



Name: Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) formed under MoE's Innovation Cell (MIC)

In the year 2018, the Ministry of Education (MoE) through MoE's Innovation Cell (MIC) launched the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) program in collaboration with AICTE for Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) to systematically foster the culture of innovation and start-up ecosystem in education institutions. Primarily, IICs' role is to engage large number of faculty, students and staff in various innovation and entrepreneurship related activities such as ideation, Problem solving, Proof of Concept development, Design Thinking, IPR, project handling and management at Pre-incubation/Incubation stage, etc., so that innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem gets established and stabilized in HEIs.

IIC of Swami Vivekanand Subharti University was established in the same year under the able leadership of the HoI, Dr. Manoj Kapil. The IIC model addresses the existing challenges/issues such as less numbers, occasional and unplanned Innovation & Entrepreneurship (I&E) activities organised in HEIs with low involvement of top leadership, lack of coherence and absence of synergy in resource mobilization, deployment and underutilization of creative potential of youths as major barrier for vibrant I&E ecosystem to emerge from HEIs.

Various activities are organized in every session under the aegis of SVSU-IIC such as Smart India Hackathon, Project Competition, Ideation workshops, Design Thinking camps and more.

<https://iic.mic.gov.in/institute/institute-mm-dashboard/IC201810462>

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