

WHO WE ARE

CIIE is a collective of interventions in the space of innovation-driven entrepreneurship in India. It has its genesis at the Centre for Innovation Incubation and Entrepreneurship (“Centre”), IIM Ahmedabad - an academic centre focused on research in innovation and entrepreneurship. CIIE continues to support the research and learning undertaken by the Centre.

CIIE includes three autonomous entities:

CIIE Initiatives, a company registered under section 25 of the Companies Act, 1956, India is recognized as the Technology Business Incubator - and operates national initiatives including accelerators, seed-funds, and research, among others.

CIIE Regional Innovation Foundation is a company registered under section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013, aimed at strengthening the entrepreneurial ecosystem at the grassroots through regional incubation and entrepreneurship.

CIIE Advisors Private Limited is an asset management company, and manages/advises venture capital funds like Bharat Innovation Fund and Bharat Inclusion Seed Fund.

This website provides a consolidated view of all activities carried out within the CIIE family. This website uses terminology that may be interpreted to suggest that all entities in CIIE family are actually a single entity. However, there is no such single entity as CIIE and all of the entities have their own separate legal existence - even though they may be using the common CIIE brand.

Further, although certain individuals are identified on this website as “Partners” or “Co-founders” these titles reflect business usage to reflect their contribution and association that is customary within our industry and are not intended to indicate that any such individual is actually a partner or shareholder in any partnership as those terms are used for legal purposes.