

ANNUAL REPORT OF INNOVATION CLUB AND SSIP ACTIVITIES

S.M.PATEL COLLEGE OF HOME SCIENCE

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- In Collaboration with SSIP, Innovation Club hosted an inspiring **talk on "Sustainable Practices and Innovation in Home Science"** on 21st July 2023; the guest speaker was **Dr. Chintan A. Mahida**, a State Coordinator, Innovation Club, Higher Education, Gujarat. He emphasized the importance of changing one's perspective to find solutions to the problems surrounding us. He demonstrated various cutting-edge technologies such as QR codes, Augmented Reality (AR), Virtual Reality (VR), and Mixed Reality (MR) using live examples. Addressing the audience, he also highlighted educators' role in shaping the younger generation's mindset and inspiring them to become innovators. He urged the teachers, giving many examples, to incorporate sustainable ideas into their teachings and instill a sense of responsibility towards the environment in their students.



- An expert **talk on "Innovation, Startup to Entrepreneurship in Home Science"** on 25th August 2024 was organized under the joint initiative of SSIP and Innovation Club by SSIP Coordinator Dr. Vandana Modi and Dr. Minal Chauhan, Innovation Club Coordinator under the able guidance of Principal Dr. Bhavana Chauhan, in which **S.P. University SSIP Coordinator Prof. Sunil Chaki** was invited. Prof.
- Prof. Sunil Chaki gave detailed guidance on how to create massive jobs through startups, digital marketing, university incubation facilities and how to attract venture capital. A large number of students have ignited their minds with the above speech.



ACTIVITIES

- Students participated in the DIY Telescope kit activity, which included mounting, focusing, and magnifying telescope settings, on 3rd November 2023.



- College Students participated in the four-day webinar series on Innovation, Entrepreneurship, Digital Literacy and Climate change from 25th October to 28th October 2023. Thirty two students actively participated.



- Thirty-five students visited the exhibition, which showcased the projects prepared by the students of V.P. and RTP Science College under the Innovation Club of this College on 15th September 2023.





- Eight student members submitted their projects for Proof of Concept (PoC)/ Prototype Support run by Student Startup and Innovation Policy, Navadhārā, Sardar Patel University and presented on 31st January.



- Out of eight students who presented their Innovative idea, two students, Shrestha Gupta and Faiza Saiyad, won best innovative idea under the top 3 category in Food and Agriculture Science at Glamering 2024, Navadhara, Sardar Patel University on 24th February 2024, under the guidance of Dr. Minal Chauhan and Dr Vandana Modi.



PROGRAMME ATTENDED BY FACULTY

- Dr. Minal Chauhan and Dr. Vandana Modi attended the session on 'Idea & Innovation to Prototype' jointly organized by SPU-SSIP-Navadhārā, Sardar Patel University and Savli Technology and Business Incubator (STBI) on Tuesday, 27th June 2023.
- Dr. Vandana Modi attended an interactive session with Padmshri Prof. Anil Gupta and SSIP nodal officers of different colleges affiliated with S P University.
