

## REPORT

### **STARTUP MIXER SURAT**

**Event Date:** 29.04.2023

**About the event:**

On 29th April 2023, ASHINE along with We Founder Circle (WFC) organized an event called 'Startup Mixer Surat' at ashine. WFC is a digital-first, community-based investment platform that brings together corporate executives, founders and investors from the startup ecosystem in India and globally. The event was aimed at providing an opportunity for participants to connect with like-minded founders, learn from industry experts and listen to a panel of veteran founders who shared their experiences and offered advice.

The event was attended by startup founders, angel investors, and startup enthusiasts. During the event, Gaurav Singhvi (Co-founder & CFO, WFC), Manish Rathi (Legal Finance Head, WFC) and Rohit Mall (Vice President, WFC) shared their experiences and insights into the challenges and opportunities of building a startup. The panel provided valuable insights and advice to the participants.

The panel discussion was followed by a networking session, where participants had the opportunity to connect with each other and the panelists. The participants also had the chance to showcase their startup ideas and products to the audience.

The event provided an excellent platform for startups to connect with experienced entrepreneurs and investors, and for investors to find promising startups to invest in. The event also helped to build a strong startup community in Surat and promote the startup ecosystem in the region.

Overall, the event was an excellent opportunity for startups, investors, and enthusiasts to connect, learn, and grow together. The Founders Backing Founders initiative by WFC is a step in the right direction towards building a strong and vibrant startup ecosystem in Surat.