

G. NARAYANAMMA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCE (For Women) (AUTONOMOUS)



Shaikpet, Hyderabad – 500104 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

NATIONAL STARTUP DAY Event Theme on "Innovate, Elevate, Celebrate"

REPORT

Date & Time of Program: <u>12th January 2024 (Friday)</u> | <u>15:00 – 18:00 Hrs</u>

Number of Participants: 50

National Startup Day is an annual celebration dedicated to recognizing and promoting the spirit of entrepreneurship and innovation within a country. It serves as a platform to celebrate the achievements of startups, showcase their contributions to the economy, and encourage the growth of entrepreneurial ecosystems.

We at Innovation and Incubation department in collaboration with AIC-GNITS Foundation celebrated the Innovation Week by organizing an event on 12th Jan 2024, calling all the GNITS Alumni Entrepreneurs and recognizing the Alumni for their excellent strides in Entrepreneurship.

It started with the agenda of Introduction of AIC GNITS by CEO Dr. Shashwat Pathak who briefed about the course of event followed by Legal Framework and regulatory compliances session by Ms. Kritika Sharma (Company Secretary – Graduate in Law & Commerce from Osmania University).

As the event commenced we had founders who joined and shared the entrepreneurial journey. The entrepreneurs included:

Name of the	Company	Startup Sector	Brief description of the startup
Entrepreneur	Name		
Keerthi Datla	Esvee Atelier	Furniture Design & Manufacturing	Esvee Atelier is a design house based in Hyderabad. They specialise in creating original and high quality solid wood furniture and collectibles that are made to order in limited batches for clients across the globe.
Rudraksha Reddy	Brekrr	Social Networking Platform	Brekrr is a dynamic virtual networking platform that transcends industry barriers, connecting professionals, entrepreneurs, mentors, and investors across diverse sectors. It serves as an inclusive ecosystem, fostering collaboration and ideation. Brekrr propels ideas from conception to market launch, offering comprehensive support



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			at every stage of product development. This innovative platform champions equal opportunities for businesses, empowering individuals to leverage networks, access resources, and thrive in their respective industries.
Pratyusha Cheepu	Dyonya Private Limited	Deep-Tech (HealthTech product)	Dyonya Private Limited, based in Hyderabad, India, is an emerging deep-tech startup. There focus lies in developing a non-invasive glucometer, with the flagship product being the Glyco-Sap—a groundbreaking health-tech device designed to revolutionize glucose monitoring. Team wanted to work on and introduce affordable technical solutions and make them accessible by all the households.
Himasree	Kitolit Robotics and IoT Tech company	Electronics and Manufacturing	Kitolit Robotics and IoT EdTech is revolutionizing education by implementing hands-on learning through lab setups within educational institutions. The primary focus is cultivating design thinking skills among students, fostering creativity, problem-solving, and innovation. Beyond education, team is deeply involved in cutting-edge research and development, leveraging our expertise to craft bespoke solutions tailored to specific needs. The dedication to custom product development ensures a diverse range of solutions that cater to various industries and requirements. Overall, Kitolit is not just an educational initiative; it's a platform that encourages practical learning,



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Renuka	Improve	EdTech	To bridge the skill gap between
Venkata	10X		expectations of corporates and
Ramani	Solutions		students.
Challa	Pvt. Ltd.		
Akshita	AGI	Industry 4.0	AGI Metal Forms (formerly Aradhya
Reddy	Metalforms		Ventures) offers comprehensive
Madireddy	(formerly		infrastructure solutions, specializing
	Known as		in industrial services, Abrasive
	Aradhya		Blasting, Industrial Painting, PEB
	Ventures)		Structure Manufacturing, and
			Warehouses. An integrated one-stop
			solution for all your infrastructure
			needs.

Then, we moved on to the Fireside chat on "Innovation and Adaptability in Entrepreneurship" by Ms. Keerthi Datla, Founder, Esvee Atelier & Ms. Akshita Reddy, Serial Entrepreneur, Managing Partner, AGI Metal Forms (confirmed) which was moderated by Program Manager of AIC –GNITS Ms. Setu Sharma.

The event was concluded with recognizing and awarding the top entrepreneurs in various categories like Rising Star Award, Collaboration Catalyst Award & STEM Outreach Award.

The awards were presented by honourable Chairman of GNITS Sri Raghava Reddy and reverend Vice Principal Dr. K Ramalinga Reddy to the following entrepreneurs.

- Renuka Challa, Improve10x Solutions Rising Star Award
- Rudraksha Reddy, Brekkr Collaboration Catalyst Award
- Himasree Desai, Kitolit STEM Outreach Award

The event ended with the closing remarks by Dean Innovation & Incubation Dr.Nara Kalyani followed by detailed discussions among students and entrepreneurs over high Tea.

Dr. N. Kalyani Dean, I&I