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RESULTS

Successful Proposals under "Call for Proposals-Innovation Grant- 2021"

Chellaram Diabetes Research Centre's Call for Concept Proposals- Innovation Grant 2021 was announced on 25th Oct 2021 with an objective to develop and nurture research capabilities/ skills in the field of Diabetes in India. We received a very positive response from researchers across India. Altogether 30+ high quality research projects were submitted by the renowned Researchers from various research centres and Institutes of National repute. After rigorous independent Experts' review of each of the proposals, we are pleased to announce that the following projects have been qualified for the Grant- 2021 from our 1st Call. The total grant for all projects comes to approximately 2.7 crores. We thank all eminent researchers who have submitted their novel research projects to CDRC for consideration.

Prior to commencement of disbursement of the Grant, CDRC Research Administration department will be sending the Grant offer letter to the PIs and PI's Institutions and upon agreement on the documentation including the Budget, EC approval, and other terms & conditions, by all the parties i.e. PI, Host Institution and CDRC, the first instalment shall be released.

The next "Call for Proposal" will be announced in June 2022.

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List of Successful Proposals under Call for Proposals- Innovation Grant- 2021

Name and affiliation	Title
Dr Jitin Singla	Modelling mitochondrial network in pancreatic β-cells for
IIT Roorkee,	better therapeutic design
Dr. Mahesh J. Kulkarni	Assessment of glycated insulin as a potential marker for early
CSIR-NCL, Pune	diagnosis of pancreatic beta-cell dysfunction.
Dr. Mayank Goswami,	Soft hydrogel lens as non-invasive ocular implant for image
IIT Roorkee	assisted in vivo drug delivery in diabetic retinopathy
Dr. P B. Raghavendra,	Evaluation of growth factors and stem cell combination, novel
NIBMG, Kalyani	formulation synergize to accelerate wound healing in diabetic
	foot ulcer models
Dr. Anand A. Zanwar,	Polyunsaturated fatty acid enriched nano-formulation for
BVDU, Pune	diabetes: In vivo efficacy and bioavailability studies
Dr. Giriraj R. Chandak	Generation of a Genetic Risk Score to discriminate between
CCMB, Hyderabad	Type 1 and Type 2 Diabetes in Indians.

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