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During the workshop on making draft Standards the faculty displayed respectable awareness of Indian Standards and were guided on how research/ validation projects can make Standards more robust. Faculties have shown interest in joining as experts in Technical Committees. Ms Neeraja Satya, Assistant Prof, has expressed interest in joining as expert member in the field of 'Ergonomics in Construction projects'. Mr. Vanguri Prem Raj Kumar, Assistant Prof, Civil Engineering Dept has proposed to establish test method for self-healing property of bitumen and associate with BIS for formulating an Indian standard on the same. The information on institutions' strength, R&D experience etc. was gathered during the workshop.

During the workshop, information on BIS Internship scheme, standards club, industrial exposure visit etc. was also shared with the students who also came to interact with BIS team. The Director, promised to encourage RGUKT students for applying in BIS Internship program.

The Program was followed by meeting of BIS Officers with Prof. K. C. Reddy, Chancellor & Chairman of the Governing Council, RGUKT - A.P., Teacher, Researcher, Economist & Education Administrator. He thanked BIS for bringing such initiatives and organizing programs and assured all support from their side to take the MOU further forward.













