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Dear Colleagues,

As you know, last year IGNOU was Ranked Number One in ARIIA-2021 in the category of Non-Technical Central Universities and Institutions of National Importance. Now, we are in the process of Data Collection and Submission for ARIIA-2022. There are mainly Seven Parameters for ARIIA-2022 as given in the attached document. We are in stronger position in case of the Parameters like Innovation and Startup Policy Development, Courses on Innovation and Entrepreneurship and Activities undertaken by the Innovation Ambassadors.

But, in case of the parameters like Idea/Innovation/Startup Submission on YUKTI Portal and information about the IPR/Patents Filed by the students and faculty, we need to make special effort collectively. In this context, you are requested to encourage your students to register and submit their Ideas, Innovations/Prototypes and Business Plans, on the YUKTI Portal. It may be their project work also having some Innovative angle.

Further, you can also submit your Innovative Ideas, Prototypes or Innovative Practices on the YUKTI Portal directly.

The Ideas, Innovations/Prototypes, Business Plans/Startups by the students as well the faculty can be submitted on YUKTI Portal at https://yukti.mic.gov.in/login/SUMyMDE4MTAyODA.

In fact, YUKTI is a National Innovation Repository of Ideas, Innovation/Prototypes and Business Plans. It is not only a good opportunity to showcase our Ideas/Innovations/Business Models/Startups at the National Level, but also there is a possibility of being selected and supported by the MOE and other Organizations. Most importantly, it will help us in maintaining our Five Star Rating in the IIC Performance and retaining our ARIIA Rank during 2022.

Looking forward to get your whole hearted support and cooperation in this regard.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely

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