

Academic Year 2023-24

Centre for Innovation, Incubation and Entrepreneurship Development (CIIED)

Monthly Activity Report - October 2023

I. <u>Programmes Organized</u>

| S No | Date | Programmes Organized | Participants/ Beneficiaries |
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| 1. | 06-10-2023 | A Motivational Session was held on the topic "My Entrepreneurial Story" by Dr Rajakumari Jeevagan, Founder and Managing Partner - Waalai Foods & Chairman - WE, Tamil Nadu Chamber of Commerce, Madurai (Organized by IIC, KCW) | |
| 2. | 11-10-2023 | An E Talk was held on the topic "My 240 students Journey towards Innovation" by Ms Ramya Santhosh, Founder and CEO, Sharas Venture LLP (Organized by ED Cell, KCW) | |
| 3. | 11-10-2023 & 12-10-2023 | Two-day Entrepreneurship Bootcamp on the theme "Venture Forward: Entrepreneurship as a Career Choice" was held. Mr Rakesh Nair, Founder - Svojas Farms, Mindset Mentor, and Health and Wellness author was the resource person. (Organized by IIC, KCW) | students Day 2: 55 shortlisted |
| 4. | 11-10-2023 | Presentations by the students and faculty on the Startup and Campus Company proposals submitted by them (Organized by Startup and Campus Company Wings, KCW) | • |

| 5 | 13-10-2023 | CIIED Advisory Board Meeting was held in | 12 CIIFD |
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| 5. | 13-10-2023 | CIIED Advisory Board Meeting was held in the hybrid mode. The members who attended the meeting included: Dr N Yesodha Devi, Secretary, KCW (President); Dr Savitha Nair, Director, CIIED (Secretary); External Members - Mr S Dinesh Kumar, Associate Vice President, Startup TN, Chennai; Mr Pradeep Yuvaraj Global Lead - Outreach & PR, TiE University & Managing Director, Prezantim Creative Services India Pvt Ltd, Coimbatore; Dr Radhika Meenakshi Sankar, Founder, Wise Owl Consulting; Ms Rama Rajasekaran, President, FICCI FLO, Coimbatore; Ms Sangeetha Chetan, CEO, Zaveri Bros, Coimbatore; Dr Suresh Kumar, Executive Director, PSG STEP, Coimbatore; and Internal Members - Prof S Balasubramanian, Director, GRGCAS; Dr P Meena, Principal, KCW; Dr P Sadhasivam, Director, GRGSMS; and Dr N Priyadharsini, IIC Convener, KCW | 12 CIIED Advisory Board members |
| 6. | 13-10-2023 | A Session titled "Developing Mobile Applications: A Problem-Solving Workshop" was delivered by Mr Nallaperumal Thanthondri, Senior Software Architect, Cantier Systems, Coimbatore (Organized by IIC, KCW) | |
| 7. | 14-10-2023 & 15-10- 2023 | On the occasion of National Innovation Day, KCW celebrated students and faculty Innovations through the filing of 12 design patents. (Organized by IIC, KCW) | 12 teams and 30 faculty |
| 8. | 25-10-2023 | An E Talk was held on the topic "How to develop a compelling pitch deck?" by Ms. Divya Shetty, COO & Co-Founder, Infinite Cercle Pvt Ltd (Organized by ED Cell, GRGSMS) | 300 students |

| 9. | 27-10-2023 | Students of KCW and faculty Dr N | |
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| | | Priyadharsini, Dr S Ramesh, Dean - | and three |
| | | Research, and Dr Nirmal Kumar, HOD, Dept | faculty (6 |
| | | of Biotechnology, presented their | ideas) |
| | | innovative ideas and interacted with the | |
| | | industry experts and angel investors - Mr | |
| | | Sriram Sankaran, Executive Chairman, | |
| | | Terracarb Private Ltd; Mr Ananthaseshan | |
| | | Narayanan, Independent Consultant; and | |
| | | Mr R Balakrishnan, Chairman, Excelencia. | |
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| | | (Organized by IIC, KCW) | |

II. <u>RWTP Initiatives</u>

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| 1. | 05-10-2023 | 30 days of hands-on training on "Tailoring" | 26 rural people |
| 2. | 10-10-2023 | Session on "Digital Awareness" by the B.Com students of KCW | 38 college students and 23 rural people |
| 3. | 12-10-2023 | Awareness on "Quality Education & Gender Equality" by the students of KCW | 31 college students and 39 rural people |
| 4. | 13-10-2023 | Session on "Insurance Policies & Schemes" by the B.Com students of KCW | 42 college students and 59 rural people |
| 5. | 19-10-2023 | Special camp on "Bank Services and Finance" chaired by Mr Manikandan, Manager, Grama Bank | 32 rural people |
| 6. | 30-10-2023 | A session on "Agribusiness: Value-added Products from Solar Dehydration for the Farmers" was held. The event was chaired by Mr R Shanmugasundaram, FPO, Vellanapatti, Coimbatore; and by Ms S Kavitha, Chairman, SS Kulam, Coimbatore | 34 rural people |

III. <u>Faculty /Students Participation / Achievements in Innovation/</u> Entrepreneurship/ Startups Programmes

| S.No. | Date | Programme | Participants | |
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| 1. | 04-10-2023 | Dr N Priyadharsini, IIC Convenor, gave an Innovation Ambassador talk on "IIC Illuminate: Objectives Unveiled" to the students of Nallamuthu Gounder Mahalingam College, Pollachi | 100 students participated | |
| 2. | 09-10-2023 | Dr N Priyadharsini, IIC Convenor, delivered a national webinar on "Problem Solving and Ideation" organized by Smt Radhadevi Goenka College for Women, Akola | 40 students participated | |
| 3. | 31-10-2023 | Smart India Hackathon - 2023 launched by MoE | 44 student teams registered. Among them, 39 teams were selected and their ideas are submitted in the SIH portal. | |

IV. Other CIIED Initiatives

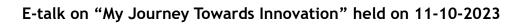
| S No | Date | Particulars | |
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| 1. | October | CIIED Think Tank - The Ideation Platform rolled out two | |
| | 2023 | Problem Statements on "Reviving the traditional food of Tamil | |
| | | Nadu to imagine a sustainable and healthy future" and "Delivery | |
| | | of Essential Medicines in remote or hilly areas" in October 2023. | |
| | | 14 ideas were received and they were evaluated by a jury of | |
| | | experienced entrepreneurs. Six teams were selected as Top | |
| | | idea contributors for the month. | |
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Photos

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"My Entrepreneurial Story - A Motivational Session" held on 06-10-2023





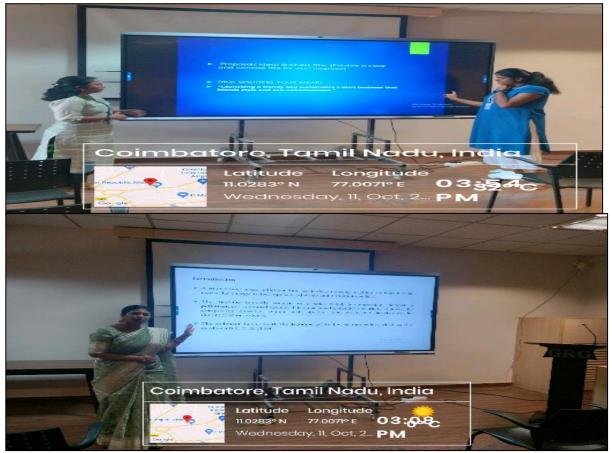


Two-days Entrepreneurship Bootcamp on "Venture Forward: Entrepreneurship as a Career Choice" held on 11-10-2023 and 12-10-2023





Presentation by students and faculty of their startups and campus company proposals dated 11-10-2023



2023





CIIED Advisory Board Meeting held on 13-10-2023





National Innovation Day of KCW celebrated Students and Faculty's Innovations through the filing of design patents dated 14-10-2023 & 15-10-2023





E Talk on "How to develop a compelling pitch deck?" dated 25-10-2023





Interaction with industry experts and angel investors dated 27-10-2023



III. <u>RWTP</u> 30 days hands-on training on "Tailoring" dated 05-10-2023



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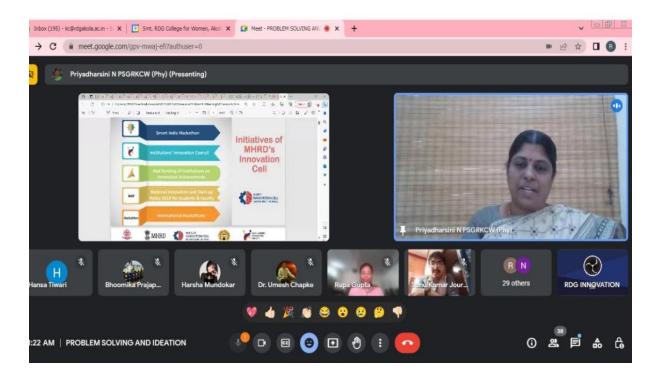


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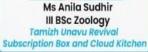
۷. **CIIED Think Tank**

Top Ideas October 2023

STUDENTS' TOP IDEAS

PROBLEM STATEMENT 1: REVIVING THE TRADITIONAL FOOD OF TAMIL NADU TO IMAGINE A SUSTAINABLE AND HEALTHY FUTURE.









Ms E Nivedhapriya Ms K Renisha **II BSc Mathematics**

Infusing Tradition in Modern Cuisine



Ms Mirudhula Jagannathan



Ms M Harini I BSc Information Technology Millet Delights: Reviving Heritage Recipes with a Modern Twist



PROBLEM STATEMENT 2 : DELIVERY OF ESSENTIAL MEDICINES IN REMOTE OR HILLY AREAS.



Mobile Pharmacy

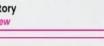


Ms N R Yuvasri



Ms P A Amirthavarshini

II BA History Our Crew





Ms R Prithi



Ms S Kanishka II MBA Last Mile Delivery



Ms R Dhanalakshmi