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# **RAMANBHAI PATEL COLLEGE OF PHARMACY**

## **Charotar University of Science and Technology, Changa**

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### **INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL (IIC)**

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#### **ABOUT IIC**

The Ministry of Education has initiated the Innovation Cell (MIC) to foster innovation at Higher Educational Institutes. In 2018, MIC, in collaboration with AICTE, launched the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) program for Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) to promote innovation. Participating institutes were encouraged to establish IICs and engage in prescribed activities.

The primary mandate of MIC is to inspire and nurture young students by supporting them to work with new ideas and transform them into prototypes during their formative years. We take immense pride in announcing the establishment of IIC-RPCP.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

The objectives of IIC are as follows:

Engage faculty members and students in various innovation and entrepreneurship-related activities such as Ideation, Problem Solving, Proof of Concept Development, Design Thinking, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), Project Handling, and Management.

Organize periodic workshops, seminars, and interactions with entrepreneurs, investors, and professionals to create a mentor pool for student innovators.

#### **MAJOR FOCUS OF IIC**

1. Foster a vibrant local innovation ecosystem
2. Establish a functional ecosystem for scouting ideas
3. Facilitate a startup-supporting mechanism
4. Enhance the cognitive abilities of students

#### **FUNCTIONS OF IIC**

The IIC shall undertake the following functions:

- Conduct various innovation and entrepreneurship-related activities prescribed by the Central MIC in a time-bound manner.
- Organize periodic workshops, seminars, and interactions with entrepreneurs, investors, and professionals, building a strong mentorship network for student innovators.
- Foster collaborations with peers and national entrepreneurship development organizations.
- Identify and reward innovations, sharing success stories to inspire others.
- Create an Institution's Innovation portal to showcase innovative projects carried out by faculty and students.

At IIC, we strive to create a dynamic environment that fosters innovation, creativity, and entrepreneurship, empowering the students to make a meaningful impact in the world of innovation and technology.

### **IIC Constitution**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of Member</b>	<b>Member Type</b>	<b>Role assigned in IIC</b>
1.	Dr.Manan Raval	Teaching	Convener
2.	Dr.Gayatri Patel	Teaching	President
3.	Dr. Swati Joshi	Non-teaching	CHARUSAT Innovative Ventures Foundation Officer
4.	Dr.Vandana Thakur	Teaching	Start-up activity coordinator
5.	Dr. Swayamprakash Patel	Teaching	IPR activity coordinator
6.	Dr.Umang Shah	Teaching	Social media activity coordinator
7.	Dr.Mehul Patel	Teaching	Career, training, and placement activity coordinator
8.	Dr.Nitin Lunagariya	Teaching	Internship coordinator
9.	Dr.Rashmin Patel	Teaching	Research Cell activity coordinator
10.	Dr.Samir Patel	Teaching	University-Industry Interaction Cell Coordinator
11.	Dr.Hardik Korla	Teaching	National Service Scheme activity coordinator
12.	Dr.Jalpa Suthar	Teaching	Healthcare committee activity coordinator
13.	Mr. Chintan Patel	Non-teaching	Digital media coordinator
14.	Meghana Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator
15.	Nidhi Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator
16.	Pooja Gori	Student	Innovation coordinator
17.	Yash Chauhan	Student	Innovation coordinator
18.	Smruti Azad	Student	Innovation coordinator
19.	Heli Soni	Student	Innovation coordinator
20.	Saumya Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator
21.	Dhvanil Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator
22.	Disha Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator
23.	Vishwa Dalal	Student	Innovation coordinator
24.	Pankti Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator
25.	Priyanshi Patel	Student	Innovation coordinator