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- 1. TYPE OF THE EVENT: START UP PITCHING COMPETITION by E-Cell of CSE Dept.
- 2. RESOURCE PERSONS & JURY MEMBERS:

Mr. Abdul Afsar Baig

Mr. Suhail Ahmed

Mr. Talha Zaki

Dr. Muruganandham

3. DATE: 28.09.2024 Saturday

4. TIME: 10.00 A.M TO 5.00 P.M

5. FACULTY CO-ORDINATORS:

Prof. Rajkumar. R, Asst. Professor and E-Cell Coordinator

Prof. Auntin Jose T, Asst. Professor, CSE Dept.

6. NO. OF STUDENTS ATTENDED: 70 Students (22 Teams)

#### 7. OUTCOME OF THE PROGRAMME:

Students gained the knowledge and gathered the information on the following:

- Business Model: A clear and scalable business model is a critical factor. Investors want to know how the start up will generate revenue and grow to become sustainable.
- Innovation and Market Potential: Judges look for innovative ideas that solve real problems and have a large potential market. Startups offering unique solutions to unmet needs stand out.
- Team Quality: The expertise, experience and passion of the team are key. A strong, well-rounded team with a clear vision can make a significant impact.
- Traction: Evidence of customer interest, early revenue, partnerships, or growth metrics demonstrates viability.
- Pitch Quality: The clarity, persuasiveness, and enthusiasm with which the idea is presented
  can also s way the outcome. A well-structured pitch that addresses key concerns is
  important.
- 6. Financials and Feasibility: Start ups that demonstrate sound financial planning, cost management, and long-term feasibility tend to perform better.
- Impact: Social or environmental impact often adds weight to a startup's appeal, especially in competitions focused on sustainability or social innovation.









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#### EVENT AGENDA

Date: 28.09.2024 Saturday

Name of the Event: Pitch Perfect - Start up Pitch Presentation

Venue: 5th floor Seminar Hall, RRCE

### 1. Registration & Welcome

- 10:00 A.M 10:15 A.M : Registration of participants and networking.
- 10:15 A.M 10:30 A.M : Welcome address by the President of E-Cell RRCE.

#### 2. Principal and HOD Address

- 10:30 AM 10:40 AM: Principal Address Dr. R. Balakrishna
- 10:40 AM 10:50 AM: HOD Address Dr. D. Kirubha

#### 3. Introduction of Chief Guests & Judges

- 10:50 AM 11:05 AM: Introduction of Chief Guests and Judges by the Event Coordinator.
  - Brief background and achievements of the 4 judges:
    - Judge 1: Mr. Abdul Afsar Baig
    - Judge 2: Mr. Suhail Ahmed
    - Judge 3: Mr. Talha Zaki
    - Judge 4:Dr.Muruganandaham S K

#### 4. Keynote Address

 11:05 AM - 11:20 AM: Keynote speech by all the Chief Guests, on "The Art of Pitching a Startup" Idea."

#### 5. Pitching Session

- 11:30 AM 01:30 PM: Pitching Round
  - Each team presents their startup idea for 10 minutes, followed by a 5-minute Q&A session with the judges.

#### 6. Jury Deliberation & Networking

02:30 PM - 03:00 PM: Jury deliberates on the pitches.

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03:00 PM - 03:30 PM: Networking session with participants and audience.

#### 7. Award Ceremony & Closing

- 03:30 PM 04:00 PM: Announcement of winners and award distribution by the Principal, Vice Principal,
   HOD and Chief Guests.
- 04:00 PM 04:15 PM: Closing remarks by Mr.R. Rajkumar, Mentor of E-Cell, RRCE.
- 04:15 PM 04:30 PM: Group photo and final networking.

#### Poster



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### Start up Pitch Perfect - Event Photographs



Inauguration of Start up Pitch Perfect Event by lighting the lamp by Chief Guest



Dignitaries on the Dias

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Start up Pitch Presenters assembling in the Ramanujam Seminar Hall, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor and attending the Inauguration function and Key note session by the Chief Guest & Jury members



Dr.S.Usha, Dean - Research and Innovation, RRCE is honouring the Chief Guest with the Momento

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