

# **A REPORT ON AWARENESS PROGRAM ON STUDENT STARTUP RESEARCH AND INNOVATION**

The SSIP Cell of Government Polytechnic, Dahod organized an “Awareness program on Student Startup Research and Innovation” under Student Startup, Research and Innovation Festival on 13/10/2022 with the following three objectives:

1. to sensitize young engineering students about the funding and support for Startup from the Government of Gujarat under Student Startup and Innovation Policy (SSIP 2.0).
2. to felicitate the students with entrepreneurship spirit,
3. to encourage students for Startup research and innovation

More than 200 students of Government Polytechnic Dahod participated in this program. respected Shraddha Bhadang, Municipal Dandak and Councilor, Ward No. 7, Nagarpalika, Dahod was the chief guest and respected Ranjanben Rajhans, Councilor, Ward No. 2, Nagarpalika, Dahod and Respected Kinjalben Parmar, Councilor, Ward No. 5, Nagarpalika, Dahod were present in the program. The program was started with lightening of lamp by the guests, Principal and SSIP Coordinator. Principal of the institute Prof Pareshkumar M Mehta welcomed the guests. He also discussed about journey and achievements of the institute under SSIP 1.0 and motivated students to get benefit of SSIP 2.0. He also talked about future plan of the SSIP 2.0.

Chief guest Respected Shraddha Bhadang, Municipal Dandak and Councilor, Ward No. 7, Nagarpalika, Dahod talked about need of innovation and startups for the sustainable and inclusive development of society. Respected Ranjanben Rajhans Councilor, Ward No. 2, Nagarpalika, Dahod also motivated students to work on the solution of daily life problems of the society.

As part of the program, Gaurav Chale, an alumnus of Government Engineering College, Dahod and founder & CEO of Bogie Sauf Private limited briefed about the startup.

Mr. D. J. Kandpal, Lecturer in Civil Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, presented his project on “natural water purifier” with his students. Appreciation certificates were given to some students of institute by the guests for their outstanding contribution in the innovation activities at the institute.

SSIP coordinator of institute Dr. P. V. Singh discussed about important features, goals and objectives of SSIP 2.0. He motivated students to come forward and work on interdisciplinary innovative projects.

SSIP committee members Mr. T. M. Ghiwala, Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, Mr. J. G. Modi, Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, Mr. P. S. Pargi, Lecturer in Computer Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, Mr. D. R. Dhimmarr, Lecturer in Electrical Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, Mr. D. J. Kandpal, Lecturer in Civil Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, Mr. M. N. Patel Lecturer in Electronics & Communication Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, worked hard for the successful organization of the program.

Mrs. S. K. Seth Lecturer in Civil Engineering, Government Polytechnic, Dahod, conducted the program and proposed vote of thanks. The program ended with the singing of the national anthem.

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### **Student Start-up Research and Innovation Festival**

#### **Highlights of The Event**





