

1. MISSION, VISION AND OBJECTIVES

Established by Parliament of India through the Central Universities Act (2009), Central University of Gujarat (CUG) considers its main objectives to be dissemination and advancement of knowledge creation and sharing. The University is committed to make special provisions for integrated and interdisciplinary courses, to educate and train human resources for the country's development, to initiate appropriate measures for promoting innovation in teaching and learning and to pay special attention to improve the social and economic conditions and welfare of the people, especially pertaining to their intellectual, academic and cultural development.

MOTTO

Providing a Global Platform for Knowledge and Employability to our Students along with Society and Industry Interface.

MISSION

The mission of CUG is to provide access to quality education and create opportunities for encouraging students to effectively engage with emerging innovations and technological challenges, international competitiveness and leadership in thought as well as in action. CUG is also conscious of the importance of developing entrepreneurial and scholastic abilities for creation of knowledge, wealth and prosperity for the country as well as peace and happiness for human beings.

VISION

The vision of CUG is to establish itself as a centre of excellence with social commitment by integrating modern, scientific and technological knowledge and skills with the basic human ethos and values. The University shall set forth a model in teaching, research and personality development and create skilled human resource with a sense of responsiveness towards society, the country and the world at large.

OBJECTIVES

The objectives of CUG are:

- Dissemination and advancement of knowledge by providing instructional and research facilities in various branches of learning.
- Making special provisions for integrated courses in humanities, social sciences, science and technology in educational programmes.
- Taking appropriate measures for promoting innovations in teaching-learning methods and interdisciplinary training and research.
- Educating and training human resource for the country's development.
- Establishing academic-industries partnership to promote advancements in science and technology.
- Paying special attention to the improvement of social and economic conditions and welfare of the people, especially pertaining to their intellectual, academic and cultural development.

SCHOOLS AT THE UNIVERSITY

The University has six Schools of study which offer a range of programmes. The Schools are:

- School of Social Sciences
- School of International Studies
- School of Language, Literature and Culture Studies
- School of Chemical Sciences
- School of Life Sciences
- School of Environment and Sustainable Development

In addition, the University has two Special Centres:

- Centre for Nano Sciences
- Centre for Library and Information Science

STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY

The University considers its students to be its primary stakeholders. Through academic training and participation in University life, students acquire the aptitude for scientific scrutiny, logical questioning and critical evaluation in order to become responsible citizens, assets to the nation and cultural ambassadors of Gujarat.

UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Monsoon Semester	22 July 2016 to 05 December 2016
Winter Vacation	06 December 2016 to 05 January 2017
Winter Semester	06 January 2017 to 12 May 2017
Summer Vacation	13 May 2017 to 21 July 2017