




M Clinic on – "Technical Textiles based Solutions"
- Organized by BRBC -

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For whom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entrepreneurs, early stage startups, Venture Center incubatees
Mentors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr. Ashok Desai
When	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thursday, 29 August 2019 11:00 – 16:15 (Please be present atleast 15 minutes prior to your slot at the reception)
Where	Venture Center Conference meeting room 100 NCL Innovation Park, Dr Homi Bhabha Rd, Pashan, Pune, Maharashtra 411008
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Slots for Mentoring Clinic (11:00 - 16:15)


Serial #	Entrepreneur	Time slot
1	Divyakshi Kaushik	11:00- 12:00
2	Anuya Nisal and Swati Shukla	12:00- 12:45
3	Vaishali Kulkarni	12:45- 13:30
4	Jaydeep Deshpande	14:15- 15:00
5	Ajinkya Dharia	15:00- 15:30
6	Milind Choudhari	15:30- 16:15



Mentors	
 Dr. Ashok Desai	<p>Dr. Ashok Desai</p> <p>Dr. Ashok Desai holds a Ph.D. (Tech) in Textile Technology. He has been with Bombay Textile Research Association (BTRA) since 1980 and has been Director from 2000 – 2016. He was actively involved in many sponsored research projects, consultancy and training activities. In Spinning Technology, he has handled a large number of technology assignments for quality. He was instrumental in opening new laboratories in Microbiology, Technical Textiles, Conductive Textiles, Plasma Application and totally modernized the Chemical, Polymer and Eco laboratories of BTRA. He also spearheaded the Centre of Excellence in geo-tech at BTRA where he focused on product and process development in Nonwovens and Technical Textiles. He is also Chairman of TX30 and TX33 of the Bureau of Indian Standards and is Chairman of Textile Division Council of Bureau of Indian Standards. He has held several prominent positions in various committees and boards: part of advisory committee of the Textile Sector Skill Council, convener of a special committee for formulating specification for technical textiles by the Textile Commissioner, founder member of AATCC (American Association of Textile Chemists & Colorists) India, on the board of Governors of the Geo-synthetics Institute (GSI) in Folsom USA and was instrumental in establishing GSI (India) at BTRA, a scientist member of the Governing Council of SITRA and is an independent Director on the Board of Hindoostan Mills Ltd and Pranavadiya Spinning Mills Ltd, associated with ASTM and organized ASTM D35 Meeting for Geo-synthetics, on the Board of AATCC (American Association of Textile Chemists and Colorists) from January 2017 to December 2018.</p>



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