

VIT School of Agricultural Innovations and Advanced Learning (VAIAL)



Industry Academia Conclave IAC 2025



Future-Ready Agriculture

*Integrating Science, Technology, and Policy for
Sustainable Agriculture Development*

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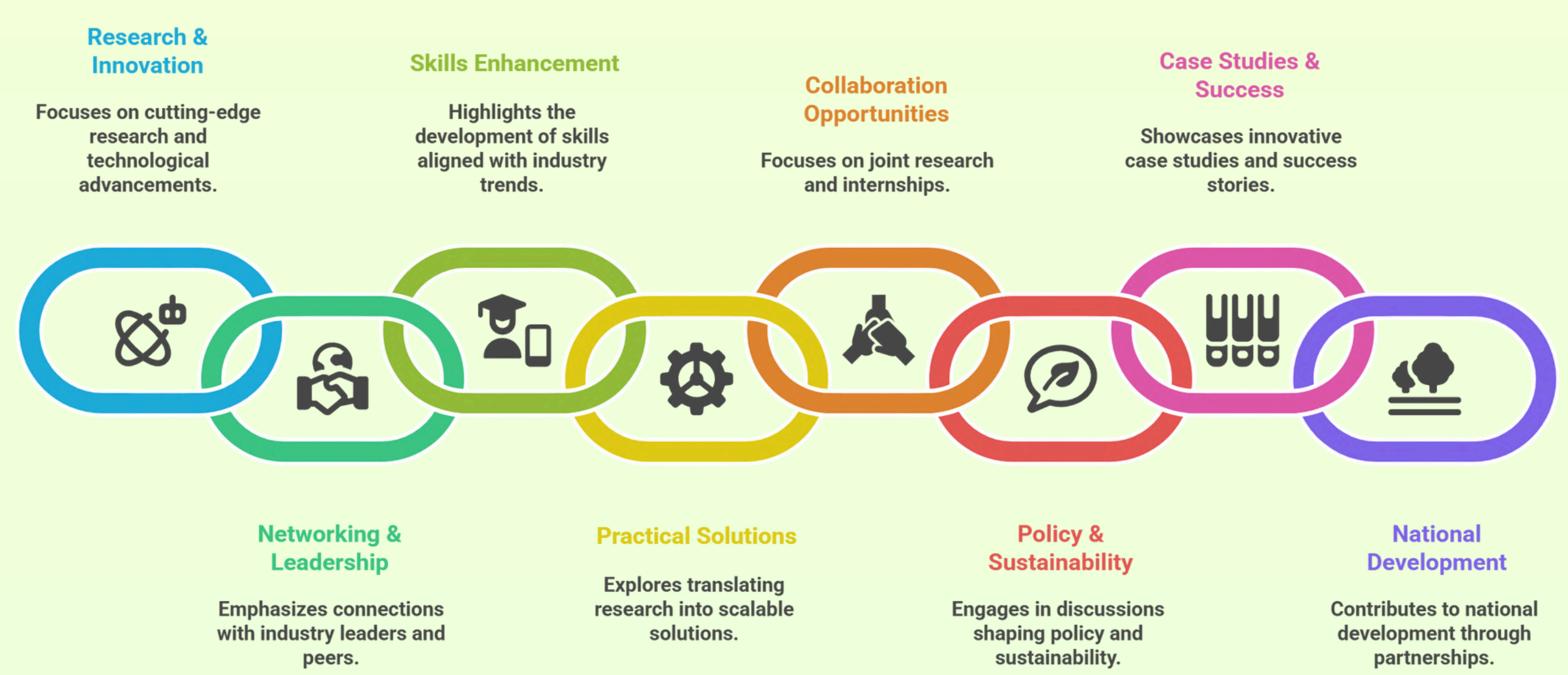
About VAIAL

At the forefront of agricultural innovation, VAIAL offers world-class learning and training experiences tailored to empower future leaders in the agriculture sector. We serve the farming community through custom-designed technologies to address need-based agricultural challenges. Our commitment to eco-friendly innovation uplifts the agro-industry while commercializing breakthrough concepts that drive real-world impact. Backed by excellent research infrastructure and a team of highly trained scientists, we lead the way in developing and demonstrating sustainable smart agriculture. With a global outlook, we actively tackle the pressing challenges of next-generation farming, ensuring resilient, inclusive, and future-ready solutions for the agricultural sector.

About the IAC 2025

The Industry Academia Conclave (IAC) 2025 at Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) is envisioned as a platform to strengthen collaboration between academia and industry by fostering the integration of scientific research, technological innovation, and policy frameworks to enhance productivity, profitability, sustainability, and resilience. Recognizing the need for convergence across agronomy, biotechnology, engineering, economics, and extension services to promote environmental stewardship and agricultural transformation, the conclave will bring together distinguished experts, corporate leaders, academicians, researchers, and students. It aims to facilitate the exchange of ideas, showcase innovations, and build partnerships that bridge the gap between academic knowledge and practical applications, thereby promoting innovation, entrepreneurship, skill development, and food and nutritional security. The IAC 2025 is expected to pave the way for strategic partnerships, joint research initiatives, internships, and curriculum enrichment, reinforcing VIT’s vision of nurturing industry-ready graduates and contributing to sustainable national development.

Why Participation Matters?



Key Themes

Smart & Precision Farming

AI, IoT, Robotics, drones, and decision support systems for resource-efficiency

Biotechnology & Genomics

Genetic improvement, disease resistance, bio-inputs, and sustainable crop

Climate Smart Agriculture

Smart Agriculture, Climate-resilient varieties, water saving technologies, regenerative practices, and carbon farming

Sustainable Livestock & Fisheries

Nutrition, breeding, health management, and value chain development

Agri-Engineering & Mechanization

Affordable automation, renewable energy, and post-harvest solutions

Agri-Business & Digital Marketplaces

E-commerce, value chains, traceability, and market access for farmers

Agricultural Extension & Knowledge Transfer

Digital advisory, capacity building, entrepreneurship, enabling frameworks for innovation adoption, certification systems, and global trade compliance.

Expected Outcomes



Research Priorities

Identifying key research areas to meet industry demands.



Industry-Academia Partnerships

Fostering collaboration for innovation and commercialization.



Policy Recommendations

Providing actionable policies for sustainable growth.



Enhanced Collaboration

Strengthening cooperation in agricultural sciences.



Event Details

Eligibility: UG, PG students, Research Scholars

Registration: <https://events.vit.ac.in>

Registration Fee: Rs. 50 + GST, for each participating member

Proposed Tracks

- AI, IoT, and Automation in Agriculture
- Climate-Smart & Regenerative Farming
- Biotech Breakthroughs for Crop and Livestock Improvement
- Smart Supply Chains & Agri-Logistics, Global Market Integration & Export Readiness
- Startup Pitches & Industry Collaboration

Participation Benefits



Industry-Sponsored Labs

Establish labs and centers of excellence with industry support.



Upskilling Opportunities

Provide upskilling and reskilling opportunities for industry personnel.



Strategic MoUs

Sign Memorandums of Understanding for strategic collaborations.



Work-Integrated Learning

Implement work-integrated learning programs for students.



Recruitment Drives

Conduct recruitment and internship drives for students.



Training Programs

Offer corporate and executive training programs.



Joint Programs

Implement industry-driven joint programs, courses, and seminars.






Funding Support

Provide funding support for student innovations and entrepreneurial ideas.



Sponsorship

Sponsorship Tier	Contribution Amount (INR)	Branding and Benefits
 Platinum Partner	₹ 1,00,000 and above	Exclusive keynote slot, premium logo placement, branded pavilion space, social media highlights, felicitation during inaugural, stall charges free
 Gold Partner	₹ 50,000 to ₹99,999	Prominent logo display, speaking panel participation, brand placement in brochure and backdrops, stall charges free
 Silver Partner	₹25,000 to ₹49,999	Logo placement in event collaterals, delegate kit insertions, stall charges free
Associate sponsor	₹15,000 to ₹24,999	Acknowledgment in printed material and during valedictory, 50% discount on stall charges

We are also open to custom sponsorship proposals, co-branded initiatives, or support-in-kind (such as equipment, technology demonstrations, or startup mentorship).

Stall Details

Category 1

- Stall size 6 ft x 8 ft
- For Non-partners, Amount: Rs. 4000/day + GST (18%)
- For Associate partners, 50% discount on stall charges

Category 2

- For Platinum partners, Stall size 6 ft x 16 ft, no stall charges
- For Gold and Silver partners, Stall size 6 ft x 8 ft, no stall charges

Sponsorship amount and stall charges shall be transferred to the below given bank account.

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