

Registration Details

Faculty & Research Scholars: ₹500

Students: ₹200

(All registered delegates will be provided with working lunch.)

Account Details

Account Number: 11889405721

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Seminar Objective

The primary objective of this seminar is to inspire, educate, and empower students to embrace the spirit of entrepreneurship. It seeks to create awareness about the startup ecosystem and introduce students to the journey of building a business from scratch. Through interactive sessions, case studies, and expert talks, the seminar will guide participants in understanding the fundamentals of entrepreneurship, such as business planning, fundraising, marketing, and scalability.

Sub-Themes

- Indian Entrepreneurs in the Post-Independence Period
- Cultural Heritage and Traditional Crafts as Sources of Startup Ideas
- Geography and Entrepreneurship: The Role of Location in Business Success
- Rural vs Urban Entrepreneurship: Opportunities and Challenges
- Globalization, Liberalization, and the Rise of Indian Startups
- Creativity and innovation
- Teamwork, Responsibility and leadership
- Communication skills and Time management
- Entrepreneurship in the Light of NEP 2020
- From Campus to Company: Student-Led Startup Journeys

Important Dates

Abstract Submission Deadline: 3rd August 2025 (Midnight)

Full Paper Submission: 5th August 2025

Seminar date & Time: 05/08/2025(Tuesday), 10.00 AM Onward

Send abstracts to: dagcgeography@gmail.com

About the College

Dewan Abdul Gani College, came into existence in the year 1975 at Harirampur in the district of Dakshin Dinajpur, West Bengal, India is one of the leading co-educational general degree colleges under the affiliation to University of Gour Banga, Malda. The college has substantiated from the very inception that nothing can be obstacle in the voyage of education. Integrating lectures delivered by scholars & teachers of this academy has created a new paradigm in the strata of undergraduate education.



International Seminar on

STARTUPS AND STUDENT ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Organised by:

Departments of Geography, History, Political Science and English in Collaboration with the IQAC & Career Counselling and Guidance Cell of Dewan Abdul Gani College, Dakshin Dinajpur, West Bengal, India

Date: 5th of August 2025 (Blended Mode)

About the Seminar

A startup is more than just a new business—it is the embodiment of innovation, ambition, and the drive to bring meaningful change. Typically founded by an individual or a small team, startups aim to address real-world problems by offering unique products, services, or technologies that challenge the status quo. Unlike traditional businesses, startups often operate in highly dynamic environments and rely on adaptability, creativity, and risk-taking. They are usually built with scalability in mind and frequently leverage modern technologies to create disruptive solutions across various industries such as health, education, finance, and more. This seminar will explore how startups evolve from mere ideas into impact enterprises, highlighting the entrepreneurial mindset and strategies that lead to success.

Student entrepreneurship is a growing trend that involves students launching and managing business ventures while still in school, college, or university. This not only enables them to apply theoretical knowledge in real-life scenarios but also nurtures essential life skills. Through student entrepreneurship, young minds develop creative thinking, problem-solving abilities, business acumen, and leadership qualities. It promotes self-reliance, innovation, and the courage to take initiative. Many renowned companies today began as student projects, demonstrating that age is no barrier to impact entrepreneurship. The seminar will be focused on this content, encouraging participants to explore their own potential and turn ideas into action.

Dignitaries & Resource person



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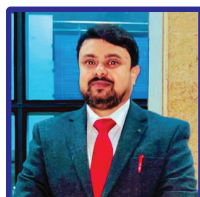
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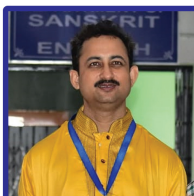
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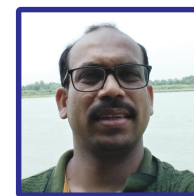
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