Gandhinagar Institute of Technology
A Report on
"Startup Vs Entrepreneurship"
(22nd January 2019)

Seminar Overview:

The SSIP team of GIT has organized seminar on "Startup Vs Entrepreneurship" on 22/01/2019 at 8:50 am in Seminar Hall(A105). SSIP coordinator Prof Mrugesh B Khatri & co-coordinator Prof Jyotin A Kateshia mentored the seminar. The students of final year Mechanical Engineering Division A & C and Civil Engineering Div A & B attended the seminar. There were 96 participants.

Objective:

The objective of the seminar was to clarify the benefits of becoming Entrepreneur and founder of a Startup. The hidden objective of the seminar was also to spread awareness about the SSIP and IPR policy launched by Government of Gujarat.

Seminar Detail:

The session started at 8:50 am in seminar hall. The participants were very energetic to know about the flow of seminar. Prof Mrugesh B Khatri commenced the session by briefing the term Startup to the participants. He informed the participants about the various elements of Startup. The importance of unique business idea was informed by him. He also added that the experience of failure will teach them.

He clarified the difference between Statup and Entrepreneurship. He added that the prime objective of an Entrepreneur was only the economical reward whereas it was not primary objective for the founder of Startup. He added that Entrepreneur will get financial support in terms of loans which is required to repay with interest within said timeline. But for Startup positive utilization to attempt innovation is important. The failure after sincere efforts will be celebrated if sincere efforts were made execute the innovation into reality.

Prof Jyotin A Kateshia shared information about Intellectual Property Rights. He educated the participants that it is to opt ownership on the intangible properties of innovator. The procedure to file the patent and the fees structure were shared by him.

In the last phase of seminar, the participants were educated about SSIP & IPR policy launched by Government of Gujarat to develop ecosystem for Startup. The benefits of SSIP policies were informed to the participants. They were also informed to opt ownership on their idea in form of patent. The participants were given information about Smart India Hackathon-2019. The provision of support for patent filling was also shared with them. The efforts made by GIT to develop the culture of Startup at GIT were also shared with them.

The event was a grand success under the enlightenment of Dr H N Shah, Principal of the institute and the participants.

Seminar Memories:

Participants listening to the mentor

Mentor delivering the session

Question Answer Session

Group Photo