

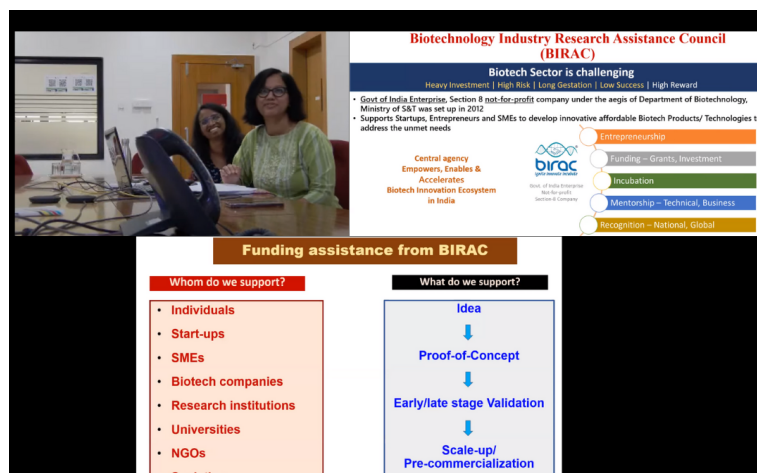
## Report |Mentor Mixer on i4 and PACE: Demystifying the funding modalities | Wednesday | 10th March 2023

### About the Event

BRBC'S Mentor Mixer was organized on 10th March 2023. It was organized as a BIRAC outreach program with Dr. Artee, Senior Manager, BIRAC as the guest speaker talking about funding opportunities at BIRAC (BIPP, SBIRI, PACE including AIR and CRS). The event was conducted in online mode on Zoom with a YouTube live stream.

### YouTube Analytics

- 100+ views, 3 likes
- 28 unique viewers (38% returning viewers)





## Session Description

The session began with an overview to Venture Center by Dr. Smita K and was followed by Dr. Artee's talk. The event concluded with an entrepreneur panel that consisted of Dr. Mahesh Kulkarni (AIR Grantee, CSIR-NCL) Chinmay Khare (SBIRI Grantee, Wissenkraft Labs) and Sayantani Pramanik (BIPP Grantee, Pragmatech Healthcare Solutions) sharing their tips and pointers on winning the grant. The entrepreneur panel was moderated by Dr. Smita K.

The event received an overwhelming response with over 100+ participants.

### Please provide any other suggestions, comments etc here

Would like to know more about national institute collaborators to start with new projects

Thank you VC for connecting us with practical persons who is already in the environment or actual having BIRAC funding along with their experience going for proposals and after funding

Maybe more talks like this

Release of grant process should be smoothen and at regular times by BIRAC

The coverage and information given was very good thank you

Single slide summary heatmap of ALL DBT schemes versus each of eligibility clauses, or funding levels etc. would be visually much faster and easier to comprehend, especially for 1st timers. Text on these slides is useful, and can be retained as such

Overall Feedback: 6.4/7

| Category   | Avg (min-max) Count |
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| Overall Satisfaction with Event                      | 6.3 (5,7) 18        |
| Satisfaction with Content                            | 6.4 (5,7) 18        |
| Satisfaction with Speakers/mentors etc               | 6.6 (5,7) 18        |
| Satisfaction with structure,design and pace of event | 6.4 (5,7) 18        |