

जागतिक व्याप्तीचा अभिमान आणि नव्या यशाकडे वाटचाल

मनोगत -

नमस्कार. गर्जे मराठी ग्लोबल च्या प्रत्येक सभासदाला आणि आपल्या कुटुंबियांना नूतन वर्षाच्या अनेक शुभेच्छा आणि गर्जे मराठी च्या 'गौरव' मुखपत्रात आपले सर्वांचे स्वागत.

गर्जे मराठीचा जागतिक स्तरावरील आलेख गेले काही वर्षात उंचावला आहे, जबाबदारी वाढते आहे आणि तसेच संस्थेकडून असलेल्या अपेक्षा वाढत आहेत. २०१६ मध्ये सुरवात झालेली संस्था आज अतिशय कमी कालावधीत खूप मोठी झाली आहे, आपले १५००० हून जास्त सभासद २५ पेक्षा जास्त देशांमधून सतत कार्यरत आहेत, आणि ही व्याप्ती वेगाने वाढत आहे. ही वाटचाल आपण सर्वांनी मातृ भूमीला काहीतरी देण्याचे प्रेरणेने केलेल्या कामाने, एकत्र येण्याने शक्य झाली आहे, आणि त्याबद्दल आपले सर्वांचे मनःपूर्वक अभिनंदन.

आपले सर्व सभासद, आज मितीला वैयक्तिक पातळी वर जोडलेले आहेत, किंवा समाज माध्यमातून गर्जे मराठी बद्दल माहिती मिळवत असतात. काही जणांना ती मिळते, काही जण वेळे अभावी मिळवू शकत नाहीत. त्यामुळे गेले काही दिवस आपल्या संस्थेचे, स्वतःचे मुखपत्र असावे असे मनात होते. तो योग आज जुळून आला मकर संक्रांतीच्या दिवशी.

गर्जे मराठी गौरव, हे नुसतेच माहिती देणारे मासिक मुखपत्र नाही तर तो गौरव आहे महाराष्ट्राचा, गौरव आहे आपण सर्व जण मराठी माणसाचा झेंडा जग भरत अभिमानाने फडकवत असल्याचा, गौरव आहे आपल्यातील उद्योजकतेचा आणि गौरव आहे आपण घडवत असलेल्या नवीन पिढीचा, जी आपल्या प्रमाणेच 'परत मातृ भूमीला' ह्या विचाराने प्रेरित होण्याचा.

'गौरव' ची रूपरेषा आणि मांडणी साधी, सरळ ठेवण्याचा प्रयत्न आहे. मागील महिन्यातील, गर्जे मराठीच्या एखाद्या उपक्रमाबद्दलची माहिती, एखादे नवीनच झालेले सामंजस्य करार, एखाद्या संस्थेबरोबर केलेले काम, एखाद्या देशामध्ये झालेला कार्यक्रम अशा स्वरूपाची रूपरेषा मनात आहे. मराठी आणि इंग्रजी अश्या दोन्ही भाषेमध्ये असलेले निवडक आणि ते सुद्धा आपल्याच सभासदांनी विविध समाज माध्यमांवर लिहिलेले लेख इथे एकत्रित करण्याचा प्रयत्न आपण करणार आहोत. त्याच बरोबर प्रत्येक अंकात आपण गर्जे मराठीच्या काही सभासदांची ओळख त्यांनी केलेल्या, करत असलेल्या अथवा मिळवलेल्या यशाबद्दल करून देणार आहोत आणि प्रत्येक अंकात एका देशातील गर्जे मराठी च्या शाखेबद्दलची (सेंटर ऑफ एक्सीलेन्स) माहितीही देण्याचा प्रयत्न करणार आहोत. ह्या साठी आपल्यातील काही जणांचे सहकार्यही हवे आहे.

ह्या प्रथम अंकात, आपण गर्जे मराठी ग्लोबल च्या विविध उपक्रमांबद्दल जाणून घेणार आहोत, गर्जे मराठीच्या जागतिक व्याप्ती बद्दल काही माहिती देणार आहोत आणि नुकत्याच संपन्न झालेल्या महाराष्ट्रातील पहिल्या वहील्या जागतिक उद्योजक परिषद, २०२५ बद्दल एक फोटो फीचर आणि काही अभिप्राय बघणार आहोत.

पुनःच: एकदा सर्वांचे गर्जे मराठी गौरव मध्ये सस्नेह हार्दिक स्वागत आणि सर्वांना मकर संक्रांतीच्या अनेक शुभेच्छा.

माधव दाबके

संपादक

आपणास काही सूचना असल्यास, ह्या उपक्रमात भाग घेण्याची इच्छा असल्यास कृपया खालील ई-मेल वर आपण कशा प्रकारे सहभागी होऊ शकता हे कळवावे ही विनंती. (gmgindia@garjemarathi.com अथवा gmgadmin@garjemarathi.com)

Garje Marathi Global

Garje Marathi Global (GMG) is a not-for-profit organization registered in California, USA. The organization was formed in 2016 with the purpose of bringing all highly successful Maharashtrians together. The context has changed over last eight years and now GMG is world's largest platform to share knowledge, promote entrepreneurship, mentor the next generation and celebrate the success of high achievers around the world.

GMG has more than 15,000 members directly connected Maharashtrians through its localized Centre of Excellences (CoE) in 25+ nations across the world. All these members have come together with the intent of creating an ecosystem where fellow Maharashtrians around the world can create synergy for the betterment of our community resulting into prosperity of the State of Maharashtra, and indeed our beloved Nation.

Garje Marathi Global, strives to

- + Bring all Marathi across the globe, making it single largest platform with shared purpose
- + Create a support system for youths, entrepreneurs, professionals
- + Create a channel to 'give back to Maharashtra'
- + Appreciate and celebrate the success of our community members globally
- + Build sustainable organization which allows members to "Grow with the Purpose"

Currently GMG runs multiple initiatives globally, we request our members to participate in one or many such opportunities where your expertise and experience is required as a contribution.

- + Startup Cohorts and Mentoring Program
- + Mentor Connect Program
- + Campus to Corporate Program
- + Associate with Youths Program
- + *Me ani Maza Zilha* (Me and My District)
- + Maha-Market Place Program
- + Maharashtra Accelerator for Artificial Intelligence (MAAI)
- + GMG Venture Catalysts Group

GMG members are experts in every walk of life, and they take pride in getting associated with domain groups to guide and share their experiences with others.

- + Cyber Security
- + Artificial Intelligence
- + FinTech
- + Supply Chain Management
- + Healthcare and Pharma
- + EduTech

How does one get associated with GMG?

Step 1 – Simply Scan a QR code below or visit www.garjemarathi.com and register as member

Step 2 – Start following GMG Social Media Handles so that you are aware about upcoming action

Step 3 – Express your willingness to actively contribute one or more initiatives

- You can be mentor as an SME (demands more time and the higher commitment)
- You can be event or program manager for specific initiative or event
- You can be a sponsor and specific contributor or
- You can be a well-wisher spreading the good word and connecting more members




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GMG in News

GMG along with Maharashtra Economic Development Council (MEDC) and Pimpri Chinchwad University (PCU) successfully concluded Global Entrepreneurs Conclave (GEC), 2025. This event was a testament to the power of collaboration, innovation, and vision. It was an example of what a true collaboration can achieve. Please check some of the news below, there are more about GEC and our members. Follow us on LinkedIn [Anand Ganu | LinkedIn](#), [Garje Marathi Global: Posts | LinkedIn](#), [Mādhav Dābké | LinkedIn](#), [Vijay Liladhar Talele | LinkedIn](#) to know more about this successfully concluded event.



Anand Ganu · 1st
Founder President at Garje Marathi Global Inc.
[Visit my website](#)
2d · 

Garje Marathi Global proposes independent Ministry for Non-Resident-Maharshtrians at the **Global Entrepreneurs Conclave 2025** and Hon'ble Minister Uday Samant ji offers full guidance, support to establish the same. **Anand Deshpande sachin itkar Mādhav Dābké Pimpri Chinchwad Startup Incubation Centre Pimpri Chinchwad University, Pune Maharashtra Economic Development Council (MEDC)**

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अनिवासी मराठी उद्योजकांसाठी स्वतंत्र विभाग

उद्योगमंत्री उदय सामंत यांची घोषणा; जागतिक उद्योजकता परिषदेचे उद्घाटन

लोकसत्ता प्रतिनिधी

पुणे : परदेशातील नोक-यांबरोबरच आता उद्योगविश्वातही मराठी माणसाचे पाऊल पुढे पडत आहे. मराठी माणसाला उद्योग-व्यवसायामध्ये महत्त्वाची मदत द्यावी यासाठी राज्य सरकार लवकरच अनिवासी उद्योजकांसाठी मंत्रालयाचा एक स्वतंत्र विभाग निर्माण करणार असल्याची घोषणा उद्योग व मराठी भाषा मंत्री उदय सामंत यांनी शुक्रवारी केली.

जागतिक उद्योजकता परिषदेच्या उद्घाटन प्रसंगी सामंत बोलत होते. या वेळी ज्येष्ठ शास्त्रज्ञ रघुनाथ माशेलकर, ज्येष्ठ उद्योजक प्रतापराव पवार, ज्येष्ठ लेखक संदीप



पर्यटन उद्योगाला मोठी संधी- गडकरी

યા પરિષદના કેન્દ્રીય પરિવહન મંત્રી જિતેન્દ્ર ગઢકરી યાંની દૂરદૃષ્ટગણણીદ્વારે અપર્યાપ્તિ લાવણી, તે મળણે, કી અમેરિકેત સમરકી માર્ગસૂત્રી માર્ગસૂત્રી યોજનાનું આધારકીયા પાવરત આહે. અમેરિકાનકી કોસ્ટલ રુત્ત વાંગેલે કામ કરત આહે. આધારકીયા વાહનનિર્મિતિયે કેન્દ્ર બનલ આહે. યોગીય યેગાર નાહી, યોગીય રોજગર યેગાર નાહીત આંગે નિગીય દૂર હોગાર નાહી. રોજગત સરકારી જોલ્દેધન, હાવડોજીન દુધન તથાત કમ્પાન્ય તલે આહે. યેગાના વાજલત વિકાસના માર્ગદર્શ હા તિર્યાત વાવડોયે આહે. નેહારાગદત્ત જંગલ, પ્રાણી, તેસેયે સર્વિર્ગસપદના પ્રમાણ આહે. ત્યજલોડીય લોજીકાન લોજીકાન કામરો સીધી આહે. પર્યટન યોગાણા યેલીય તલે પર્યટનકી લોજીકા ફાયરલ હોઈલ.

उद्योगभूषण पुरस्कार पी. डी. पाटील, मुंबईर पुर्णालिका, रामदास काकडे यांना प्रदान करण्यात आला.

या परिषदेत अनेक मानू यांनु पदेसाठी निवडली गेली. त्यांच्या मुलांना देतात यायचे असले किंवा देण्यासाठी काही तरी कार्यचचे आहे,

राज्यात स्थिर सरकार आले आहे. नवीन उद्योजकांना उद्योगासाठी तत्काळ परवानगी मिळवण्या व त्यांचा कमी भाड्यात वाढणुा मजालात व 'फाईल ट्रॅकिंग सिस्टीम' वेळ्या दोन महिन्यांत कार्यान्वीत होईल. यातून कामगार फायदा कोणाकडे? किती काळ पडून राहिल हे कळून ती तातडीने मंजूर करण्यात येईल. उद्योगात होताना मोठ्या प्रमाणात गुंतवणूक होत असून, महागड्या राज्य सरकार गुंतवणूकाला देशात पहिल्या क्रमांकावर आहे. रान दाट आहे. मद्यनिती मजदुरांशी, रस्त्यांशी, पुणे येथे स्किल सेंटरचे काम सुरू आहे. यातून राने खोलीत व हजारां तरणांना कोल्ल्यांपाहिंयत प्रशिक्षण मिळवणार आहे.

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साद-संवाद



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२०२६’ निमित्त ‘मर्जे मराठी
ग्लोबल फाउंडेशन’चे संस्थापक
अध्यक्ष आनंद मानू यांची
मौरी लामू यांनी घेतलेली मुलाखत.

प्रसारण - गुरुवार, दि. ९ जानेवारी २०२५ रोजी सकाळी ९:३० वाजता
आकाशवाणी मुंबई केंद्रावरून आणि दि. १० जानेवारी रोजी दुपारी १ वाजता मुंबई विविधभाषा
१०१ पक्षपात केंद्रावरून, लाईव्ह स्ट्रिमिंग पेक्षा, Newsonair प्लेयर.



Gala dinner on the eve of GEC 2025.
Amazing enthusiasm, excitement and expectations.
Great arrangements, thanks to tremendous organizing prowess of [sachin itkar](#)




सावित्रीबाई फुले पुणे विद्यापीठ
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जाणून घेऊयात गर्जे मराठी ग्लोबल संस्थेविषयी

विद्यावाणी कम्युनिटी रे श्री. आनंद गानू

संस्थापक - अध्यक्ष,
गर्जे मराठी ग्लोबल

संवादक
महेश जगताप

२७ डिसेंबर, शुक्रवार, सकाळी ११ वाजता आणि
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Our Members in News

Garje Marathi Global is takes a lot of pride in celebrating success of fellow members. It is an acknowledgement of what these members achieved, also encourages others to take an inspiration from them. Here are few such success stories of our members.

Vijay Liladhar Talele • 1st
Officer on Special Duty (Innovation, Incubation and Entrepreneurship) for IIM M...
1w • 🌐

I'm happy to share that I'm starting a new position as Officer on Special Duty (Innovation, Incubation and Entrepreneurship) at IIM Mumbai, AIC-NIFIE (NITIE Incubation Foundation for Innovation and Entrepreneurship)!

I will be responsible for strategizing and leading the activities of Innovation, Incubation and Entrepreneurship at IIM Mumbai Incubation Center (AIC-NIFIE).

Looking forward to support from all the stakeholders and my professional network to build an eco-system for startups at IIM Mumbai Incubator, so that the startups achieve success in their startup journey.

Trip to Talegaon, to meet **Ramdas Kakade**, industrial property developer with very innovative approach sprung a great surprise on sidelines.
Rushav J. came to meet me with a great startup idea BidMitra - An AI-powered app for supercharging the complete supply-chain and procurement process.
Still on drawing board but certainly has great potential **Vijay Liladhar Talele Sanjay Bhandari Naresh Apte Garje Marathi Global sachin itkar**,



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Lalit Shinde • 1st
CRO @ Sequaretek | Business Strategy, Executive Management, Board Dire...
5h • Edited • 🌐

A small shared vision of making Maharashtra a \$1T to \$5T economy and a small but a major step in right direction - The Global Entrepreneurs Conclave 2025 wrapped up with a HUGE success! **#entrepreneurship #AI #Cybersecurity #FinTech**

As a part of **Garje Marathi Global** Board Director, I was fortunate to play a key role in various panel discussions and one on one meetings with so many fellow attendees! Sharing few highlights from these discussions with smaller goals.

Pramod Attarde • 1st
Chief AI Innovation Officer, CEO, Transforming Global Capital Market, Speaker...
1d • 🌐

I had the privilege not only of attending but also speaking on two panels at the Global Entrepreneurs Conclave 2025 (**#GEC2025**), held on January 10th and 11th at The Orchid Hotel, Balewadi, Pune.

The event was a masterclass in inspiration and collaboration, with a packed two-day schedule that featured brilliant speakers, engaging sessions, and insightful discussions. It was an honor to share my thoughts alongside some of the best minds in the industry.

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Anand Shiralkar • 1st
Entrepreneur, Investor & Ecosystem Builder. Follow for posts on glob...
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Grateful for this Special Opportunity!

Today, I had the honor of being featured on National Television, Doordarshan, for my first-ever LIVE interview.

It was a truly amazing experience to share my journey, talk about startups, and explain how we're using AI to make a positive difference through our companies.

Sanjay Katkar • 1st
Co-Founder and MD Quick Heal Technologies | Cybersecurity Top Voice | Entr...
2d • 🌐

Had an amazing time speaking at the Global Entrepreneurs Conclave 2025!

This incredible event brought together innovators and leaders from over 30+ countries to share ideas and insights on IT, AI, Bio-Tech, Cybersecurity, and more.


I was honoured to share my entrepreneurial journey and experiences in cybersecurity alongside **Lalit Shinde** and **Dr Faruk Kazi**. The audience was super interactive and enthusiastic - time flew by!

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I am deeply grateful to Infosys for inviting me as a speaker at their flagship event, "Techzooka 2024", marking the 15th milestone edition of this grand celebration of technology and innovation. It was a privilege to engage with an audience of over 500 brilliant minds, comprising Infosys professionals, esteemed clients, enthusiastic students, and members of the broader community.



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Group CEO, Krushi Vikas & All About FPO
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Honored to be part of the inauguration ceremony of the "Language Lab and International Career Counseling Center," established by Indala Group in Kalyan, as a guest.


The inauguration was conducted with the auspicious hands of Shri **Anand Ganu**, President of **Garje Marathi Global**, and in the gracious presence of Shri **Vijay Liladhar Talele** (Incubation Director, IIM Mumbai), Shri **Madhav Dabké** (Innovation Director, Garje Marathi), Shri Kavi Luthra (Director, Leo & Sagitan), Shri Amit Nafde (CEO, Krushi Vikas), and the driving forces behind Indala Group—**Dr. Vijay Mahajan**, Mr. Limesh Vijay Mahajan, and Ms. Ruhi Mahajan.

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The success story of IES-GMG's Workshop on 'Creativity & Innovation' for school student






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And it's a wrap! Yesterday, the GMG Horizon 2025 delivered an unforgettable event that amazed the attendees. As we all gathered at the fabulous **City of Mountain View** facility, the event brought together leaders in academia, VC and angel investing, corporate executives and investment banking, and several curious minds for a glimpse into 2025.

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Panel discussion: Market opportunities created by Generative AI




Fire Side Chat
Opportunities in Gen AI & The untapped market

ANAND JOSHI
AI Analyst and Executive


DR SANJAY BHANDARI
Founder and CEO
Vibrant Microsystems

PRAMOD GOSAVI
Investor at
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Thank you Sanjay Kalke. <https://lnkd.in/gBRqKnqj> bridging the chas between potential and opportunity <https://lnkd.in/gAyFUKSV>
High achiever personalities like him are the main reasons why GMG successfully run so many high value initiatives.
And
With Sanjay Kalke, it is not just words, he has backed his vision and for Garje Marathi's MAHARASHTRA ACCELERATOR FOR ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (MAAI) with generous donation of US\$10000/- (\$Ten Thousands)




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#SmartIndiaHackathon 2024 was nothing short of inspiring, a the sheer resilience, creativity, and determination of young inn pushing boundaries, 36 hours of battle inoculation experience participant demanding nothing but the best from each one of mentors and we jury members.

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Dr Prasad Pradhaan, PhD • 1st
Veteran Banker | Risk Leader - BFSI - GCC | Global Regulatory Risk-C...
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I'm happy to share that I've started a new position as Senior Partner - Risk consulting | Leader - Banking & Financial Services Industry & GCCs at **PwC**!



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Founder President at Garje Marathi Global Inc.
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It was a very professional interview conducted by Shri. Santosh Deshpande. <https://lnkd.in/ggcYwgMQ>
Sincere thanks to Santosh Deshpande is a leading Marathi podcaster from Pune.

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Glimpses from GEC 2025



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Participants in GEC 2025 Speak

It was an incredible experience to be a part of the Global Entrepreneurs Conclave 2025, organized by the Garaje Marathi Global (GMG), Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust Campus and University (PCU), and the Maharashtra Economic Development Council (MEDC).

I had the honor of being a panelist alongside inspiring women leaders like Dr. Uma Ganesh and Architect Ujjwala Haware, with the session brilliantly moderated by Dr. Medha Tadpatrikar. Together, we delved into the topic "Breaking Barriers: Stories of Women Transforming Maharashtra's Business Landscape".

The conclave welcomed participants from various countries like US, UK, Japan, Australia, France, South Korea, Dubai (UAE), Europe, Turkey etc., and the consulate officials from different nations to connect and find new business opportunities. This showcase their appreciation for this vibrant event in Maharashtra. It stood as a testament to how collective efforts and shared visions can strengthen the state's economy and inspire future entrepreneurs.

A heartfelt thank you to the organizers for hosting such a transformative platform and to everyone who attended. It was truly empowering to share insights, exchange ideas, and be a part of a movement shaping the future of business in our state.

Supriya Shrikant Badve
Executive Director
Belrise Industries

The Global Entrepreneurship Conclave, organized by Garje Marathi Global, MEDC, and Pimpri Chinchwad University in Pune, was an exemplary event that witnessed enthusiastic participation from accomplished business leaders, industry veterans, budding entrepreneurs, and professionals from across the globe. The sessions were highly informative, insightful, and inspiring, offering valuable guidance to aspiring entrepreneurs.

The conclave provided a unique platform to explore the latest trends in global markets, understand the requirements for seizing international opportunities, and learn about the support extended by the government. It also offered an excellent opportunity to network with like-minded individuals, investors, and industry mentors.

During the event, I had the privilege of sharing insights on opportunities within India, the European Union, and Latin American countries, while highlighting how industries, the diaspora, embassies, and various government ministries collaborate to support Indian entrepreneurs.

Special recognition is due to Shri Anand Ganu and the Garje Marathi team, Shri Sachin Itkar, Shri Girish Desai, and the faculty and students of Pimpri Chinchwad University for their exceptional efforts in making this event a success.

Such initiatives are instrumental in fostering and amplifying the entrepreneurial spirit in Maharashtra, a vital prerequisite for realizing the vision of a Viksit Bharat.

-Dr. Suyash Chavan
Indian Foreign Service
Ministry of External Affairs
New Delhi

Many congratulations on a very successful event. Great theme, great speakers, thought provoking discussions, great team spirit, great visibility, and great vibe.

Thank you for your efforts to put Pune on a global platform.

Vivek Sadhale

GEC 2025: A Grand Celebration of Vision and Connection

The Global Entrepreneurs' Conference (GEC) 2025 was truly a remarkable event, bringing together a stellar lineup of speakers and a meticulously planned series of sessions that catered to the diverse interests of all delegates. GEC proved to be an exceptional platform, not just for engaging with Non-Resident Maharashtrians (NRMs) but also for fostering meaningful connections among Maharashtrian entrepreneurs.

Sessions like "USA Calling" and "Japan Calling" were standout highlights, inspiring delegates to explore opportunities for exporting their products to these international markets. The atmosphere was filled with warmth and a shared vision of taking the Maharashtrian community onto the global stage. The passion and foresight of the event's founders resonated strongly, evident in the welcoming ambiance and seamless organization of the event.

Our SARVAAY team was proud to participate in GEC 2025. SARVAAY specializes in manufacturing hot and cold beverage premixes made with 100% chemical-free, crystalline, and free-flowing jaggery, developed using our patented technology. During the "Japan Calling" session, the announcement of a Japanese trade delegation visiting our Pune factory was a testament to the trust and interest generated through the event. Additionally, we were honored to host a few NRMs at our Pune jaggery facility, strengthening bonds of friendship and trust among the delegates.

Events like GEC 2025 serve as a powerful morale booster for Maharashtrian entrepreneurs, offering a global perspective and practical pathways to growth. We look forward to participating in future editions and further contributing to this vibrant ecosystem.

Dr. Vishal Sardeshpande- Pune

Global Entrepreneurs Conclave 2025, was held at Pune on 10th and 11th January 2025, was the first such conference jointly by three organizations, namely GMG (Garje Marathi Global), PCU (Pimpri Chinchwad University), and MEDC (Maharashtra Economic Development Council). It was planned to be a platform for exchanging ideas among business experts, academicians, entrepreneurs and policy makers to further build the effective eco-system for entrepreneurs, to take Maharashtra to \$1 Trillion economy. The key objectives of the conference were:

- Providing a platform for young and aspiring entrepreneurs to connect with Industry experts and investors
- Creating Synergies between Industry Leaders and Startups from Maharashtra
- Encouraging Research, Education and Industry Participation
- Driving Global investments into Maharashtra's business
- Facilitating opportunities for local businesses for Global Expansion.

The conference was a great success with 800+ attendees, most being the brightest minds from around the world. All attendees were inspired by the insights from all the sessions, and it can be seen from fully packed sessions throughout for 8 hours on both the days. We will be releasing soon the videos of key sessions and also sessions of our GMG members on the Dyankosh platform. I was member of the executive council for planning the event sessions and taking the lead for startup masterclass and Startups pitch fest competition. Prof. Ramesh Raskar from MIT Labs, showed how the AI platform built in his labs can be a great tool for all startup founders to validate their startup aspects right from idea, name of the startups to funding readiness and market potential. I gave few tips to founders in terms of importance of customer discovery, product-market fit, having a mentor and why not to fall in love with the solution, but be passionate about the problem they are solving. -

Vijay Talele - Officer on Special Duty - IIM Mumbai

Looking forward at 2025

The year 2025, marking the first quarter of this century, began with an unforgettable milestone for GMG, its members, partners, and well-wishers. This momentous event stands as a reflection of what GMG has accomplished over the past few years and a testament to its vast potential.

As we step into the new year, we embark on an exciting journey fuelled by a robust action plan. To achieve the promises, we've made to ourselves and our community, we need your unwavering support and contributions. While GMG will soon unveil more details about its vision for 2025, here are some key highlights to ignite your enthusiasm:

+ **Proposed Ministry for Non-Resident Maharashtrians (NRM)**: GMG envisions a dedicated ministry for NRM and seeks active participation and strong support to turn this vision into reality.

+ **AI for Everyone, in Marathi - MAAI Initiative**: Our goal is to make artificial intelligence accessible to all, including in Marathi. We call upon experts to join us, guide us, and mentor this transformative initiative.

+ **Bridging Academia and Industry**: A priority for GMG is to close the gap between academia and industry by supporting institutions in Tier 2 and Tier 3 cities looking to establish innovation and incubation centres. GMG's global mentor network is eager to provide SME guidance and mentorship—your involvement will be invaluable.

One critical area where we need your collective effort is expanding our community. With over 15,000 members today, we have pledged to connect with 150,000 individuals for purposeful and mutually beneficial associations. GMG is currently present in 25 countries, but with 195 countries globally, there is tremendous potential for growth. We urge you to help us spread the word, connect with more members, and bring them onto the GMG platform by encouraging registration on our website.

Finally, let us all work together to contribute positively to Maharashtra's inspiring journey toward becoming a trillion-dollar economy. Your ideas, energy, and commitment can help GMG do more, do better, and make an even greater impact. The future is bright, and with your support, the possibilities are endless!

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