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Fisheries StartUp and Aquapreneurship Stakeholders Meet

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The National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), an autonomous organisation under the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India is an apex body for Agricultural Extension Management in India. MANAGE offers services like Capacity Building, Management Education, Piloting and Implementing Flagship National Schemes, Consultancy, Research, Knowledge Management and Policy Advocacy in Agricultural Extension Management (https://www.manage.gov.in).

MANAGE-FISHub

MANAGE-Fisheries Innovation and Startup Hub (MANAGE-FISHub) is a national-level incubation and innovation platform established at the National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad, in 2025 with the support of the Department of Fisheries (DoF), Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying (MoFAHD), Government of India. MANAGE-FISHub aims to transform India's fisheries and aquaculture sector through innovation, entrepreneurship, and ecosystem development by mentoring and promoting fisheries startups, creating employment and entrepreneurial opportunities aligned with national priorities, and enabling the rapid commercialization of technologies emerging from research, academia, and individual innovators. (https://www.manage.gov.in/managefishub).

Our Programs

- MANAGE-FISHub Pre-Incubation Program
- MANAGE-FISHub Incubation Program
- MANAGE Aqua Eureka Program
- Fisheries-StartUp & Aquapreneurship Stakeholders Meet
- MANAGE-FISHub Fortnightly Friday (F3) Webinars
- MANAGE-FISHub Internship Program
- MANAGE-FISHub AQUAREACH
- MANAGE-FISHub Aqua Yuva & Udhyami

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Centurion University of Technology and Management (CUTM) was established in 2010 has its campus at Paralakhemundi, Gajapati District, Odisha spread over 120 acres at the foothills of the Eastern Ghats. The University operates across six campuses in odisha- Paralakhemundi, Bhubaneswar, Balangir, Rayagada, Balasore and Chatrapur in odisha, along with operations in Andhra Pradesh including its Vizianagaram campus (https://cutm.ac.in)

The School of Fisheries at the paralakhemundi campus was established in 2017 and offers programmes in Fisheries and Aquaculture, icluding the B.F.Sc. programme with ICAR accreditation. The school is equipped with practical facilities such as fish ponds, hatcheries, a fish feed mill, biofloc and aquaponics units and a fish processing unit. In addition to Fisheries the campus offers programmes in Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Engineering and Technology Management, Veterinary and Animal Science, Nursing, Pharmacy, B.Tech programmes, BBA, MBA in Agribusiness Management, B.V.Sc & A.H, B.Sc. Nursing, B.Pharm, BCA and various diploma and skill-based programmes.

Objectives

- To provide quality, skill-integrated and industry-oriented higher education through academic programmes in diverse disciplines
- To develop employable and industry-ready human reaources through practical experiential and hands on learning
- To promote entrepreneurship and innovation and encourage students to develop enterprises and sustainable livelihood opportunities.
- To undertake research and technology development addressing local and industry specific challenges
- To support rural and economically disadvantaged communities through education, skill development, training and outreach programmes
- To promote sustainable development and environment conservation, including sustainable fisheries, aquaculture and aquatic resource management throug the school of Fisheries
- To strength industry, community and institutional linkages for knowledge sharing, technology transfer, employment and entrepreneurship opportunities
- To contribute to sustainable livehoods and community development through education, research innovation and fiels -based interventions

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About the Program

The Fisheries-StartUp and Aquapreneurship Stakeholders Meet aims to bring together all key stakeholders of India's fisheries and aquaculture ecosystem on a single collaborative platform and bridge the information gap, by facilitating a seamless exchange of knowledge, resources, and partnership opportunities among them.

The program aims to strengthen the fisheries entrepreneurship landscape by fostering innovation, collaboration, and value-chain integration. It provides startups with opportunities to showcase innovations, connect with partners, and learn from successful ventures. By facilitating dialogue and partnerships, the program seeks to build an inclusive ecosystem that accelerates sustainable growth, technological adoption, and blue economy development.

Who Can Attend?

- Fisheries Startups & Aquapreneurs
- Aspiring Aquapreneurs
- Fisheries Incubators, Accelerators & Innovation Hubs
- Fishers & Fish Farmers
- Fisheries Students & Researchers
- Financial & Funding Organisations
- Academic & Research Institutes
- Fisheries & Allied Industries
- FFPOs, Cooperatives & SHG's
- Policy Makers
- NGO's & Extension Functionaries
- Other Stakeholders in the Fisheries Startup Ecosystem

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Focus Areas

- Aquaculture Mechanisation & Innovation
- AI & IOT in Fisheries
- Waste to Wealth
- Biotechnology & Genetics
- Integrated & Secondary Aquaculture
- Blockchain Technology
- Fisheries Extension & Advisory
- Post-Harvest & Cold chain innovations
- Fisheries Inputs & Feed Technology
- Other Innovations in Fisheries & Aquaculture

Key Takeaways

Build Networks
Meet individuals who can potentially become business partners, clients, mentors, or collaborators.

Gain Visibility
Showcase your products and technologies toa relevant audience, increasing your visibility within the local business community.

Learning & Exposure
Gain insights from Fisheries-Startup Stakeholders through Networking, Talks and Discussions

Forge New Partnerships
Facilitate collaborations and discover opportunities for joint ventures, partnerships, or projects that align with your objectives.

Discover New Opportunities
Engage with innovators, experts, and institutions to explore emerging trendsand startup opportunities in the fisheries sector.

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