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Research Facility

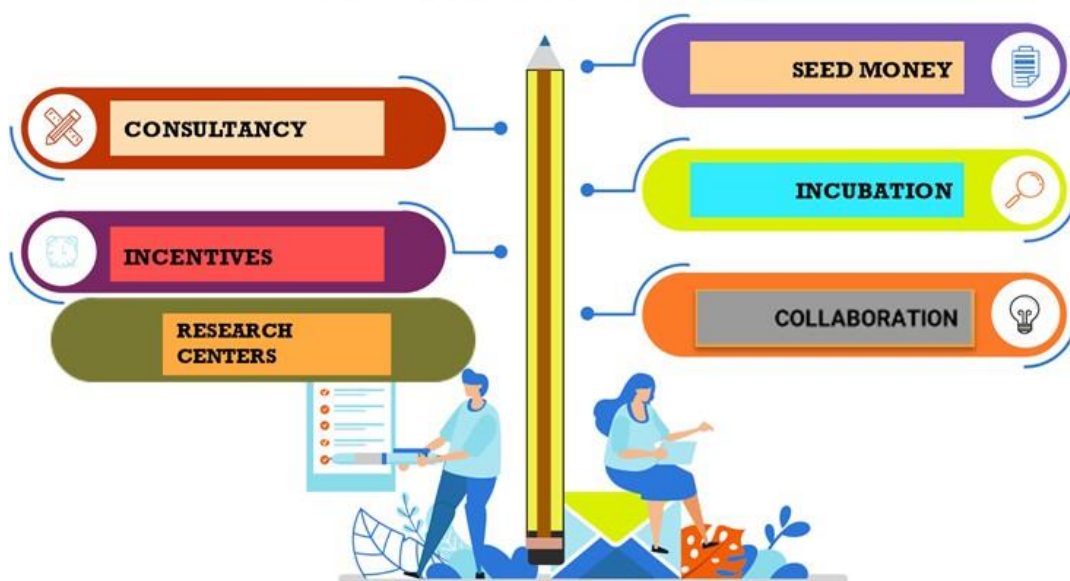


Figure 3.1: Research Environment and Policy of Srinivas University

The university has continuously invested in research over the past 5 years by establishing different research Centres with a motto to have at least one research centre in every Institution. This include:

- (1) Centre for Hospitality Research
- (2) Centre For Cardiopulmonary Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation
- (3) Educational Psychology Research Centre
- (4) Allied Health Sciences Research Centre
- (5) [4] The Centre for Pandemic disease control and Prevention centre is recently added to focus on COVID-19 Pandemic control and prevention.
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- (7) Srinivas Centre for Innovation Incubation and Entrepreneurship
- (8) Centre for Nano technology and thin films
- (9) Centre for Research in Social Science and Humanities
- (10) Centre for nursing sciences as Nations Health Need
- (11) Centre for 3D Animation and Visual Effects
- (12) Centre for Solar Cold Chain
- (13) Centre for ICCT Research
- (14) Centre for Pandemic disease control and Prevention
- (15) Centre for Skill Development
- (16) Centre for Science Popularization
- (17) Centre for E-Bank Research
- (18) Centre for Research in Aviation Management

Implementation of Research Policy: Within Srinivas University, Vice-Chancellor, Research Director, and Deans, with valuable guidance from the Chancellor, Pro-chancellor, and University higher officials, drive and implement several policies related to research that will cater to the problems of many young Research Scholars, Academicians. Apart from Research and Innovation Council, an Advisory body with external experts and industry experts members guides the council to frame new policies and transform the research into innovations that will solve society's problems and uplift society to higher comforts. The focus is to carry out research on emerging areas by faculty members and students in collaboration with outside experts, which can attract funds from national and international firms. To promote open access system, the university encourages open-access publications and to keep copyrights with the Authors through Srinivas Publications. Also, the University Collaborates with National Universities to use world-class research facilities.

Research Facility Updation: International trends and national standards are evaluated to keep the institution's research facilities up to date. The laboratory facilities are upgraded regularly to keep up with industry requirements. Recent Updation Include:

[1] Upgradation of Computer labs with additional computers, the latest processors, and good quality open- source software.

[2] Modern Equipment to Institute of Allied Health Science Research centre.

[3] Yoga and Vedic Science research centre being set up

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