

Briefing of the meeting with Principal Secretary Tech regarding One District One Incubator (ODOI) at AKTU, Lucknow

A physical meeting was convened on 9th August, 2023 at Innovation Hub, AKTU to set up Incubation Centres. The meeting was conducted under the chairmanship of Principal Secretary, Technical Education, GoUP Shri M. Devaraj. The meeting was aimed to help those institutes who are interested in setting up an Incubator under the ambitious scheme of GoUP “One District One Incubator” (ODOI).

On behalf of SRMCEM Er Ashish Tiwari (President, IIC) and Mr. S. Niyaji (E-Cell Coordinator) participated in the event.

The program started with presentation by Government Aided Institutes regarding development of activities and grants received/utilised under various schemes run by AKTU/GoUP. After each presentation various challenges were put in front of Principal Secretary, Technical Education and Vice Chancellor, AKTU. The common issues were delay in clearing the finance files, missing link with outer agencies, extra workload on Faculty members/students involved in the start-ups etc.

Principal Secretary, Technical Education and Vice Chancellor, AKTU assured that these issues will be well taken care of.

After that there was an interaction session with those institutes who are interested in setting up an Incubator. On behalf of SRMCEM guidance in establishing Section 8 Company was put, in response to that Dr Anuj Sharma, Associate Dean, innovation and Incubation, AKTU assured that there will be a meeting regarding that in AKTU campus. Vice Chancellor also emphasized that a training module will be run to address all these issues.

Principal Secretary, Technical Education said that from Government point of view there is no shortage of fund and if any institute finds any difficulty, then they can directly contact him.

The meeting ended with Vote of thanks.

Some Glimpses of the event



