

## **REPORT**

### **SRUJAN 2K26 – Startup Exhibition**

**Event Date:** 26.02.2026

#### **About the event:**

SRUJAN 2K26 – Startup Exhibition was successfully organized by ASHINE–SVNIT in collaboration with Savishkar Surat, with the objective of strengthening the regional startup ecosystem and promoting innovation among students.

The event was inaugurated by Shri M. Nagarajan, Municipal Commissioner, Surat Municipal Corporation; Shri Capt. Ishver Dholakiya, Founder & MD, Goldi Solar Pvt. Ltd.; and Prof. (Dr.) Anupam Shukla, Director, SVNIT Surat. The dignitaries encouraged students to pursue innovation as a means of solving real-world problems and contributing to nation-building, while emphasizing the importance of an entrepreneurial mindset. The program featured inspiring startup journeys shared by Sachin Sutariya (Founder, EveoAI) and Dhaval Nai (Founder, Prahantam), offering valuable real-world insights into the challenges and growth of startups. An engaging session on entrepreneurial mindset by Sunny Kabrawala further provided practical guidance to aspiring entrepreneurs.

A major highlight of the event was the startup exhibition, where 50 student-led startup ideas were showcased, reflecting creativity, innovation, and problem-solving capabilities. The participants received valuable feedback and evaluation from an esteemed jury panel comprising Dr. Jignesh Vaghasia, Dr. Vijaykumar Radadiya, Dr. Rajesh Choudhary, and Vishal Rathod. The event concluded with a valedictory session, during which certificates were distributed to all participants. The top 5 innovative ideas were specially recognized for further support and development. SRUJAN 2K26 served as a vibrant platform for young innovators to present their ideas, gain mentorship, and take meaningful steps toward their entrepreneurial journey