

Dear Sir / Madam,

As mentioned by Ms. Nidhi Chibber (IAS), Additional Secretary, Ministry of Heavy Industries' (MHI), in the meeting on September 17, 2021 that Ministry Of Heavy Industry (MHI), Govt. of India, has taken an initiative to promote innovation and to develop an eco-system for the same by creating 6 technology platforms through the organizations under its aegis.

In line with this initiative and recommendation by MHI, International Centre for Automotive Technology (ICAT), Manesar has launched a new technology platform, in the form of an e-Portal, named "ASPIRE"(Automotive Solutions Portal for Industry, Research & Education). Attached is an Audio-Video for the same as ready reference

The key objective of this initiative is to enhance the technological capability of Indian automotive sector through exchange of knowledge & expertise, in order to facilitate the growth of automobile sector and overall socio-economic progress of the country.

This technology platform will facilitate auto industries (including OEMs, Tier 1 Tier 2 & Tier 3 companies), R&D institutions and students & academia (colleges & universities) to provide technology solutions, suggestions, expert opinions etc. on issues involving technology advancement. Further, it will facilitate exchange of knowledge with respect to research & development and other technological aspects of the automotive sector. The e-portal will act as one stop solution.

Considering more involvement of academia being an important stakeholders for this purpose, we seek your support to get your institution, professors & students registered on the ASPIRE portal .

For that request to get your institution registered on this portal: Here is the link for the same: <https://aspire.icat.in/oauth/register/company>.

We believe that this initiative will bridge the gap between Industry and Academia which was talked in above motioned meeting.

Professors & students will be able to participate in the various on-going grand challenges & Projects and can provide solutions for the query raised by the Industry / Start-up / Solution seekers. There are on-line Quiz or knowledge sharing webinars or other programs hosted through the portal where registered members can participate.

Please note that

✓ Professors can register themselves as an expert
at <https://aspire.icat.in/oauth/register/expert>

✓ Students can register them
at <https://aspire.icat.in/oauth/register/student>

There is no fee for registration at present. Request to circulate this request among your faculties & students. For more details, please visit <https://aspire.icat.in/>.

Thanking you .
With regards.

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