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VISITS

Shri Rajiv Kumar Bora, Additional Chief Secretary, Science & Technology, Govt. of Assam visited GBP on 2nd August, 2017. During his visit, he had seen different facilities including instrument facilities at Incubation Centre (GBPIC) in Technology Complex, IITG Campus where he interacted with CEO and staff of GBP. He also visited GBP's upcoming permanent site at Amingaon.



Interactive session among Shri Rajiv Kumar Bora, Additional Chief Secretary, (S&T)
CEO and GBP staff at GBP premises, IITG



Shri Rajiv Kumar Bora, Additional CS (S&T), CEO, GBP and other staff members at GBP permanent site, Amingaon

Ms. Soma Chattopadhyay, Manager Incubator, Venture Center, National Chemical Laboratory (NCL) Innovation Park, Pune visited GBP premises on 3rd August 2017. Venture Center is a Biotechnology Ignition Grant (BIG) Partner of Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC), DBT, Govt. of India. The first BIG funded incubator has started at GBP with Venture Center-BIRAC-BIG as their enablers.



Ms. Soma Chattopadhyay interacting with staff members of GBP during her visit

Expert Committee Meeting

An Expert Committee meeting for discussing and designing road-map for effective utilization of GBPIIC equipment was held on 4th August 2017. Expert members of the committee are from IIT Guwahati, Gauhati University, Assam Agricultural University, IASST, Guwahati, Oil India Limited, Duliajan. GBP's in-house scientific staff was present in the meeting.



Members of the expert committee as seen during the ongoing meeting

INTERACTIVE TALK

GBP organized an interactive talk on BIRAC-BIG Scheme (Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council - Biotechnology Ignition Grant Scheme) designed for individuals/entrepreneurs, academicians and start-ups to establish proof-of-concept data for their exciting ideas in the field of life sciences. The grant amount is a maximum of Rs 50 Lakhs for 18 months. GBP will provide space and R&D platform to start the entrepreneurial venture under this scheme and others.

Dr Papri Banerjee, Program Manager, C-CAMP, Bangalore delivered a talk at Guwahati Biotech Park on 4th August 2017 which was coordinated by Dr Bula Choudhury, SS, GBP. Entrepreneurs from different sectors, student and faculties from IIT Guwahati, Gauhati University, Dibrugarh University, NIPER Guwahati, IASST, Don Bosco University, representatives from FINER and NGOs also participated and interacted in the program.



Participants of interactive session with Dr Papri Banerjee, Program Manager, C-CAMP Bangalore at GBP

An interactive session of various Government Officials of Assam Government was held on August 8, 2017 with Shri VK Pipersenia, Hon'ble Chief Secretary to Govt of Assam at Assam Administrative Staff College, Khanapara. The event was a part of the e-Prastuti Governance Structure/ Standardized Website Framework carried out by the Website Development Cell (WDC), IT Dept. Govt of Assam. The event was attended by Ms. Monsumi Gogoi, Administrative Officer & Master Trainer, GBP and Mr. Hemen Das, Marketing Officer & Content Manager, GBP.

INTERNSHIPS

Theme: Biomolecule Profiling

Certificates awarded to interns working on Biomolecule Profiling

The group of interns at GBP from Lovely professional University, Punjab and Gauhati University-Institute of Science & Technology (GUIST) during June-July, 2017 on 'Biomolecule Profiling' under supervision of Dr. Madan G. Barthakur, SS, GBP, were awarded certificates on 10th August, 2017. Certificates were awarded by Er. Manoj Kr Das, Director, Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship, Guwahati and Prof. Pranab Goswami, Professor, Deptt. of Biosciences & Bioengineering, IIT Guwahati who encouraged the students in an interaction in presence of staff of GBP.



Interns on Biomolecule profiling, under Dr MG Barthakur, SS, GBP after receiving their certificates

Independence Day Celebration

GBP staff celebrated 70th Independence day by hoisting of the national flag at GBP, IIT Guwahati campus.



GBP Staff during the flag hoisting ceremony on 70th Independence Day

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