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**REPORT**  
**On**  
**ONE-TO-ONE MENTORING SESSION OF THE STARTUPS**

Organized By



**GTU Innovation & Start-up Centre (GISC) RAJKOT**



Ahmedabad Rajkot Surat Vadodra Mehsana  
Enriching Sustainable Innovations, Nurturing Startups

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## GTU INNOVATION COUNCIL AT A GLANCE:

GTU Innovation Council (GIC) has been designed to establish close bonding between industries, entrepreneurs, faculty members and students to make research and development at the University, relevant to the needs of industries at national and international levels. It helps to create a culture of design, new and products augmentation and processes in the arena of industries. GTU Innovation Council as an innovation campaign has started strategic steps to establish a close and continuing-action for the students in all the undergraduate and postgraduate courses. GTU Innovation Council is one of the elite organizations of the nation for cultivating multilayer innovation ecosystem. Through the efforts for creating culture of innovation and entrepreneurship in 8 years, an aura of developing the ecosystem across the state was conceptualized. The pilot projects and efforts have ideated many policies which have helped to change and shape up innovation and entrepreneurial mind-set of students. GIC is pioneering more than 12 initiatives in 8 sectors of the council.

Also GTU has become the India's first university to have Technology Business Incubator (TBI). Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India approve GTU as a nodal institute to start his own Technology Business Incubator. The TBI dedicated to IoT/ technology based start-ups.

## DIFFERENT POLICIES FOR GRANT:

1. Student Start-up & Innovation Policy (SSIP) PoC/Prototype grant up to INR 2 Lakh & Patent filling support up to INR 25K approved by NI
2. In Start-up Assistance Scheme of Industries Commissionerate, support provided up to 30 lakh per startup as a seed support approved by SLEC
3. Rs. 20,000/- per month will be provided to the innovator as sustenance allowance for one year whose project is recommended and approved by SLEC
4. In case of start-up having at least one woman co-founder, Rs 25,000/- per month per start-up will be provided as sustenance allowance approved by SLEC
5. An additional support up to 10 lakh will be provided to start-up having innovative project which have significant impact on society, based on condition on approval/sanction given by SLEC.
6. Assistance up to 3 lakh per approved start-up will be provided to enroll and participate for national/international recognized acceleration programs approved by IC
7. Assistance Up to 1 lakh per approved startup for skill development support approved by IC

**Date:** 16/07/2024

**Time:** 11:00am to 01:00pm

**Venue:** GTU innovation & Start-up Centre, AVPTI College Campus, Opposite HemuGadhavi Hall, Rajkot

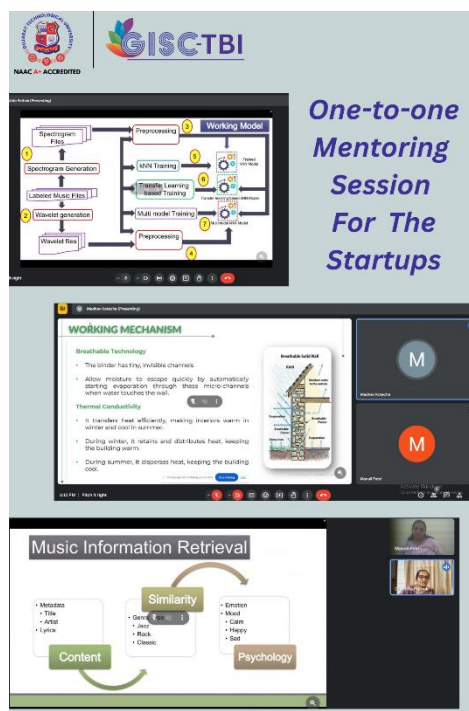
GIC always believed that Imagination is the foundation of innovation. GIC nurture skills and talent of the students to promote entrepreneurship and innovation around the states. GIC was established in order to develop a strong network and support system. Students are motivated to do research and development at the University relevant to the needs of industries at various national and international levels.

### Glimpse of the Session

GTU Innovation Council is one amongst the elite organization for fostering Entrepreneurship and Innovation beneath the aegis of Gujarat Technological University. The session began with introduction about the speakers by Ms. Manali Patel. On 16<sup>th</sup> July 2024, one-to-one mentoring session was conducted by Ms. Manali Patel for active startups of the centre.

This workshop contained as below:

GTU INNOVATION AND STARTUP CENTRE Rajkot organized a meetup with startups to get to know about their status of startups. The aim was to give guidance for future plans of their startup. There were 10 startup owners who came virtually for this meetup and we successfully fulfilled all the solutions of their problems with their startup.



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