

CIED-IUST Foundation Celebrates International MSME Day

27-06-2025: CIED-IUST Foundation celebrated International MSME Day in collaboration with MSME DFO Srinagar, under the leadership of Prof. Parvez A. Mir, CEO CIED-IUST Foundation. The main objective of the program was to create awareness among aspiring entrepreneurs about the MSME registration process, eligibility criteria and the numerous benefits associated with it.

The program was formally inaugurated by Prof. Parvez A. Mir in the esteemed presence of Mr. Saheel Alaqband, Assistant Director, MSME Srinagar and Syed Zeeshan Andrabi, Functional Manager, DIC Pulwama. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students of the Department of Management Studies IUST, along with members of the CIED-IUST Foundation.

In his address, Prof. Parvez A. Mir informed participants about the importance of MSME registration for aspiring entrepreneurs. He also encouraged students to focus on developing business plans for their future entrepreneurial ventures.

Mr. Saheel Alaqband delivered an insightful session covering the details of MSME registration, its benefits and the role of MSMEs in the economy. He motivated the participants to consider launching small-scale startups, highlighting the available support mechanisms.

Syed Zeeshan Andrabi interacted with the participants, providing valuable insights into various industrial schemes, District Industry Centre (DIC) initiatives and government subsidies. He also shared his professional experiences, offering practical guidance to participants in celebration of International MSME Day.

The program was aimed to encourage young entrepreneurs to formalize their businesses and take advantage of the various government schemes and incentives available for MSMEs.