

## Report on AI-Powered Solution Expo: Demo Days for AI/14.0 Prototypes

**Title of the Session:** AI Udaan – Your Flight to a Brighter Tomorrow

**Organized By:** Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Swami Vivekananda University, Kolkata

**Resource Persons:** Souptik Pal, AI Mentor & Assistant Manager, Tech & Innovation, Learning Links Foundation

**Mode of Delivery:** Off-line

**No. of Participants:** 45

**Duration:** 16 Hours

**Nationality:** Indian

**Date & Venue:** 31<sup>st</sup> March to 1st April, 2026, Block 8- Hall 4, Swami Vivekananda University, Barrack pore, Kolkata, West Bengal

### Objectives:

The event aimed to bridge the gap between academic learning and future-ready technology through the following objectives:

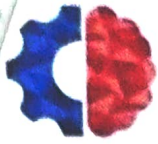
- **Skill Building:** To develop foundational competencies in Artificial Intelligence through practical exposure and hands-on training using Generative AI tools and applications.
- **Professional Integration:** To encourage educators and students to adopt and integrate AI technologies effectively and ethically within academic, professional, and research environments.
- **Empowerment:** To equip participants with the confidence, technical understanding, and practical skills necessary to succeed in an AI-driven ecosystem.
- **Future Readiness:** To familiarize the academic community with emerging trends and advancements in Artificial Intelligence, ensuring preparedness for future technological transformations.
- **Innovation Showcase:** A total of 10 AI solution expos were organized, where teams actively showcased innovative AI-based ideas, applications, and problem-solving approaches.
- **Demonstration & Repository Contribution:** 6 AI solutions were successfully demonstrated during the event and subsequently deposited/updated in the YUKTI Innovation Repository, promoting innovation documentation and institutional visibility.

### Theme:

The central theme of the workshop was "AI Udaan - Your Flight to a Brighter Tomorrow". The focus was on sharpening AI skills and harnessing Generative AI specifically for students and career enhancement

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### Outcome:

The workshop reported high engagement with **45 attendees**. Key outcomes included:

- **Increased Confidence:** Participants reported feeling significantly more confident in navigating and understanding the relevance of AI tools.
- **Mindset Shift:** Learners began to view AI as a "friendly and accessible companion" rather than a complex or intimidating concept.
- **Competency Acquisition:** Attendees gained essential 21st-century skills, including how to use AI to reduce workload and spark creativity.
- **Collaboration Success:** The event successfully demonstrated the synergy between academia (SVU), foundation partners (Learning Links), and industry (Google)
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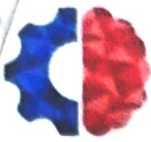
### Session Highlights:

The workshop was conducted offline on November 11th and 12<sup>th</sup> may, 2026, at Swami Vivekananda University. Key highlights included:

- **Expert Facilitation:** Facilitated by Mr. Souptik Pal, an AI Mentor from the Learning Links Foundation with specialized experience in Google's Gemini platform.
- **Hands-on Training:** Interactive sessions covering Google Gemini, Notebook LM, and the basics of Prompt Engineering.
- **Educational Use Cases:** Practical insights into using AI for lesson planning, content creation, and assessment strategies specifically for the Department of Education.
- **Certification:** A formal certification process partnered with Google to provide participants with a sense of achievement.

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### Glimpse of the event:



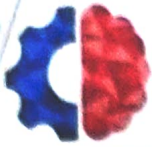
### General Participants Feedback:

- Participants found the session highly inspiring, insightful, and career-oriented.
- Many appreciated the practical approach and real-life examples shared by the speaker.
- Students expressed that the session helped them gain clarity about their future goals and career direction.
- The emphasis on fundamentals and problem-solving was particularly valued.
- The interactive nature of the session made it engaging and thought-provoking.
- Several participants mentioned feeling motivated to explore new technologies and research areas.
- Overall, the session was regarded as a valuable learning experience that went beyond traditional classroom teaching.

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### **Recommendations:**

- Incorporate sustainable practices in future Programs.
- Encourage collaborative initiatives among participants.
- Ensure continued engagement through follow-up workshops or sessions.

### ***Signature of the Convenor with University Seal***

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