



# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

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To,

**Principals, Innovation Club Coordinators, Project-innovation exhibition program coordinators of all affiliated colleges/Institutions.**

GTU has established its Innovation Council since 2010 and has been engaged in creating a robust Innovation and Start-up ecosystem across its 500 plus affiliated colleges in Gujarat. To develop a deep technology driven innovation culture across all our campuses we are doing strategic interventions at pedagogy and institution level. We believe technology will be a great enabler to bring further equity, access and inclusion and bring sustainable impact at grassroots level. We are making sincere efforts towards the above and incentivising students and faculty members to innovate for society at large.

GTU and Vijnanabharati are celebrating **National Technology day** at GTU Chandkheda Campus, Ahmedabad on **11<sup>th</sup> May 2017**. During this event we will also appreciate some of the efforts by various colleges in supporting student Innovation and similar efforts. During this event, principals, Innovation Club coordinators, innovators, start-ups and other stakeholders of GTU will also remain present.

GTU Affiliated colleges who have successfully attempted student innovation/project exhibition involving different stakeholders to promote culture of innovation in respective campus and around will be appreciated during this occasion by the Chief Guest of the event. On behalf of the respective college, the principal/ Innovation club coordinator/Project- innovation exhibition program coordinator may receive the appreciation during this occasion.

During this program Padmabhushan Dr. V.K.Saraswat, Member NITI Aayog and former Director General of DRDO will be joining as the chief guest and deliver a keynote address to inspire all GTU community. Shri Shreekant Katdare, Author, Vijay Sanket a book on successful Atomic experiment at Pokhran, will also deliver a keynote address during this occasion.

GTU Innovation Council invites Principals, Innovation Club Coordinators, Project-innovation exhibition program coordinators, Students, faculty members, technology enthusiasts and others to participate in this celebration to cherish the great technological achievements of the nation.

During this program GTU Innovation Council will also update about its latest efforts to support student innovation and start-ups and developing a sustainable ecosystem to enable them. Discussion and consultation will also be made involving all participants so that we can co-create a better roadmap with tangible impact in days to come through creativity, innovation & entrepreneurship for GTU's contribution towards achieving optimum results in national programs like 'Make in India' , 'Start-up India', 'Digital India' and others by harnessing youth potential.

Venue- GTU Chandkheda Campus

Date : 11<sup>th</sup> May 2017

Time- 10:30 AM to 4:00 PM

To attend the event, kindly fill up the details at:

<https://goo.gl/forms/KLiLVtVVHRgxZjj72>

For any query revert back to Asst. Prof Deepak Upadhyay or Asst. Prof. Raj Hakani

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To, All the Principals/Directors of all the affiliated Colleges

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