



Mahatma Education Society's
Pillai HOC College of Arts , Science & Commerce,
Khalapur HOC Colony Rd, Rasayani
(Autonomous)
NAAC Accredited with "A+" Grade in Cycle II



The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) at Pillai HOC College of Arts, Science, and Commerce is dedicated to fostering a vibrant innovation ecosystem that nurtures creativity, entrepreneurship, and problem-solving skills among students and faculty. The vision is to become a beacon of innovation, driving sustainable and scalable solutions that address real-world challenges.

Since its establishment, the IIC at our institute has embarked on a remarkable journey of transformation and growth. Starting with a modest team of passionate innovators and educators, the council has steadily expanded its activities and reach. Initial efforts focused on awareness campaigns and innovation challenges, which gradually evolved into structured programs such as hackathons, workshops, start-up bootcamps, and incubation support. Over the years, the IIC has successfully facilitated numerous activities based on entrepreneurship, start-ups, intellectual property rights, business plans, etc.

Our mission is to empower innovators through mentorship, skill development, and access to industry collaborations, thereby transforming ideas into impactful ventures and contributing to national development.

One of the core strengths of our IIC lies in its diverse representation, bringing together a rich mix of perspectives and expertise. The council comprises members from various academic departments, including arts, sciences, and commerce, ensuring interdisciplinary collaboration and holistic problem-solving approaches. In addition, industry experts and entrepreneurs actively participate as mentors and advisors, bridging the gap between academia and the corporate world.

The following members are part of the IIC:

Sr. No.	Name of the Member	Member Type (Teaching/Non-Teaching/Student/ External Expert)	Key Role/ Position Assigned in IIC
1	Dr. Rinkoo Shantnu	Principal	President
2	Mr. Binit Kumar	Vice-Principal	Vice-President
3	Dr. Vineetha P	Faculty	IIC Convener
4	Ms. Remya Madan Gopal	Faculty	NIRF Coordinator

5	Ms. Aprita Kante	Faculty	Social Media Coordinator
6	Dr. Sulochana Bhalekar	Faculty	Innovation Activity Coordinator
7	Ms. Rutuja Madane	Faculty	Internship Activity Coordinator
8	Dr. Archana Bhagwat	Faculty	IPR Activity Coordinator
9	Mr. Vineeth Murli	Faculty	Start-up Activity Coordinator
10	Ms. Priyanka Sorte	Faculty	ARIIA coordinator
11	Ms. Arushi Dube	Faculty	Member