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NOTIFICATION

This is for general information to all that with a view to facilitate global research networks between higher educational institutions in India with those in other global universities, MHRD had initiated a Scheme to fund joint research projects between the Indian higher educational institutions and the best of global universities. Accordingly, Government has started the **Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration (SPARC)** that promotes global research collaborations with international Institutes.

All Indian Institute ranked in the overall top-100 or category-wise top-100 in the NIFR ranking are eligible to apply for the scheme. The partner institution shall be in the Top-500 of QS World ranking or in the top-200 of QS World ranking by subject.

A joint research project needs to be submitted by an Indian Institute/University with participation of a foreign university under SPARC for a two year interaction programme.

There shall be call for proposals in the month of October and April each year starting from 2018 and the first call for proposal is likely to be announced in the first week of October.

The sanction order for SPARC may be accessed through the following link:

<https://www.aicte-india.org/sites/default/files/SPARC.pdf>

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(DIPAK SINHA)
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