

CRITERION 3

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3.5.1. NUMBER OF FUNCTIONAL MOUS / LINKAGES WITH INSTITUTIONS/ INDUSTRIES IN INDIA AND ABROAD FOR INTERNSHIP, ON-THE-JOB TRAINING, PROJECT WORK, STUDENT / FACULTY EXCHANGE AND COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS

EDCIL (INDIA) LIMITED-MOU

REPORT OF THE ACTIVITY

LIST OF ACTIVITIES DONE UNDER THE MOU

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STUDY IN INDIA PROGRAM

The Ministry of Education (MoE) in the Government of India, has started the Study in India (SII) program, to offer high-quality education to international students. For this they have collaborated with top Indian universities.

Objectives: The faculty convener attended a regional workshop which was organised for its newly affiliated partner institutions in Kochi on September 2, 2022. The workshop aimed to familiarize these institutions with the Study in India Program and its various components. This included explaining the process for submitting course details, introducing the SII Tracks scholarship disbursement software, and outlining the plans for the upcoming academic year 2023-24.

The workshop was attended by Mr. Ashish Kumar, the convener of the program. During the workshop, Mr. Sandeep Goel, the Chief Financial Officer & Head of Operations and Education Services (OES), emphasized the significant role played by EdCIL (India) Limited in the Study in India program. EdCIL is a distinguished Central Public Sector Enterprise (CPSE) under the Ministry of Education, specializing in education management and consultancy services both in India and abroad. Mr. Goel discussed the various stages of the SII process in detail, which included the Application Process, Counselling Process, and Student Onboarding Process. The workshop also addressed the role of fee waivers in international student admissions and provided marketing suggestions for Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) to enhance the student experience and support.

Outcome: The regional workshop accomplished its goals by providing the faculty convener with the essential knowledge and comprehension of the Study in India Program. Consequently, for the academic session of 2023-24, there were 13 student applications, with 11 of them being male students. However, since the institution is exclusively for girls, their admissions were regrettably declined. Among the two female applicants, one expressed interest in pursuing the psychology honors course.

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• Study in India Program



Study in India – Regional Workshop for New Institutions

Importance of SII Programme for India

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- Important component of New Education Policy 2020
- Key enabler for making India a global soft power
- Helps in creating ambassadors to showcase Indian Educational System overseas
- Important for revenue generation



SII Programme for India



Importance of SII Programme on HEIs

- · Improves diversity among institutions
- Improves international and national rankings such as QS World rankings,
 Times Higher Education ranking, etc.
- Aim to create a friendly regulatory environment across all the internal & external stakeholders
- Healthy competition among institutes to work towards internationalisation of Higher Education



SII Admission Process

Application Process

- Student Registration
- Account Activation via Email
- Login and Account authentication via OTP
- Completing Basic Information
 & Background Information
- Choice filling by students
- Document(s) Upload by students
- Application Submission

Counseling Process

- Institute is allocated to students through counselling process
- Publishing of result on 'Student Dashboard' and 'Institute Dashboard'
- 10-days window is provided to Institutes to verify the documents and accept/reject the eliqible candidate(s)
- Provisional Admission Letter by institutes on student dashboard and email.

Student Onboarding

- Students to accept/reject the admission to the allocated institute.
- Visa can be applied only upon acceptance
- The students details shared with respective Indian Mission abroad to facilitate visa
- One SPOC is allocated from the institute to the students to help them prepare for the onboarding.



SII Admission Process



Target Countries

| Region | Country | Region | Country | Region | Country |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------|------------|
| SAARC | Afghanistan | Middle East | Iran | Africa | Mali |
| | Bangladesh | | Iraq | | Namibia |
| | Bhutan | | Jordan | | Zambia |
| | Nepal | | Kuwait | | Cameroon |
| | Sri Lanka | | Yemen | | Senegal |
| South East Asia | Indonesia | | UAE | | Algeria |
| | Thailand | | Saudi Arabia | | Mauritius |
| | Malaysia | | Oman | | Zimbabwe |
| | Myanmar | | Syria | | Mozambique |
| | Vietnam | | Nigeria | | Ghana |
| | Philippines | | Rwanda | | Kenya |
| | Cambodia | | Sudan | | Eswatini |
| | Laos | | Tanzania | | |
| East Asia | China | Africa | Egypt |] | |
| Central Asia | Kazakhstan | | Uganda | 1 | |
| | Tajikistan | | Ethiopia |] | |
| | Turkmenistan | | Morocco | 1 | |
| | Mongolia | | Tunisia | 1 | |



Branding your institute!

- Your brand positioning/highlighting USPs location, international experience, infrastructure, placements
- Create brochures, pamphlets & other collaterals for online/offline distribution
- Keep institute information updated on SII website
- Verify course details, eligibility criteria, fee detail, etc. before the start of new academic cycle
- Be active on all social media platforms
- Participate in as many Study In India education fairs as possible
- Appoint on ground institute representatives
- Share student stories & appoint student ambassadors
- No negative marketing & fake promises

Target Countries



What all institutions can do?



Select Target Markets



Set Up Dedicated Communication Channels



Market & Brand Your Institute



Create International Student Section on Institute Website

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Institute
Website

- Create A Dedicated Section For International Students
- Add Frequently Asked Questions
 - Courses Offered
 - Application Process
 - Admission Requirements
 - Fee Structure
- Include International Student Reviews
- Campus Virtual Tour (If Available)
- Showcase Global Culture
- Contact Details Of IRO
- Have A Mobile Friendly Website

Creating International Student Section on Institute Website

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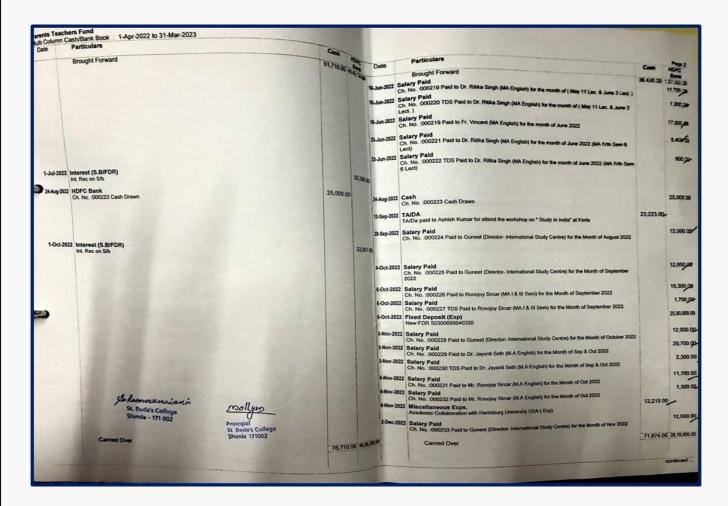






Study in India Workshop



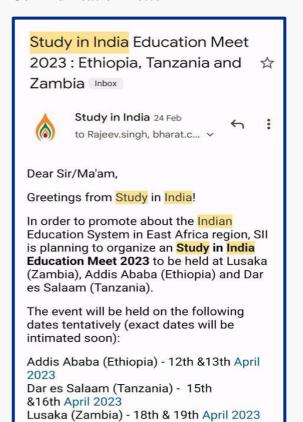


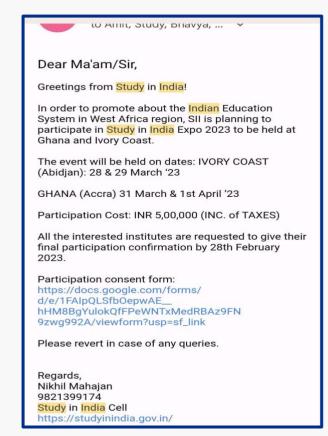
TA/DA paid to Mr. Ashish for Attending the SII Workshop

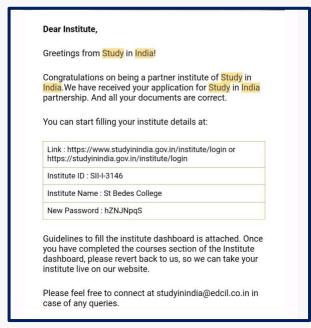
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