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Research & Startup Workshop- Summary

The Buddha Innovation Council (BIC), Buddha Institute of Technology (BIT), Gorakhpur successfully organized an insightful and impactful **workshop titled “From Project to Product: Roadmap for Startups, Patents & Publications” on 20th February 2026** for the students of the **Department of Civil Engineering**. The workshop aimed to create awareness among students regarding innovation, entrepreneurship, intellectual property rights, research publications, and startup opportunities emerging from engineering projects.

The session witnessed the enthusiastic participation of around 35 students, who actively engaged in discussions and interactive activities throughout the program. The workshop focused on guiding students on how their academic and final-year projects can be transformed into practical solutions, innovative products, research papers, patents, and scalable startups. During the session, students were introduced to various important aspects such as identifying real-world engineering problems, developing innovative and sustainable solutions, understanding the process of patent filing, and preparing quality research publications for conferences and journals. Special emphasis was given to innovation opportunities in the fields of Civil Engineering, including sustainable construction technologies, smart infrastructure systems, low-cost engineering solutions, automation concepts, and industry-oriented product development.

The speakers also discussed the role of incubation support, government funding schemes, startup ecosystem development, and commercialization strategies available through the Buddha Innovation Council. Students were encouraged to think beyond traditional academic learning and develop an entrepreneurial mindset capable of addressing practical industrial and societal challenges.

The workshop was conducted by:

1. Mr. Ankur Kumar, Incubation Head, Buddha Innovation Council
2. Mr. Pratish Kannaujiya, Incubation Manager, Buddha Innovation Council

Both speakers shared valuable insights from the domains of innovation, research, patents, startup development, and product commercialization. Their practical guidance and interactive approach made the session highly engaging, informative, and future-oriented for the participating students. The workshop concluded with an interactive discussion session where students shared their ideas, queries, and future aspirations related to startups and research activities. The event successfully reinforced BIT Gorakhpur’s vision of promoting a strong culture of innovation, entrepreneurship, research, and technology-driven learning among students.

At BIT Gorakhpur, innovation is not limited to classrooms or events — it is continuously nurtured as a culture for building future leaders, researchers, and entrepreneurs.

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