



MIT CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES (CIS)

MIT-IIT Kanpur Seed Fund

An annual fund that promotes exchange between faculty and students at MIT and IIT Kanpur calls for proposals.

Proposals from faculty and research scientists at (other) Indian institutions are eligible to be co-applicants on a proposal.

MIT-India seeks to partner with faculty and research scientists at Indian research institutions (with preference for projects between MIT and IIT Kanpur) to support early-stage projects and research collaborations, with **grants available up to 30,000 USD**. Seed funds support travel and start-up research costs for exchange between a team at MIT and Indian colleagues abroad.

The Seed Funds will promote an exchange between MIT and universities and research institutions in India, with a preference for projects between MIT and IIT Kanpur, all within the following focus areas:

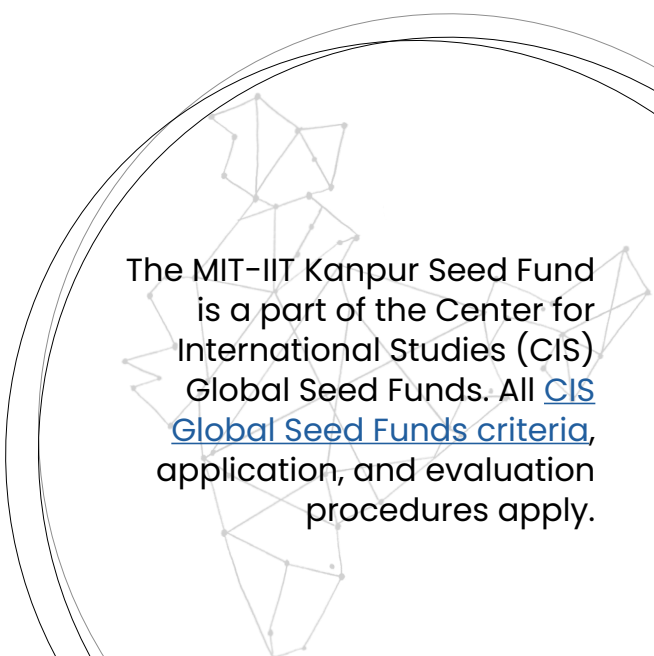
- Climate and Sustainability
- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Medical Sciences and Technology

Further priority for proposals that:

- Present a balanced exchange between the MIT and Indian participants
- Demonstrate a complementary relationship between the teams
- Involve undergraduate and/or graduate students

Need help finding an MIT professor or researcher to collaborate with?

- [Find faculty connections](#)



The MIT-IIT Kanpur Seed Fund is a part of the Center for International Studies (CIS) Global Seed Funds. All [CIS Global Seed Funds criteria](#), application, and evaluation procedures apply.

Apply: misti.mit.edu/faculty-funds

Deadline: December 12th, 2023