

Detailed Report on SSIP 2.0 Awareness Seminar



1. Introduction

The **Electronics & Communication (EC)** and **Information & Communication Technology (ICT)** Departments of **Government Polytechnic for Girls, Surat** organized an **SSIP 2.0 Awareness Seminar** on **28th August 2025**. The event was conducted in **Classroom B201** from **11:30 AM to 12:30 PM**.

The main objective of the seminar was to provide awareness about the **Student Startup and Innovation Policy (SSIP 2.0)**, initiated by the Government of Gujarat, which aims to support and encourage innovation, entrepreneurship, and startup culture among students.

2. Objectives of the Seminar

- To create awareness about **SSIP 2.0** and its significance.
 - To highlight the **benefits, schemes, and opportunities** available under SSIP for student innovators.
 - To encourage students to develop innovative ideas and transform them into **prototypes or startups**.
 - To guide students on how to utilize **government support and funding** under SSIP.
 - To motivate students to actively participate in **innovation and entrepreneurship activities**.
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3. Resource Person

The seminar was conducted by **Mr. K. F. Chaudhari, SSIP Department Coordinator**, who delivered a detailed session on the **importance of innovation and startup culture in the academic ecosystem**. He explained the various provisions under SSIP 2.0, including financial assistance, mentoring, and incubation support available for student projects.

The event was organized under the **guidance and coordination of Mr. V. R. Dodia, SSIP Department Coordinator**, who played a key role in planning and executing the seminar successfully.



4. Highlights of the Seminar

- Introduction to **SSIP 2.0 Policy** and its objectives.
 - Explanation of **innovation to startup journey** for students.
 - Discussion on **government support system, funding process, and incubation centers**.
 - Real-life examples of successful **student startups** were shared to inspire participants.
 - Interactive Q&A session where students cleared their doubts regarding SSIP and startup opportunities.
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5. Outcomes of the Seminar

- Students gained **awareness about SSIP 2.0** and its benefits.
 - Increased interest among students to work on **innovative projects**.
 - Clear understanding of how to apply for **SSIP funding and support**.
 - Students were motivated to **transform ideas into prototypes** with the help of mentors.
 - Strengthened the vision of promoting **entrepreneurship and innovation culture** in the institute.
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6. Conclusion

The **SSIP 2.0 Awareness Seminar** proved to be highly informative and beneficial for the students of **EC and ICT Departments**. With the valuable guidance of **Mr. K. F. Chaudhari** (SSIP Department Coordinator) and the coordination of **Mr. V. R. Dodiya** (SSIP

Department Coordinator), the session successfully encouraged students to think innovatively and explore entrepreneurial opportunities.

The seminar played a vital role in enhancing awareness about government initiatives and will help in fostering a strong **innovation ecosystem** within the institute.