



## **A MESSAGE FROM**

### **Director STPI-Gandhinagar (Gujarat)**

I am glad to inform you that an exponential growth of exports by the IT/ITES STPI registered units is observed in FY 2023-24, generating USD 1091 Million from Gujarat State.

STPI Gandhinagar is striving to make Gujarat one of the Next leading destinations for IT & ESDM in terms of exports in the coming years. Some of the big IT exporters of India have their presence in Gujarat with 1000+ employment are registered under STPI- Gandhinagar Directorate office at GIFT City, Gandhinagar. The STPI-Gandhinagar at GIFT City and at its sub centre at Surat offering State-of-Art incubation facilities and High-Speed Data Communication (HSDC) services to small units and entrepreneurs. Plug-n-Play facilities for Startups enable short gestation period. This has encouraged many entrepreneurs to start the operations and grow in a competitive environment.

The state has a diverse range of industries such as IT, Electronics Hardware, IoT, FINTECH Healthcare, Textiles, Chemicals, Pharmaceuticals, Engineering Goods, Gems and Jewellery, Agriculture and Food Products, Ceramics, and Handicrafts that export various products.

We look forward to determining Fintech & other industries working on emerging technologies from entrepreneurs, students, researchers, artists, and enthusiasts by effective utilization of the STPI/ STPI Next facilities, incentives & schemes which are inspiring for the invention to generate more IPRs from the region in this new India's Techade and can contribute in a significant way towards achieving the set target for our Nation making \$1Trillion digital economy by 2025.

I am sure the STPI-Gandhinagar would also add value to the startups & Skill development in the State in the coming years.

I wish the best of luck for the growth of the entrepreneurs and IT & Electronics innovators for their operations and expansions in the jurisdiction of STPI Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

Thanking you

**Sonal Bhatawadekar**