

A Report on Seminar on (“Opportunities for Students & Faculties - Early-Stage Entrepreneurs”)

ACTIVITY TYPE	Seminar on “Opportunities for Students & Faculties - Early-Stage Entrepreneurs”		
DATE& TIME	07/08/2024 10:00 AM to 2:30 PM	Duration	4 hrs.
SEMESTER	1	No. of participants	65
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The **Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences (IPS)**, in collaboration with the **Parul Innovation and Entrepreneurship Research Centre (PIERC)**, organized a **Session on “Opportunities for Students & Faculties - Early-Stage Entrepreneurs”** on **August 7th, 2024**. The workshop was a part of the **Institute Innovation Council (IIC) activity** aimed at fostering entrepreneurship and innovation among the students of **IPS**.

Objective:

- To enlighten students and faculty members about the various opportunities available for early-stage entrepreneurs.
- To provide insights into the resources and support systems available at Parul University for fostering innovation and entrepreneurship.
- To encourage and guide budding entrepreneurs in their journey from idea conception to successful startup launch.

Outcomes:

The session achieved several key outcomes:

- **Enhanced Awareness:** Participants gained a deeper understanding of the entrepreneurial ecosystem, including funding opportunities, incubation support, and mentorship programs available through PIERC.
- **Motivation and Inspiration:** The expert speaker, Mr. Hutesh Baviskar, shared his experiences and success stories, inspiring participants to consider entrepreneurship as a viable career path.
- **Networking Opportunities:** The event provided a platform for students and faculty to interact with Mr. Baviskar and explore potential collaborations and support for their entrepreneurial ideas.
- **Practical Insights:** Participants received practical advice on how to navigate the challenges of starting and sustaining a business, including tips on business planning, market analysis, and resource management.

Activity Details:

- **Introduction to Entrepreneurship:** Definition, importance, and impact on the economy and society.
- **Opportunities for Early-Stage Entrepreneurs:** Overview of various opportunities available for budding entrepreneurs, including grants, competitions, and incubation programs.
- **Support Mechanisms:** Detailed explanation of the support provided by PIERC, including incubation facilities, mentorship, networking events, and funding opportunities.
- **Success Stories:** Sharing of real-life success stories of entrepreneurs who started their journey with the support of PIERC.
- **Q&A Session:** An interactive segment where participants asked questions and received personalized advice from Mr. Baviskar.

Glimpses of activity





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