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VITTBI signed an **MoU** with **HDFC Bank** on **January 6, 2025** to support incubatees & startup ecosystem. The event was graced by the VIT Registrar **Dr. T. Jayabarathi**, HDFC Circle Head **Mr. Krishnaswami Culli**, Branch Manager **Mr. Dinesh**, and Regional Product Manager **Mr. Ajeesh Nair**



JOL Energy Pvt Ltd., under pre-incubation at **VITTBI** was shortlisted for **Pitch to Win: Energy Edition 2.0**, organized by the **IITM Incubation Cell** and **Google** for Startups at '**EnVision 2025**'. The team made it to the **Top 10** for the Pitch Day on **31 January 2025** and won **Rs. 75,000/-** as prize money.



Viomax Enviro Solutions Pvt Ltd., under incubation with **VITTBI** has been shortlisted for **Equity-linked investment** from **StartupTN** under **TANSEED 6.0** & from **TECHIN IIT Palakkad** under **SAMASTHA 6.0** in January 2025.

Highlights / Achievements

Xibiotix Pvt. Ltd (currently incubated at VIT-TBI), along with past incubatee companies **Azperscience** & **Okulo Aerospace**, have been jointly announced as winners of the **Idea2PoC/ELEVATE Program** – a Government of Karnataka initiative aimed at supporting and funding innovative startups in the state.

Mr. Rishi Krishna, Co-Founder, CEO of **Symbionic Tech**, a company incubated at **VITTBI** has been featured on **Shark Tank India 4** in a **Divyang** special episode. Symbionic Tech makes advanced prosthetic solutions, including an adaptive toolkit and a bionic arm that mimics natural movement.



Highlights / Achievements

Alfaleus Technology Pvt. Ltd., a VITTBI-incubated portfolio company, has been shortlisted as a **finalist** in the 15th edition of the **Aegis Graham Bell Awards** under the category **"Innovation in DeepTech"** held on **February 20, 2025**, in **New Delhi**

Mr. Pranav Naik & Mr. Aninda Mukhopadhyay, co-founders of **TreSenso Tech Pvt. Ltd.**, Pre-incubatees at **VITTBI**, successfully raised 20 lakhs under the **Startup India Seed Fund** on February 21, 2025.

Xibiotix Pvt. Ltd (currently incubated at VIT-TBI), along with portfolio company **Clowak Innovations Pvt Ltd.**, were chosen to be part of the **Springboard Cohort** at **Assistive Tech Foundation** in February 2025

Mon Clarity Private Limited, founded by **Mr. Aravind** under pre-incubation with **VITTBI** has been shortlisted for the **"GBC South India Awards"** 2025. Their flagship product, **FinMitr**, has achieved a significant milestone by being ranked **#67** among Fintech companies on **F6S** for March 2025, standing out among over 2 million startups on the platform.

New Incubatees

	Company / Innovator	Scheme	Product / Project
	Dr. L. Karthik	Incubation / NIDHI Prayas	AI based Photo bioreactor to enhance the Coenzyme Q10 production
	FARY HITECH Private Limited Dr. Rajesh Kumar M	Incubation	Speech-based diagnostic device to address a neurological and speech disorders
	InGelCure Therapeutics Private Limited Dr. U. Anjaneyulu	Incubation	Innovative hydrogel technologies for biomedical and pharmaceutical applications.

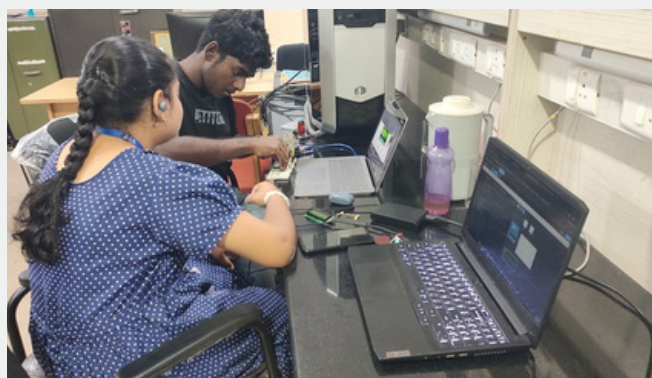
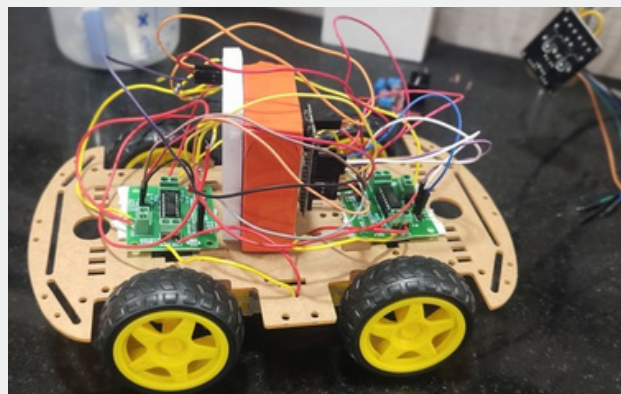
VITTBI and the **Institution Innovation Council (IIC)** of **VIT** jointly conducted online Entrepreneur sessions on account of **National Startup Day** on **16th January 2025**. **Dr. Fiona Dsouza (Anderson Genomics)** and **Mr. Abilesh Malli Gunasekar (Kyvor Genomics Inc.)** shared their insights as speakers with **28** participants.

VITTBI, in association with the **University of Toronto India Foundation (UTIF)**, has launched the “**Student Venture Acceleration Program**” focused on Sustainability and Climate Change. An orientation session, led by **Ms. Gauravi Lobo** and **Mr. Mohan Loganathan**, was held on 18th February 2025.



Technical Trainings

Mr. Ponraj S, Assistant Engineer, VITTBI organized a two months long immersive learning & hands-on product development based training in **smart electronics** from 6th January 2025. A total of **18** aspirants participated in the program.



Dr. John Joseph, Scientific Officer, VITTBI organized a hands-on training program on **Bioanalytical Instrumentation (HPLC, UPLC & Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer)** on 10th & 11th January 2025. A total of **09** participants attended the program.



Technical Trainings

Mr. V. Jagannathan, Assistant Scientific Officer, VITTBI conducted a two days workshop on **“Primer Designing & qPCR for Gene Expression Analysis”** between 17th & 18th January 2025. A total of **18** participants from different institutions attended the event.



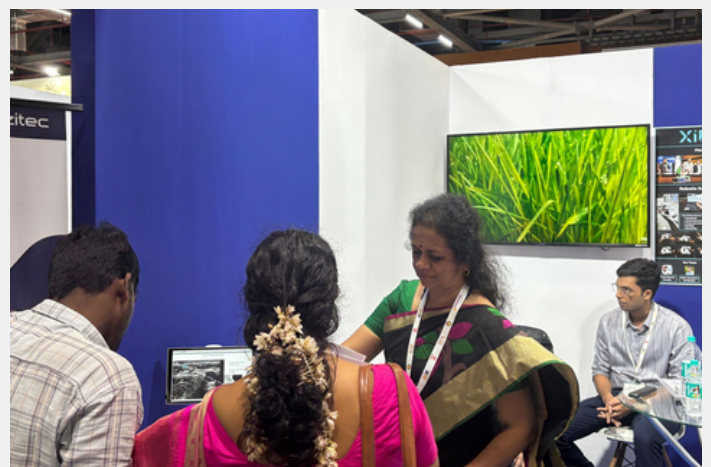
Mr. V. Jagannathan, Assistant Scientific Officer, VITTBI conducted an online hands-on workshop on **“DNA Sangers Sequencing Data Analysis & Mutation Analysis”** on 22nd February 2025. A total of **32** participants attended the program.

Dr. John Joseph, Scientific Officer, VITTBI organized a hands-on training program on **Bioanalytical Instrumentation (HPLC, UPLC & Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer)** between 26th - 27th January 2025. A total of **10** participants attended the program.



Promotional Events/ Sessions Delivered

Dr. Balachandran A. Director, along with Ms. Sudha Rajagopalan, Manager and Mr. Nishanth Corera, Asst. Manager of VIT TBI, participated in **Umanage TN 2025** held in Chennai on **9th & 10th January 2025**. VITTBI hosted a stall to engage with aspiring entrepreneurs, and startups – **Prezitec, Inion VR, Xibotix, and Dropbot Tech** in the event.



Mr. Nishanth Corera, Assistant Manager, VITTBI, participated in the **“Scale-up Incubator Program”** organized by **StartupTN** on 4th & 5th March 2025 in Coimbatore.

Promotional Events/ Sessions Delivered

VITTBI provided event support for the **10th edition of Bioinspired Design Fest (BIDFest 2025)**, organized by the **School of Bio Sciences and Technology, VIT**. Held from 24th to 26th March 2025, the fest saw active participation from around **120** students across various events.

As part of the **5-day Entrepreneurship Development Program (EDP)** held from 24th to 28th March 2025, organized by the **Office of Innovations, Startup and Technology Transfer** in association with the **School of Electronics Engineering (SENSE)**, Dr. Balachandran, Director and Ms. Sudha Rajagopalan, Manager, VITTBI were invited to address the participants.

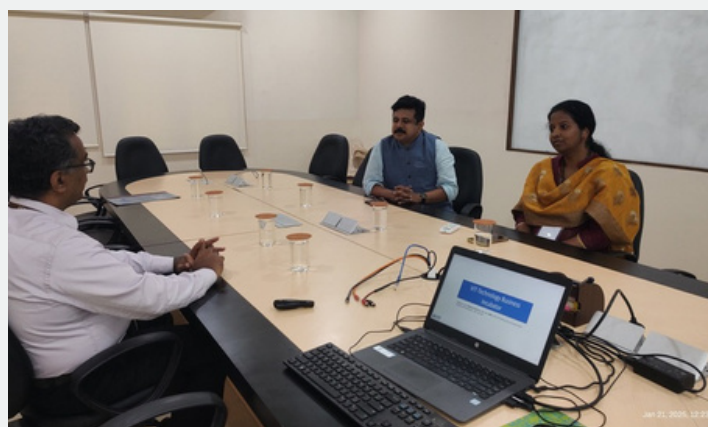
Dr. Balachandran, Director, VITTBI delivered expert talk on 25th and 26th March 2025 at the **Entrepreneurship Development Program** organized by the **ED Cell, Institution Innovation Council**, and **VAIAL, VIT**, sharing insights on entrepreneurship promotion and funding opportunities for startups.

Visits

A team of **19** doctors from **Aravind Eye Care System, Coimbatore** and **Madurai** visited **VITTBI** on **2nd January 2025** for an exposure to the activities & facilities.



Mr. Anoop Ambika, CEO of Kerala Startup Mission, visited **VITTBI** on **22nd January 2025**. During the visit, a select group of incubatees and student pre-incubatees had the valuable opportunity to pitch their startup ideas and receive insightful feedback.



Delegates from the **Yenepoya University, Dr. Aswini Dutt, Dean of Academics, Mr. Asim Syed Sheeraz, CEO, Yenepoya Technology Incubator** and **Dr. Sudhakar Prasad, Professor, Yenepoya Research Center** visited **VITTBI** on **23rd January 2025** and took a guided tour of the facility.



Visits

Around **70** students from the **Institution Innovation Council** of **D.K.M. College for Women** visited the **BioNEST Lab and Incubation Facility** of **VITTTBI** 13th February 2025.



Shri Rajesh Singh, Joint Secretary & Financial Adviser, MeitY, visited **VITTTBI** on 17th February 2025 to review the progress of the MeitY-supported program. During his visit, he also interacted with MeitY grantees and other incubatees at VITTTBI. He was accompanied by **Shri S. Ganesh, Additional Director, STPI, MeitY**.



Around **150** students from **Tumkur University, Karnataka** visited **VITTTBI** on the 25th of March 2025. Dr. Balachandran, Director, VITTTBI addressed the students about incubation activities & funding support for startups.



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