored by:

Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission,
Department of Science and Technology
Government of Gujarat, Gandhinagar

Organized by:
Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India
Ahmedabad
**Introduction:**

Entrepreneurship education and training is fundamental to enhancing the entrepreneurial propensity among students. In the light of Government's thrust on entrepreneurship, innovations and startups, this discipline has acquired even greater significance. Given that right orientation and enterprise establishment can be enhanced through entrepreneurship education, there is greater emphasis on developing focused methodology for infusing entrepreneurship in education and ensuring that educational institutes prioritize the discipline.

Relevant curriculum, pedagogy and incubation support are all components that can enhance results of entrepreneurship education. And, it is the faculty group that can ensure that these factors are weaved in effectively to deliver tangible results. Against this backdrop, the academia needs to be trained and oriented so that they in turn impart learnings and mentoring support to students, thus preparing them to float new enterprises. Against this backdrop, EDII under support of Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission, Department of Science and Technology, Government of Gujarat has announced training programme to impart learnings to faculty of Biotechnology and Allied areas.

**Programme Objectives:**

This programme aims to empower "Life Science and Biotechnology faculty" in nurturing entrepreneurship culture in their respective institutions by developing entrepreneurial aspirations among students, thus strengthening the Biotechnology sector in Gujarat. The specific objectives are to:

- Equip participants with requisite skills, knowledge and competencies for effective motivation for undertaking entrepreneurship activities.
- Create awareness about the need and importance of entrepreneurship.
- Impart knowledge and skills in diverse training methods to encourage and train students.
- Guide them in techniques of preparation of feasible & viable business plans, which can be used as a tool to guide students.
- Creating mentors in the field of Biotechnology Entrepreneurship.

**Target Group:**

Faculty members from Gujarat based Universities / Institutes offering courses in Life Science & Biotechnology, both at UG and PG levels.

**Programme Content:**

- Essential of Entrepreneurship
- Curriculum Development for Entrepreneurship Courses
- Selection of Potential Entrepreneurs: Approaches: Tools & Interpretation
- Entrepreneurial Motivation Training
- Identification of Business Opportunity in Bio-Technology sector
- Institutional & Industry Visit
- Entrepreneurial Ecosystem in Biotechnology
- Market Survey
- Problem Solving & Decision Making
- Interaction with Bio-Entrepreneur
- Developing Business Plan
- Enterprise Management
- Legal aspects of Business
**Programme Duration, Venue, Batch Size:**

This **two-week residential programme** will be held at **EDII Campus** from 12.12.2022 to 23.12.2022. The intake capacity is **20 participants** only. This programme is sponsored by GSBTM, DST, Government of Gujarat, and hence no fees will be charged. However, selected participants need to pay **Rs. 2,000** as **refundable deposit** before commencement of the programme.

**How to Apply:**

The nomination form can be downloaded from [www.ediindia.org](http://www.ediindia.org). The filled-in nomination form along with bio-data must reach us on or before 28.11.2022 at the following address:

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The nomination form can also be sent through email at pasb-a@ediindia.org

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**Sponsoring Agency:**

GSBTM (Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission, DST, Government of Gujarat) will promote, support and facilitate the development of biotechnology in the State by promoting research and development in the field of biotechnology, by generating the quality human resource in the field of biotechnology and by supporting the development of biotechnology industries by taking effective measures and policy and planning level. GSBTM promotes, supports and facilitates the overall development of Biotechnology through financial and policy support. It facilitates networking among stakeholders at Regional, National and International levels to facilitate the infrastructure development and R&D activities and creates scientific awareness, sensitization, socio-ethical acceptance and adoption to the potentials and application of biotechnology.
Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDII):

The Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDII), Ahmedabad was set up in 1983 as an autonomous and not-for-profit Institute with support of apex financial institutions - the IDBI Bank Ltd., IFCI Ltd., ICICI Bank Ltd. and State Bank of India (SBI). The Government of Gujarat pledged twenty-two acres of land on which stands the majestic and sprawling EDII Campus. EDII has been recognized as the CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE by the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Govt. of India. The Institute has also been ranked as No. 1 under General (Non-Technical Category) by Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA)-2021, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India.

EDII moved on to adopt the role of a National Resource Institute in the field, and facilitated 12 state governments in setting up Entrepreneurship Development Centres/Institutes. EDII’s efforts in entrepreneurship training, education, research, MSME development and institutional building have been broad-based nationally and internationally too, with the setting up of Entrepreneurship Development Centres in Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Vietnam, Uzbekistan and Rwanda.

In consonance with the emphasis on startups and innovations, EDII hosted the Technology Business Incubator, CrAdLE – Centre for Advancing and Launching Enterprises in the year 2016, with the support of NSTEDB, DST, Govt. of India.

The first national resource institute in entrepreneurship training, research, education and institution building, EDII has successfully brought about a change in the way entrepreneurship is perceived. The Institute has earned regional, national and international recognition for boosting entrepreneurship and start-ups across segments and sectors through innovative models and by intermediating creatively among stakeholders such as; new age potential entrepreneurs, existing entrepreneurs, incubation centres, and venture capitalists. The Institute conducts a variety of programmes and projects through its 7 regional offices and 23 project offices, under the Departments of Policy Advocacy, Knowledge and Research, Entrepreneurship Education; Projects; Business Development Services & National Outreach and Developing Economy Engagement.

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