Activity Report

Title of Event: Idea Showcase: Demo Day/ Exhibition/ Poster Presentation of Ideas/ PoC & linkage with Innovation Ambassadors/Experts for Mentorship Support

Date of Session: 12 October 2024

Time: 10:00 AM

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Speaker: Dr. D. Paul Joseph, NIT Warangal, Telangana.

Poster/Banner/Brochure of the event:

ACTIVITY SUMMARY

Objective:

The Idea Showcase aimed to provide an interactive platform for innovators and budding entrepreneurs to present their ideas, prototypes (PoC), and research outcomes. The event sought to bridge the gap between ideators and experienced mentors, fostering innovation and collaboration.

Activities Conducted:

1. **Demo Day Presentations:**
    - Participants demonstrated their Proof of Concepts (PoCs) through live demos to showcase feasibility and real-world applicability.
    - Innovations ranged across diverse fields such as material science, green technology, AI applications, and healthcare solutions.
2. **Poster Presentation:**
    - Participants showcased their ideas through visually appealing posters.
    - Posters highlighted the problem statement, proposed solutions, methodology, and potential impact.
3. **Networking Opportunities:**
    - Innovators connected with like-minded peers, fostering collaborative prospects.
    - Industry representatives and academicians explored potential partnerships and funding opportunities.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Outcomes Achieved:

- Participants received guidance from seasoned experts to refine their projects.
- Constructive feedback helped participants enhance the feasibility and market readiness of their ideas.
- Exceptional ideas were recognized with awards and certificates, boosting morale and credibility.
- Promising projects were shortlisted for incubation programs or funding opportunities, establishing a pathway for future development.

Feedback and Testimonials:

Participants and visitors praised the event for its well-organized structure and its ability to connect innovators with a supportive ecosystem.

Conclusion:

The Idea Showcase successfully brought together creativity, mentorship, and innovation, laying the foundation for groundbreaking contributions to society and technology. Future editions will aim to broaden the scope and include more interdisciplinary opportunities.

Total number of Students participated: 65

Staff Members participated: 08