

A delegation from the USA visited NIPER and had an interactive session with students and faculty members. This visit was organized by CII under CRIKC program. Dr. Raguram Rao, Director, NIPER welcomed the guests: Dr Geroge Allen Rasmussen (Vice President Research, Dean Graduate Admissions) of Texas A&M University, Kingsville campus, USA, Dr. Venkat Allada (Vice Provost Graduate Studies), and Ms Jodi Ann Hasekamp, (Prospective International Student Advisor) both from Missouri University of Science and Technology, USA, and CII team. The delegate members briefly discussed the teaching, research and collaboration opportunities available in their respective universities. They also emphasized the need of globalization of science and technology, and faculty-students exchange programs. Dr. Rao apprised the team of NIPER state of the art research facilities such as central animal centre, CIL etc. and invited the delegations to plan collaborative projects in future.