

Gandhinagar University Organized Two-Day Workshop on Internationalization of Education

Gandhinagar, 24th January 2025: Gandhinagar University's Office of International Relations successfully organized a Two-Day Workshop on the Internationalization of Education, held on 23-24 January 2025, at the University campus. The workshop brought together esteemed educators, thought leaders from various institutions and the faculty members of Gandhinagar University to discuss and explore the future of education in a globalized world.

The event was inaugurated by Prof. M.M. Salunkhe, the founder Vice Chancellor of the Central University of Rajasthan and former President of the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), who delivered an insightful address on '*Globalization of Education*'. Prof. Salunkhe emphasized the importance of embracing internationalization to foster a global exchange of knowledge and cultural understanding in today's educational landscape.

The keynote address was presented by Dr. Ketan P. Badgular, Coordinator of the Internationalization Cell, Commissionerate of Technical Education, Government of Gujarat. Dr. Badgular spoke on '*Bridging Borders: Implementing NEP-2020 through Internationalization*', highlighting the pivotal role of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 in promoting international cooperation and collaboration in higher education.

The first day of the workshop concluded with an address by Ms. Anubhooti Arora, Director of the Office of International Affairs at Ahmedabad University. Ms. Arora shared valuable insights into strategies for enhancing the international presence of educational institutions and fostering global partnerships.

The workshop was attended by faculty members from Gandhinagar University, who actively participated in discussions and sessions on various aspects of international education, including global student mobility, cross-border partnerships, and innovative teaching methodologies.

Dr. Gaurav Bhimawat, Coordinator of the Office of International Relations at Gandhinagar University, delivered a vote of thanks, acknowledging the efforts of the organizing committee in ensuring the success of the workshop. Dr. Bhimawat expressed gratitude to the speakers, participants, and guests for contributing to a highly successful and enriching event.

The Two-Day Workshop provided a platform for sharing ideas and best practices for the internationalization of education, fostering greater global collaboration, and preparing institutions for the future of education in a globalized world.

