

# Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Centre Workshop

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**INNOVATION AND  
ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
DEVELOPMENT CENTRE**



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**Kerala Startup Mission (KSUM)** is the nodal agency of the government of Kerala for promoting entrepreneurship in the state. It is also the implementing body for the Kerala Technology Startup Policy that supports the state's startup ecosystem through the various schemes and support programs. KSUM was founded in 2006, with the goal to promote technology-based entrepreneurship activities and to create the infrastructure and ecosystem required to support high-end technology-based startup businesses.

KSUM acts as a springboard for budding entrepreneurs who wish to launch themselves into the world of technology-based careers and has helped to develop several innovative products and solutions. Over the past decade KSUM has been able to build a vibrant startup ecosystem allowing technology entrepreneurs to pursue their goals and dreams by providing them complete support in the startup life cycle. Today KSUM along with sector-specific partner organisations, boast of 2900 + registered startups, 10 Lakh + sq. feet of incubation space, 40+ incubators and 300+ innovation centers across the state of Kerala.

**Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Centers (IEDC)** are platforms set up in Engineering, Management, Arts & Science Colleges, Medical Institutions, Polytechnics and Universities with an aim to provide students with an opportunity to experiment and innovate. Kerala Startup Mission has set up IEDCs in 341 institutions across the State which provide avenues for creative students to learn, collaborate and transform their innovative ideas into prototypes of viable products and services. IEDCs work as the first launch pad for a student's entrepreneurial journey and provide them with access to cutting edge technology, world-class infrastructure, high-quality mentorship, early risk capital and global exposure.

The vision is to create an innovation culture among Innovators by introducing them the State-of-the-art technologies and positioning the Institution as a Learning and Innovation Platform by delivering technically competent and skilled Entrepreneurs.

## IEDC Launch

**Inauguration: 10:00 am – 10:30 am**

### Welcome Note:

Dr. Nobert Thomas Pallath  
Asso. Professor, IEDC Nodal Officer

### Presidential Address:

Dr. T.P Mohammad Fareed, Principal

### Inauguration:

Ms. Aishwarya Lakshmi  
Technology Fellow  
IEDC, Kerala Startup Mission

### Manager's Remark

Sri. M.A. Mohammed Jamal, Manager

### Felicitation:

Adv. K. Moidhu Kallangoden, Convener  
Sri. Mohammad Yousuf, CEO  
Dr. Biju K. G, Asso. Professor, IQAC Coordinator

### Vote of Thanks:

Ms. Sabeerath K, Asst. Professor

### Tea Break

### Session I (FN):

“IEDC Orientation”  
By Aishwarya Lakshmi  
Technology Fellow, IEDC

### Session II (AN):

“Technology Skill & Entrepreneurship Development”  
By Niyas.A  
Director, Green Technology Park,  
Palakkad