



# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

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## ગુજરાત ટેકનોલોજિકલ યુનિવર્સિટી

(ગુજરાત સરકારના ગુજરાત અધિનિયમ ક્રમાંક:૨૦/૨૦૦૭ દ્વારા સ્થાપિત)

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### More than 2000 enthusiasts participated in GTU's International Yoga Day

Consequent to the decision of the United Nations, with the support of 177 nations, International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June, 2015 at Gujarat Technological University (GTU). Around a congregation of around 2000 yoga enthusiasts gathered in GTU, Chandkheda Campus from all across the Ahmedabad city and surrounding areas.

The crowd included Students, Staff and Faculties of 91 colleges around Ahmedabad. Each college under the GTU were told to send their team including students and faculties to become a part of history. Colleges gave encouraging response and sent big teams. Some foreign students including students from Bangladesh and Bhutan, studying in GTU affiliated Sankalchand Patel College of Engineering, Visnagar also became part of the unprecedented programme.

GTU also roped in various NGO associates like Lakshya Prerna Divine Foundation, Senior Citizens of Chandkheda, Rail Vikas Nigam and other organisations. Yoga instructor Atul Bhatt and Assistant Professor of Lakulish Yoga University Viral Bhatt, Ghanshyam Shah, Vinaben and Dr.Jyoti Shrivastav served in the event as instructor.

Dr. Rajul Gajjar, I/c Vice-Chancellor said that if we implement Yoga in our daily life, we can improve our health. Let us take pledge to make yoga as a part of our lifestyle. Having been truly inspired by our Hon. Prime Minister's and Chief Minister's vision of International Yoga day and taking his thought one step ahead we have organised the event on a big way. GTU has started Yoga Training to students and faculties as well as staff of around 480 colleges affiliated with GTU. The training session was organised during 10<sup>th</sup> June to 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2015. Shri J.C.Lilani, I/c Registrar and other top officials and faculties as well staff participated in the event. Dr. Ramsinh Rajput, Chief accounts Officer & co-ordinator of the event thanked all for making the event successful.

# Photographs of the International Yoga Day Celebration at GTU Chandkheda Campus

