

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY- Benefits to all entrepreneurs in the Science & Technology sector.

- Critical Technology Programme (CTP)

Ministry Of Science & Technology Promotes R&D for critical and widely useful products/processes	Description The scheme promote research and development for creation of technologies/ products/processes which are critical in nature and can extend the benefits/usefulness to large masses in India.
Eligibility Individuals/groups from academic institutions/research organisations/industrial R&D units.	How To Apply A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes. Contact to the Ministry
Benefits: Salaries, equipment, consumables, contingencies, internal travel, overheads, etc.	

- Entrepreneurship Development Programme

<p>Ministry Of Science & Technology</p> <p>Training of 6-8 weeks for S&T graduates, in enterprise creation</p>	<p>Description</p> <p>The EDP of 6-8 weeks duration aims at training the S&T graduates and diploma holders in essentials of conceiving, planning, initiating and launching an economic activity or an enterprise successfully.</p>
<p>Eligibility</p> <p>R&D institution or specialized training institution</p>	<p>How To Apply</p> <p>A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes.</p> <p>Contact to Head, NSTEDB.</p>
<p>Benefits:</p> <p>Assistance of Rs.2,00,000</p>	

- Scheme for Young Scientists (YS)

<p>Ministry Of Science & Technology</p> <p>Facilitates young scientists to pursue innovative research ideas</p>	<p>Description</p> <p>The scheme provides opportunities to young scientists for pursuing innovative research ideas which have the direct bearing on social problems; facilitates interaction and exchange of ideas with scientific community; involves young scientists in national S&T development process through fellowships in selected NGOs.</p>
<p>Eligibility</p> <p>The scheme is open to young scientists,</p>	<p>How To Apply</p> <p>A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this</p>

upper age limit being 35 years, and having a minimum qualification of graduation in engineering, or post-graduation in science.	Schemes. Contact to the Ministry
Benefits: Equipment, salaries, consumables, travel, overheads, etc.	

- Science and Technology Application for Rural Development (STARD)

Ministry Of Science & Technology For developing rurally oriented innovative technologies, for R&D and technology adaptation	Description STARD aims at facilitating the development of promising voluntary organizations and innovative technologies which are related to rural areas. The objectives are: strengthening the existing institutions, field groups, NGOs, etc., involved in research and application of innovative S&T solutions for rural development by providing long-term support for core personnel; catalysing research development and adaptation of technology by funding development efforts; motivating scientists and technologists for applying their expertise to problems in rural areas.
Eligibility Non-governmental organisations (NGOs), recognised schools, colleges, universities and R&D institutions.	How To Apply A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes. Contact to the Ministry
Benefits: Equipment, salaries, consumables, internal travel, overhead, etc.	

- Scheme for Science & Technology Entrepreneurship Development (STED)

<p>Ministry Of Science & Technology</p> <p>To achieve socio-economic development through S&T interventions</p>	<p>Description</p> <p>The project aims to bring about socio-economic development of an area through science & technology intervention. It envisages matching of material and human resources of the district to create new enterprises and employment by usage of science & technology processes. It undertakes identification of opportunities through a detailed scientific survey and exploitation by entrepreneurs of opportunities thus identified.</p>
<p>Eligibility</p> <p>Reputed Technical Consultancy Organisations (TCOs), NGOs or any organisation having a proven track record in the field of entrepreneurship development.</p>	<p>How To Apply</p> <p>A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes.</p>
<p>Benefits:</p> <p>Identification of opportunities through a detailed scientific survey and exploitation of opportunities thus identified by entrepreneurs.</p>	

- Science and Technology for Weaker Sections (STAWS)

<p>Ministry Of Science & Technology</p> <p>Promotes R&D and technology adoption for uplifting weaker sections</p>	<p>Description</p> <p>The scheme promotes research development and adaptation of science and technology for improving the quality of life of weaker sections motivates scientists to apply their knowledge and expertise to problems of weaker communities.</p>
<p>Eligibility</p>	<p>How To Apply</p>

NGOs recognised schools, colleges, universities and R&D institutions	A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes. Contact to the Ministry
Benefits: Equipment, salaries, consumables, internal travel, overheads, etc.	

- Science and Technology for Women

Ministry Of Science & Technology Promotes technology adaptation and R&D to improve life and work conditions of rural women	Description This scheme is focussed on women as a specific target group to promote research, development and adaptation of technology; improve their life, working conditions and opportunities for gainful employment especially in rural areas; increase their contribution to science and technology and development.
Eligibility NGOs, recognised schools, colleges, universities and R&D institutions.	How To Apply A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes. Contact to the Ministry
Benefits: Equipment, salaries, consumables, internal travel, overheads, etc.	

- Tribal Sub-Plan (TSP)

<p>Ministry Of Science & Technology</p> <p>Preserving and upgrading traditional skills through new techniques and finding alternate employment avenues especially to improve the quality of life of primitive tribal groups</p>	<p>Description</p> <p>The scheme is for preserving traditional artisanal skills and upgrading the same; finding out alternative employment avenues wherever present occupation is dwindling; improvement in existing equipment and machinery and an introduction of new techniques; promoting research, development and adaptation of S&T for improving the quality of life of scheduled tribes including primitive tribal groups.</p>
<p>Eligibility</p> <p>NGOs recognised schools, colleges, universities and R&D institutions.</p>	<p>How To Apply</p> <p>A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes.</p> <p>Contact to the Ministry</p>
<p>Benefits:</p> <p>Equipment, salaries, consumables, travel, overheads, etc.</p>	

- Scheme for Bio-Technology (BT) Phase-I

<p>Ministry Of Science & Technology</p> <p>Early stage funding for commercialising high risk, innovative ideas</p>	<p>Description</p> <p>Early Stage Funding for high risk, innovative ideas/products for commercialization</p>
<p>Eligibility</p>	<p>How To Apply</p>

Bio-tech companies/entrepreneurs	A Udyami Helpline: Dial 1800-180-6763 [Toll Free Number] for queries relating to this Schemes. Contact to the Executive Director, Bio-tech Consortium India Limited, 5th floor Anuvrat Bhawan, 210 Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Marg, New Delhi - 110 002 (E. mail: bcildelhi@vsnl.com or bcil@biotech.co.in).
<i>Benefits:</i> Upto Rs.1 crore, upto Rs.50 lakh as grant and rest as soft loan	