Report of Expert Sesion on “Engineer to Entrepreneur " Organized by Government Engineering College, Rajkot (ED Cell & SSIP Cell)on

13/10/2026

As a part of Vikas Saptah 2026, Government Engineering College, Rajkot, in collaboration with Swadeshi Jagaran Manch and Swavlambi Bharat Abhiyan, organized a programme titled “Engineer to Entrepreneur” on 13 October 2026 at Dr. Sarojini Naidu Auditorium of the institute. A total of 250 students and faculty members participated in the event. The programme was graced by distinguished speakers, including Shri Gaurav Kalola, Coordinator, District Industries Centre (DIC), Government of Gujarat; Shri Chandni Shah, Mahila Pramukh, Swadeshi Jagaran Manch, Rajkot; and Shri Yash Jasani, Expert Speaker, Swavlambi Bharat Abhiyan. Dr. K. G. Maradia, Principal, GEC Rajkot; Dr. S. M. Shah, SSIP Institute Mentor; and Dr. J. J. Goswami, ED Cell Mentor, were also present at the event. Additionally, department heads, faculty members, and participants attended the programme.



Program Brochure



Dignitaries on the dais



HODs, faculties and Participants attended the inaugural function



The function was jointly hosted by Prof. P. R. Pandya and Prof. S. J. Nagar



Lightning of Lamp by Shree Gaurav Kalola and other dignitaries



Felicitation of Expert by Dr. K. G. Maradia, Principal, GEC-Rajkot





Felicitation of Experts by Dr. S. M. Shah, Mentor-SSIP cell & Dr. J. J. Goswami, Mentor-ED cell



Welcome speech by Dr. K. G. Maradia, Principal, GEC-Rajkot



Session-1 was conducted by Shri Chandni Shah, Mahila Pramukh, Swadeshi Jagaran Manch, Rajkot



Session-2 was conducted by Shri Yash Jasani, Expert Speaker, Swavlambi Bharat Abhiyan



Session-3 was conducted by Shri Gaurav Kalola, Coordinator, District Industries Centre (DIC), Government of Gujarat





HODs, faculty members, and participants attending the programme.







Active Interaction of Participants with the Experts



Vote of thanks by Dr. S. M. Shah, Mentor-SSIP cell



All participants singing the National Anthem.

Program committee:

Dr. N. B. Gohil, SSIP cell coordinator& ED cell convener

Prof. R. K. Shukla, IC, ED cell coordinator

Prof. S. J. Nagar, CE

Prof. P. R. Pandya, EC

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Prof. D. J. Marsoniya, Mech

Prof. B. M. Kakrecha, Gen

Program Date: 13-10-2026

Venue: Dr. Sarojini Naidu Auditorium, Government Engineering College, Rajkot