Gujarat Technological University

No.:GTU/Acad/ Date: 27th July, 2015

3rd August 2015: WELCOME & ORIENTATION Program for 1st Semester Students

Inter-connection with GTU through GOOGLE HANGOUT

To
Directors/Principals
GTU Affiliated Degree & Diploma Engineering/Pharmacy/MBA/MCA Colleges

Sub: (i) Starting first semester classes from 3rd August, 2015 and

(ii) Organizing interaction of first semester students with Hon. Vice Chancellor through Google Hangout during the first semester student orientation program.

It is hereby informed to all GTU affiliated colleges to make necessary arrangements to start classes of first semester from 3rd August, 2015. On the very first day, it is very important to organize orientation program for all new students by every College/ Institute/ Polytechnic, affiliated with GTU, to provide necessary information about the learning systems at GTU and at the Institution. An effective orientation program will help improve student performance and establish communication between Faculty Members and the student community.

The orientation program, for the first semester students on 3rd August, 2015, is to be organized from 11:00 am – 12:30 pm in the auditorium of the College/ Institute/ Polytechnic. The auditorium must have an LCD projector, internet connectivity and Audio Video System.

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor will deliver his address live to GTU students through Google Hangout broadcasting and every College/ Institute/ Polytechnic should make the necessary arrangements in its auditorium to broadcast it on time through internet. GTU will send link of google hangout to all colleges by email along with updated schedule on 1st August, 2015.

Draft Schedule of orientation program is as below.

Date: 3rd August, 2015
Venue: College Auditorium
Participants: All first year students of College, Director/Principal, GIC Faculty Coordinators and Student Coordinators of all branch.

Time	Description
11:00 am	Students taking their seats while Videos related to Student Start-ups are being played. (GTU will provide videos in advance)
11:15 am	Welcome Speech by College Director/Principal

11:30 am	Vision Speech for careers in professional Courses at GTU by Dr. Akshai Aggarwal, Vice Chancellor
11:45 am to 12.30 pm	Welcome and Motivational Messages from (i) Honourable Minister of State for Women and Child Welfare and Higher & Technical Education*, (ii) Honourable Minister, Education (Primary, Secondary and Adult), Higher and Technical Education, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer affairs, Science – Technology* (iii) Honourable Chief Minister of Gujarat". (iv) Honourable Prime-Minister of India*
	Introduction to University Start-up policy and faculty and student coordinators of GTU Innovation Council

Following this orientation program, colleges can plan to provide further information and start classes on the same day.

I/C Registrar

**GTU has made a request. But we have yet to receive the confirmation.*