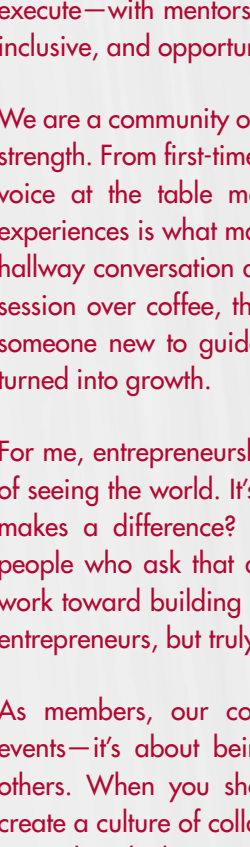


## VOICE OF TIE AHMEDABAD

**13<sup>th</sup> Edition**

**Celebrating Innovation, Conversations and Community Momentum**



### GOVERNING COUNCIL MEMBER, TIE AHMEDABAD

When I think of TiE, the word that comes to mind is **"possibility."**

Possibility—not just of building a business, but of becoming part of something larger than ourselves. At **TiE Ahmedabad**, I've seen firsthand

how powerful a community can be when it is driven by generosity, ideas, and intention. As a Governing Council Member, what continues to inspire me is how TiE creates space for founders to not just dream, but to execute—with mentorship that is honest, ecosystems that are inclusive, and opportunities that are real.

We are a community of diverse minds, and I believe that's our strength. From first-time founders to seasoned investors, every voice at the table matters. The ability to connect across experiences is what makes TiE special. Whether it's a chance hallway conversation at an event, or a structured mentorship session over coffee, there's always something new to learn, someone new to guide, and some challenge waiting to be turned into growth.

For me, entrepreneurship is not just a profession—it's a way of seeing the world. It's about asking: What can I create that makes a difference? At TiE, I find myself surrounded by people who ask that question every day. And together, we work toward building an ecosystem that doesn't just support entrepreneurs, but truly believes in them.

As members, our contribution isn't just about attending events—it's about being present in the growth journey of others. When you show up for someone else's idea, you create a culture of collaboration that echoes across the entire network. Whether it's offering mentorship, sharing a contact, or giving feedback, every act of participation matters.

If you're a member, I urge you—be active. Join the sessions, engage in the programs, mentor someone new, or just show up with curiosity. The more we participate, the more we gain. When founders are supported, communities thrive—and when communities thrive, entire regions evolve.

Here's to more conversations, more courage, and more collective wins.

Warmly,  
**Apurva Dave**  
 Governing Council Member  
 TiE Ahmedabad

**13<sup>th</sup> June 2025**

### AI MEETS MARKETING: COFFEE WITH MENTOR

Our recent *Coffee with Mentor* session, themed **"Smart Toolup – AI Meets Marketing,"** brought together an energetic group of mentees and experienced mentors for a hands-on, insight-rich exchange.

This wasn't just theory—it was a highly personalized, solution-oriented discussion where mentors delved into each mentee's current marketing practices and explored how AI tools can streamline workflows, expand outreach, and boost marketing efficiency.



A heartfelt thank you to **Ashesh Shah, Jaydip Parikh, & Harshal Trivedi** for leading this power-packed session. Their expertise, combined with real-world challenges and practical solutions, made the conversation both impactful and inspiring.



From smart toolkits to automation hacks, the room was buzzing with ideas that were instantly applicable & yes, the coffee helped too—fueling deeper discussions & meaningful connections.



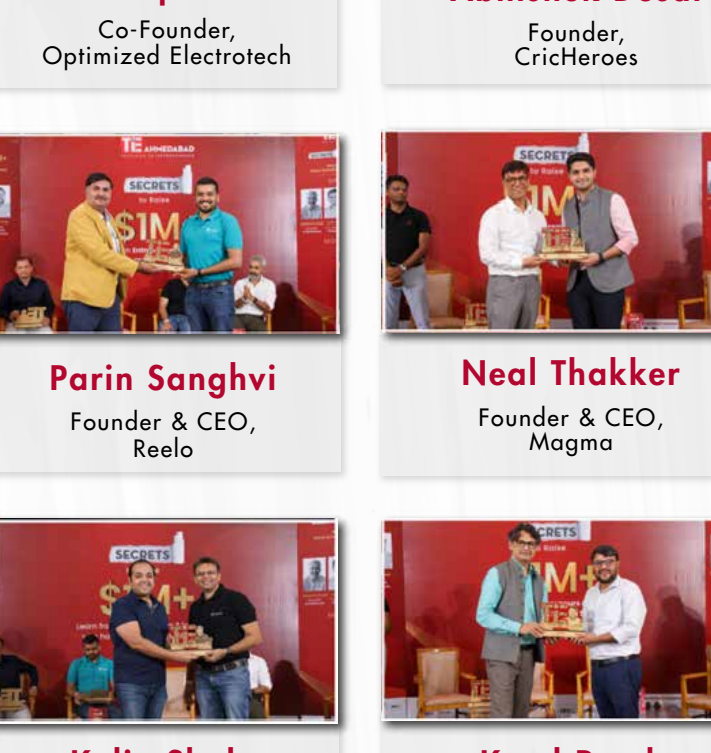
Thank you to all the mentees who participated with such enthusiasm. The Coffee with Mentor series continues to strengthen TiE Ahmedabad's mission of turning conversations into catalysts.



**Stay tuned for the next brew of mentorship!**

**19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> June 2025**

### PROUD ACHIEVEMENTS AT TYE GLOBAL FINALS 2025



#### A Moment of Pride For TiE Ahmedabad!

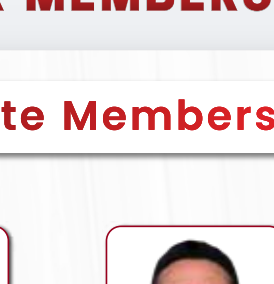
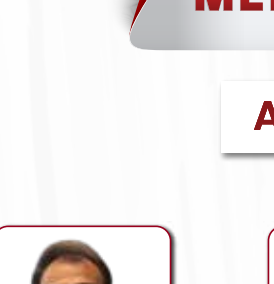


Two teams from The Westwood School, Rajkot — **Team Pellet Nova** and **Team Breeze Power** — represented TiE Ahmedabad at the **TYE Global Finals 2025**, hosted by TiE Delhi-NCR.

Their stellar performance earned them the **Best Customer Validation – Global Award**, showcasing their deep market understanding, clarity of pitch, and entrepreneurial grit.



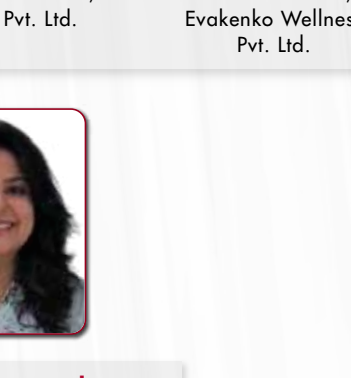
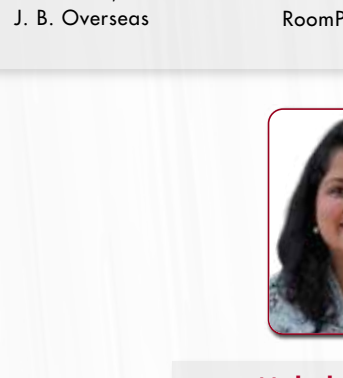
We're incredibly proud of these young innovators, their mentors, and their dedication. Here's to nurturing the entrepreneurs of tomorrow!



**26<sup>th</sup> June 2025**

### SECRETS to Raise \$1M+

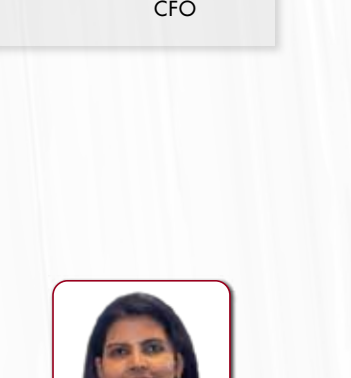
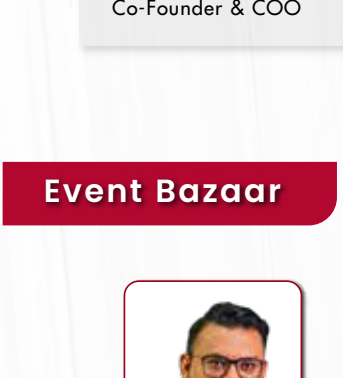
**Honest Stories. Nuanced Insights. Shared Experiences.**



This exclusive event wasn't just another panel—it was a raw, behind-the-scenes look into what it takes to **raise over \$1 million**, featuring both successful founders and seasoned investors.

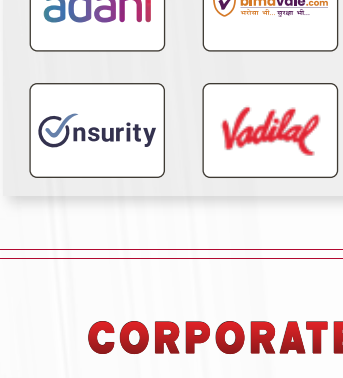


**Secrets to Raise \$1M+**, a high-impact evening that went beyond conventional funding panels.

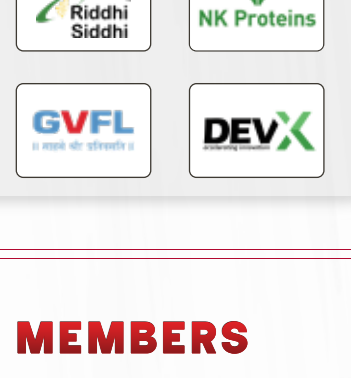


The event featured unfiltered conversations between founders who've successfully raised \$1M+ and investors who've deployed similar amounts across ventures. What unfolded was a raw, honest exchange filled with stories of perseverance, strategic decisions, and what really makes investors say "yes."

**A big thank you to our stellar speakers for generously sharing their journeys**



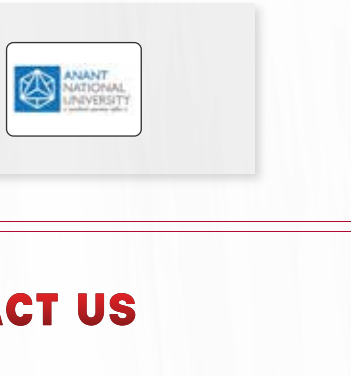
**Sandeep Shah**  
Co-Founder, Optimized Electrotech



**Abhishek Desai**  
Founder, CricHeroes



**Parin Sanghvi**  
Founder & CEO, Reelo



**Neal Thakker**  
Founder & CEO, Magma



**Kulin Shah**  
Co-Founder, Onsurety



**Ketul Patel**  
CEO, Desai Ventures



**Mihir Joshi**  
MD, GVFL Ltd.

Our heartfelt gratitude to moderators **Mr. Milapsinh Jadeja: Founding Director – Iroller Capital Pvt Ltd** and **Tanvi Shah Rangwala : Director – Adventerra** for steering the discussions with clarity & depth.



Following the panel, we hosted over **40 curated 1:1** speed meeting between attendees and speakers—each offering personalized feedback, deeper connections, and collaborative sparks.

The evening wrapped with vibrant networking and dinner, reinforcing the power of community-led learning and storytelling.

Here's to more such authentic spaces where entrepreneurs grow together—one honest conversation at a time.

### MEET OUR MEMBERS

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