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Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub (i-Hub)

**Expression of Interest (EoI)**

Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub (i-Hub) calls for Expression of Interest for Empanelment of experts/service providers/freelancers to guide students in their area of experience/expertise.

Through this EoI, i-Hub endeavors to facilitate a platform between innovators/entrepreneurs/start-ups and other stakeholders in the ecosystem to interact, collaborate and pursue mutually beneficial interests.

**Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub (i-Hub):**

Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub, registered under Section 8 of the companies Act 2013, is envisioned to be a nexus for all Startup stakeholders to develop an end-to-end innovation and entrepreneurial ecosystem in the State of Gujarat by creating pathways from “Mind-to-Market”.

Uniquely designed, I-Hub is an amalgamation of modernistic cutting-edge infrastructure, agile, flexible and collaborative co-working spaces to spark real interaction and flow of ideas, focused mentoring, networking, customer connect, investment opportunities, support mechanisms and futuristic labs, all under one roof. It penetrates support to the last mile students and create a decentralized facility for best possible pre-incubation, incubation and acceleration.

**Notice Inviting “Expression of Interest (EoI)”**

**Expression of Interest is invited form experts/service providers/freelancers to partner/associate with Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub (i-Hub) flagship initiatives in their area of experience/expertise.**

**1. Scope of Work**

- i. Individual(s) [hereinafter referred as “Counsellor”] will guide innovators/startups/entrepreneurs in their area of expertise and leverage their resources as may be deemed necessary for promotion and development of i-Hub ecosystem. The Counsellors shall be empaneled with the Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation hub (i-Hub).
- ii. One to One and group mentoring in person or by virtual platform for startups/innovators/entrepreneurs as need be.
- iii. The scope would include any other activities as may be incidental to the work above.
- iv. The Counsellor shall be responsible for executing the work as per the terms of agreement/contract between the parties.
- v. The decision of the Competent Authority shall be final in all matters related to the scope of work.

**2. The Counsellors must meet the following eligibility criteria:**

The Counsellor must have expertise in the relevant fields associated with the following areas supported by adequate documentary evidence

- a. Accounting and Company Affairs
- b. Marketing
- c. Legal
- d. Technology

**3. Period of Engagement**

From the date of signing of the MoU, till it is revoked in writing by either or both the parties

**4. Financial Engagement:**

The empaneled expert/service provider/freelancer will be entitled to an honorarium of Rs. 2000 per day at i- Hub and Rs. 3000 per day for visit to College/University for a duration of 8 hours apart from travel and accommodation as finalized by the Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub (i-Hub).

**5. Submission of Application**

The interested individual(s) shall submit the proposal in a sealed enveloped superscripted as

**“Application for Expression of Interest (EOI) for experts/service providers/freelancers to partner/associate in various Gujarat Student Startup and Innovation Hub (i-Hub) flagship initiatives” to**

Pragna Puram Campus, Opposite PRL, Between Govt. Girls Polytechnic and L.D College of Engineering, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad, Gujarat 380015.

The application must consist of the following details:

- 1) Name, address, and contact details
- 2) Curriculum Vitae clearly indicating :
  - a) Relevant qualifications and prior experience indicating suitability for the role.
  - b) Specific ideas/activities the applicant would like to offer as per the scope of work as mentioned in Para (1) and areas mentioned in Para (2).

Please ensure to mention EOI application on the application form, without which the application will not be accepted.

**The EOI is open ended without any last date of submission of application for empanelment.**

**Online Registration Link**