

Report | Immersion Program | Thursday & Friday | 19th & 20th May 2022

About the Event

Bioincubation Practice School at BRBC organized an immersion program for managers of bioincubators on 19 & 20 May 2022 in hybrid mode; online on Zoom and offline at Venture Center campus, Pune. This program was intended on helping managers of new bioincubation centers structure their programs into effective ecosystems that would play a critical role in long term sustenance and functioning of an incubator.



Session Description

DAY1:

The first day of event began with a welcome address by Dr. Manish Diwan (Head, SPED, BIRAC), followed by an introduction and tour of Venture Center. The adjoining sessions of the day included topics like legal structure, incubator model, focus areas & designing ecosystem along with a special talk on understanding key sections of BioNest application form by Dr. Chhaya Chauhan (Sr. Manager, Incubation, BIRAC). The proceedings of the day concluded with a tour to Pune's historical places & dinner organized and coordinated by Abhijeet Girmay & Smita Kale.

DAY2:

The second day of event included some key sessions on creating incubation pipeline and mentoring, Managing Scientific Facilities & Raising money for incubators, sustainability, funding schemes (NIDHI, TBI, AIM), amongst many other sessions.

List of Participants

Sr. No.	Name	Details	Location	Bionest (Y/N)
1	Navin Kumar Gaur	DPSRU Innovation and Incubation Foundation, New Delhi	Delhi	Y
2	JOHN JOSEPH J	VIT-TBI, Vellore	Tamil Nadu	Y
3	Chetan Kavitate	SRM Innovation Incubation and Entrepreneurship Centre, Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu	N
4	Bhavani G	DERBI Foundation, Bangalore	Karnataka	N
5	Shubham Sagar Sahu	AIC-Indian School of Business, Punjab	Punjab	N
6	Ravikumar Tiwari	SPARKLE, TBI-GLA University, Mathura	Uttar Pradesh	N
7	Kulbir Lamba	BioNEST at IIT Jodhpur	Rajasthan	Y
8	Durgesh Narain Singh	BioNEST-BHU, Varanasi	Uttar Pradesh	Y
9	Samarth Shetty	MSMF-BioNEST, Bangalore	Karnataka	Y
10	Ruturaj Halapanavar	TechNovuus, ARAI, Pune	Maharashtra	N
11	Abhishek Peddibhotla	TechNovuus, ARAI, Pune	Maharashtra	N
12	Unmesha Patil	Vishwakarma University, Pune	Maharashtra	N

Feedback Score/ Featured Testimonials

Various sessions over these two days were very useful and the Venture Center team did a wonderful management in terms of content delivery as well as overall coordination of the program. A special thank to you and Dr Premnath for this wonderful experience.

-Kulbeer Lamba, CEO TISC, IIT Jodhpur

It was wonderful. The right combination of expert and peer learning. Greatly appreciated.

-Unmesha Patil, Deputy Director, Innovation, IPR and Entrepreneurship, Vishwakarma University, Pune

Category	Avg (Min-Max) Count
Overall Satisfaction with Event	6.58 (3,7) 12
Satisfaction with Content	6.58 (3,7) 12
Satisfaction with speakers, mentors, etc	6.66 (3,7) 12
Satisfaction with structure, design and pace of event	6.5 (3,7) 12