

Gujarat Technological University

International Experience Program (IEP) Started At Laurentian University, Sudbury, Canada

Students arrived in two groups, one (51 students) on 14th June and second (45 students) on 16th June and were welcomed by **Dr. Kalpdrum Passi**, Professor of Laurentian University.

The students were given orientation by the residence staff on June 17, 2013 in the West Residence regarding the facilities available in the residence and the procedures for using them.

The classes started on **Monday**, **June 17**, **2013** for both Computer Science and Pharmacy related courses. In the first week, lectures on Web Data Management were given by **Dr. Kalpdrum Passi** and lectures on Pharmaceutical chemistry-X and Pharmacology-III were given by **Dr. Gerardo Ulibarri** and **Dr. Abdul Omri**, respectively.

A reception was organized by Dr. Vasu Appanna, Dean, Faculty of Science and Engineering on Thursday June 20, 2013 in the Great Hall. Dr. Sheila Cote-Meek, Acting Vice-President, Academic and Provost welcomed the students to Laurentian University for IEP. Dr. Vasu Appanna addressed the students and welcomed them. They shared words of advice on personal and professional matters, encouraged students to work hard to learn the materials covered in classes and laboratories, and emphasized to have fun by participating in various recreational and cultural activities going to be organized by LU.

Students were able to meet other faculty and staff members from the faculty of science and engineering during the reception.







On Friday June 21, 2013,

Students went to city tour organized by Ms. Rachel Trudeau, Business Officer in the Dean's office and visited different places in Sudbury including Dynamic Earth, downtown, and New Sudbury Center.



On Saturday June 22, 2013,

Students went to downtown of Sudbury city and saw cultural monuments over there and got exposure to weekend's life of citizens of Sudbury. They also enjoyed different dishes of Sudbury.

On Monday June 24,

Students attended regular classes followed by practical related to Pharmacy.

Pharmacy Faculty of GTU, **Dr. Rina H. Gokani** and Engineering faculty of GTU **Mr. Tarun Sharma** held meeting with the Faculty of Pharmacy and Computer science respectively.



Feedback from the students at the end of 1st week of IEP

- > Outstanding educational experience with an exposure to innovative teaching techniques.
- > Teaching environment is very friendly and interactive.
- LU staff is very supportive, hospitable and caring. Food is very hygienic and healthy

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We are highly obliged to Hon. Vice Chancellor, Gujarat Technological University for enabling us to accompany the student's IEP and opportunity of innovative learning.

Dr. Rina H. Gokani

Mr. Tarun Sharma