The Karnataka Innovation and Technology Society (KITS), Department of Electronics, IT, Bt and S&T, Government of Karnataka on behalf of Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science & Technology is seeking proposals for establishment of Skill Vigyan Centres in the State under DBT Skill Vigyan State Partnership Programme in Life Science and Biotechnology.

Programme Activities: The Department of Biotechnology, Government of India will provide support for following components under DBT Skill Vigyan State Partnership Programme in Life Science and Biotechnology:

1) Students’ Training Programme
2) Technician Training Programme
3) Refresher Course/Faculty Training Programme
4) Entrepreneurship Development Training Programme
5) Biotechnology Finishing School Programme

Skill Vigyan Centre: There is no need to create a de-novo new centre, existing facilities in universities/institutes could be suitably modified and strengthened to act as a Skill Vigyan Centre. This centre will be expected to impart the quality skill training and enhance the job opportunities in Life Science and Biotechnology sectors.

Who can apply?

- University, Training Institute, Research Institute & Organizations located and functioning in the State of Karnataka with proven track record of conducting teaching/training programmes in Life Sciences and Biotechnology.
- The institutions desirous of applying for the programme/s should have requisite networking and linkages with other academic, research institutions and industries to take advantage of existing expertise.
- The institution should be eligible for receiving Government funds/grants. Evidence of successful (technical and financial) implementation of minimum two projects funded by any Government agency.

How to Apply?

Interested institutions/agencies/organizations should submit the proposal in prescribed format along with relevant documents and copies of MoUs/consent letters to the following address

General Manager (Biotechnology)
Karnataka Innovation and Technology Society (KITS)
Department of Electronics, IT, Bt and S&T,
Government of Karnataka
BMTC Building, TTMC, ‘B’ Block, 4th Floor,
K.H. Road, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru – 560027.
Tel: 080 – 22270106 / 22270144 / 22274400 E-mail: gm2.ktech@ka.gov.in

LAST DATE TO SUBMIT THE PROPOSAL IS 30TH JULY, 2020.

Please visit www.k-tech.org, www.itbtst.karnataka.gov.in and the DBT website www.dbtindia.nic.in for complete information and format for submission of proposal. Only short-listed proposals will be invited for presentation before the Technical Evaluation Committee. The decision of the Technical Evaluation Committee will be final.