

# INAUGURATION

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## Alignment & Awareness Event for Publicity of DSIR- Promoting Innovations in Individuals, Start-ups and MSMEs (DSIR-PRISM)

30 MARCH 2021 | SENATE ROOM, IIT



In collaboration with



**RuTAG IIT DELHI**

Rural Technology Action Group IIT Delhi



**Dr. Shekhar C. Mande**  
(Secretary, DSIR & DG-CSIR)



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(Chairman, NSC, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan)



## DSIR-PRISM, UBA, RuTAG, SIH Alignment Event

The alignment event of **UBA**, **SIH** of MoE and **RuTAG** of IITD with **DSIR-PRISM** has been planned to witness the scope & opportunities for future collaboration and to exploit better opportunities of driving innovation for socio-economic development and inclusive growth.

### Scope of the Event

The event will promote wide advertisement, propaganda and publicity of **DSIR-PRISM** scheme and to work pro-actively towards providing the platform for technology innovation, customization and implementation to generate Rural Livelihood, inclusive innovation and socio-economic benefit. **UBA** with a network of 2700 HEIs and 14,000 villages, will be collaborating and identifying the key areas of intervention. **PRISM** will be promoting and supporting the technologies by various phases of Funding opportunity in the scheme. **SIH** with a vast network of more than 500 institutions across the country will act as a platform for budding technopreneurs and a large number of **RuTAG** beneficiaries will find out rural problems with innovative solution. The idea is to publicize **DSIR-PRISM** scheme widely through other vast network along with **DSIR-TOCICs** and to ensure the collaboration so as to identify the possible challenges and probable solution jointly in a unidirectional force.

### Stakeholders:

- [Unnat Bharat Abhiyan \(UBA\)](#)
- [Department of Scientific & Industrial Research \(DSIR\)- Promotion of Innovations in Individuals, Start-ups & MSMEs \(PRISM\)](#)
- [Smart India Hackathon \(SIH\) of Innovation Cell, MoE](#)
- [Rural Technology Action Group \(RuTAG\), IIT Delhi](#)

## Event Schedule:

Time (Hrs.)	Event	Resource Person
<b>Session 1: Inauguration of Alignment Event</b>		
13.00-13.05	Inauguration	<b>Dr. Harsh Vardhan</b> , Hon'ble Union Minister, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Science & Tech, Earth Sciences, Gol <b>Shri. Sanjay Dhotre</b> , Hon'ble, Minister of State for Ministry of Education, Communication, Electronics & Information Technology, Gol
13.05-13.10	Welcome address	<b>Prof. V Ram Gopal Rao</b> , Director, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi
13.10-13.15	Brief on Event theme	<b>Dr. P K Dutta</b> , Head, DSIR-PRISM
13.15-13.25	Keynote on DSIR & PRISM scheme	<b>Dr. Shekhar C. Mande</b> , Secretary, DSIR & DG-CSIR
13.25-13.35	Keynote on MoE and UBA & SIH scheme	<b>Dr. Vijay P. Bhatkar</b> , Chairman, NSC, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan
13.35-13.45	Address by the Guest of Honour	<b>Shri. Sanjay Dhotre</b> , Hon'ble, Minister of State for Ministry of Education, Communication, Electronics & Information Technology, Gol
13.45-14.00	Address by the Chief Guest	<b>Dr. Harsh Vardhan</b> , Hon'ble Union Minister, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Science & Tech, Earth Sciences, Gol
14.00-14.05	Vote of Thanks	<b>Prof. V K Vijay</b> , National Coordinator, UBA
<b>Session 2: Publicity of DSIR-PRISM, wider dissemination &amp; aligning with UBA, SIH &amp; RuTAG (Moderator: Dr. Ramanuj Banerjee, Member Secretary, DSIR-PRISM)</b>		
14.10-14.20	Brief about Smart India Hackathon	Dr. Anil Sahasrabudhe, Chairman, AICTE
14.20-14.30	Brief about RuTAG, Office of the PSA,	Dr. Ketaki Bapat, Coordinator, RuTAG, Office of PSA, Gol
14.30-14.35	Introduction of PRISM Screening Committee, TOCICs, Successful Innovators and other stakeholders	
14.35-15.25	Discussion on Scope & Possibilities of synergy/ convergence of DSIR-PRISM with UBA, SIH-MoE and RuTAG-IITD	Panelists: Dr. P K Dutta, Head, DSIR-PRISM Prof. V K Vijay (National Coordinator, UBA) & Prof. Vivek Kumar (National Co-coordinator, UBA) Dr. Abhay Jere, Chief Innovation Officer, Innovation cell, SIH, MoE Prof. S K Saha, Coordinator and Principal Investigator (PI), RuTAG, IIT Delhi Prof. Subhasis Chowdhury, Director, IIT Bombay Prof. Anupam Basu, Director, NIT Durgapur Other Screening Committee Members TOCIC Chairman/ Coordinators
15.25-15.30	Vote of Thanks	Prof. Vivek Kumar, National Co-Coordinator, UBA

**LUNCH (12.00-12.30 Hrs)**



Event Details:

YouTube Live Link: <https://youtu.be/hGNRKQq6VN8>

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Mr. Ajay Rajawat, SIH Team (9818163933, 9873771502) for YouTube

**Please see details of DSIR-PRISM**

at DSIR Website: [www.dsir.gov.in](http://www.dsir.gov.in)

Weblink: <http://www.dsir.gov.in/#files/12plan/prism/prism.html>



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*30<sup>th</sup> March 2021 (Tuesday)*

*Time: 1:00pm*

*Venue: Senate Room, IIT Delhi*