

**TECHNOLOGY APPLICATION AND PROMOTION INSTITUTE (TAPI)**  
**Status of the CY 2021 Major Programs and Activities**

PROGRAM	STATUS
<b>I. Comprehensive Invention/Innovation Assistance</b>	
1. Intellectual Property Rights Assistance Program (IPRAP)	Ongoing
2. Innovation and Technology Support Office (ITSO)	Ongoing
3. Invention-Based Enterprise Development Component I (IBED I) Program	Ongoing
4. Industry-Based Invention Development (IBID) Program	Ongoing
5. Invent School Program (ISP)	Ongoing
6. Invention Testing and Laboratory Analyses Assistance Program	Ongoing
7. Tax Exemption Assistance Program	Ongoing
8. Travel Assistance to Inventors Program	Ongoing
9. Inventors' Organization Accreditation	Ongoing
10. Concept Prototyping Program	Ongoing
<b>II. Technology Transfer and Commercialization Assistance</b>	
1. Venture Financing Program (VFP)	Ongoing
2. DOST-Academe Technology-Based Enterprise Development (DATBED) Program	Ongoing
3. Invention-Based Enterprise Development Component II (IBED II) Program	Ongoing
4. Innovation and Technology (I-Tech) Lending Program under Invention Guarantee Fund (IGF) of R.A. 7459	Ongoing
<b>III. Technology Promotion and Marketing Assistance</b>	
1. Institutional Support for Trade and Exhibitions of DOST Technologies and Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Science and Technology Week (NSTW)</li> <li>• Regional Science and Technology Week (RSTW)</li> <li>• National Invention Contest and Exhibits (NICE)</li> <li>• Regional Invention Contests and Exhibits (RICE)</li> <li>• Participation to Non-DOST Exhibitions and Technology Training/Seminar/Conference/ Fora/Contest (Local and International)</li> <li>• National Inventors' Week (NIW)</li> </ul>	Ongoing
2. Applied Communications Unit (ACU) for Inventors and Non-inventors	Ongoing