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Subject: Participation in the Delhi Startup Yuva Festival - State-Level Shortlisting

All students and faculty members are hereby informed that the Government of NCT of Delhi is organizing the Delhi Startup Yuva Festival, a flagship initiative aimed at fostering youth-led innovation, entrepreneurship, and skill-based startup culture across Delhi's universities.

As per the directions of the Department of Training & Technical Education (DTTE), each State University has been instructed to conduct in-house shortlisting competitions to identify and nominate eight (08) Startups for participation in the State-Level Festival scheduled for 12th January 2026.

Students currently working on startup ideas, as well as alumni involved in early-stage startups, are encouraged to participate.

Key Points:

- The university will conduct a preliminary shortlisting round as part of the Pre-Event Funnel Programme.
- Selected Startups will compete at the State-Level Festival.
- All shortlisted Startups at the State Level will receive an Encouragement Award of Rs. 1.00 lakh each.
- The final festival will feature over 60 Startups from universities and ITIs across Delhi. Up to 20 teams will present before investors and mentors.
- Top-selected startups may receive Seed Grant support of up to Rs. 10 lakh.

Students who wish to participate must register with the DTU-IIF office, Room No.807, AB-3, DTU before the scheduled date and time.

For any clarification or coordination, you may contact:

University level Nodal Officer: Sh. Amit Singh Rathod, CEO, DTU-HF

State level Nodal Officer:

Sh. Ashwani Kansal, Registrar, Board of Technical Education (DTTE)

Your active participation is requested to make this initiative a success.

(Prof. Girish Kumar)

Dean (R&D)

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