



VIGNAN'S

INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(AUTONOMOUS)

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Beside VSEZ, Duvvada, Vadipudi Post, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam - 530 049



INSTITUTION'S
INNOVATION
COUNCIL
(Ministry of Education Initiatives)

Semester 1

Thrust area: Organize an Intra Institutional Idea Competition

Quarter 2

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| Theme | Incubation and Pre-incubation |
| Activity Name | Visit to an incubation unit Venture Development Centre at GITAM University |
| Mode of Conduct | Offline |
| Level of Activity | Level 2 * |
| Participants | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 43 Students from the Institute. • Faculty: 02 |
| Online Resource | https://youtu.be/3_I7mclpKaU |
| Brochure | <p style="text-align: center;"> A Visit to Venture Development Centre <small>GITAM University - Visakhapatnam</small> January 08, 2025, 9:00 AM to 4PM Organized by Entrepreneurship Development Cell Coordinator Dr A.Sampath Dakshina Murthy ,Head VCIS Co- Coordinator Dr .M. Srinu </p> |
| Description | <p>On January 8, 2025, a delegation of 43 students from Vignan's Institute of Information Technology (VIIT) visited the Venture Development Centre (VDC) at GITAM University, Visakhapatnam, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The visit, coordinated by Dr. M. Srinu, I/C ED Cell, VIIT, aimed to provide an overview of the pre-incubation unit, which is dedicated to supporting and nurturing entrepreneurs, fostering innovation, and promoting an entrepreneurial spirit.</p> <p>The group was welcomed by key officials, including Mr. Krish Nangegadda (Chief Innovation Officer), Dr. Raja Phani Pappu (Director of VDC), and Dr. Sreedhara R. Voleti (Dean of Entrepreneurship). Participants toured the VDC's facilities, including incubation units, seminar halls, common halls, discussion rooms, and office spaces, getting a firsthand look at the operational mechanisms behind these areas.</p> <p>In addition to the tour, participants interacted with various stakeholders, gaining insights into their roles, tasks, and the challenges they face in</p> |

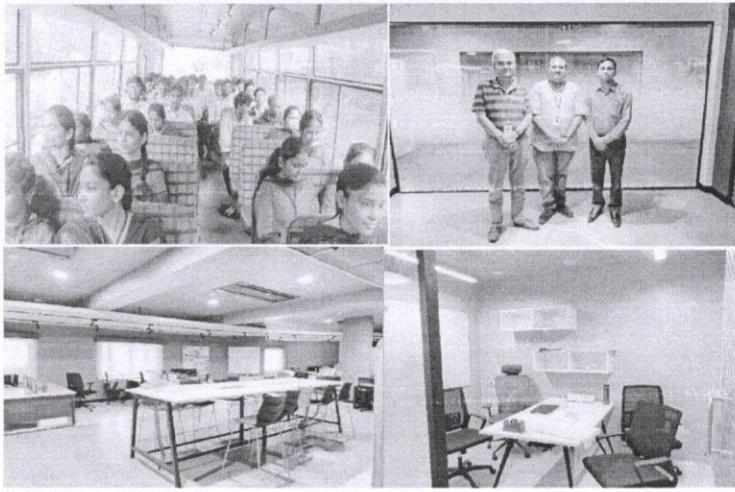


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| | <p>supporting innovation and entrepreneurship. This engagement allowed the participants to better understand how the VDC leverages its resources to help students and entrepreneurs develop their ideas and products. The visit was a valuable experience, offering practical knowledge on the incubation and pre-incubation processes and how they can support the entrepreneurial ecosystem.</p> |
| Photos |  <p>Students visiting the VDC at GITAM Campus</p> |

Feedback:

The visit to GITAM University's Venture Development Centre was an enriching experience for the 43 students from VIIT. The tour provided valuable insights into the pre-incubation process, innovation support, and entrepreneurial development. Engaging with stakeholders and exploring the facilities enhanced our understanding of how incubation units foster growth, innovation, and product development for aspiring entrepreneurs.



Event Coordinator



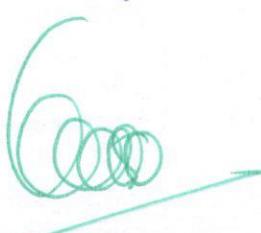
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