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Student Startup Support System (S4)

GTU S4's Student Startup Showcase Stage (S4-S4)

An opportunity for students to showcase their startup ventures

Wednesday, 2nd October 2013

Venue: Gujarat Technological University New Campus: Sabarmati - Koba Highway, Chandkheda, Near Visat Three Roads, (Campus of Vishwakarma Government Engineering College & IIT Gandhinagar) Ahmedabad – 382424

Time: 9.30 AM

GTU Innovation Council is bringing in various pedagogies to extend support to student startups. Today many student ventures have started enriching our society. GTU has decided to provide an opportunity for exposure of such ventures through S4-S4. During the Showcase, students will be able to show off their startup ventures (business), their progress and their product. They will also be able to present a brief about their future growth. The presentations will be conducted in front of a large audience from diverse backgrounds having direct or indirect interest in student ventures.

FOR WHOM?: Any student(s) or alumni, who have a startup venture (business) can participate in the program. GTU will not require any equity or financial gain from the ventures, participating in S4-S4. Students or alumni from any stream like engineering/ diploma/ MBA/ MCA/ Pharmacy and others having a startup in any of the stages (Conceptual Stage/ Prototype Stage/ validated prototype stage/ Scale-up Stage) can apply for participation in the Showcase.

BENEFITS: It will give the students/ alumni an exposure to potential people who may be able to help them in expanding their existing startup (business) in a better and more sustainable manner. GTU will select the best ventures and extend facilities like use of the Co-Creation Center, office space for certain time, linking them to potential investors, connecting to wide pool of local and global entrepreneurs and any other handholding support, which may be needed and which it may be possible for GTU to provide. These startup teams will get access to the S4 Programs including its flagship program, called SLP (Startup Leadership Program). GTU will give a certificate of appreciation to the founder and/or the co-founders of such student startups on merit basis.

HOW TO APPLY for participation in S4-S4: Apply by 30th September 2013. Start ups can nominate themselves by registering at the following url. Or any other stakeholder can nominate them at:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1bfo0DEEupt6mmfWm_yZV0n0vG1KOTV2i4V-RS4Le818/viewform

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