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Work Done Report

The following activities were carried out during the month of July 2026 at the Institute of Technology (IOT), University of Kashmir, Zakura Campus.

A) For CIIE, KU:

1. Disseminated information regarding various national innovation, entrepreneurship, startup and hackathon programmes, including ASCEND J&K 2026, NIDAR 2026-27, Samsung Solve for Tomorrow 2026, IIT Bombay National Entrepreneurship Challenge, SEMICON India Hackathon 2026, and Startup Orientation Session with Prof. Sunil Handa, among students and aspiring entrepreneurs.
2. Coordinated activities related to AICTE-VAANI 2026-27, including submission and updation of the Mandate Form, correspondence with AICTE, follow-up regarding orientation programme, and completion of portal-related formalities.
3. Facilitated Smart India Hackathon (SIH) 2026 activities by initiating SPOC registration, communicating registration-related issues with AICTE, preparing institutional documentation, and initiating planning for the Internal Hackathon.
4. Submitted the Project Information Report for the RUSA 2.0 Review through email as well as hard copy to the concerned office.
5. Coordinated with JKEDI regarding entrepreneurship-related initiatives, including invitation of resource persons for the Student Induction Programme and follow-up for Startup Seed Fund opportunities.
6. Prepared and forwarded important institutional documents, including the Draft Incubation Agreement, Draft Detailed Project Report (DPR) for JKEDI, and Team Details Document for the Startup JK Portal.
7. Initiated the process for registration and formalisation of IDEA Grant teams as recognised startups and coordinated follow-up actions with the concerned stakeholders.
8. Coordinated MIC-driven innovation activities by disseminating programme information, facilitating participation, and ensuring compliance with reporting requirements for activities related to BIRAC funding opportunities and ANRF initiatives.
9. Forwarded the Department of Telecommunications (DoT) communication regarding effective utilisation of the 5G Use Case Laboratory and coordinated related follow-up actions.
10. Initiated the preparation and compilation of the Consolidated Report of CIIE, including documentation of institutional achievements, startup activities, innovation initiatives, and entrepreneurship programmes.

B) For IOT, KU (Academic/Administrative):

1. Syllabi of all branches revised after final BOS meeting. External experts were invited as BOS members.
2. End of semester examinations started for IOT students. Practical examinations held at IOT.
3. Project viva-voce of students of IOT for 8th semester conducted at institute departments.
4. DIQA student feedback for IOT permanent faculty held on 22nd July.



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5. Admissions completed for AY2026 at IOT Zakura. Very good enrollment observed. CSE(AI) and CSE(CS) program seats at IOT were augmented from 30 each to 60 each. All seats filled during admissions.
6. AICTE has issued Extension of Approval (EOA) Letter in favour of IOT.
7. One week long Student Induction Program (SIP) held at IOT for fresh students of different branches.
8. AI Lab for CSE Department upgraded with Air-conditioning (AC) facilities.
9. 5G Lab, IOT conducted use-case technical sessions for benefit of students.
10. Batch 2023 seen off from IOT Zakura. Results of 8th semester declared in record time at the earliest.
11. In view of some contractual faculty leaving IOT, Coordinators have requested the Director for replacements as classes are set to start from 18th August, 2026.
12. One (01) Overseas student, from Fiji, arrived at Srinagar for admission to M.Tech ECE Program at IOT. Joining formalities are being completed.

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