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START'O'SPHERE - 2025

AN EXCLUSIVE ANNUAL STARTUP CONCLAVE OF THE CHRIST ALUMNI

EVERYTHING
STARTS WITH A
DREAM



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About Office of Alumni Engagement

The Christ University Office of Alumni Engagement, emphasizes fostering academic connections. With alumni being a significant strength of our institution, our mission is to involve you in broader academic discussions, connecting you with current students and the university to enrich learning experiences. Our initiatives focus on facilitating knowledge exchange and utilizing alumni expertise to enhance academic excellence. Through mentorship, guest lectures, and collaborative programs, we aim to bridge the gap between academia and industry. These efforts provide practical insights and foster a dynamic learning environment. Our ultimate goal is to build a strong, thriving community where alumni actively contribute to the growth and success of Christ University.

About Start'O'Sphere

Start'O'Sphere is the flagship entrepreneurship event of the Office of Alumni Engagement (OAE), bringing together alumni entrepreneurs and students to exchange ideas, experiences, and innovations.

This two-day event showcases alumni-led startups, inspires students through panel discussions, and fosters collaboration via business quizzes and mentorship opportunities.



Event Highlights

Day 1

- Alumni Stalls (All Day)
- Panel Discussion on “FromcSpark to Startup : Entrepreneurial Journeys Shaping 2025 and Beyond” → Featuring industry experts

Focus Areas:

- Integrating sustainability into core business strategies.
- Balancing profitability and purpose in the startup ecosystem.
- Overcoming challenges in ethical sourcing, green funding, and scaling responsibly.
- Real-life stories of who are leading the way in impact-driven entrepreneurship.

Learning Outcomes:

- Actionable insights on building socially and environmentally responsible businesses.
- Understanding the future of entrepreneurship in a sustainability-first world.
- Inspiration to align student-led ideas with purpose-driven innovation.

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Day 2

- Alumni Stalls (All Day)
- Business Quiz – BizWhiz → Startup & business-focused quiz

Why BizWhiz Stands Out?

- Combines fun + learning with real-world business scenarios.
- Encourages critical thinking, strategy, and fast decision-making.
- Provides a platform for students to showcase knowledge and network with alumni mentors

Key Features

- Learning-Centric Alumni Stalls – Hands-on exposure to startup operations, branding, funding, and sustainability.
- Panel Discussion – Experts sharing insights on startup challenges, strategies, and scaling.
- BizWhiz Quiz – Student teams solving real-world cases.
- Networking Opportunities – Direct alumni-student interaction for mentorship, internships, and collaborations.

Rules & Regulations

For Alumni Stalls

- Fee: ₹6,000 (1 Day) | ₹10,000 (2 Days)
- Includes setup, branding, refreshments & cleaning services.
- Stalls must reflect alumni-owned/startup-led products or services.
- Sustainability-focused stalls are encouraged.

For Student Stalls

- Fee: ₹3,500 (1 Day) | ₹5,000 (2 Days)
- Students can only set up stalls with their own products or services.
- Reselling of third-party goods is strictly prohibited.
- Food stalls are not permitted.
- Selection of student entrepreneurs will be based on an interview/screening process.
- Preference will be given to innovative, sustainable, and socially impactful ideas.
- Students managing stalls must ensure professional conduct, hygiene, and quality standards.

For Students (Events)

- Registrations are mandatory for the Business Quiz and Panel Discussion shadowing opportunities.
- Students shadowing alumni must commit to a full-day learning engagement.
- Certificates of participation may be awarded by alumni entrepreneurs.

Why Attend?

- For Students – Learn startup fundamentals, gain mentorship, and explore internships.
- For Alumni – Showcase your business, mentor students, and strengthen ties with CHRIST.
- For the Institution – Strengthening alumni engagement and promoting a culture of innovation & sustainability.

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