





Q1 ACTIVITY REPORT

Topic: National Start up Day By IIC BIET

Time: Jan 16, 2025 10:30 AM

Speaker Name: Dr. Subhajit Aich, Assistant Professor, Dept. of ME, BIET

Faculty Organizer Name: Mr. Hemasunder Banka, Asst Professor, Dept. of ME, BIET

Mode of Activity: Physical Mode

Objectives of the Program:

1. Recognition and Celebration:

To acknowledge the efforts and achievements of Indian startups in driving economic growth, job creation, and innovation.

2. Promotion of Entrepreneurial Culture:

To inspire students, youth, and budding entrepreneurs by showcasing successful startup journeys.

3. Policy Awareness:

To spread awareness about government schemes, policies, and initiatives supporting startups like Startup India, Atal Innovation Mission, etc.

4. Ecosystem Development:

To strengthen the startup ecosystem by promoting collaboration between startups, investors, incubators, academic institutions, and government bodies.

5. Encouragement of Innovation:

To support and encourage innovation that addresses social, economic, and environmental challenges.

Benefits of the Program:

1. Encouragement for Aspiring Entrepreneurs

- Inspires youth to take up entrepreneurship as a career.
- Creates a national platform to showcase innovative ideas.

2. Government Support & Policy Awareness

- Promotes awareness about various government schemes like:
 - o Startup India
 - o Fund of Funds for Startups (FFS)
 - o Credit Guarantee Scheme
 - o Tax exemptions and easier compliance
- *Helps startups understand how to leverage these for growth.*

3. Strengthening the Startup Ecosystem

- Encourages collaboration among startups, incubators, investors, and academia.
- Fosters an environment of mentorship, funding, and innovation.

4. Boost to Economy & Employment

- Startups contribute to **job creation** and **GDP growth**.
- Supports local innovation and encourages "Make in India" initiatives.

5. Global Recognition

- Positions India as a global hub for innovation and entrepreneurship.
- Promotes Indian startups on international platforms.

6. Networking and Learning Opportunities

- Startups get access to industry leaders, mentors, and investors.
- Opportunities to participate in workshops, pitch sessions, and panel discussions.

Q1 ACTIVITY REPORT

Topic: National Start-up DayBy IIC BIET

Time: Jan 16, 2025, 10:30 AM

Speaker Name: Dr. Subhajit Aich,

Assistant Professor, Dept of ME, BIET

Faculty Organizer Name: Mr. Hemasunder Banka,

Asst Professor, Dept. of ME, BIET Mode of Activity: Physical Mode

The Innovation Council (IIC) and the Department of Mechanical Engineering at Bharat Institute of Engineering and Technology (BIET), Mangalpally, Hyderabad, jointly organized a program to commemorate National Start-up Day on January 16, 2025, at 10:30 AM in the Seminar Hall, BIET. The event was conducted in offline (physical) mode.

The program commenced with a warm **welcome address by Dr. Papiya Dutta**, Convenor of IIC and Professor in the Department of ECE, BIET. This was followed by the **presidential address** delivered by the **Principal and IIC President**, who also introduced the **guest speaker** for the session.

The guest speaker, Dr. Subhajit Aich, Assistant Professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering at BIET, delivered an insightful and thought-provoking lecture on the theme "National Start-up Day: Celebrating Innovation and Entrepreneurship."

In his address, Dr. Subhajit Aich emphasized that **National Start-up Day**, observed annually on **January 16**, was initiated to recognize the significant contributions of start-ups to India's innovation landscape, economy, and employment generation. He highlighted that the day commemorates the launch of the **Startup India Initiative** in 2016 by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India and aims to inspire young minds to embrace entrepreneurship as a means of nation-building.

He elaborated on the key objectives of National Start-up Day, which include:

- Promoting a culture of innovation and risk-taking
- Fostering **entrepreneurial spirit** among youth
- Encouraging the development of sustainable and scalable business ideas
- Spreading awareness about government schemes and support systems available for startups

• Strengthening the **start-up ecosystem** through collaboration between academia, industry, and incubators

Dr. Aich also discussed the role of engineers and technocrats in driving **technological entrepreneurship** and solving real-world problems through innovation. He encouraged students to be bold, think creatively, and contribute meaningfully to India's journey as a global hub of startups.

The session proved to be **educational, motivational, and inspiring**, especially for undergraduate and postgraduate students, as well as faculty members aspiring to support innovation and incubation efforts within the institution.

The program concluded with a **vote of thanks** delivered by **Mr. Hemasunder Banka**, IIC Member and Assistant Professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, BIET.

A total of **125 participants**, including UG and PG students and faculty members, actively took part in the event. The celebration of **National Start-up Day** served as a powerful reminder of the importance of innovation, collaboration, and entrepreneurial thinking in shaping a progressive and self-reliant India.

Photo Gallery:







Students are participating in National Start-up Day 2025



Presenting the Various Projects on National Start-up Project Day 2025



Celebrating the National Start-up Day 2025





-: Thank You:-