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NOTICE

In continuation of the Call for Research Project Proposals January – 2026 (Cycle-IV) dated 16th February 2026, the Jharkhand Council on Science, Technology and Innovation (JCSTI) hereby informs all concerned that the deadline for submission of proposals has been extended as follows:

| SL No | Particulars | Revised Timeline |
|-------|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Last Date for Online Application Submission | 31/03/2026; 5:00 PM |
| 2 | Screening of Applications | 01/04/2026 – 24/04/2026 |
| 3 | Project Appraisal Committee Meeting | 25/04/2026 – 15/05/2026 |
| 4 | Result of PAC | 29/05/2026 |

Applicants are advised to submit their proposals through the JCSTI portal at jctsi.jharkhand.gov.in

Clarifications regarding Annexure II and III (for collaborative proposals):

1. Annexure II: In proposals where the Principal Investigator (PI) is from a Higher Education Institution (HEI) established/managed by the Government of India and the Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI) is from a State Government funded HEI, the endorsement from the Head of Institution/Organisation is required only from the PI's institution. **Endorsement from the Co-PI's institution is not mandatory.**
2. Annexure III: **The Certificate from the Investigator(s) must be jointly signed by both PI and Co-PI(s).** The institutional documents listed under Annexure III (e.g., Registration Certificate, Memorandum of Association, Rules & Regulations of the Institution) are required only from the PI's institution. **These documents are not required from the Co-PI's institution in such collaborative proposals.**

In case of any queries, Please feel free to contact Shri Namadipta Sahoo at +91 98538 60584.


13.03.2026
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From,

Dr. Raj Shekhar Prasad
Executive Director, JCSTI

To,

Registrar
All State Universities | All Private Universities | CUJ Ranchi

Director

IIT (ISM) Dhanbad | NIT Jamshedpur | IIIT Ranchi | NIAMT Ranchi | BIT Sindri |
AIIMS Deoghar

**Subject: Extension of deadline for submission of JCSTI Research Project Proposals
January 2026 (Cycle – IV)**

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is in continuation of the Letter No: 43 dated 16.02.2026 regarding the JCSTI Call for Research Proposals January 2026 (Cycle-IV) circulated earlier. It is hereby informed that the last date for submission of online research project proposals has been extended to **31st March 2026; 05:00 PM** to facilitate wider participation from eligible researchers and institutions.

The revised timeline is mentioned below:

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|---|-------------------------|
| Last Date for Online Application Submission | 31/03/2026; 5:00 PM |
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Applicants are required to submit their proposals through the official JCSTI portal at <https://jcsti.jharkhand.gov.in> within the revised timeline. All other terms and conditions mentioned in the original advertisement shall remain unchanged.

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You are requested to kindly circulate this information widely among all concerned faculty members, researchers, scholars and affiliated institutions under your jurisdiction for necessary action.

For any queries, applicants may reach out to Shri Namadipta Sahoo (+91 98538 60584).

Yours faithfully

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13.03.2026

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