



Building Entrepreneurial Ecosystem in Universities: Opportunities & Challenges

3rd & 4th February 2023
Auditorium, School of Life Sciences,
University of Hyderabad

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Day I: Friday, 3rd February, 2023
Registration 9:00 AM Onwards

Session-I: Inaugural Session

09:30-09:40	Welcome Address	Prof B. J. Rao Vice-Chancellor, University of Hyderabad
09:45-10:00	Entrepreneurial Ecosystem at UoH	Prof. G.S. Prasad Director- ASPIRE
10:00-10:30	Inaugural address: Building a Robust Entrepreneurial Ecosystem in Academics	Prof. T. Ramasami Former Secretary, DST, Distinguished Professor of Eminence, Anna University.
10:30-11:00	Tea break	

Session-II: Opportunities for start-ups in Life Sciences

11:00-11:30	Lead Talk: Role of Life Science Start-ups in shaping the national economy	Prof. D. Balasubramanian Director of Research emeritus, LVPEI
11:30-12:00	Invited Talk: Opportunities in Life Sciences domain for addressing tomorrow's healthcare needs	Dr. Anand Govindaluri Govin Capital, Singapore
12:00-12:30	Invited Talk: Running a start-up: My experiences	Dr. Subramani Richcore Life Sciences
12:30-14:00	Start-up showcase & Lunch Break	

Session-III: Opportunities for start-ups in Pharma and Chemistry

14:00-14:30	Lead Talk: Towards Self-Reliance in Key starting- Materials and chemical intermediates - The role of Start-ups	Dr. S. Chandrasekhar Secretary, DST, GoI
14:30-15:00	Invited Talk: Green Technologies in Pharma Industry – Opportunities & Challenges for Start-ups	Prof. G.D Yadav Former VC, ICT Mumbai
15:00-15:30	Invited Talk: Indian Pharmaceutical Industry – Need of Innovations	Dr. T. Rajamannar Director, Sparc, Vadodara
15:30-16:00	Tea Break	
16:00-17:00	Panel Discussion	
	Knowledge Economy – Role of Academics in nurturing innovative entrepreneurs	
	Panel Members: Prof. G. D. Yadav (ICT), Dr. Shashi Bala Singh (NIPER-H), Prof. Ashwini Nangia (UoH), Mr. Srinivas Mahankali (T-Hub), Dr. Ganesh Kumar (NAARM)	
	Moderator: Dr. Uday Saxena	

Day II: Saturday, 4th February, 2023

Session IV: Opportunities for Start-Ups in Electronics and IT

09:30-10:00	Lead Talk: Building High Impact Technologies for Digitalization: Opportunities for start-ups	Prof. V. Ramgopal Rao* Former Director, IIT-D
10:00-10.30	Invited Talk: Artificial intelligence: Balancing Innovation, Ethics and Trust	Shri. Vijay Rangineni CEO - IT Investments at GoT
10:30-11:00	Invited Talk: Window of Opportunities for Digitalization in Health care	Shri. MV SMA Raja Sr. VP. Emerging Markets, Dr. Reddy's Laboratories
11:00-11:30	Tea Break	

Session V: Opportunities for Start-Ups in Healthcare

11:30-12:00	Lead talk: Scaling up of Start-ups to International Competency- What needs to be done?	Dr. Krishna Ella Bharat Biotech International Ltd.,
12:00-12:30	Invited Talk: Government initiatives for building an enabling entrepreneurial Ecosystem for Healthcare start-ups	Smt. S. Aparna, Secretary Dept. of Pharmaceuticals, GoI
12:30-14:00	Lunch Break	

Session VI: Funding opportunities for start-ups

14:00-14:30	Lead Talk: Transforming Start-ups into disruptive enterprises: Role of TDB.	Shri Rajesh Kumar Pathak Secretary, TDB
14:30-15:00	Invited Talk: NSTEDB – A trend setter in catalysing entrepreneurial ecosystem in the country	Dr. Anita Gupta, Head, NSTEDB, DST
15:00-15:30	Invited Talk: The role of BIRAC/DBT in promoting entrepreneurship in Life Sciences	Dr. Manish Diwan, BIRAC/ DBT
15:30-16:30	Panel Discussion	
	Breaking stereotypes: A Roadmap for building successful enterprises Panel Members : Dr. Anand Govindaluri (Govin Capital), Dr. KK Narayanan (Agrigenome Labs), Shri. Rajesh Kumar Pathak (TDB), Dr. Subramanyam Vangala (Reagene Biosciences), Ms. Mahima Datla (Biological E Ltd.) Moderator: Dr. Venkat Kamalakar Bandla	
16:30	Concluding Remarks and High Tea	