



NATIONAL CONCLAVE ON
INNOVATION &
ENTREPRENEURSHIP

SPARK-O-FESTTM 1.0
IDEA 2 IMPACT

14 & 15 MARCH '26



VENUE:
SARASWATI DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL, LUCKNOW



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ABOUT THE THEME

IDEA-2-IMPACT

The theme "Idea-2-Impact" captures the journey of transforming imagination into innovation and innovation into real-world change. It reflects a commitment to turning visionary ideas into tangible outcomes that inspire collaboration, and create lasting impact.

OBJECTIVES

-  Promote Innovation
-  Foster Entrepreneurship
-  Enhance Collaboration
-  Build Awareness
-  Support Capacity Building For Students, Faculty And Innovators.

PARTICIPANTS

- Innovators & Entrepreneurs
- Venture Capitalists & Angel Investors
- NGOs & Policy-makers
- Health & Tech Professionals
- Professionals Involved In Incubation Centres/Incubators
- Start-ups
- Trade Industry
- Students & Faculty

EVENTS

- Keynote Lectures
- Panel Discussions
- Poster Presentation
- Prototype display
- Ideathon
- Start-up pitch
- Networking
- Investor-connect
- Academia Industry Interaction
- Trade Exhibition
- Awards & Recognitions



EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- State Visibility & Prestige
- Commercial and Funding Opportunities
- Networking and Collaboration
- Showcasing Talent and Ideas
- Capacity Building
- Policy and Strategy Input
- Driving Cultural Shift Towards Innovation
- Giving Centre Stage to Entrepreneurs of Uttar Pradesh
- Widespread Media Coverage

SPARK-O-FEST 1.0 Schedule

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DAY 01

TIME	EVENT	VENUE
8:45 AM – 9:00 AM	Inauguration of Trade Exhibition	Open Foyer
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Keynote Lecture – Innovation & Entrepreneurship in Contemporary Times – Challenges & Opportunities by Dr. Rahul, CEO CMI, GIMS NOIDA	Zenith Auditorium
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Workshop – Design Thinking by Dr. Nikhil Agarwal, Managing Director FITT-IIT Delhi	Zenith Auditorium
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	Inauguration Ceremony • Welcome • Lamp Lighting & Saraswati Vandana • Introduction to Spark-O-Fest • Logo unveiling • Curtain Raiser (Spark-O-Fest 1.0)	Zenith Auditorium Live Relay In Infinity Hall 1 & 2
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Panel Discussion 1 – Role of Innovation & Entrepreneurship to meet PM's Vision of Viksit Bharat 2047 Felicitation Ceremony	Zenith Auditorium
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Keynote Lecture – Business Modal Canvas by Dr. T. Anand, Director SRIIC, Chennai	Zenith Auditorium
1:30 PM – 2:00 PM	BREAK	
2:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Start-Up Pitch Competition	Zenith Auditorium
2:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Poster Competition	Infinity Hall 1
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM	Ideathon Competition	Zenith Auditorium

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DAY 02

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Keynote Lecture – Entrepreneurial Mindset by Mrs. Chaitanyasree, Founder, CEO Shewell	Zenith Auditorium
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Keynote Lecture– Funding Opportunities Ideas for Start-Ups by Mr. Anuj Agarwal, MD, Gyan Dairy	Zenith Auditorium
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	Inauguration Ceremony Day 2 • Welcome • Lamp Lighting & Saraswati Vandana • Introduction to Spark-O-Fest • Unveiling of Mascot • Curtain Raiser (Spark-O-Fest 1.0)	Zenith Auditorium Live Relay In Infinity Hall 1 & 2
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Panel Discussion 2 – Health Tech Innovation & Entrepreneurship Ideas Felicitation Ceremony	Zenith Auditorium
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Keynote Lecture – Achieving Product Market Fit by Mr. Gautham Palanisamy, Founder & CEO CUMMA	Zenith Auditorium
1:30 PM – 2:00 PM	BREAK	
2:00 PM – 3:00PM	Start-Up Pitch Competition	Zenith Auditorium
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Prototype Competition	Infinity Hall 1
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Panel Discussion 3 - Idea to Implementation	Zenith Auditorium
4:00 PM ONWARDS	Closing Ceremony Welcome Distribution of Awards Speech by Chief guest Felicitation Ceremony Group Photo Vote of thanks	Zenith Auditorium Live Relay In Infinity Hall 1 & 2



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Where Heritage Breathes and the Future Rises

Today, as the capital of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow stands poised as a rising epicentre of growth, where historic silhouettes meet contemporary skylines, and timeless traditions find harmony with forward-thinking urban vision.

Rooted in heritage yet confidently progressive, the city's journey through centuries reflects a rare balance: dignity preserved, evolution embraced. Lucknow is not just remembered for what it was, it is admired for what it is becoming.





A Confluence of Ideas and Enterprise

“ At SPARKOFEST, competition is a catalyst for innovation, ambition, and impact. Designed to foster creativity, entrepreneurial thinking, and real-world problem-solving, our competitive platforms bring together students, innovators, founders, and visionaries under one dynamic ecosystem. From ideation to execution, each challenge is crafted to spark collaboration, validate innovation, and accelerate ideas toward meaningful outcomes. ”

THE NEXT
BIG IDEA
IS READY TO
TAKE OFF



COMPETITIONS AT SPARK-O-FEST 1.0



START-UP PITCH

A high-impact platform for emerging entrepreneurs to present bold ideas to investors, mentors, and industry leaders. The Start-Up Pitch is designed to refine your vision, stress-test your business model, and open doors to early-stage funding and strategic partnerships. If you have a scalable idea, this is your stage.



IDEATHON

A fast-paced innovation sprint where creativity meets problem-solving. Participants collaborate in teams to brainstorm, design, and validate breakthrough solutions to real-world challenges. The Ideathon celebrates fresh thinking, interdisciplinary collaboration, and ideas with transformative potential.



PROTOTYPE

From concept to creation — this competition focuses on building tangible solutions. Participants showcase working models or functional prototypes that demonstrate feasibility, innovation, and real-world applicability. It's a hands-on arena for makers, technologists, and problem-solvers to bring ideas to life.



e-POSTER

A visually engaging platform to present research, insights, and innovative concepts in a compelling format. Delegates will explore thought-provoking posters that highlight emerging trends, disruptive technologies, and impactful ideas. It's where knowledge meets creativity and communication.



PANEL DISCUSSIONS AT

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14 MARCH Panel Discussion 1

PANELLISTS



Awanish Kumar Awasthi, IAS Retd
Chief Advisor of Chief Minister, UP



Amit Kumar Ghosh, IAS
Addl Chief secy
Health & FW and Med Education, UP



Maj. Gen. Amit Devgan
Vice Chancellor
A.B.V Medical University, Lucknow



Vijay Kiran Anand, IAS
CEO INVEST UP
Govt of UP

Role of Innovation & Entrepreneurship to meet PM's Vision of Viksit Bharat 2047



Moderator

Dr Kavita Nigam
CHRO, Karam - PN Int.

15 MARCH Panel Discussion 2

PANELLISTS



Dr. MLB Bhatt
Director
Kalyan Singh Cancer Institute,
Lucknow



Dr. G N Singh
Advisor (Health)
CM of Uttar Pradesh



Kritika Sharma, IAS
Special Secretary,
Medical Education, Uttar Pradesh



Prof. (Dr.) C M Singh
Director,
RMLMS & Hospital, Lucknow

Health Tech Innovation & Entrepreneurship Ideas



Moderator

Prof.(Dr.) Jyoti Dewan
Entrepreneur & Educationist

15 MARCH Panel Discussion 3

PANELLISTS



Dr. Chaitanyasree
Founder & CEO
Shewell, Chennai



Mr. Gautham Palanisamy
Founder & CEO
Cuma Pvt Ltd, Coimbatore



Mr. Shyam Kumar
COO, STPI-MedTech CoE,
SGPGIMS Lucknow



Dr. Shivam Chitale
Director - Picatrix
Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd.

Idea to Implementation

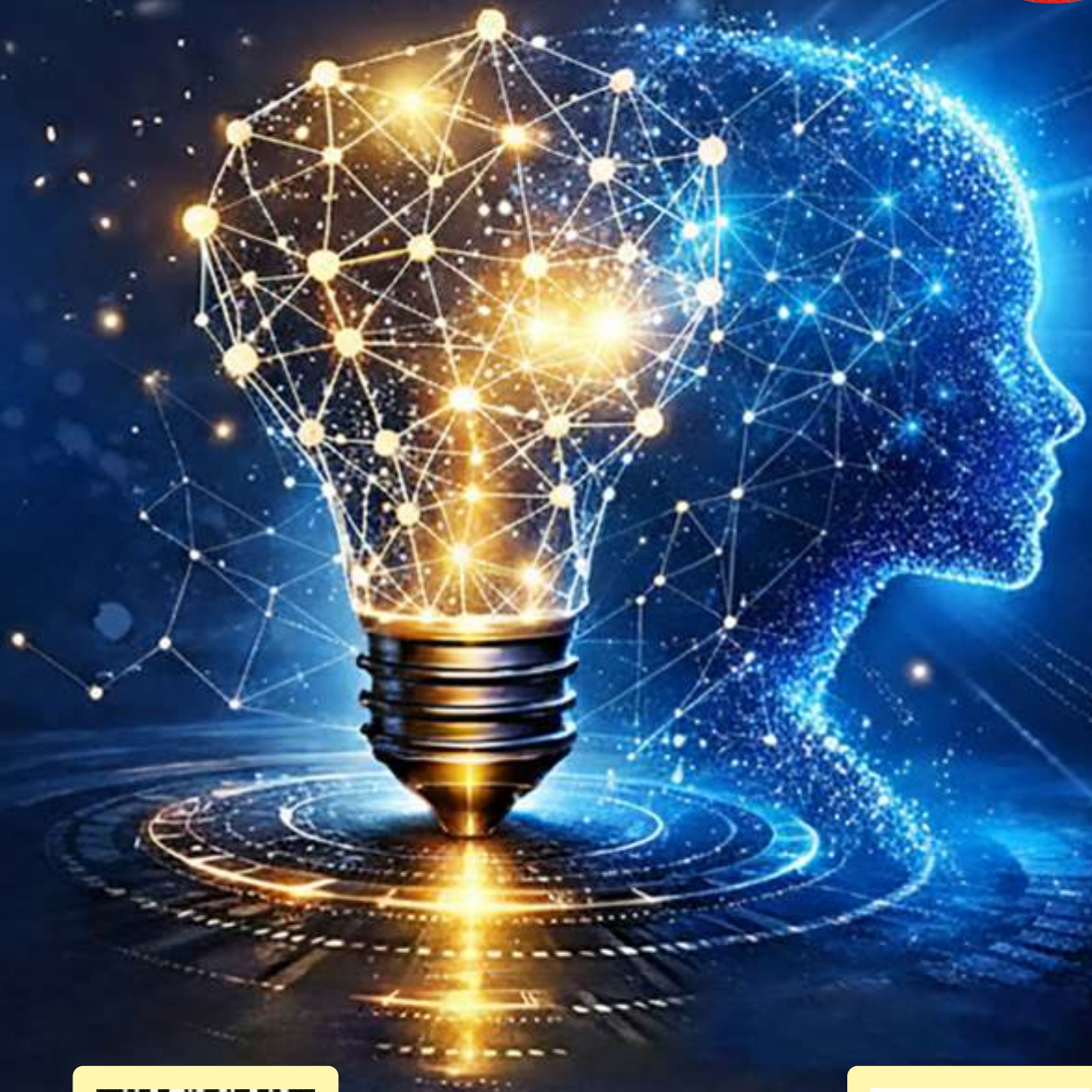


Moderator

Dr. T Anand
Director SRIIC, Chennai

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