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Department of Science & Technology/ विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी विभाग

Training Cell/ प्रशिक्षण प्रकोष्ठ

Technology Bhawan, New Delhi-110016

Dated the 30th June, 2025

To,

Nodal officers of the Training Institutes via e-mail (as per annexure)

Subject: Training calendar for FY 2025-26 under the scheme "National Programme for training of Scientists and Technologists working in Government Sector" and it's Women Component plan-reg.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of competent authority for conducting the following training programmes during the Financial Year 2025-26 under the scheme "National Programme for training of Scientists and Technologists working in Government Sector" under General Component and Women Component: -

<u>GENERAL COMPONENT</u>				
Sr. No.	Name of Institute	Name of Training Programme	Duration	Dates
1	The Art of Living, Bengaluru	Building competencies for Personal Excellence	1 week	08 - 12 September 2025
2	Administrative Staff College of India, Hyderabad	Leadership Development Programme for Scientists	1 week	25 - 29 August, 2025
3	Centre for Development of Advanced Computing, Mohali	QuantaML: Next Generation Machine Learning	2 Weeks	24 November - 05 December, 2025
4		Augmented and Virtual Reality	1 week	08-12 September, 2025
5		Advanced Training Program on Responsible & Safe AI: Concepts, Applications and Ethical Considerations	1 week	10 - 14 November, 2025
6		Strategic Thinking, Innovation Mind Set and Design Thinking for Leading Scientific Research Organizations	1 week	18 - 22 August, 2025

7	KSCSTST- Centre for Water Resources Management(CWRDM), Kunnammangalam, Kerala	Sustainable water resources & management under uncertain future climate conditions	1 week	22 - 26 September, 2025
8	CSIR-Human Resource Development Centre, Ghaziabad	Socioeconomic Impact assessment of Science and Technology	1 week	15 - 19 September, 2025
9	Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDII), Ahmedabad	Entrepreneurship Development & Management Innovation, Inclusion & Entrepreneurship	1 week	08 - 12 December, 2025
10	Engineering Staff College of India (ESCI), Hyderabad	Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (AI)	1 week	21 - 25 July 2025
11	Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education (ICFRE), Dehradun	Environmental Impact Assessment- Evidence Based Decision Making	1 week	06 - 10 October, 2025
12		Bamboo Resource Development for Addressing Livelihood Concerns of Communities	1 week	10 - 14 November, 2025
13		Role of Forestry in Sustainable Development of People	1 week	08 - 12 September, 2025
14	Indian Institute of Forest Management(IIFM), Bhopal	Unlocking India's Forestry Sector Contribution in Adaptation and Mitigation to Climate Change	1 week	08 - 12 September, 2025
15	Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Vishakhapatnam	Leadership Communication: The Key to Success	1 week	13 - 17 October, 2025
16		Dealing with Change Resistance	1 week	22 - 26 September, 2025
17	Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA), New Delhi	Training Programme on Financial Management in Scientific Organizations	1 week	13 - 17 October, 2025
18		Capacity Building programme for Technical Personnel of the Science & Technology Departments, Government of India	2 weeks	17 - 28 November, 2025
19		Foundation Training Programme for Scientists and Technologists of the S&T Departments, Government of India, (Scientist & Technologist, at B & C levels and equivalent)	8 weeks	12 January - 06 March, 2026

20	Institute of Public Enterprise (IPE), Hyderabad	Transformative Pathways of Science, Technology, and Innovation for attaining the Sustainable Development Goals	1 week	18 - 22 August, 2025
21		Innovation and Technology Commercialization	1 week	22 - 26 September, 2025
22	National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), Bengaluru	Policy for Science and Science for Policies	1 week	02 - 06 February, 2026
23		Science & Technology: Global Developments and Perspectives	1 week	15 - 19 September, 2025
24		Fostering wellbeing! – An approach integrating modern science and traditional Indian knowledge	1 week	17 - 21 November, 2025
25	National Institute for Geo-Informatics Science and Technology (NIGST), Hyderabad	Drone Survey & LiDAR Remote Sensing	1 Week	02 - 06 March, 2026
26		Control work by GNSS using CORS network and its applications in surveying	1 week	05 - 09 January, 2026
27		GIS Applications and Case Studies	1 Week	01 - 05 December, 2025
28	Xavier School of Human Resource Management, Bhubaneswar (XIMB)	Lab Dynamics- Advanced Management and Leadership Skills for Scientists	1 Week	13 - 17 October, 2025

WOMEN COMPONENT

Sr. No.	Name of Institute	Name of Training Programme	Duration	Dates
29	Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI), Hyderabad	Creativity and Design Thinking	1 week	27 - 31 October, 2025
30	International Advanced Research Centre for Powder Metallurgy and New Material (ARCI), Hyderabad	Translating Research to Technology for Young Women Scientists/Technologists	1 week	08 - 12 December 2025
31	Centre for Disaster Management, LBSNAA, Mussoorie	Building local Resilience in a Changing Climate	1 week	09 - 13 February, 2026
32	CSIR-Human Resource Development Centre, Ghaziabad	Programme on Women Empowerment for Women Scientists and Officers	1 week	05 - 09 January, 2026
33	Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDII), Ahmedabad	Women in Leadership & Technology advancement	1 week	02 - 06 February, 2026



34	Engineering Staff College of India (ESCI), Hyderabad	Cybersecurity for Women Scientists and Technologists	1 week	22 - 26 September, 2025
35	Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Vishakhapatnam	Nurturing Women Leadership in S&T	1 week	08- 12 December, 2025
36	Xavier School of Human Resource Management, Bhubaneswar	Personal Effectiveness for Women Scientists (Mothers and Girls Improving Capability) MAGIC	1 Week	19 - 23 January, 2026

2. The following documents are required to be submitted within one month from the dates of completion of the training programmes to process the final payment (Originals of all documents to be maintained by the institute):

- i. Utilization Certificate in Original (2 Sets)
- ii. Audited statement of Expenditure in original (2 Sets)
- iii. Time Table giving details of the sessions and resource persons
- iv. List of participants, their designation, contact details with name and address of nomination institutions (Signed and Stamped by Nodal Officer)
- v. Bio Data and Nomination Forms of participants (in prescribed format).
- vi. Feedback (in prescribed format) of the participants
- vii. A copy of training brochure
- viii. List of Faculties/Resource persons, their core competencies and their contact details
- ix. Group Photograph
- x. Course Director's Report (Countersigned by Head of Institute)

[Note: Scanned copies of all the original documents to be sent in **pdf (through email) and pen-drive, along-with a Training Kit**. All documents are mandatory and in prescribed DST format only, failure to comply may result in withholding of payment]

3. You are required to strictly follow the guidelines of this Department {copy enclosed} for organizing Training Programmes sponsored by DST, particularly regarding periodicity of training, age limits of participants, minimum/maximum no. of participants, restrictions on participant's restrictions on participation from a particular institution/organization, restrictions on local participation etc. However, it may be noted that the maximum number of participants in a training programme has been fixed at 25. However, institutes at their discretion may opt for higher number of participants but payment will be restricted to 25 participants only. It should be ensured that the final claim for a particular programme is invariably submitted with all the documents as mentioned at para (2) above.

4. The training programme module / session plan & time-table has to be prepared as per the current requirements. Efforts should be made to improve / update the course module based on the feedback received from last training programme.

5. It may be noted that a surprise inspection may be conducted by a team of DST officials for getting the independent feedback from the participants of training programmes.

6. It may also be ensured that the programmes allotted to your institute are organized as per schedule. All necessary actions may be initiated well in advance so that the programme is held successful with full participation and in a well-structured manner. **Any request for change in the training schedule/date may lead to cancellation of the allotted training programme.**

7. Department has launched training portal for the training programmes (<https://training.dst.gov.in>). All the nodal officers are advised to remain in constant touch with DST regarding registration of nodal officers, acceptance/rejection of nominations for the training programmes, feedback of participants. Reimbursement for only those participants shall be released whose nomination, acceptances/rejections, feedback are taken on the training portal only.

8. Further, Ministry of Finance has been issuing, from time to time, guidelines on "Austerity Measures" to be observed by all the Ministries/Departments, with a view to contain expenditure and augment resources for priority areas. These economy measures include avoiding ostentatious and unnecessary expenditure and to effect utmost economy in operating expenses. Towards this objective, the partner Training Institutes are requested to be as frugal as possible. It should also be ensured that the cost of the training programme does not exceed the approved budget estimate/cost ceiling fixed by the DST.

9. *The 36 training programmes shall be conducted within the budgetary ceiling as allocated in the BE in the current financial year i.e. FY 2025-26. Additional financial requirements beyond the amount allocated under BE, will be processed at the RE stage with the concurrence of IFD.*

Yours Faithfully,

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