Gujarat Technological University

Faculty Development Program for the Swami Vivekananda Contributor Personality Program on 7th -8th January, 2012 at Government Girls Polytechnic college, Athwa Gate, Surat

Gujarat Technological University is introducing the subject "Swami Vivekananda Contributor Personality Development Program" in Bachelor of Engineering, Diploma Engineering, Bachelor of Pharmacy and Master of Computer Application. The subject will be taught by the faculty of English. The list of institutes is given below for the participation in this workshop. Faculties who have still not attended this FDP are instructed to register themselves.

Background

As you might be aware, in the last few years, the Gujarat Technological University has taken up a number of initiatives to significantly improve the quality and effectiveness of the students that it offers to industry and society. While many of the initiatives have been designed to build skills and competencies of the students, the core issue of the right mindset and the right values has remained elusive.

In our quest for possible programs which can meet this requirement, we got to know of the ibecome program for developing contributors and contributive careers. At our behest, the ibecome team conducted pilot sessions at several GTU colleges. Based upon the feedback from the students as well as the faculty members involved in these pilots and our own assessment of its effectiveness, we have come to the conclusion that the i-become program comprehensively meets our requirements.

As such GTU has decided to introduce the *Swami Vivekananda Contributor Personality Program* in the curriculum for the last semester batch of all the programs under auspices of GTU. The purpose of the program is to infuse the "contributor" ideal in students.

The Faculty Development Program

In order to enable the faculty for this program to be able to conduct the program effectively we propose to run a Faculty Development Program. Details of this program are as follows:

- 1. Program Duration: 3 Days over two phases
 - a. Phase 1
 - b. Phase 2
- 2. Phase 1 will focus on:
 - a. Understanding the program concept
 - b. Clarifying the need for an infusing ideal in students
 - c. Sharing the learning model used including a hands on introduction to the Activguide – a website meant to support both students and teachers with respect to this program
 - d. Sharing the subject matter / curriculum
 - e. Sharing the mechanism proposed to be put in place for sharing best practices
 - f. Teaching facilitation skills as relevant to this program
 - g. Deliberate on the challenges in transforming mindsets (given that this is a mindset change program)
 - h. Deliberate on the challenges in engaging students
- 3. Phase 2 will be based upon the need for support as experienced by the faculty members during the first 4-6 weeks of conducting the Program. The program will be an FAQ cum group discussion session to respond to challenges faced by teachers when they actually ran the program on the ground.
- 4. The following institutes are instructed to send the faculty of English in this workshop.

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1	006	BhgMahavir-Surat	1	601	AYD, Kosamba	
2	009	CKP-Surat	2	608	BMCP, Surat	
3	014	GEC-Bharuch	3	612	S&S Surat	
4	019	GEC-Valsad	4	615	GGP, Surat	
5	023	GEC-Surat	5	616	GP, DANG	
6	033	MGIT-Navsari	6	629	GP,Valsad	
7	042	SJ-Surat	7	637	NGP Bardoli	
8	045	SVMIT-Bhurach	8	645	KJP Bharuch	
9	048	Vaila-Bharuch	9	647	STBS Surat	
10	049	VTIT,Umrakh	10	655	VBP Navsari	
11	053	CGPIT,Tarsadi	11	656	VTP Umrakh	
12	072	SFDE-PPP,Navsari	12	658	GP, Daman	
13	076	SSASIT,Surat	13	659	BBA Karad	
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15	086	Laxmi,Valsad]			

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4	239	ROFEL,Vapi			
5	254	SDPC, KIM			
6	259	SWAMI,Kevadia			
7	265	SWAMI,Salvav			
8	268	VTC,Umarakh			
9	274	Laxminarayan,Bholav			
10	285	Vidhyadeep ,Kim			

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2	520	Laxmi, Valsad				
3	523	Narmada, Bharuch				
4	531	SCET, Surat				
5	539	SRIMCA, Surat				