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COVID-19 : Crisis Inspiring Innovation of University Students

The industrial community has proven over the years that when face with challenges, ingenuity can yield the innovative results. No exception for the current crisis on COVID 19, our university students have already engaged in developing innovative solutions to tackle the several needs arisen due to COVID 19 outbreak.

Vice-Chancellors of the Universities and Directors of the Institutes are requested to take necessary actions to support the inspiring innovations of our students. UGC would like to assist you through the limited financial resources to finance the needs of the student's proposals recommended by the universities

The UGC allocates funds under the university development vote to promote and address the needs of the students who come out with innovative solutions to address the different issues arisen due to the current crisis.

Three (03) point actions are given below for your reference.

- Encourage university students towards innovative solutions to tackle the needs of the current COVID-19 crisis.
- The proposed projects should be supervised by the member of the academic staff.
- Develop mechanism to provide needs of the students engaged innovative activities. *In respect of procurement action you are kindly requested to refer Supplement 35 to the procurement manual dated 25th March 2020.*

Your corporation in this regard would be appreciated.

Signed by
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