

National Workshop on OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES FOR REGIONAL INNOVATION SYSTEM 6–7 October 2016

Details of the workshop are given at www.nistads.res.in

CALL FOR PARTICIPATION

CSIR-National Institute of Science, Technology and Development Studies is organizing a national workshop on regional innovation system and relevant issues. The workshop would consist of a mix of invited and contributed papers along the following themes. The workshop intends to provide valuable insights for policy makers and scholars to underscore the interventions that can strengthen regional innovation system.

Workshop themes

- **Innovation System – A National Perspective**
- **Indian Regional Innovation System**
- **Regional Innovation System – International Perspective**
- **Regional Innovation System – Case Studies**
- **CSIR Impact in Promoting Regional Innovation System**
- **Pressing Problems of India and imperative for S&T Intervention**

Key dates

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| • Deadline for submission of extended abstracts | 25 July 2016 |
| • Communication of acceptance of abstracts | 10 August 2016 |
| • Submission of full paper | 15 September 2016 |
| • Conference dates | 6–7 October 2016 |

Format for Extended Abstract: Extended abstract (of around 500 words) should be submitted outlining the main research questions and their relevance to policy, conceptual framework, methodology and empirical base of the paper by **25 July 2016**. Abstract acceptance will be communicated by **10 August 2016**. Authors of the selected abstracts will be required to submit full papers by **15 September 2016**. The papers should not have been published earlier in any form. Authors of the accepted papers will be invited to present their work at the workshop and their expenses on travel and accommodation will be covered. Young research scholars are encouraged to submit their work.

Format of Extended Abstract: Extended Abstract should be under following sub-heads: (a) Purpose, (b) Design/Methodology/Approach, (c) Findings, (d) Implications, (e) Originality/Value, (f) Keywords (maximum 5).

All submissions should be sent through e-mail at istipworkshop2016@gmail.com.