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Report on

# E-Step BOOTCAMP

E-Step initiated by Karnataka Innovation and Technology Society (KITS), Dept. of IT & BT, Govt. of Karnataka in association with Startup Karnataka and New Age Incubation Network (NAIN) conducted one day Bootcamp at Basaveshwar Engineering College, Bagalkot on 7<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2019 (Saturday).

# **Inaugural Function of Bootcamp**

The program was inaugurated by the chief guests Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Associate-Marketing and outreach at Startup Karnataka and Mr. Vishnu Nagaraj, founder of Carve Startup Labs and TaGD. Dr. C. B. Shivayogimath Principal BEC, Bagalkot, Dr. S. S. Injaganeri, Dean Academic and Planning Development, BEC, Bagalkot, Dr. Anil D. Devangavi, College Coordinator NAIN, BEC, Bagalkot were on the dais. Faculties from Rajkiya College of Engineering, Bijnor were invited. Around 180 students participated in the program. Bootcamp helped students in inculcating Ideation, Product Design & Marketing, Developing Business Models, and to understand Karnataka startup policies and schemes.



**Inaugural function of Bootcamp** 



Principal Dr. C. B. Shivayogimath addressing the gathering during the inaugural function

#### **Bootcamp Session**

Bootcamp sessions were conducted in a well-equipped hall with audio and speaker systems. Some of the important topics covered in the one-day bootcamp were an overview of the startup Ecosystem, Ideation, Product design and marketing, product development, Sales & Customer Engagement, etc.

# Activity 1: Ideation

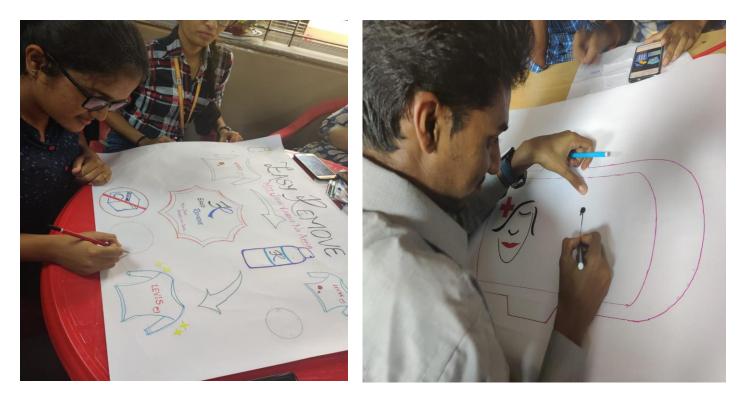
Teams came up with an idea to solve local problems and placed it on canvas, students identified solutions for problems, customers & competitors.



**Ideation activity** 

# Activity 2: Product Design and Marketing

Total 21 teams were formed and started working on logo designing, marketing & launch of a product.



# Designing logo for their idea

# Activity 3: Product Development

Product development canvas helped students to understand the functions and features of user needs.



**Product development canvas** 

# Activity 4: Sales & Customers Engagement

Customer engagement is the key to reach the business goals, engaging customers with product brand and other points were covered in the session.



### Activity 5: Mentor Talk

A Mentor talk by local entrepreneur Mr. Vijay Datar, CEO Affinity Software, interacted with the participants and shared his entrepreneurial experience.



# Activity 6: Business Model

The teams put up their idea into a business canvas model.



**Business canvas model** 

# Activity 7: How to create Pitch Deck & Mock Pitch Session

Teams learned how to pitch their idea, convince product to customers, and received feedback from customers.



## Activity 8: Karnataka Startup Policy & Startup India Policy, Initiatives & Schemes

Mr. Abrar Ahmed has given brief information on karnataka startup policy, government initiatives, funding provided to develop from idea to prototype, patent reimbursement, travel expenditure reimbursement, etc.



The Bootcamp concluded with a group photo at 5.30 PM



#### Following are few teams canvas work presented at Bootcamp event.

