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The GTU Ventures Startup Roundtable on “From Idea to Prototype: How FabLabs Accelerate Startup Product Development” was successfully organized at the GTU Ventures Regional Hub, BVM.

We were privileged to have the esteemed presence of:

Dr. Tushar Panchal – CEO, GTU Ventures

Mr. Hemik Mehta – Regional Manager, GTU Ventures

Mr. Tapan Mistry – ICICI Foundation, Tech & Innovation Lab I/C

Mr. Nirav Patel – Sr. Manager, SPU-Navdhara

Mr. Manish Kothari – Director, Rahino Machines

Mr. Nikul Panchal – Founder, Heatech Private Limited

The interactive discussions on innovation, prototyping, FabLabs, and startup product development provided valuable insights and inspired aspiring entrepreneurs.

A sincere thank you to all the dignitaries, industry experts, startup founders, faculty members, and participants for making the session a great success!

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## GTU VENTURES START-UP ROUNDTABLE ON "FROM IDEA TO PROTOTYPE: HOW FABLABS ACCELERATE STARTUP PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT"



IDEA GENERATION | EXPERT GUIDANCE | FAST-TRACK MARKET ENTRY

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2026 | 02 - 04 PM**

VENUE: GTU VENTURES REGIONAL HUB, BIRLA VISHVAKARMA  
MAHAVIDYALAYA, MOTA BAZAR, VALLABH VIDYANAGAR, ANAND, INDIA

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| 1 | Session             | 24/06/2026                                                                                          | 03:00 PM | Wednesday |
| 2 | Title of Session    | Startup Roundtable on "From Idea to Prototype: How Fab Labs Accelerate Startup Product Development" |          |           |
| 3 | Number of attendees |                                                                                                     |          |           |

| No. | Name of Participant         | Designation                         | Signature           |
|-----|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1.  | Dr. Rakesh. P. Mehta        | Dean (III, T&P)                     | Rh                  |
| 2.  | Prof K. D. Bhatt            | ILC Head, IED                       | KD Bhatt            |
| 3.  | Dr. D. M. Patel             | Prof. I-L                           | Dr. D. M. Patel     |
| 4.  | Dr. D. S. Modg              | Ass. Dean R&D                       | Dr. D. S. Modg      |
| 5.  | Dr. R. R. Vashi             | SSIP Co-ordin                       | Dr. R. R. Vashi     |
| 6.  | Prof V. B. Mondaliya        | Assi. Prof                          | V. B. Mondaliya     |
| 7.  | Prof. D. M. Parmar          | Assi. Prof                          | Dr. D. M. Parmar    |
| 8.  | Prof. P. M. Bhojale         | Assi. Prof. (IT)                    | P. M. Bhojale       |
| 9.  | Jayesh R. Koirsa            | Asst. Prof.                         | Jayesh R. Koirsa    |
| 10. | Dr. M. J. Haran             | Prot. Incharge<br>(ITV Venture BVN) | Dr. M. J. Haran     |
| 11. | Manish Kothari - Rhino M/cs | Director                            | Manish Kothari      |
| 12. | A. A. Vahora                | Asst. Prof (EC)                     | A. A. Vahora        |
| 13. | Priyank B. Maekhi           | Asst. Prof (ME)                     | Priyank B. Maekhi   |
| 14. | R. S. Barot                 | AP DE                               | R. S. Barot         |
| 15. | Mrs. Nishu Patel            | sr. manager,<br>BPSEC, SPU.         | Mrs. Nishu Patel    |
| 16. | Nirul Panchal               | Director                            | Nirul Panchal       |
| 17. | Hemik Mehta                 | Regional head                       | Hemik Mehta         |
| 18. | Dr. Alpesh Damsar           | Asst. Prof (ME)                     | Dr. Alpesh Damsar   |
| 19. | Dr. H. J. Chaudhary         | Asst. Prof. (CE)                    | Dr. H. J. Chaudhary |
| 20. |                             |                                     |                     |

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