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## Report of Canada-India Acceleration Program (CIAP) for start-ups.

The activity Canada-India Acceleration Program (CIAP) for start-ups was organized by E-CELL SAKEC. Professor Milind Khairnar, the faculty head of Entrepreneurship cell, was the organizer of this event. This activity had girls of all branches as participants who were very keen in learning about . The session was organized by AICTE and Carleton University, Canada and was conducted on 21st May 2018. The Canada-India Accelerator Program (CIAP) helps womens scale-up their companies in untapped markets in cities across India with mentorship from global entrepreneurs, more than 200 incubators, meaningful connections to corporations, potential seed funding and internship opportunities. The (CIAP) is formulated as part of MoU signed between AICTE and Carleton University to support and promote international collaborations between India and Canada. It has designed collaborative programs to promote startups and innovation in technical Institutes. Under CIAP 2018 applications for the first cohort of 10 women tech entrepreneurs to visit Canada are invited which is a part of the initiative which is going to Support 100 Women-Led Student Tech Start-ups Over a Period of Five Years. Eligible candidates for this are Women Innovative Tech entrepreneurs those are in Student/Early Startup\* phase only. The selected participants will get following benefits: - Get Involved in Exciting Discussions and Network with Fellow Innovators and Experts from Different Disciplines. - Receive firsthand Information and Orientation on Developing Feasible, Scale-able and Sustainable Start-ups - Know the Global Challenges and Opportunities and Prepare Yourself Towards a Global Start-up. - Receive First Track Mentorship and Investors Interaction/Linkage Opportunity. - Pre-Incubation and Incubation and Industry Linkage for Innovative Ideas/Potential Start-ups.



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