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### STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: The valedictory ceremony of the Capacity Building Programme on Small Business Development Units (SBDUs) held at the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Jammu signified a significant milestone in the empowerment of small business owners across India.

Organized under the auspices of the Ministry of Skill

Development Entrepreneurship (MSDE). Government of India, in collaboration with the Dalit Indian Chamber of Commerce (DICCI), the ceremony celebrated the successful conclu-sion of a five-day program aimed at fostering entrepre-neurship and economic growth. Key dignitaries present at the

ceremony included Prof. Jabir Ali, Dean Academics, IIM Jammu; Dr. Muqbil Burhan, Chairperson, Srinagar Campus, IIM Jammu; Dr.



IIM management along with participants during the programme.

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Prof. Jabir Ali reiterated the program's commitment to skill development and entrepreneurship, aligning with the vision of the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship. He emphasized the program's objective of transforming informal businesses into formal enterprises through tailored capacity

development, personalized

guidance, and business incubation services Additionally, the collabora-

tion with SIDBI was announced, promising new opportunities for budding entrepreneurs

The establishment of 22 SBDUs across the Union Territories of Jammu and Kashmir, and Ladakh, aims to draw participation from entre-preneurs nationwide, contributing to the progress of these regions. The valedictory ceremony

also featured a presentation session by the participants, followed by an interactive session with Prof. Jabir Ali, Dean Academics, IIM Jammu, allowing for valuable feedback and insights.

Dr. Mahesh Gadekar expressed gratitude on behalf of the institute, concluding the program on a positive note.

The initiative, spearheaded by IIM Jammu, DICCI, and MSDE, sets the stage for growth. transformative empowering entrepreneurs to contribute meaningfully to the socio-economic development of the nation.

In essence, the Capacity Building Programme on Small Business Development Units reflects a concerted effort towards fostering entreprenearship, skill development, and economic empowerment, with the potential to drive positive change across communities and regions.



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