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SESSION with innovation and start-up ecosystems enablers

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Date: 13/08/2025
Time: 10:45 AM onwards
Participants: 209 students, startups, and faculty members

Overview

A session on Innovation and Start-up Ecosystem Enablers was organized on 13 August 2025 from 10:45 AM onwards. The programme brought together 209 participants, including students, startup representatives, and faculty members, to strengthen awareness and understanding of the innovation and startup support ecosystem.

Objective of the Session

The main objective of the session was to familiarize participants with the role of innovation and startup ecosystem enablers in supporting entrepreneurial growth. The session aimed to highlight the importance of incubation support, mentorship, networking opportunities, funding access, academic engagement, and institutional collaboration in developing a strong startup culture.

Participation

The session witnessed an encouraging response with a total participation of 209 attendees. The audience included aspiring student entrepreneurs, startup founders, and faculty members, which created a diverse and interactive environment for discussion and knowledge sharing.

Key Highlights

- The session focused on the concept of innovation and the importance of ecosystem enablers in nurturing startups.
- Participants were introduced to the different stakeholders involved in the startup ecosystem, such as incubators, mentors, investors, academic institutions, government support agencies, and industry experts.
- The discussion emphasized how early-stage startups can benefit from structured guidance, business mentoring, access to funding schemes, and networking platforms.
- The session also underlined the role of educational institutions and faculty in motivating students towards entrepreneurship and innovation-driven thinking.
- Interactive engagement during the session encouraged participants to understand practical opportunities available within the startup support ecosystem.

Outcomes

The session helped participants gain a clearer understanding of how innovation and startup ecosystems function and how enablers contribute to entrepreneurial success. It inspired students and startup participants to explore innovation-based opportunities, seek incubation and mentoring support, and actively participate in entrepreneurial initiatives. The programme also strengthened institutional efforts to promote startup awareness and build a culture of innovation among young innovators.

Conclusion

The session on Innovation and Start-up Ecosystem Enablers was successfully conducted and received positive participation from students, startups, and faculty members. With 209 participants in attendance, the programme served as a meaningful platform to encourage entrepreneurial awareness, innovation-led thinking, and deeper engagement with the startup ecosystem.