

An online meeting was held on 8.4.2024 with regard to exploring possibility of collaboration with Tata Indian Institute of Skills (TIIS). The following members were present during the meeting:

1. Dr. Deepak Paliwal, Joint Director
2. Shri H.N. Shrinivas, Vice President (Retd.), Tata Group of Hotels, Mumbai
3. Ms. Nidhi Goel, Tata Indian Institute of Skills, Mumbai
4. Dr. V.S. Mehrotra, Professor, PSSCIVE
5. Dr. A. Nayak, Professor, PSSCIVE
6. Dr. Munesh Chandra, Professor, PSSCIVE
7. Dr. V.K. Jain, Associate Professor, PSSCIVE
8. Dr. Vinod Kumar Yadav, Assistant Professor, PSSCIVE

At the beginning, Dr. Deepak Paliwal, Joint Director welcomed the members. After self- introduction, Dr. V.S. Mehrotra presented the brief about PSSCIVE, its roles and functions, activities done in the past and upcoming activities, development of learning based curricula and course materials.

Shri H.N. Shrinivas while addressing, appreciated the systematic work done by PSSCIVE particularly in the development of textbooks on different sectors which is the need of the hour. He also mentions about the training and other activities organized by PSSCIVE time-to-time in promoting the skill education, which is a prime importance of Government of India. He further raised the issue of Industry collaboration and their participation in developing such types of courses, which fulfills their requirement and demand. He also focuses on developing short-term courses on different job roles keeping in view the demand of the industries. He also asked the Joint Director to plan a meeting with the Minister or Commissioner of Skill Development, Govt. of M.P. whenever he visit next time to Bhopal for exploring further tied-up particularly in technical and skill areas.

Ms. Nidhi Goel presented her brief about the Indian Institute of Skills, its objectives and modality of working. She apprised about IIS, Mumbai which aims to skill a future-ready workforce to power India's digital age, by delivering leading-edge training paired with key industry partnerships. This is a prestigious project of Hon'ble Prime Minister of India focusing on strengthening the skill workforce in India. She raised various kind challenges you have to face like industry collaboration, mobilization of trainees, etc.

She then presented the list of six courses which are in line at the initial stage – Advanced ARC Welding Technician (Robotics), Two & Three Wheeler Technician, Automation & Robotics; EV Battery Specialist; Industrial Automation Fundamentals; Additive Manufacturing.

Dr. Vinod Kumar Yadav presented the brief of the Institute proposal of setting up of National Skills School. In this regard, Ms. Nidhi Goel appreciated the proposal and assure further collaboration will be made in this direction. Very soon, one official, Mr. Radheshyam Chauhan will visit your Institute. She will also plan the visit to PSSCIVE to go through the campus, infrastructure and discuss the proposal in length.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to Chair.