









2017 **Business Model Competition**

Entrepreneurship is the key engine for economic growth. Entrepreneurs, with their inherent intelligence, drive and hard work, have made best use of the opportunities available to them. Many entrepreneurial innovations have transformed the society, in which we live and enjoy the outcomes.

Our Hon'ble Prime Minister's vision of Startup India campaign is intended to build a strong ecosystem for nurturing innovation and Startups in the country that will drive sustainable economic growth and generate large scale employment opportunities. To support this initiative, **CII-Yi Erode Chapter jointly with NAN& TBI@KEC** as Knowledge Partners is organizing "**Startup Mania**" an annual "**Business Model Competition**" cum **Conference on "Entrepreneurship**". The objective of the competition is to identify & showcase the innovative ideas / start-ups. Selected team will be provided mentoring, incubation and funding support to scale to next stage.

The Startup Mania had two events, viz

- Business Model Competition to identify, showcase and support the innovative ideas of students, budding startupreneurs, startups, entrepreneurs and working professionals in a single platform with attractive prizes & Mentoring and Incubation support.
- The Conference which aims to provide opportunities for young innovators and startups to meet successful business leaders and gain valuable insights by interacting like- minded individuals. this would create the most compelling environment for a vibrant startup ecosystem in the region and generate new business opportunities.

Participation Category:

- Category 1: Students Innovators
 UG/PG Students from Engineering Colleges, Arts & Science Colleges, B-schools etc.
- Category 2: Other Innovators

 Alumni, budding startupreneurs, startups, entrepreneurs and working professionals.

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Schedule: Dates and Events

| Date | Event | Venue | Details |
|------------|----------------------------------|---------|---|
| 06.02.2017 | Launch of Startup Mania 1 - 2017 | Erode | Press coverage - Annexure - 1A Flyer - Annexure - 1B |
| 18.02.2017 | Last date for Registration | Online | Ideas Received under Category Students - 220 Others - 25 |
| 25.02.2017 | Prelims Presentation | TBI@KEC | Ideas Shortlisted for Prelims Students -21 Others -9 |
| 08.03.2017 | Finals Presentation | TBI@KEC | Ideas Shortlisted for Finals Students - 5 Others -5 |
| 11.03.2017 | Award Ceremony & Conference | Erode | A Winner & Runner in each category |



Erode Entrepreneurship Conclave 2017

11th March 2017: Rotary CD Hall, Erode

The Conclave was aimed at industry professionals, government officials, policy makers, entrepreneurs, students, faculty, consultants, and all other stakeholders who are associated directly or indirectly with innovation and entrepreneurship development in their respective fields of work.

Five eminent speakers with diverse background of Entrepreneurship addressed the conference on Entrepreneurship, How to Scale up Startups, Funding Options available, Entrepreneurial Success Stories etc.

More than 100 participants joined the conference.

The following documents are attached.

Conference flyer : (Annexure - 1C)

Few Photographs : (Annexure – 1D)

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THE HINDU • TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2017

CII-Yi Erode Chapter unveils plan for 'Startup Mania'

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has announced conduct of 'Startup Mania', as a platform to nurture entrepreneurship, on March 11 for college students and youth with innovative ideas.

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Teaming up with Native Angel Network -Erode, and Technology Business Incubator attached to Kongu Engineering College, the CII, through the event, aims to provide mentoring, incubation and funding support to prospective entrepreneurs

whose innovative ideas are technologically feasible, commercially viable and socially relevant.

Road shows

The CII will conduct road shows in colleges to attract large-scale participation from across Tamil Nadu, Thiagarajan, Chair - Learning and Entrepreneurship Vertical, CII Yi Erode Chapter, told mediapersons.

Under the student category, the best two business models will be awarded cash prizes of ₹25,000 and ₹15,000

respectively.

Best models showcased under non-student category will be considered for venture capital funding and hand-holding support.

Eco-system in place at TBI for conversion of ideas into prototypes could be utilised by the prospective entrepreneurs, said P.S.Kannan, manager, TBI-KEC. There was no dearth of funds for fostering entrepreneurship, added R.Mohan, professor, Department of Management Studies, KEC.

Alongside business model

competition, the Erode Entrepreneurship Summit 2017 aims to provide opportunities for young innovators and startups to meet successful business leaders and benefit from their exposure.

Best performers

The best performers will be honoured by School Education Minister K.Pandiarajan at the valedictory session on March II at Hotel Oasis.

More details about registration can be had over phone: 9003748711 or email: j.prakash@cii.in.

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Startup Mania Let's get bizzy

Register Free

www.startup-mania.in

Last Date for Registration - 18 February 2017

Contact: Venkadeswari @ 84382 47485 | Prakash @ 90037 48711 Email: j.prakash@cii.in | startupmania1@gmail.com

Student Innovators

1st prize - INR 25,000 2nd prize – INR 10,000

Other Innovators

Opportunity for Angel Funding and **Incubation Support**



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Erode Entrepreneurship Conclave 2017

11TH MARCH 2017, SATURDAY, ROTARY CD HALL, ERODE - 4.00 PM ONWARDS

SPEAKERS



Mr M.CHINNASAMI Chairman, Cli Erode Zone Chairman, Agni Steels (P) Ltd



Mr K.PREMNATH
Director
Point Perfect Tech' Solutions



Mr M.SATHYA KUMAR Economic & Public Policy Thought Leader



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Idea Presentation - Prelims





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Idea Presentation - Finals





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Erode Entrepreneurship Conclave 2017 1600 Hrs: 11 March 2017: Rotary CD Hall, Erode



Panel Discussion



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Winner & Runner - Awards





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