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Report on One Day Interactive Session with DEO, Pulwama On Udhayam Jagriti 5.0 under Mission YUVA .

Organized By: Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Placement Cell and Udhayam Jagriti Cell, Government Degree College Pampore
Date: 13-10-2026
Venue: College Mini Auditorium, GDC Pampore

The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Placement Cell and Udhayam Jagriti Cell of Government Degree College Pampore on 13th October 2026, hosted an interactive face-to-face and virtual session under the Udhayam Jagriti 5.0 initiative in the college Mini auditorium. The program brought together officials from the District Employment Office (DEO) Pulwama and personnel from the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Jammu (Srinagar Campus) to engage with students regarding start-up opportunities, business mentorship, and entrepreneurship development. The session aimed to review submitted start-up ideas and encourage new registrations among current students and alumni.

The programme was carried out under the esteemed guidance of the Principal, GDC Pampore, Prof. Gazala Gaiys who motivated students to submit their innovative ideas. Under the banner of Udhayam Jagriti 5.0, a significant number of students from Government Degree College, Pampore have submitted innovative start-up ideas. Officials from District Employment Office, Pulwama and experts from IIM Jammu (Srinagar Campus) held direct, face-to-face discussions with students who had submitted their proposals. To further cultivate the entrepreneurial spirit, they guided aspiring student entrepreneurs interested in registering and submitting new business concepts. To maximize participation, the event was organized using a hybrid mode. An online meeting was conducted virtually to accommodate college alumni currently enrolled in universities and other higher education institutions across the region who could not attend physically.

Detailed insights were provided regarding registration procedures, incubation support, funding mechanisms and skill development pathways under Udhayam Jagriti 5.0. Both offline and online attendees engaged in a dynamic Question and Answer session covering business scalability, government schemes, financial assistance and market challenges. Students received tailored feedback and actionable steps to refine their business models. The collaboration bridged the gap between academia, government employment authorities and management experts from IIM Jammu.

The interactive session under Udhayam Jagriti 5.0 was a resounding success, inspiring students to think critically and creatively about entrepreneurship. GDC Pampore remains committed to facilitating such platform-building initiatives to nurture local talent and contribute to a vibrant start-up culture in Jammu & Kashmir.

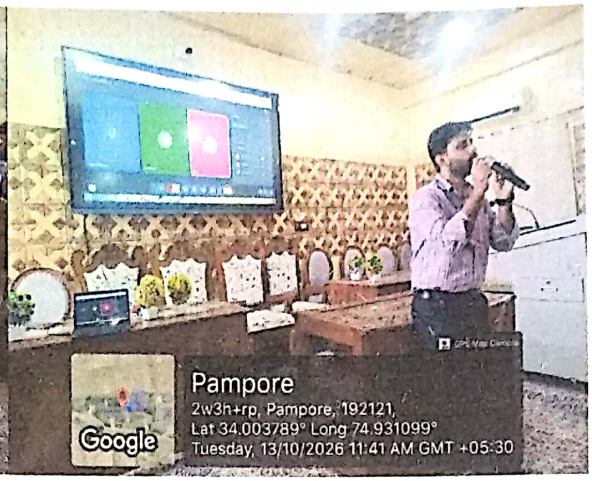
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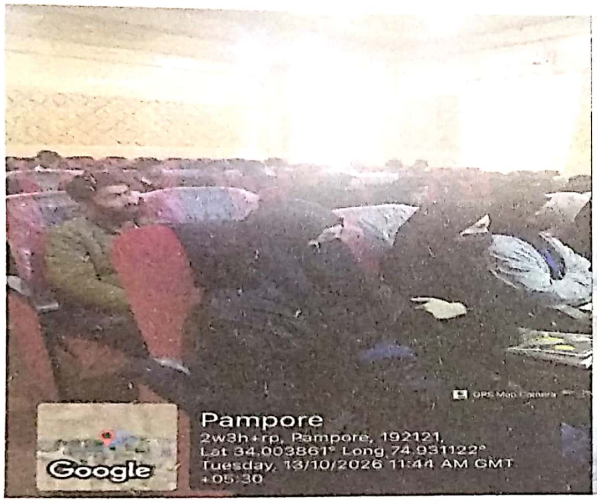
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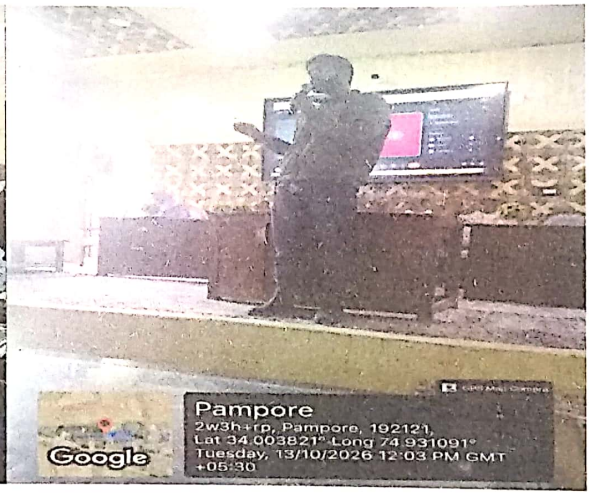
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