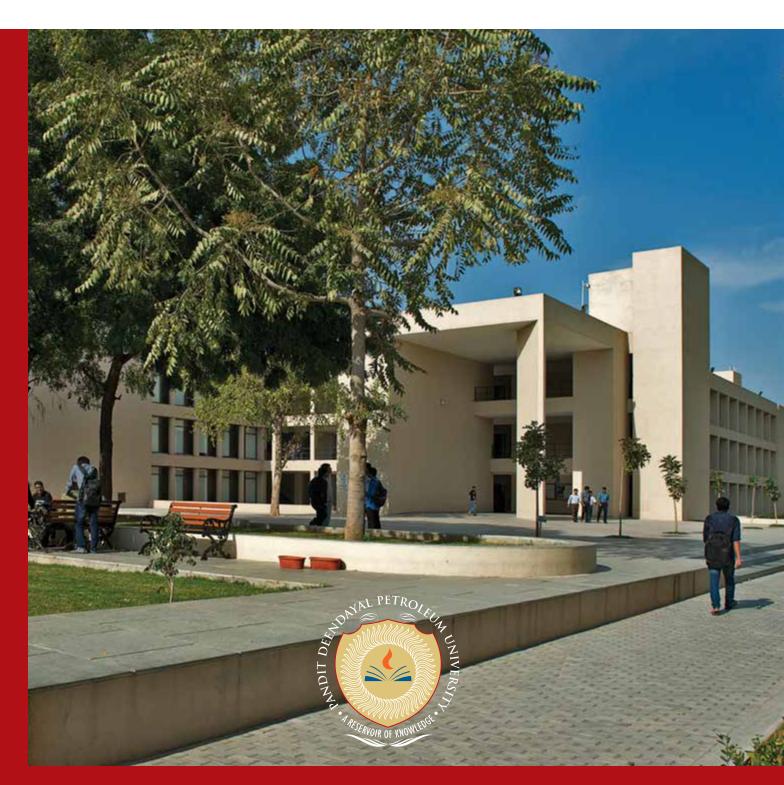
# PANDIT DEENDAYAL PETROLEUM UNIVERSITY

## **FACTS 2016**



## National Institutional Ranking Framework

Ministry of Human Resource Development Govt. of India

Ranks

PDPU

1 st
IN GUJARAT

55th
BEST UNIVERSITY
IN INDIA

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## PDPU FACTS 2016

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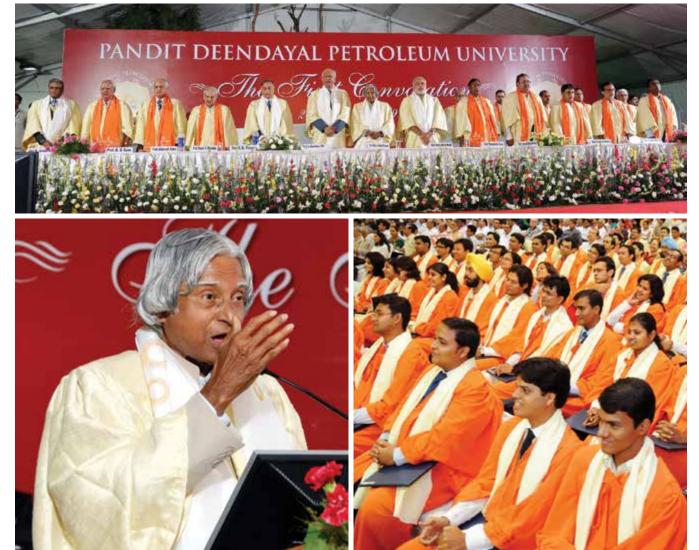
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## 1<sup>ST</sup> CONVOCATION - 27<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2009

Chief Guest - Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
Guest of Honour - Shri Narendrabhai Modi, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat
Disciplines - Management, Engineering

Year	No. of Graduates
2008	65
2009	65





## 2<sup>ND</sup> CONVOCATION - 27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2011

Chief Guest - Shri Narendrabhai Modi, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat Disciplines - Management, Engineering

Year	No. of Graduates
2010	88
2011	330







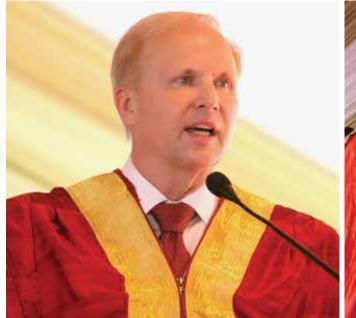


## 3<sup>RD</sup> CONVOCATION - 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2013

Chief Guest - Shri Narendrabhai Modi, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat Guest of Honour - Mr. Bob Dudley, Group Chief Executive, British Petroleum Disciplines - Management, Engineering

Year	No. of Graduates
2012	326
2013	335









## 4<sup>TH</sup> CONVOCATION - 6<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2016

Chief Guest - Smt. Anandiben Patel, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat
Guest of Honour - Shri Saurabhbhai Patel, Hon. Minister for Finance, Energy &
Petrochemicals, Mines, Planning, Tourism, Civil Aviation
Special Guest - Mr. James Burkhard, Head of Oil Market Research for HIS Energy, USA
Disciplines - Management, Engineering, Liberal Studies

Year	No. of Graduates
2014	542
2015	833









## **ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY**



Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU) was established as a Private University through the State Act enacted on 4th April, 2007 to create a World Class University in energy education and research with special focus on the Oil and Gas sector.

PDPU addresses the need for trained and specialized human resource for Energy, Engineering, Management and Liberal Arts field worldwide. It intends to expand the opportunities for students and professionals to develop intellectual knowledge base with leadership skills to compete in the global arena. This objective is being addressed through a number of specialized and well-planned undergraduate and post-graduate energy education programmes and intensive research initiatives.

PDPU believes in active and continued partnership with Oil & Gas sector companies and National and International Universities, Consultants and Vendors.

## SCHOOLS & ACADEMIC GRADUATION PROGRAMS

The University has 2995 Undergraduate, 549 Postgraduate and 80 Doctoral students and 158 faculty and 59 visiting faculty. About 106 support staff and Lab Assistants also work for the smooth functioning of the University.

The University offers programs in Energy, Engineering, Management and Liberal Arts field through its five constituent Schools.



## SCHOOL OF PETROLEUM TECHNOLOGY (SPT)

offers B.Tech, M.Tech and Ph.D. engineering programs in the following streams:

#### B.Tech.

- · Petroleum Engg.
  - Upstream
  - Downstream

#### M.Tech.

• Petroleum Engg.

Ph.D.



## SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY (SOT)

focuses on technological education, research and services that anticipates and meets the need of tomorrow's world. It is expected that engineering graduates from the school will care about issues that technology can make a difference, whether these are related to health, security, economic well-being or sustainability of the world and prevailing value systems. SoT offers following programmes:

#### B.Tech.

- Civil
- Chemical
- Electrical
- Mechanical
- Industrial
- Information & Communication Technology
- · Computer Engg.

#### M.Tech./ Ph.D.

- Civil (Infrastructure Engg. & Mgnt.)
- Electrical (Power Systems)
- Mechanical (Thermal Engg.)
- · Nuclear Engg.
- Solar Engg.
- Environment Engg.



### SCHOOL OF PETROLEUM MANAGEMENT (SPM)

offers MBA with specialization in Energy, Infrastructure, Finance, Marketing and HR, post graduate Diploma for working executives, Ph.D. and unique management development programs in Oil & Gas Sector Management.

#### **MBA**

- Energy & Infrastructure
- Finance
- Marketing
- Operations Mgnt.
- Human Resources Mgnt.

#### **PGDPM-X**

• Petroleum Mgnt.

#### **MDP**

• Management Development Program Ph.D.

Ph.D.



## SCHOOL OF LIBERAL STUDIES (SLS)

started with four year BA/BBA (Hons.) program in Liberal arts philosophy with majors in English, Governance & Public Administration, Environmental Studies, Business Administration, Economics, Psychology, International Relations, M.A in English, Public Administration, International Relations & Political Science and Ph.D. programs. SLS also offers B.com and B.Sc. in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics courses.

#### BA/BBA (Hons.)

- Business Administration
- Economics
- Psychology
- English
- Public Administration
- International Relations
- Mass Communication
- Environmental Studies

#### B.Com. (Hons.)

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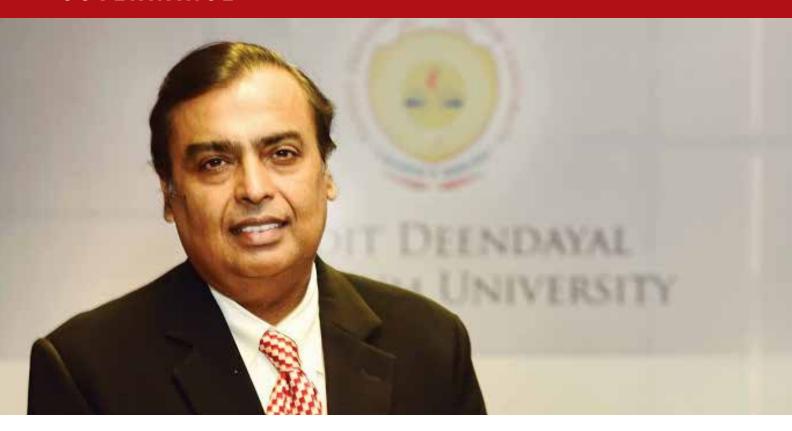
#### B.Sc. (Hons.)

- Physics
- Chemistry
- Maths

#### **MA (Master of Arts)**

- Public Administration
- Political Science & International Relations
- English

## GOVERNANCE



The University is led by Dr. Mukesh Ambani, Chairman, Reliance Industries Ltd. as the Chairman of the Board of Governors and Founder President of the University.

The Board of Governors consists of eminent personalities from the academia and industry including Shri D. Rajagopalan, IAS (Retd.), Ex-Chief Secretary, Government of Gujarat, Shri Vikram Singh Mehta, Chairman, Brookings India, Dr. R A Mashelkar, President, Global Research Alliance & CSIR Bhatnagar Fellow, Shri Sudhir Mehta, Chairman, Torrent Power, Smt. Pallavi Shroff, Partner, Amarchand Mangaldas, Prof. N R Dave, Former Director, Technical Education, Govt. of Gujarat, Dr. J N Singh, IAS, Chief Secretary, Govt. of Gujarat, Shri Sujit Gulati, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary, Energy & Petrochemicals Department, Govt. of Gujarat, Shri Pankaj Joshi, IAS, Principal Secretary, Education Department (Higher & Technical Education), Govt. of Gujarat, Dr. T Kishen Kumar Reddy, Director General, PDPU.

## STUDENT ENROLMENT

180

Management **Students** 

3,600

Undergraduates

1,044

**Humanities & Social Sciences Students** 

431

**Graduates** 

2,980

Engineering **Students** 

4,204

**Total Students** 

## **FACULTIES**

165

**Faculty** Members 118

Staff **Members** 

## RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT & INNOVATION



#### SOLAR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

- To promote research in solar technology by undertaking various research programs so as to minimize solar cost of production.
- To promote research in solar policy & regulations by undertaking techno-economic/socioeconomic feasibility studies/cost-benefit analysis.
- To monitor Gujarat State level solar related power generation using PV modules, off grid & decentralized systems.

#### CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR GEOTHERMAL ENERGY

• To carry out research and investigative studies for analyzing the resource potential in Gujarat and potential sites have been identified for geothermal exploration.

#### SIEMENS CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE

- To train the students in a way that they can be directly deployable in the industries.
- To upgrade the working professionals by imparting the knowledge of latest technology.
- To seed research capability and capacity.
- To contribute in the development of education curriculum in line with the industry requirements.







#### **CENTRE FOR BIOFUEL AND BIOENERGY STUDIES**

• To contribute research in the growth of biofuels and provide platform for scientific and research community, industry and government to accelerate both in the energy farming and efficient production of bioenergy derived biofuels.

#### DRILLING AND STIMULATION CENTRE

• The Centre is being set up in collaboration with University of Oklahoma, USA under guidance of Prof. Subhash Shah, Shell Total Chair Professor, PDPU. It will cater to hands on experiment, Student Project, Consultancy projects & Industry Usage.

## **INNOVATION AND INCUBATION CENTRE (IIC)**

• The Centre aims to encourage Research, Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development amongst the whole student fraternity and also among the small scale as well as large scale industries. The main purpose of IIC is "Lab to Land" and "Entrepreneurship Development".

## INTERNATIONAL AUTOMOBILE CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE (IACE)

• The Centre is being developed in partnership with Government of Gujarat and Maruti Suzuki (India) Limited. It will be an apex centre for skilling to demonstrate modern technology in auto sector and for conducting R&D in Automobile Industry.



## A SHORT JOURNEY OF PDPU IN A DECADE

**2006** - Institute of Petroleum Management, Gandhinagar started offering Master of Business Administration program **2007** - School of Petroleum Technology started offering B. Tech in Petroleum Engg. program **2009** - First batch of M.Tech in Solar Engg.and Nuclear Engg.program **2010** - First batch of M.Tech in Petroleum Engg. program - School of Liberal Studies started offering BA (Hons.) and BBA (Hons.) programs. - School of Technology started offering B.Tech in Electrical Engg., Mechanical Engg. and Civil Engg. programs - Commencement of International Exposure Program **2011** - School of Technology started offering B. Tech in Chemical Engg. and Industrial Engg. 2012 - Establishment of Solar Research and Development **2013** - Establishment of Centre of Excellence of Geothermal Energy - School of Liberal Studies started offering B.Com (Hons.) program - School of Technology started offering M.Tech in Electrical Engg., Mechanical Engg. and Civil Engg. Programs - Establishment of Centre for Continuing Education **2014** - Establishment of Siemens Centre of Excellence **2015** - Establishment of Centre for Bio Fuels and Bio Energy Studies - Establishment of Innovation and Incubation Centre

**2016** - Establishment of ICT and CSE Engineering branches

- Establishment of B.Sc (Hons.) in Physics, Chemistry and Maths

## **INFRASTRUCTURE**

The University campus is spread across 100 acre of lush green land with academic and residential facilities and student life facility.



#### **CAMPUS**

- 100 Acre
- 15 Buildings
- 49 Lecture Halls
- 32 Laboratories/Workshops
- 1320 Laboratory Equipments
- Impressive and aesthetically built Academic Area
- Ultra-modern labs, equipped with latest technology, simulation models
- IT systems with latest hardware & software and Wi-fi connectivity
- Sports & recreational facilities



## CAFETERIA FACILITY

- 4 Dining Halls
- 704 Sitting Capacity



## AUDITORIUM INFRASTRUCTURE

- Auditorium 500 Capacity
- Auditorium 250 Capacity
- Auditorium 200 Capacity



### LIBRARY INFRASTRUCTURE

3 Automated Libraries and Video Conferencing facilities

#### **LIBRARY RESOURCES**

- 47,810 Books
- 8,713 Journals/Periodicals & Magazines
- 3,394 Digital Material (CDs, DVDs)
- 41 Daily National & International News-Papers



### SUSTAINABLE PDPU

- 01 MW Solar Power Plant
- 5000 Kilowatt-Hours of Electricity per Day
- Green Campus
- Water recycling facility
- · Waste Management

## **ENDOWMENTS**

Institutional support from Government, Public Sector and Private Industries for development of the University especially for setting up Chair Professors, developing Infrastructure including laboratories, research projects, faculty and student development programs, scholarship programs, internationalization, resource development campus development, technology up-gradation, etc.

#### **GOVERNMENT**

- · Government of Gujarat
- Gujarat Energy Development Agency
- Gujarat Energy Transmission Corporation Limited
- Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India
- Department of Science and Technology, Government of India
- Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India

## PDPU

#### **INDUSTRY**

- Reliance Industries Limited
- · Cairn India Limited
- Gujarat Power Corporation Limited
- Gujarat Alkalies and Chemicals Ltd
- Torrent Power Limited
- Gujarat State Electricity Corporation Ltd
- Suzlon Energy Ltd., Pune
- Hazira LNG Pvt. Ltd.
- · Jubilant Oil & Gas
- Shell toptal
- · Maruti Zuzuki
- British Petroleum/ Castrol

PDPU is establishing Chair Professor in partnership with Public and Private Industries to further the cause of Academic and Research Excellence at the University.

PDPU along with Hazira LNG Private Limited has named Professor Subhash Shah as the Chair Professor-Shell Total at PDPU. Professor Shah, who has had a long and distinguished career as Stephenson Chair Professor and also as the Director, Well Construction Technology Center at University of Oklahoma, USA.

Other Industry partner for Chair Professors include:

• Hazira LNG Pvt. Ltd., Ahmedabad

## INDUSTRY EXPOSURE & EXPERIENCE

PDPU has introduced Rural Internship for first year students to develop greater understanding of rural India and participate in its development. Students after first year of study go for two month summer rural internship to strengthen understanding of concept related to rural development with specific reference to Indian context.

Students after second year of study go for two month summer Industry Orientation to get exposure to various technologies deployed in the Industry of large and small scale and relevant to their field of Engineering.

Students after third year of study go for two month of Research Internship in Industry or Research Organization to inculcate research and technology development that brings sustainability and efficiency enhancement of operations.





## INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION

The University has international collaboration with University of Tulsa, University of Oklahoma, and University of Houston, Texas A & M University from USA, University of Saskatchewan, University of Manitoba, Memorial University, and Queens University in Canada, Edith Cowen University, University of Wollongong and Curtin University in Australia.

## **INSTITUTIONAL CENTRIC ACTIVITIES:**

- Roundtables
- Educational Mission

- International Visitors
- MOU with International Universities

#### STUDENT CENTRIC ACTIVITIES:

PDPU send Students abroad for their one month International Exposure Program, Semester Study Abroad Program and Summer Research Internship under International Collaboration. International Exposure Program, International Students @ Campus, Travel Grant Policy Support,

- Research Internship, International Admissions in International Universities, Admitting International Students through Direct
- Admission of Students Abroad -DASA (DASA is Scheme of Ministry of Human Resources Department, Govt. of India) & EDCIL
- (Ministry of Human Resources Department, Govt. of India), Study in India program for International students, AIESEC student group for Incoming and Outbound International programs

#### **FACULTY CENTRIC ACTIVITIES:**

Paper Presentation, International Visits, International workshop/ Conference.

To complement the process of Internationalization, PDPU has introduced Study in India Program to host international faculty and students on campus for studying and discovering Indian society, culture, politics, socio – economic scenario and world affairs. PDPU also host AIESEC interns for cultural exchange.

## INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIP



#### UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, USA

Founded in 1890, the University of Oklahoma is a coeducational public research university located in Norman, Oklahoma. OU's Norman undergraduate population is just over 20,000, giving students a major university experience in a private college atmosphere. Employing nearly 3,000 faculty members, the school offers 152 baccalaureate programs, 160 master's programs, 75 doctorate programs, and 20 majors at the first professional level.



#### TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY, USA

Texas A&M University is a coeducational public research university located in College Station, Texas, United States. It is consistently ranked among the top 20 public universities in the United States; most notably, its engineering school ranks in the top 10 of public schools. Texas A&M's designation as a land, sea, and space grant institution reflects a range of research with ongoing projects funded by agencies such as the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), the National Institutes of Health, the National Science Foundation, and the Office of Naval Research. The school ranks in the top 20 American research institutes in funding and has made contributions to such fields as animal cloning and petroleum engineering.



#### **UNIVERSITY OF TULSA, USA**

The University of Tulsa (TU) is a private university located in Tulsa, Oklahoma, United States. The university is historically affiliated with the Presbyterian Church. The university offers programs in law, English, computer science, natural sciences, psychology, and engineering.



#### UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG, AUSTRALIA

The University of Wollongong is a public research university located in the coastal city of Wollongong, New South Wales, Australia, approximately 80 kilometers south of Sydney. The university offers a wide range of courses across five super faculties including the Faculty of Business, the Faculty of Engineering and Information Sciences, the Faculty of Science, Medicine and Health, the Faculty of Social Sciences and, lastly, the Faculty of Law, Humanities and the Arts.



#### **EDITH COWAN UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA**

Edith Cowan University (ECU) is an Australian public university located in Perth, Western Australia. It was named after the first woman to be elected to an Australian Parliament, Edith Cowan, and is the only Australian university named after a woman. The industry-relevant teaching and research, supportive study environment and award-winning facilities help prepare students to become valuable contributors to the wellbeing and sustainability of our communities, both locally and internationally.



#### UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN, CANADA

The University of Saskatchewan is a Canadian public research university, founded in 1907, and located on the east side of the South Saskatchewan River in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada. The University of Saskatchewan is the largest education institution in the Canadian province of Saskatchewan. It is also the only Canadian University that has a partnership agreement with University of Oxford. The University of Saskatchewan is one of Canada's top research universities and is a member of the U15 Group of Canadian Research Universities.



#### UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA, CANADA

The University of Manitoba is a coeducational, nondenominational, government-supported institution in the province of Manitoba, Canada. Located in Winnipeg, it is a research-intensive post-secondary educational institution. Founded in 1877, it was Western Canada's first university, offering over 100 degrees, diplomas, and certificates – more than 60 at the undergraduate level including professional disciplines such as medicine, law, and engineering.



#### UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA, CANADA

The University of Alberta is a public research university located in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. It was founded in 1908 by Alexander Cameron Rutherford, the first premier of Alberta, and Henry Marshall Tory, its first president. The university ranks among the top five universities in Canada and among the top public research universities worldwide.



#### **TECHNION UNIVERSITY, ISRAEL**

The Technion – Israel Institute of Technology is a public research university in Haifa, Israel. Established in 1912 under the Ottoman Empire and more than 35 years before the State of Israel, the Technion is the oldest university in the country and is among the most selective. The university offers degrees in science and engineering, and related fields such as architecture, medicine, industrial management and education. It has 19 academic faculties, 60 research centers and 12 affiliated teaching hospitals.



#### WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON COLLEGE, USA

Washington & Jefferson College, also known as W & J College or W&J, is a private liberal arts college in Washington, Pennsylvania, in the United States. The college's academic emphasis is on the liberal arts and the sciences, with a focus on preparing students for graduate and professional schools. Campus activities include various religious, political, and general interest clubs, as well as academic and professional-themed organizations.



#### SACRED HEART UNIVERSITY, USA

Sacred Heart University is a Roman Catholic university located in suburban Fairfield, Connecticut, United States. Sacred Heart was founded in 1963 by the Most Reverend Walter W. Curtis, Bishop of the Diocese of Bridgeport, Connecticut. SHU offers more than 40 degree programs to over 8,000 students at the bachelor's, master's and doctoral levels.



#### LAMAR UNIVERSITY, USA

Home to 15,000 students, Lamar University, located near Houston in Beaumont, TX, is among the fastest growing Texas colleges and universities, and is a member of The Texas State University System. LU offers more than 100 programs of study leading to bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees. LU has been a member of the Texas State University System since 1995. It was the flagship institution of the former Lamar University System.



#### MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY OF NEW FOUNDLAND, CANADA

The Memorial University of Newfoundland, is a comprehensive university based in St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada. With historical strengths in education, engineering, business, geology, and medicine, it is one of the top comprehensive universities in Canada. With over 18,000 students, it is also the largest university in Atlantic Canada.

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES, INVOLVEMENT & LEADERSHIP

The Office of Student Activities, Involvement & Leadership categorizes all students' activities into:

- Social and Cultural
- Science and Technical
- Sports
- Students Chapters

#### **ANNUAL STUDENT FAIRS**

- Tesseract Annual Technology Fest
- Petrocup Annual Sports Festival
- FLARE Annual Cultural Fest

#### STUDENT CHAPTERS

- Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE)
- Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE)
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)
- Indian Society of Heating Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ISHRAE)
- Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers (ICHE)

#### **AIESEC'S PDPU CHAPTER**

Launched in April 2011, AIESEC PDPU is the AIESEC chapter working out of Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University -Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

PDPU's mission is to develop global professionals by providing international educational exchange to the university students and to create visibility of the university in the global educational scenario by collaborating with other reputed institutes and student exchange programs. AIESEC provides the ideal platform for the students to experience the cultures, working styles and work ethic on a global scale. A unique cosmopolitan culture and a mission to develop global professionals supported by state of the art infrastructure makes AIESEC 'The' platform for PDPU.

### **IAESTE CHAPTER - PDPU**

The International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience (IAESTE) is an independent, non-profit and non-political student exchange organization. It provides students in technical degrees with paid, course-related, training abroad. Since it was founded in 1948, it has grown to include more than 80 countries and has exchanged in excess of 300,000 students.

The chapter has been set up in PDPU in the year 2016 and it has already hosted 3 research interns from Iran, Belgium and Bosnia.

## SPORTS & ATHLETICS INFRASTRUCTURE

#### **EXISTING SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE**

Existing sports infrastructure include dedicated office of sports, Play grounds & Fields, Sports room, Sports equipments, Gym, Flood light arrangement, Ground maintenance facility, Sports/NCC/NSS - a compulsory course in undergraduate program, Regular coaching camps for all students, Intra university competition:

Sr No.	Game/ Sport	Play grounds/ Facilities
1	Cricket	2
2	Volleyball	3
3	Basketball	2
4	Football	2
5	Lawn Tennis	2
6	Table Tennis	12
7	Kabaddi	1
8	Chess	30
9	Carrom	15
10	Taekwando	1
11	Kho-Kho	1

## PROPOSED SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE

- Olympics size Swimming pool with tracks
- Hockey Stadium
- Olympics size Athletics multipurpose stadium
- 4x Synthetic Basketball Courts
- 4x Synthetic Lawn Tennis courts
- 2x Volleyball courts

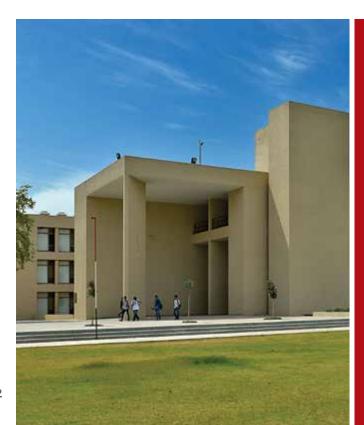




## **DRIVING FORCE**

he University's mission is nurtured and supported by:

- exceptional faculty, who draw students into the pursuit of knowledge, introducing them to the pleasures and responsibilities of the life of the mind in a challenging world.
- graduate, professional, and research programs that foster advanced theoretical development, promote professional preparation, enhance the quality of the faculty, and extend the University's international reach;
- substantial library resources and information technology that support research and classroom learning;
- a residential campus that fosters a sense of community and integrates curricular and extracurricular life; and
- abundant opportunities for students to undertake community service, internships, and study abroad; to participate in substantive research, often as early as the first year; and to study and reflect in ways that foster intellectual, spiritual, and moral growth.



PDPU's lush green & clean campus is located on Knowledge Corridor in the periphery of Ahmedabad & Gandhinagar. The state's remarkable cultural, technological, and economic resources nourish the University's mission and enrich its life, just as the University, in turn, enriches the city.

## RECOGNITION

#### PDPU ACT

Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU), Established by the PDPU Act 2007; Acts of the Gujarat Legislature and Ordinances promulgated and Regulations made by the Governor, in the State of Gujarat, India on 4th April 2007.

#### **UGC RECOGNITION**

PDPU is recognized by the UGC - University Grants Commission under Section - 2(f) of the UGC Act, 1956 and included in the list of approved universities in India listed by UGC Approved Universities.

#### **RANKING BY MHRD**

PDPU has been ranked as 1st University in the State of Gujarat and 55th University in India by National Institutional Framework (NIRF), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India.

#### **SIRO**

Government of India, Ministry of Science and Technology, Department of Scientific and Industrial Research has accorded recognition to Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU), Gandhinagar as Scientific and Industrial Research Organization (SIRO). On receiving this recognition, PDPU is entitled to all administrative support from the Ministry of Science and Technology (DSIR), as may be required on all issues to promote or encourage scientific research activities. Also the University will be entitled to avail custom / excise duty exemption on the import of equipment, instruments, spares thereof, consumables etc.

DSIR, a Government of India body that undertakes promotion of research and transfer of technology to India, carries out thorough evaluation of the R&D unit and ensures compliance with all Government of India regulations before awarding renewals. The recognition and duty waiver is awarded every three years.

### APPROVAL UNDER SECTION 35(1)(II) OF INCOME TAX ACT

Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU) has been approved by the Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Revenue (Central Board of Direct Taxes) on 24th April 2015 as Scientific Research Institution for claiming exemption under section 35(1)(ii) of Income Tax Act on the donations/ grants received for scientific research activities done by its faculty members and students.

On receiving this approval all the donors who will contribute for the purpose of Scientific Research Activities at PDPU will be eligible for a deduction of the amount equal to one and three-fourth times (175%) of the donation/grant received in PDPU for undertaking Scientific Research under section 35(1) (ii) of Income Tax Act 1961 read with rule 5(C) & 5(E) of Income Tax Act 1962.

#### MEMBER OF ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN UNIVERSITIES

PDPU has been granted membership by the Association of Indian Universities. PDPU for strategic planning process including guidelines for assessing on-campus international partnership capacity and developing practical strategic plans for partnership activities in India have planned a collaboration with The International Academic Partnership Program (IAPP), originally funded by the U.S. Department of Education's Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE), is a major initiative of IIE's Center for International Partnerships in Higher Education.

#### ISO 9001:2008

PDPU has got ISO 9001:2008 Certification for Design, Development & Delivery of Higher Education Programs& Training.

## MEMBER OF INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION (IIE, US)

## **GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY (GTU)**

Gujarat Technological University (GTU) Awards in 2013, 2014 & 2015 for Best University in Internationalization, Research and promoting industry-academia interface.





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