

IIC Annual Report 2022-23

College of Social Work [Autonomous], Nirmala Niketan, Mumbai

A. About Institute Innovation Council of the Institute

Vision

The vision of the IIC of the College of Social Work is to systematically foster the culture of Innovation by encouraging, inspiring and nurturing young students to work with new ideas and develop prototypes while they are in formative years.

Mission

- ❖ Establish Ecosystem for Scouting Ideas and Pre-incubation of Ideas
- ❖ Facilitate Start-up/entrepreneurship supporting Mechanism within the college premises
- ❖ Prepare institute for Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements Framework (ARIIA) and/ or similar rankings initiated by the Government

Key Activities

- ❖ Promote innovation in the Institution through multitudinous modes leading to an innovation promotion eco-system in the campus.
- ❖ To conduct various innovation and entrepreneurship-related activities prescribed by the Government in a time bound fashion.
- ❖ Identify and reward innovations and share success stories.
- ❖ Organize periodic workshops/ seminars/ interactions by inviting entrepreneurs, investors, professionals and create a mentor pool for student innovators.
- ❖ Network with peers and national entrepreneurship development organizations.
- ❖ Organize Hackathons, idea competition, mini-challenges etc., with the involvement of industry

College of Social Work Nirmala, Mumbai established an Institution's Innovation Council (IC202115681) in the campus as per the norms of Innovation Cell, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India during the academic calendar year 2020-21. A fifteen-member council was inaugurated by the Principal who is also the President of the Council. Administrator, Faculty members, external experts and student representatives are part of the council.

B. Brief mention of key functionaries at the IIC Institute

Sr. No	Name of Member	Member Type (Teaching/ Nonteaching / External Expert/ Student)	Key Role/ Position assigned in IIC
1	Dr. Lidwin D	Principal	President
2	Ms. Sabeena G	Non-Teaching/ Administrator	Vice President
3	Dr. Ronald Y	Teaching	Convener
4	Mr. Cletus Z	Teaching	Co-Convener & Member (Start-up)
5	Mr. Albin T	Teaching	Member (IPR)
6	Ms. Pallavi X	Teaching	Member (Internship)
7	Mr. Sameer M	Teaching	Member (Innovation)
8	Ms. Reny R	Teaching	Member (Social Media)
9	Ms. Irene T	External Expert	Adviser
10	Ms. Sharon D	External Expert	Adviser
11	Ms. Shruti K	Student	Student Representative (Start-up)
12	Ms. Nicole C	Student	Student Representative (IPR)
13	Ms. Bella B	Student	Student Representative (Internship)
14	Mr. Altamash	Student	Student Representative (Innovation)
15	Mr. Dhruv	Student	Student Representative (Social Media)

C. Portfolio/graphical/Tabular representation of Resource strength (human capital and Physical capital) of the IIC institution

- ❖ Total No. of IIC Members: 15
- ❖ Total No. of IAs: 0
- ❖ Total No. of Faculty Mentors (From Portal): 4
- ❖ Pre-Incubation Units, If any: 1
- ❖ Incubation Units, If any: 0
- ❖ IP Facilitation Unit, If any: 1

D. Highlight Facilities, Infrastructure of Pre-Incubation & Incubation kind and Student bodies/clubs engaged in promotion of Innovation and Entrepreneurship in the campus.

- ❖ E-Cell (Students Club), established in 2019 is an Idea Club initiative by the college that aims to foster the spirit of entrepreneurship amongst the students at College of Social Work.

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- ❖ Pre-incubation unit supports potential entrepreneurs to develop their idea into a 'proof of concept' and prepares them to undertake technical feasibility of the idea proposed. Once a marketable service/product idea gets evolved, prototyping and testing are done and the suitable students will be then referred for Incubation Stage. As of now, 8 persons/teams are at this stage of Pre-Incubation
- ❖ The research and development cell helps the students and faculty generate IPR for their ideas, designs, services and products .

E. Highlight Achievements (Narrative/Graphical/tabular representation)

- ❖ Number and Different types of I&E and IPR activities Conducted: 2
- ❖ No. of student's & faculty ideas generated: 8
- ❖ No. of student's & faculty Innovation/prototypes developed: 2
- ❖ No. of IPs generated, published and granted: 1
- ❖ No. of Student & Faculty Start-ups/Ventures established: 0
- ❖ Amount spent on promotion and awareness generation on Innovation Entrepreneurship in the campus: 0
- ❖ Amount grant or fund supported to student & Faculty lead Innovations, start-ups and IPR: 0
- ❖ No. of Technology Transfer and Commercialisation happened: 0

F. Highlight few best IIC Faculty/Student members and their achievements/ Rewarded for the innovations at different forum

Mr. Cletus Zuzarte was invited by the SNDT university to help them set up the entrepreneurship and innovation cell.

G. Highlight selected best Innovations & images with mention of inventor/innovation name

Nil

H. Highlight selected start-ups established by students/faculties with mention of founder/cofounder name

Nil

I. List if any break through Innovations / Technology Developed at the institute (2-3 technology with 2-3 lines about technology and innovation

Nil

J. Participation of IIC-institute in various programs of Central and Stage Govt. Highlighting specially for the schemes or programs

- ❖ The college participated every year in the ARIIA ranking.
- ❖ NISP policy is developed and Adopted by the college

K. Detail of Social Media & Connections of IIC institute

Facebook Page of the IIC Institute -
<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064151310917>

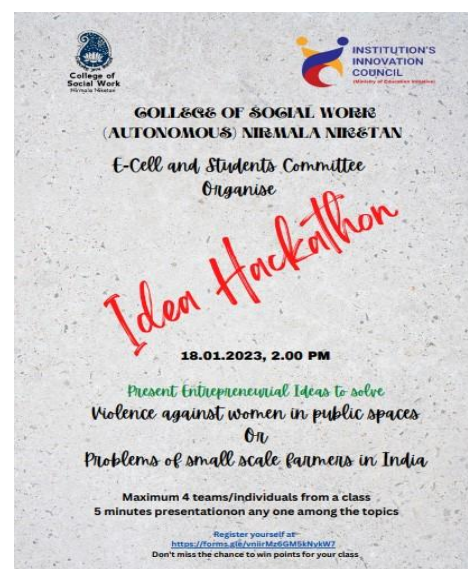
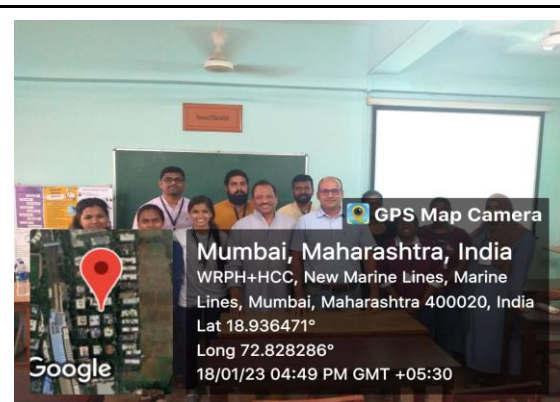
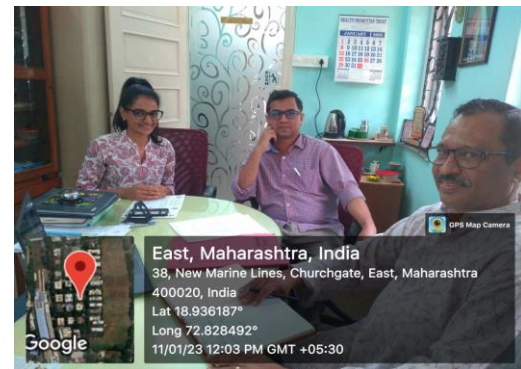
L. Testimonials from IIC members and external about IIC institute and IIC of MoE's Innovation Cell

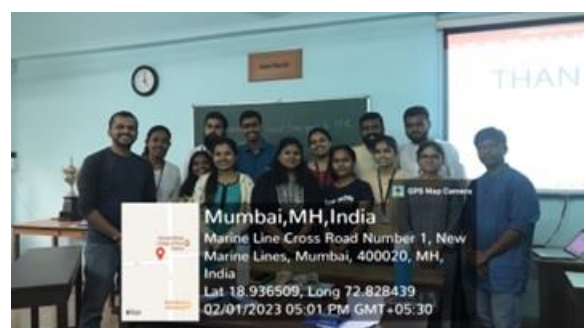
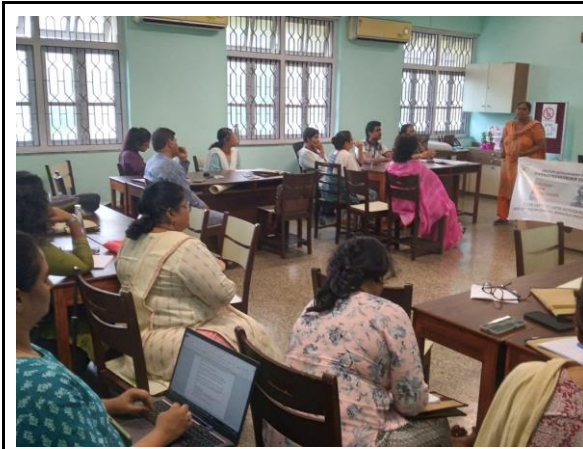
“It was an enriching experience being associated with the IIC of the College of Social Work (Autonomous) Nirmala Niketan. I was happy to take a session for the E-Cell members and share the journey of being an Entrepreneur in the context of the necessary skills required to be a successful social entrepreneur” – Ms. Sharon D’souza – IIC Consultant

“Amazing Ideas came up from the Students as I was invited to facilitate a Session on ‘Thinking out of the Box’ in August 2022 in the context of 75 years of India’s Independence. Also when I accompanied students for the Incubator Visit to Somaiya College Incubators in March 2023, discussing on the progression of their ideas and connecting it to their field experience”. – Ms. Irene Tayashete – IIC Consultant

M. Images









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