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Dr. Hamsa Thota has 40 years of accomplishments as an inventor, entrepreneur, innovator, and teacher. He trains and consults with organizations in the US, China and India as the founder and president of US based Innovation Business Development (IBD), Inc., a company specializing in product innovation performance improvement.

He holds 10 U.S. patents. He coauthored “Key concepts in innovation”, a fundamental reference book for practitioners, students and scholars of innovation.

He is currently serving as a senior advisor to the Art of Science Learning project. Under his guidance, ASL project teams working in Innovation Incubators operating in San Diego, Chicago and Worcester, MA achieved a remarkable 79% go-to-market success rate with STEM based novel solutions to pressing civic challenges.