DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY
Ministry of Science & Technology

DBT ANNOUNCES Third Call under ATGC PROGRAM

DBT Invites Proposals under Accelerated Translational Grant for Commercialization (ATGC) Program to Translate Research Leads beyond Early Stage Validation and Encourage Academia to Develop Product/Process/Application

- To Support Proposals aiming for Late Stage Validation
- To Accelerate Translation of Laboratory Research beyond Early Stage Validation
- To Bridge the Innovation Gap through Partnerships and to Provide Support System

Scheme Consists of Two Components:

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<th>Academic Lead Translation (ALT)</th>
<th>Academia-Industry Translational Research (AITR)</th>
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<td>Academia Independently or in Collaboration with Other Academic Partner (s) or Industry in a Contract Research Mode.</td>
<td>Academia by Involving Industry as Collaborator</td>
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Who can Apply?
Academia is required to be the main applicant. Collaborations between Academia-Academia are encouraged for ALT and Academia-Industry are required to be applicants for AITR. **Industry alone or as a Primary Applicant is not eligible.**

How to Apply?
Proposals are required to be submitted **online only.** Only those proposals that are submitted as per the ATGC Proposal format will be considered. For program details, required Technology Readiness Levels (TRLs) and submission of proposals, PIs are required to visit DBT website at [www.dbtindia.nic.in/atgc](http://www.dbtindia.nic.in/atgc).

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