

SSIP/IIC Activity Report

Activity Description

An exposure visit to i-Hub, Ahmedabad was organized by VGEC on 12 August 2026 from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. A total of 50 students from various engineering disciplines participated in the visit. Students were introduced to the innovation, incubation and startup ecosystem at i-Hub. The visit provided students an opportunity to understand various aspects of entrepreneurship, startup development, incubation support and opportunities available for young innovators.

The interaction with the i-Hub ecosystem helped students gain practical insights into the journey from idea generation to startup development. Students also received guidance regarding innovation, entrepreneurship and available support mechanisms.

Particular	Details
Name of Institute	Vishwakarma Government Engineering College, Chandkheda
Activity Name	Innovation Ecosystem Visit to i-Hub, Ahmedabad
Activity Type	Exposure Visit / Innovation & Entrepreneurship Activity
Date	12 August 2026
Time	2:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Venue	i-Hub, Ahmedabad, https://ihubgujarat.in/
Organizing Cell	Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) / SSIP Cell
No. of Students Participated	50
No. of Faculty Participated	02- Prof Rozina Surani and Prof Vaishalee Patel
Target Participants	1 st year and 2 nd year Students
Mode	Offline / Physical
Activity Objective	To provide students exposure to the startup, innovation and incubation ecosystem and familiarize them with available support for innovation and entrepreneurship.

Key Outcomes

- Students gained first-hand exposure to the startup and incubation ecosystem.
- Increased awareness about entrepreneurship and innovation opportunities.
- Students were made aware of various funding and grant opportunities available for innovation and startups, such as SSIP grants, government startup grants, seed funding, prototype development support, and other incubation-based funding opportunities.
- Students understood the importance of incubation and mentoring for startup development.
- The visit motivated students to explore their innovative ideas and entrepreneurial potential.
- Students gained awareness about opportunities and support available through the innovation ecosystem.

Feedback / Impact

The visit received positive feedback from the participating students. Students expressed interest in exploring startup opportunities, developing innovative ideas and participating in future IIC/SSIP activities.

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