







## The Department of Computer Engineering.

**G H Patel College of Engineering & Technology** (A Constituent College of CVM University) Vallabh Vidyanagar

# **Event Report**

# "Angel Investment/ VC Funding Opportunities for Early Stage StartUps"

➤ **Date:** 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2023

> Time: 10:00 AM Onwards

Institute: G H Patel College of Engineering and Technology.

➤ Mode of Conduct & Venue: Online Mode on Microsoft Teams.

Faculty Coordinator: Mr. Zubin Bhaidasna.



Dr. Deep Lodhari

# Lodhari Technologies Pvt Ltd. Founder and CEO



26th August 2023



10:00 am onwards



**Online** 









#### **Introduction:**

The Institute Innovation Council (IIC) is a dynamic and transformative initiative within educational institutions, designed to nurture a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship among students and faculty members. Functioning as a hub for creative ideation and practical implementation, IICs aim to bridge the gap between academia and industry by promoting innovation-driven activities. These councils provide a platform for students to engage in problem-solving, prototype development, and the exploration of emerging technologies. Through workshops, seminars, hackathons, and networking events, IICs facilitate the exchange of ideas, mentorship, and resources for budding entrepreneurs. Ultimately, IICs play a crucial role in cultivating an ecosystem that encourages innovation, fosters startups, and contributes to the overall socio-economic development of the region.

#### **Mode:**

Online Mode on Microsoft Teams

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## **Objective:**

The Entrepreneur's Talk on Angel Investment and VC Funding aims to enlighten entrepreneurs about the distinct realms of funding, guiding them in connecting with investors, crafting compelling pitches, and understanding valuation and due diligence. It delves into term sheets, equity implications, and the strategic value of investors, displaying real-world examples. The talk also emphasizes the potential for scaling with funding, sharing insights from successful entrepreneurs. Overall, it equips participants with knowledge, tools, and practical insights to navigate the complex funding landscape and drive sustainable startup growth.

## **Outcome:**

Entrepreneur's Talk on Angel Investment/VC Funding:

**Angel Investment:** Entrepreneurs learned that angel investors provide early-stage funding, usually as individuals. They offer mentorship and smaller investments, often in return for equity. This can help startups take off but might involve giving up more control.

**VC Funding:** Venture capitalists pool money from various sources to invest in startups with high growth potential. They offer substantial funding in exchange for equity and often demand a significant say in business decisions. Startups gain not just capital but also strategic guidance.

**Key Takeaways:** Entrepreneurs should weigh pros and cons carefully. Angel investment offers flexibility and mentorship, while VC funding brings larger capital and strategic support. Decisions should align with long-term goals and the level of control the entrepreneur wishes to retain.









**No. of. Participants**: Total 55 (50 Students + 5 Faculty members)

#### **Speaker:**

The session was conducted by Dr. Deep Lodhari an alumnus of BJ Medical College, Ahmedabad and Founder and CEO of Lodhari Technologies Pvt Ltd. He is an entrepreneur, who ensures the effective execution of simultaneous projects without compromising quality, timeliness or functionality. Expertise in building and creating solutions for education and medical technologies. Envisioned and led successful online educational technology. Innovative and results-oriented, with excellent communication skills and strong work ethic. Passionate about aligning business and technology goals.

#### **Event details:**

We are excited to share a brief overview of the recent online Entrepreneur Talk led by Dr. Deep Lodhari, focused on the journey from ideation to successful startup establishment. The event was conducted via Microsoft Teams, provided invaluable insights into the world of entrepreneurship and startup development.

**Key Discussion Points:** 

- **1.** Understanding the Startup Landscape: Dr. Lodhari kicked off the talk by delving into the essence of startups. He explained that startups are innovative ventures aimed at addressing specific problems, often leveraging technology and creative solutions.
- **2. Converting Ideas into Action:** The discussion transitioned into strategies for turning ideas into viable startups. Dr. Lodhari emphasized the significance of market research, identifying target audiences, and validating ideas before proceeding. Practical steps were highlighted to streamline this process effectively.
- **3. Mastering the Art of Pitching:** A significant portion of the talk was dedicated to the art of pitching. Attendees were guided through the essential components of a compelling pitch, including a clear problem statement, a unique value proposition, and a solid business model. Tips on delivering a persuasive and confident pitch were also shared.
- **4. Angel Investment and Funding Agencies:** Dr. Lodhari shed light on the various funding options available to startups, with a specific focus on angel investment and different funding agencies. Attendees gained insights into the criteria investors look for, the significance of a robust business plan, and the dynamics of equity distribution.

The event was a remarkable opportunity for aspiring entrepreneurs and startup enthusiasts to gain actionable knowledge from a seasoned expert like Dr. Deep Lodhari. The interactive session included engaging discussions and a Q&A segment, enabling attendees to clarify their doubts and receive personalized guidance.

We extend our gratitude to Dr. Deep Lodhari for his invaluable contribution and to all participants for making this event a success. The spirit of entrepreneurship continues to thrive, and we look forward to more such enriching sessions in the future.









#### **Event Poster:**









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## **Glimpses of the Event:**







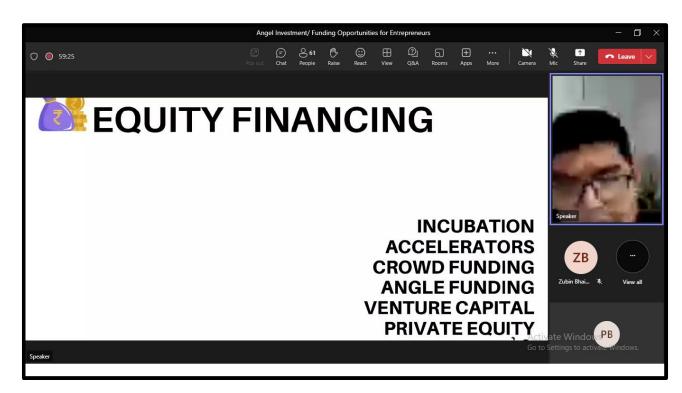






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#### **Social Media:-**

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#### 2. Facebook Link:

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#### **Event Recording Link:**

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#### **Attendees List:**

Full Name	Role
Prof. Zubin Bhaidasna	Organizer
12202040501068-CP	Attendee
Zubin Bhaidasna	Attendee
Speaker	Presenter
Prof Hetal Gaudani	Attendee
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Vansh Mehta	Attendee
ARYAN CHAUHAN (Guest)	Attendee
Het Vaghasiya	Attendee
12202040501068-CP	Attendee
DESAI DIYA MANISHKUMAR (Guest)	Attendee
Damani Hit	Attendee
Niyati Lad	Attendee
Darshita Bhatt	Attendee
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Shubham Savani	Attendee
DIYA M DESAI(Guest)	Attendee
Darshita Bhatt	Attendee









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Charmin Gandhi	Attendee
Stuti Bhatt	Attendee
12202040501011-Nensi chavda (Guest)	Attendee
Daiwik korat (Guest)	Attendee
KRUSHIL DOBARIYA	Attendee
12202040501021 Dhruvan Bhanderi	Attendee
Dia Desai(Guest)	Attendee
Dhruv Jaradi	Attendee
Harsh Patel	Attendee
Ruchi Tandel	Attendee
Harsh Patel	Attendee
Damani Hit	Attendee
Varad Chaudhari	Attendee
Miral Desai	Attendee
Charmin Gandhi	Attendee
Vidhi Bhayani	Attendee
ARYAN PATEL CP (12202040501066)	
(Guest)	Attendee
krushil dobariya (Guest)	Attendee
068-YASH MODI (Guest)	Attendee
Aryan Prajapati (Guest)	Attendee
Dharmik Rabadiya	Attendee
Aayushi Bhatt cp	Attendee
sakshi patel	Attendee
Prachi Surti	Attendee
Kevin Dave	Attendee
Shubham Savani	Attendee
Diya Desai(Guest)	Attendee
Mitali Sharma (Guest)	Attendee
Hit Damani	Attendee
Gaurav Godria	Attendee
Dr Maulika Patel	Attendee
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Esha Prajapati	Attendee









12202040501033	Attendee
Aniket Mali	Attendee
Devang Jadav	Attendee
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Darshan Solanki	Attendee
Nirjara (Guest)	Attendee
Nirali Joshi	Attendee
HENIL PATEL	Attendee
Harshrajsinh Parmar	Attendee
Aum Patel	Attendee
Diya Desai(Guest)	Attendee
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Nandish (Guest)	Attendee
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Ayush Khubchandani	Attendee
Prof Brijesh Patel	Attendee
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Vansh Sanghani	Attendee
Nirali Joshi	Attendee
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12202040501060 - Vansh Sanghani	Attendee
12202040501079 (Guest)	Attendee
Kushal Bhatt	Attendee









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shaunak lad	Attendee
12202040501077	Attendee
Jay Thanki	Attendee
Nainam .H	Attendee
kamyapatel75	Attendee
nitya chauhan (12202040501048)	Attendee
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daiwik korat	Attendee
heer	Attendee
kamya	Attendee
fatema (Guest)	Attendee
HARSH PATEL (Guest)	Attendee
Vivek (Guest)	Attendee
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Namrata Pandya	Attendee
Prof. Harsh Kantawala	Attendee
DR KETAN TAMBOLI,GCET (Guest)	Attendee
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