



Weekly Entrepreneurship News Roundup

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National News

Government clears 'Stand up India' to fund SC, ST, women entrepreneurs In a bid to create jobs and promote entrepreneurship, the Cabinet today approved Rs 8,000- crore funds that will stand guarantee for loans to new ventures and also announced 'Stand up India' scheme for credit facilities to SC, ST and women entrepreneurs at lower rates... [Read more](#) >

Cabinet approves conversion of MUDRA into bank The Cabinet approved the conversion of MUDRA Ltd, an NBFC, into MUDRA Bank and also setting up of a Credit Guarantee Fund for loans disbursed under the Pradhan Mantri Micro Units Development Refinance Agency (MUDRA) Yojana. Three products available under the PM MUDRA Yojana are Shishu, Kishor and Tarun to signify the stage of growth and funding needs of the beneficiary micro unit or entrepreneur... [Read more](#) >

States In The News

Assam ~ Conference on youth entrepreneurship held | Bharatiya Yuva Shakti Trust (BYST) in partnership with CII and Employment Generation Mission (EGM) organised a conference "Nurturing Youth Entrepreneurship & Distribution of Excellence Award" on 5 January at NEDFI House Auditorium in Guwahati. [Read more](#) >

Chandigarh ~ Training on Poultry Entrepreneurship organised | Department of Biotechnology, CCP, organized a "Skill Development cum Poultry Entrepreneurship Training Program" for students in association with Central Poultry Development Organization (Northern region), Government of India from 4th to 9th January, 2016. Rural poultry farming not only generates income levels and employment #opportunities in small farmers, but also brings about desired socio-economic change. [Read more](#) >

West Bengal ~ IIT Kharagpur's Global Entrepreneurship Summit organised | The Global Entrepreneurship Summit-2016 at IIT Kharagpur was organised from 8 - 10 January 2016 as an entrepreneurial platform for academicians, new-age entrepreneurs, business personalities, venture capitalists and students. [Read more](#) >

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