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## Entrepreneurial ideas from Sangam University selected in MSMIE Hackathon 2.0.

**Bhilwara:** Selected in SMSME Hackathon 2.0, organized by the Ministry of Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSME) on International MSME Day at Science Bhavan in New Delhi. Seven ideas from Rajasthan, including Sangam University Bhilwara, IIT Jodhpur, and Amity University Jaipur, were chosen among the winners' list of selected ideas in the program. The selected ideas will receive financial assistance of up to 15 lakhs INR, supported by the MSME office, to approved host institutions (HI) to implement incubation ideas.

Sangam University has organized several programs in recent years for entrepreneurship and skill development of students. In March 2023, Ram Pal Soni, Chairman of the Sangam Group, inaugurated the latest technology-equipped Business Incubation Center for the convenience of students. The Vice-Chancellor of the University, Prof. Karunesh Saxena, congratulated the winning students and the government, reaffirming the university's commitment to providing opportunities to students. Dr. Saxena emphasized the importance of small industries, stating that MSME contributes approximately 30% to India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP). Students Naman Vyas and Vaibhav Acharya from Sangam University presented this idea. In this idea, students proposed establishing their venture by incorporating augmented and virtual reality. Describing the goal of establishing Sangam University as a host institution (HI) and business incubator (BI), Dr. Rajeev Mehta, the university's registrar, mentioned the university's commitment to providing every possible help to the youth of Bhilwara in the

field of entrepreneurship. The committee formed under the chairmanship of Dr. Manoj Kumawat, Deputy Director of the Skill and Entrepreneurship Center established by Sangam University Bhilwara, completed the responsibilities of this idea hackathon within three months. Dr. Kumawat provided



information about the Google certification program and the activities being carried out by the center to enhance students' entrepreneurial skills.

The committee received support from Dr. Archana Agrawal, Dr. Vikas Somani, Mr. Ajay Suwalka, Dr. Chinmay, Dr. Rekha, Dr. Avneet, Mr. Vikram, Dr. Amit, and experts from various fields, Mr. Vikas Jain, Ms. Purva Jindal, Mr. Rahul Shandilya, and Mr. Gaurav Chaudhary.

According to the guidelines of MSME, Sangam University Business Incubation Center will provide space, tools, and laboratory facilities for the selected idea and all kinds of support for its entrepreneurial activities.

**What are Hackathon and**

**Business Incubation?**

The primary objective of the MSME Idea Hackathon is to support MSME's entrepreneurship and managerial development through incubators.

The institution that establishes business incubators and provides basic infrastructure and technical facilities to nurture new ideas is called a host institution (HI). Business Incubator (BI) refers to a specific place/workshop within the HI that has facilities to nurture the incubatee's ideas. This competition had four phases...

## Geetanjali University Prepares for Grand Convocation 2023

**Udaipur.** During a press conference held at Geetanjali Hospital, several dignitaries, including Mr. Ankit Agarwal, Executive Director, Dr. FS Mehta, Vice Chancellor of Geetanjali University, Registrar Mr. Mayur Rawal, Dean Dr. D.C. Kumawat, and P.G. Dean Dr. Sangeeta Gupta were present to share the info to media about the upcoming Convocation - 2023.

Registrar Mr. Mayur Rawal announced that the Convocation would occur on 11-07-2023 at the Narmada Devi Agarwal Auditorium. The Chief Guest of the ceremony will be Lok Sabha Speaker Mr. Om Birla, and the Guest of Honor will be Padma Shri Dr. Randeep Guleria, the Director of AIIMS (AIMS), New Delhi. Mr. J.P. Agarwal, Chairman of the Geetanjali Group and Chancellor of Geetanjali University, will present the degrees and Gold medals to graduates, post-graduates, and doctoral students. Additionally, Emeritus Professors will be honored with the title of Honoris Causa for their remarkable contributions in the medical field. Notable personalities such as Vice Chancellor Dr. FS Mehta, Chairman of the Group Mr. Kapil Agarwal, Executive Director Mr. Ankit Agarwal, and Registrar Mr. Mayur Rawal will also be present at the convocation.



Dr. F.S. Mehta, the Vice Chancellor of Geetanjali University, provided information about the institution. He mentioned that it was the vision of Mr. J.P. Agarwal, Chairman of the Geetanjali Group, to establish state-of-the-art services in Udaipur so that people wouldn't have to go elsewhere for medical care and education. Geetanjali Hospital was established in 2006, followed by Geetanjali University in 2011. Dr. Mehta credited the university's strong faculty for achieving 250 MBBS seats. Since 2014, the university has also introduced various postgraduate

and super speciality courses. Geetanjali University comprises Pharmacy College, Nursing College, Nursing School, Physiotherapy School, and Dental College. Graduates from the university are providing their services in India and abroad.

Dr. F.S. Mehta mentioned that approximately 8,000 students have enrolled at Geetanjali University, with around 4,000 students already obtaining their degrees.

Mr. Ankit Agarwal, the Executive Director of the Geetanjali Group, acknowledged the Chairman of the Geetanjali Group, Mr. J.P. Agarwal, and the entire team for their contributions in establishing Geetanjali University. He expressed excitement among students and the entire Geetanjali family for the upcoming grand convocation.

Mr. Ankit Agarwal also shared information about the plans for Geetanjali Hospital in Jaipur, which will start in 2024. The Jaipur campus will cover approximately 30 acres and offer high-end super speciality facilities.

Additionally, in the next five years, the university aims to develop a Research and Development centre and a State of Art Robotic Surgery Center in both Udaipur and Jaipur.

### SPSU's NCC Officer Lt. (Dr.) D.S. Chouhan Commended

**Udaipur.** Sir Padampat Singhania University (SPSU) has made remarkable strides in promoting holistic student development and societal transformation.



The university's commitment to fostering well-being and creating a more equitable and just society has earned recognition for Lt. (Dr.) D.S. Chouhan, Associate NCC Officer, SPSU. Air Commodore L.K. Jain, Deputy Director General (DDG) of NCC Rajasthan Directorate, recently commended Lt. (Dr.) Chouhan for his exceptional services to the 10 RAJ battalion NCC Udaipur wing of the University wing. SPSU's NCC Unit, under the visionary guidance of Honourable Vice-Chancellor and President Prof. (Dr.) Padmakali Banerjee has been instrumental in the development of students and the overall process of nation-building. The endeavours include establishing a firing range and obstacle ground on campus, designed to meet standard norms and ensure the smooth functioning of NCC activities.



Furthermore, the NCC Unit at SPSU frequently organizes blood donation camps, tree plantation drives, and various other activities that contribute to the betterment of society. These initiatives exemplify the University's commitment to creating a positive impact and fostering a sense of responsibility among students. Through its inclusive approach to education, SPSU continues to nurture students who excel academically and develop as compassionate and socially conscious individuals.

## PM Modi Gifts Vande Bharat Train to Rajasthan

**P** Prime Minister Narendra Modi is set to gift the residents of Rajasthan another Vande Bharat train on Friday. This second Vande Bharat train in Rajasthan will operate between Jodhpur and Sabarmati Ahmedabad. The virtual flag-off ceremony will take place from Gorakhpur, the constituency of Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath. Rajasthan's first Vande Bharat train runs from Ajmer to Delhi via Jaipur.



What makes this train special is that it is the smallest Vande Bharat train in the country, with only 8 coaches compared to the usual 16 coaches in other states, including Jaipur. However, like the Ajmer-Delhi Vande Bharat, this train will also be a semi-high-speed train. The inaugural journey of the Jodhpur-Sabarmati Vande Bharat train will take place on Friday, departing from Jodhpur Junction at 3:30 pm. The train will be available for the general public from July 9 onwards. This will be the second Vande Bharat Express train for Gujarat, as Prime Minister Modi had flagged off the Vande Bharat Express train from Gandhinagar to Mumbai on September 30 last year.

The inauguration ceremony of the Jodhpur-Sabarmati Vande Bharat train will be attended virtually by Rajasthan Governor Kalraj Mishra and Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot. Union Minister Jagendra Singh Shekhawat, local MLA Suryakanta Vyas, and other leaders will be present at Jodhpur station. The train will depart from Jodhpur at 3:30 pm and arrive at Sabarmati at 10:40 pm on Friday, July 7. It will operate six days a week, excluding Tuesdays. In Rajasthan, the train will have stoppages at Bhagat Ki Kothi, Pali Marwar, Marwar Junction, Falna, Jawai Dam, and Abu Road stations, while in Gujarat, it will stop at Palanpur and Mehsana. The total travel time from Sabarmati to Jodhpur will be six hours and 10 minutes, covering a distance of 400 km. Currently, the existing train from Ahmedabad to Jodhpur takes around eight to nine

hours. Passengers traveling on the Vande Bharat train will save time, and the air-conditioned coaches will provide a comfortable travel experience.

According to Captain Shashi Kiran, Chief Public Relations Officer of North Western Railway, the fare for the Ahmedabad to Jodhpur journey will be Rs 1,115 for the chair car and Rs 2,130 for the executive class. Prime Minister Modi is currently on a tour of four states - Chhattisgarh, Uttar Pradesh, Telangana, and Rajasthan. During his visit, he will participate in numerous programs and inaugurate projects worth over Rs 50,000 crore. The tour includes visits to Raipur, Gorakhpur, Varanasi, Warangal, and Bikaner. The tour will conclude on Saturday evening in Bikaner, where the Prime Minister will lay foundation stones and inaugurate various projects.

## Speculation surrounding the expansion and reshuffle of union Cabinet

**S**peculation surrounding the expansion and reshuffle of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's Council of Ministers in India has grown as the countdown begins. Prime Minister Modi recently returned to New Delhi after a series of public engagements in Bikaner, Rajasthan, marking the end of his four-state tour covering his parliamentary constituency Uttar Pradesh, as well as the election states of Chhattisgarh, Telangana, and Rajasthan.

With the monsoon session of Parliament set to commence on July 20 and the Prime Minister's upcoming foreign trip scheduled for July 13 and 14, rumours about a cabinet reshuffle and reorganization have resurfaced. President Draupadi Murmu has also returned to the capital city and is now available for the oath ceremony.

Prior to embarking on his multi-state tour, Prime Minister Modi held discussions with Union Home Minister Amit Shah and BJP National President J Pindada at his residence in New Delhi. Furthermore, the groundwork for a cabinet reshuffle was laid out during a Council of Ministers meeting at the newly constructed convention hall of Pragati Maidan. Since Modi's second term began, there has been only one major change

in the Council of Ministers. However, given recent political events and the necessity to bolster the National Democratic Alliance (NDA), a cabinet reshuffle seems unavoidable. The article suggests that if the expansion does not occur now, it may be postponed indefinitely, with only a few ministerial changes taking place. Political insiders indicate that the process of expanding Modi's Council of Ministers has already commenced, and details may be made public soon. However, considering Prime Minister Modi's tendency to surprise everyone, it is challenging to predict when his attention will shift towards Rashtrapati Bhavan. Political experts opine that if circumstances prevent the expansion of the Council of Ministers at this time, there may be possibilities of doing so after the monsoon session but before August 15. However, unless there are changes in some ministries, the expansion may be delayed indefinitely. Currently, Prime Minister Modi is focusing on states with upcoming elections. During his recent visit to Bikaner, Rajasthan, marking his seventh visit to the region in the last nine months, he inaugurated and laid the foundation stone for schemes worth 24,300 crore. In a large public gathering, he criticized the Congress party and other opposition parties while supporting the Bharatiya Janata Party's (BJP) stance. Modi dedicated the Amritsar-Jamnagar Greenfield Expressway to the nation and highlighted the progress made in the state, while also criticizing the Rajasthan Chief Minister, Ashok Gehlot, and his administration for issues such as crime against women and paper leaks in examinations. The Prime Minister emphasized the need for a BJP-led "double engine government" in Rajasthan and accused the Congress of engaging in internal conflicts and spreading falsehoods. He asserted that the BJP government has undertaken significant developmental work in the region, ensuring that schemes from the central government reach Rajasthan. Modi cited the provision of four crore pucca houses for the poor and the opening of bank accounts for millions of underprivileged individuals as examples of the BJP's efforts to uplift Rajasthan. In conclusion, the article delves into the anticipation surrounding the expansion of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's Council of Ministers and hints at an imminent reshuffle. It also highlights Modi's recent visit to Rajasthan, where he criticized the Congress party and endorsed the BJP's developmental initiatives. The article acknowledges the unpredictable nature of Modi's decision-making and suggests that the expansion of the Council of Ministers might occur before or after the monsoon session of Parliament, based on political circumstances.

-G.N. Bhatt

## Raghuvir Meena Attends Congress' Key Meeting in Delhi

**Udaipur.** Raghuvir Singh Meena, a former Member of Parliament and member of the Congress Working Committee, participated in an important meeting at the All India Congress Committee headquarters in Delhi today.



The meeting was attended by Congress President

Shri Mallikarjun Kharge, former President Shri Rahul Gandhi, General Secretary Shri K.C. Venugopal, Rajasthan in-charge Shri Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Rajasthan Chief Minister Shri Ashok Gehlot, State Congress President Shri Govind Singh Dotasra, former PCC President and former Deputy Chief Minister Shri Sachin Pilot, Assembly Speaker Shri C.P. Joshi, State Vice Presidents, and other senior leaders of Rajasthan. Detailed discussions were held on various organizational matters concerning Rajasthan, and the top leadership provided guidance. Key topics related to the upcoming assembly elections were also discussed.

Earlier, Meena met with former Congress President Mallikarjun Kharge a day ago, during which the need for prominent Congress leaders' rallies in Rajasthan was emphasized. This proposal was agreed upon during today's meeting, and it was decided that large-scale rallies will be organized in Rajasthan in the coming days.

## Dr. Divyani Katara's Rural Visits

**Udaipur.** Dr. Divyani Katara, a member of the Social Welfare Board, reassured the rural population during her visit to Karawada and Bakada under the jurisdiction of the Chaurasi Assembly constituency. She inspected various government institutions and assured development projects. Upon her arrival in Karawada, she was welcomed by people from all sections of society, and the Youth Association of Karawada engaged in a constructive discussion with Dr. Divyani Katara regarding various village issues. The youth demanded the improvement of the pond, availability of drinking water, and the provision of electricity. In response, Dr. Divyani assured them of the government's commitment to providing all possible amenities.

Subsequently, Dr. Katara visited the Bakada Gram Panchayat, where she received a warm welcome from respected individuals. The rural



population informed her about issues such as the scarcity of drinking water, encroachment on the bus stand, and the lack of information about government schemes resulting in a lack of benefits. They also demanded the construction of public toilets. Dr. Katara assured the villagers that she would address the problems brought to her attention. During this visit, social workers Anil Jain, Mukesh Katara, and Gulab Singh Chauhan were also present.