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Gujarat - Creating an enlightened congregation of global knowledge experts



International Conference for Academic Institutions (ICAI) - 2013

9 - 10 January, 2013

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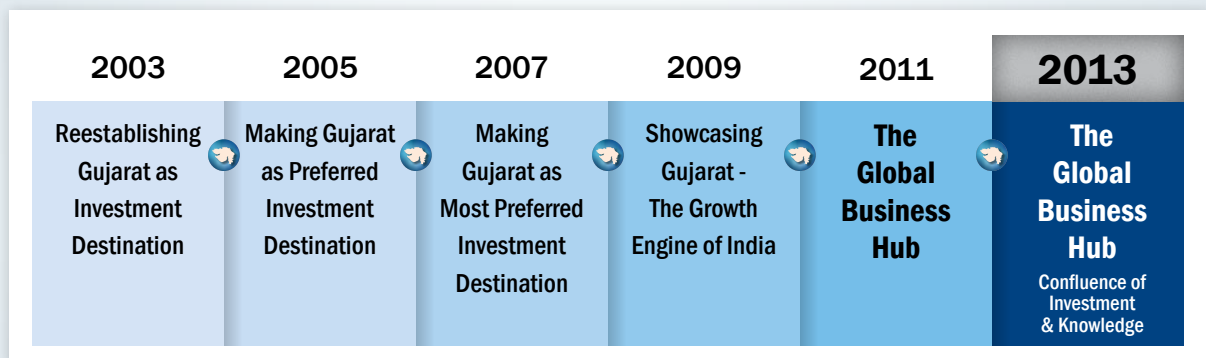




Vibrant Gujarat Summit 2013 - January 11-13, 2013

Forging knowledge partnerships - strengthening Gujarat's place in the league of knowledge economies

Innovation, Sustainable Development, Skill and Knowledge sector focus



- The Vibrant Gujarat Summits have succeeded in establishing Gujarat as the most favoured investment destination of India and a networking platform for sharing of knowledge and technology from across the world.
- The Government of Gujarat envisages a progressive intent that goes beyond businesses and includes plans for several knowledge based events under the banner of Vibrant Gujarat Summit 2013.



INTERNATIONAL ROUNDTABLE ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS

The MoU Signing Ceremony of

Shri Narendra

Hon'ble Chief Minister of

January, 2011







Event Background

- Gujarat is home to several globally eminent academic institutes and Centres of Excellences in different fields viz. Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Ahmedabad; Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Gandhinagar; Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU), Gujarat National Law University (GNLU) etc.
- The State has around 42 universities and over 1,400 institutes of higher education affiliated to these universities catering to over 7 million students.
- The Government of Gujarat intends to improve tie-ups / collaborations with international universities in terms of numbers, quality and effectiveness.

Highlights of IRAI 2011

The first edition of IRAI was organized as a 1-day event during the Vibrant Gujarat 2011 Summit.

33 delegates from 25 universities representing 9 countries attended IRAI 2011

74 MoUs / Letters of Intent (LoIs) for collaborations between Gujarat universities, foreign universities and Gujarat industries were signed.

Foreign institutes that participated in IRAI 2011

University of Oklahoma	USA
Ferris State University	
American Jewish Committee	
University of Nevada	
University of Maryland	
Kansas State University	
University of California, Berkeley (UCB)	
Iowa State University	
University of Southern California	
University of South Carolina	
California State University	
UCLA	
Virginia Commonwealth University	
Texas A & M	
University of Western Ontario	
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FATEB - College of Telêmaco Borba	Brazil
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University of Saskatchewan	Canada
Cape Breton University	
Memorial University	
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Tapovan Ayurveda & Yoga Center	France
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Korea Institute for International Economic Policy	Korea
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Institute of South Asian Studies	Singapore
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Karolinska Institute	Sweden
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Tajen University	Taiwan



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ICAI 2013 Objective

ICAI will act as a catalyst for universities in Gujarat to build international relationship with foreign institutions for promoting long term sustainable strategic partnerships in the areas of

- education process
- research activities
- faculty & student exchange
- knowledge exchange and capacity building of the universities

Key Sessions planned for ICAI 2013

Event	Proposed Topic
Session 1	Strategies for Building Sustainable World Class Institutions
Session 2	Development of faculty and student excellence
Session 3	Fostering Industry Institution Interface
Session 4	Sharing of Expectations (between International and National Universities/ Academic Institutions)



ICAI 2013 programme features

2 day flagship event focussing on Internationalization of education

Addresses by eminent education strategist, Government of Gujarat officials and policy makers

Participation of highly reputed 100 foreign universities

Participation of 80 reputed national universities

MoU Signing Ceremony

Around 5,000 - 10,000 sq. m. area allocated for education sector in Vibrant Gujarat 2013 exhibition





Profile of Invited Speakers

- Deans, directors, provosts of various eminent world class educational institutions
- Academicians and educational strategists
- Chancellors (International relationship) of foreign educational institutions
- Heads of research and development centres
- Leaders of skill development centers

Who should attend?

- Academicians and educational strategists
- Policy makers
- Heads of research and development centres
- Heads of private national educational institutions



Expected Outcomes

- Aspire for meaningful affiliations and an enabling relationship with industry, educational institutions and students
- Visualize future trends which will inspire and drive the academic institutions of tomorrow
- Establish a network between leading national and international educational institutes
- Gain a deeper understanding of the universities in the state and their requirements from their counterparts
- Develop an agenda for collaboration that is both relevant and practical
- Forge a sustainable partnership that translates into a mutually beneficial relationship



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NOTE:

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Program Objectives:

- Provide a platform for participants to derive lessons from global learning of institution building
- Understand institutional mechanisms required for sustainability of the University System
- Analyze various models of academic collaborations and research collaborations between Institutions
- Identify systems and develop approach for institutionalizing the Industry Institution Interface
- Function as a platform to provide networking opportunities between Academia, Government and Industry
- Explore possibilities of foreign campuses in Gujarat and associated challenges therein

Who should attend:

- Senior Educational Administrators like President, Provost and Vice Chancellors
- Policy makers in Higher Education
- Researchers – in education and in industry
- International Relations Administrators in educational institutions
- Industry Relation Administrators in educational institutions
- Academicians
- Administrators managing campuses

Snapshot of IRAI 2011

Held on 10th January 2011 in PDPU Campus, Gandhinagar – under the aegis of Vibrant Gujarat 2011 Summit.

Deans, Directors, Provosts and Senior Faculty from 25 international academic institutions from nine countries (including USC, UCLA, UC Berkeley etc.) participated in the Roundtable along with representatives from Gujarat based universities.

The Government was successful in connecting several international academic institutes with senior decision-makers of Universities in Gujarat. The objective was –

- a) gain an understanding of the universities in the state and their requirements from their counterparts*
- b) develop an agenda for collaboration that is both relevant and practical,*
- c) understand how funding will work and*
- d) forge a sustainable partnership that is mutually beneficial.*

During the Roundtable, 74 MoUs / Letter of Intentions (LoIs) for collaborations between Gujarat universities, foreign universities and Gujarat industries were signed / acknowledged.

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Draft Program

Day 1, 9th January, 2013

0830 – 0900 hrs	Registration of Delegates
0900 – 0930 hrs	Inaugural Session
<p><i>IRAI 2013 event will act as a platform for Universities (both domestic and foreign) to discuss debate, learn and arrive at solutions for delivering and fostering world class education and research. This event will also act as a catalyst for Gujarat based universities to build international relationships for promoting long term sustainable and strategic partnership in areas of education process, research & innovation, faculty & student exchange, knowledge transfer and capacity building of the universities.</i></p>	
0930 – 1100 hrs	Building Sustainable World Class Institutions
<p><i>This session will be based on sharing of experiential learning between World Class Universities from across the globe. Educational Administrators who have undertaken the transformative journey will discuss and present their understanding covering the challenges faced in the areas like:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Governance</i>• <i>Academics</i>• <i>Financial Management</i>• <i>Collaboration, Innovation and Creation of Knowledge</i>	
1130 – 1300 hrs	Development of Faculty & Student Excellence
<p><i>There will be 3-4 parallel panel discussions on various disciplines of education like Engineering & Technology, Management Studies, Basic Science, Arts & Humanities – Social Science, Medicine & Pharmaceuticals, focussed on academic collaboration between Gujarat institutions and foreign institutions in the areas of:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Research</i>• <i>Joint / Dual Degree Programme</i>• <i>Twining and Transfer Programme</i>• <i>Distance Education Programme</i>• <i>Faculty and Student and Exchange program</i> <p><i>The panel discussions would aim to provide understanding of the models and their associated adaptability in various institutions based on their educational and thematic needs.</i></p>	

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Day 1, 9th January, 2013 (contd.)

1400 – 1500 hrs	MoU Signing Ceremony
<p><i>With a belief that collaboration is the key to success in Educational and Research Domain, a platform for collaborations will be provided. In this session several memorandum of understanding (MoU) will be signed in the presence of Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat. The different possible collaborations will be as follows:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>University to University</i>• <i>University to Industry</i>• <i>University to Research Institute and</i>• <i>Industry to Research Institute</i> <p><i>The objective is to find a partner from the 51 Gujarat Universities and determine ways of generating combined value for the partner institutions.</i></p>	
1500 – 1630 hrs	Fostering Industry Institution Interface
<p><i>There will be 3-4 parallel panel discussions on various disciplines of education like Engineering & Technology, Management Studies, Basic Science, Arts & Humanities – Social Science, Medicine & Pharmaceuticals focussed on strategic alliance between industries and academic institutions for strengthening Innovation and R&D culture. Some of the themes which will be explored are:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Industry Institution Internship Programs</i>• <i>Industry Institution Workshop Programs</i>• <i>Industry Institution Scholarship Programs</i>• <i>Industry Institution Research Programs</i> <p><i>These panel discussions would aim to provide understanding skills expectations of the industry and how Universities with support of industry can act as a bridge between employability and deployability</i></p>	

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Day 2, 10th January, 2013

0930 – 1100 hrs	Sharing of Expectations
<i>The state government intends to see Gujarat emerge as 'knowledge economy' and international tie ups will play a key role in this. This session, will be help both sides i.e. the International Universities/ Academic Institutions and their Indian counterpart to understand the expectations of each other. This session will help to align the expectations and undertake necessary action to foster the collaborative culture and global expansion.</i>	
1130 – 1230 hrs	Valedictory Function

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