

b) Faculty Project Programme (FPP)

FPP:2021-22

With the success of SPP, the Council started FPP to bring up the potential projects awarded under SPP to support faculty members of such projects to scale up, enhance and commercialize the ideas proposed along with students earlier. The Council has earmarked a fund of 40 lakh towards FPP. In this regard, a total of 307 projects of last 5 series of SPP i.e. (40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, and 44th series) were shortlisted, out of which the Council received 94 project proposals from the respective guides of the projects awarded under SPP.

After evaluation 16 projects were selected for funding with a budget of Rs. 29,38,000. The sponsored projects were released with initial funds to start the work. A review meeting was held on the 18th and 19th of October 2022 and during 14th and 15th February 2023 to interact with PIs and to review the status of the progress of the projects.

FPP: Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) Interventions in the State: 2022 - 23

Project Proposals were invited from the faculty of science and engineering institutions across the State, under the STI Interventions in the State. The Council had received 627 project proposals. After review of these proposals by experts and interaction with PIs of the projects, finally a total of 11 projects were selected for funding with a budget of Rs. 43,46,000 under the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, Project Related Grants.