



Industries Commissionnerate
Government of Gujarat



AN INITIATIVE BY **SIGMA[®] UNIVERSITY**



SIGMA ENTREPRENEURSHIP
DEVELOPMENT & INCUBATION CENTER

PRESENTS

NOVA

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◀ Theme ▶

Agri-Tech, Rural Innovation &
Social Entrepreneurship

Applied AI, Vertical SaaS & Sustainable
Engineering (MSME Digitalization)



27-28
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#StartupKiSahiShuruaat



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About Sigma University

Sigma University has consistently been a pioneer in career-oriented education, applied research, and industry-linked innovation.

The University focuses on nurturing ideas, talent, and enterprises that create real-world economic and social impact. With strong engagement across engineering, management, health sciences, and applied innovation, Sigma University actively collaborates with industry, government, and ecosystem partners to ensure that learning and research translate into execution and value creation.



SEDIC is Sigma University's innovation to impact focused incubator, established to convert regional MSME and social challenges into execution-ready startup solutions.

1.68+ Cr

Grants received by startups under **Startup Gujarat Scheme**

92 Lakhs+

Seed fund disbursed under **Startup India Seed Fund Scheme (SISFS)**

25 Lakhs+

Funds mobilised under **SSIP (Government of Gujarat)**

84 Lakhs+

CSR-backed fund disbursed via **Shaily-Sigma Incubation Centre**

Regional Milestones

- Vadodara's first Nodal Institute since 2017
- Highest number of NI startups in the region
- Highest CSR fund disbursement into startups in the region

100+

ideas to PoC pipeline built in the last 2 years

Join hands with SEDIC to build companies of tomorrow.



— IMPACT IN NUMBERS

450+

Startup Applications

90+

Shortlisted Startups

70+

Live Pitches

25+

Startups Funded / Supported on Stage

1CR+

Potential Investment Commitments

26+

Grants / Cheques Announced

20+

Mentoring & Expert Sessions

20+

Startups Exhibited

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Sigma has always been focused on nurturing ideas that create real impact.

NOVA was conceived with a simple belief – innovation must lead to execution.

NOVA 2.0 is our effort to bring serious MSMEs, startups, CSR bodies, and investors together on one platform where decisions are taken, pilots are launched, and impact begins.

I invite you as decision-makers, thought leaders, and changemakers who believe that innovation should result in real pilots, real deployments, and real value creation.

Dr. Harsh Shah
President, Sigma University



» EVENT DETAILS

1:1 Impact Pitching

Curated Deal-Making

Market & Network Enabling Sessions

Startup & Innovation Stalls

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- MSME Owners, Plant Heads & Procurement Leaders
- CSR & Impact Organisations
- Angel Investors & Venture Capitalists
- Startups & Social Enterprises
- Researchers & Practitioners

OUTCOMES EXPECTED

- Paid Pilots & PoCs
- Purchase Orders (Pos)
- CSR Deployments
- Letters of Intent (LoIs) & ToT Discussions
- Incubation & Acceleration Entry



BONUS PITCH WINNERS

₹50000

1ST PRIZE

₹25000

2ND PRIZE

₹15000

3RD PRIZE



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