

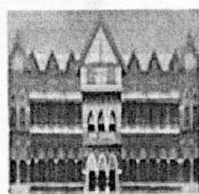
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Workshops/seminars/conferences including on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship conducted during Academic Year 2021-22

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1	One Day Webinar on Scope and Application of statistics	June 29, 2021
2	Workshop on N-LIST	August 17, 2021
3	Innovation & Entrepreneurship Opportunity	September 9, 2021
4	Open Innovation for Academia	September 16, 2021
5	Creativity - A world within You	September 23, 2021



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ABOUT THE COLLEGE AND THE DEPARTMENT



The present form of the crest is the result of much labor and a long drawn out correspondence. The shield which serves as the background is one of the oldest and simplest in heraldry. The crest is done in prominent colors, red and gold which are the proper college colors. Crown in the gold chief at the top of the shield indicates the college is a Government institution. The crown symbolizing colonial rule was replaced post- independence, by a lighted lamp that signifies knowledge. The chevron in the gold is an ancient heraldic decoration and stands here for the imposing front of the main college building with its gabled roof.

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Statistics Dept is one of the oldest departments in the college established in 1965. The department teaches the subject at under-graduate level in Arts and Science faculties. Subject area covered at the Department include Demography, R. C., Sampling Techniques, Operational Research, Computer Programming in C language etc. Former head of this department Shri N. R. Patel and Shri K. V. Panchal also served and retired as Principal with the government cadre. Several alumni from this department have won gold medals, and many are presently serving in India and abroad with diverse types of institutes viz. banks, hospitals and government establishments as statistical officer or with quality control in managerial positions.

ABOUT THE SEMINAR:

To commemorate the birth anniversary of the Padma Bhushan awardee, Father of Modern Statistics in India and the founder of the Indian Statistical Institute Dr. Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis (1893 to 1972) for his notable contribution in the fields of economic planning and statistical development in the post independent era propelling India's development, National Statistics Day is celebrated on 29th June every year. It's objective is to popularize the use of Statistics in everyday life and sensitize the public as to how Statistics helps in shaping and framing different policies. Statistics Department of Gujarat Art's and Science College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat.

We are pleased to inform you that to celebrate the " Statistics Day "we have organized a webinar for the students. It will provide a good opportunity to explore the scope and application of statistics.

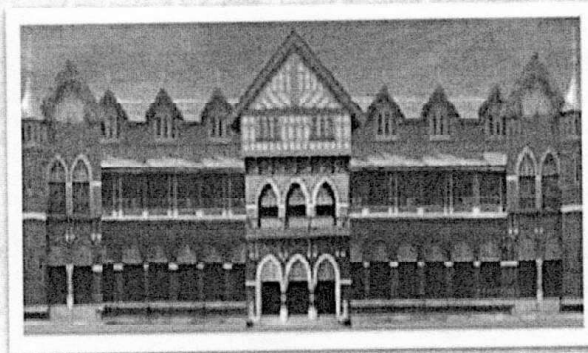
Topics will cover as below:


- What to do during and after Statistics degree?
 - Which are the Suitable statistical fields to get best Job?
 - Which skills are required to get the Statistical Job?
 - How statistics is the best field in the world
- Seminar will give crystal clear clarity about Statistics

ONE DAY WEBINAR
ON
"SCOPE AND APPLICATION OF STATISTICS"



29TH JUNE, 2021, TUESDAY
DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS
Gujarat Arts and Science College
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Details: 

Organized by:

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Speakers: Dr.Manoj Patel.

Founder SaSTAT. Experts in SAS and Statistics.

Date: 29th June, 2021

Venue: Online Seminar on Microsoft Team

Time: 3:00pm to 4:00pm

(link will be shared to whatsapp group)

Who can join: It's open for all students and faculty.

Note : This is free seminar.(No charges)

One Day Webinar on Scope and Application of Statistics

Event Overview:

- Event Title: One Day Webinar on Scope and Application of Statistics
- Date: June 29, 2021
- Speaker: Dr. Manoj Patel
- Venue: Online Seminar via Microsoft Teams
- Organizer: Department of Statistics, Gujarat Science College, Ahmedabad
- Cost: Free of charge

Objective of the Webinar:

The webinar aimed to educate participants about the wide-ranging applications of statistics across various industries and to provide insights into career opportunities in the field. It also focused on highlighting the essential skills required for success in statistical roles and emphasized the significance of statistics in decision-making processes.

Detailed Agenda and Topics Covered:

1. Introduction to Statistics

- Overview of statistics as a discipline.
- Importance of statistics in research, decision-making, and problem-solving.

2. Career Paths Post Statistics Degree

- Exploration of career options available to graduates with a degree in statistics.
- Detailed discussion on roles in data analysis, statistical modeling, research, and academia.



- Case studies of successful statisticians and their career trajectories.

3. Industry Applications of Statistics:

- Finance: Use of statistics in risk management, portfolio analysis, and financial forecasting.
- Healthcare: Applications in clinical trials, epidemiology, and healthcare management.
- Marketing: Statistical methods in market research, consumer behavior analysis, and advertising effectiveness.
- Government and Policy: Role of statisticians in policy formulation, public administration, and census data analysis.

4. Suitable Statistical Fields for Employment:

- Detailed exploration of specialized fields such as data science, actuarial science, quality control, and environmental statistics.
- Discussion on emerging fields and trends where statistical expertise is increasingly valued.

5. Skills Required for Statistical Jobs

- Technical skills: Proficiency in statistical software (e.g., R, Python, SAS), data manipulation, and database management.
- Analytical skills: Ability to interpret complex data sets, apply statistical methods, and derive meaningful insights.
- Communication skills: Effective presentation of statistical findings, report writing, and collaboration with interdisciplinary teams.

6. Advantages of Statistics as a Career Choice

- Growing demand for statisticians in the era of big data and data-driven decision-making.



- Versatility of statistical skills across industries and sectors.
- Impact of statistics in driving evidence-based strategies and policies.

Participant Engagement and Interaction

- Interactive Q&A Session: Participants engaged actively through live chat and Q&A sessions on Microsoft Teams.
- Polls and Surveys: Conducted polls to gauge participant interests and understanding of specific topics.
- Case Studies and Examples: Shared real-world examples and case studies to illustrate the practical applications of statistics.

Feedback and Evaluation:

- Participant Feedback: Positive responses regarding the relevance and clarity of the presentations.
- Suggestions for Improvement: Some participants suggested more hands-on workshops or deeper dives into specific statistical methods.

Conclusion:

The One Day Webinar on Scope and Application of Statistics provided an enriching experience for participants by elucidating the broad spectrum of opportunities available in the field of statistics. Dr. Manoj Patel's expertise and engaging presentation style effectively conveyed the importance of statistical skills in various professional contexts. The event successfully met its objectives of educating and inspiring attendees about the potential and versatility of statistics as a career choice.

Future Plans:

The Department of Statistics at Gujarat Science College, Ahmedabad, plans to organize more such webinars and workshops to continue fostering interest in statistics among students and professionals. Future events may include advanced statistical techniques, practical demonstrations, and guest lectures from industry experts to further enhance learning and skill development.




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**WEBINAR ON
SCOPE AND APPLICATIONS OF STATISTICS**

Date: 29/06/2021

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This is to certify that *Prof. Fahmeeda F. Shaikh* as a token of appreciation for extending her expertise as a *Co-ordinator* in the event of one day webinar on "*Scope and Application of Statistics*" organised by *Statistics department* of Gujarat Arts and Science College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat on 29th June, 2021.

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Report on N-LIST Awareness Programme for M.Sc Students

Date: August 17, 2021

Venue: Shahid Veer Vinod Kinarawala Library, Gujarat Arts & Science College)

Participants: 40+ M.Sc Students

Introduction

On August 17, 2021, the Shahid Veer Vinod Kinarawala Library of Gujarat Arts & Science College organized a one-day online workshop titled "N-LIST Awareness Programme" for M.Sc students. The primary objective of this workshop was to train students in the effective use of electronic resources available through the National Library and Information Services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content (N-LIST).

Objective

The key objective of the workshop was to familiarize M.Sc students with N-LIST resources and guide them in leveraging these resources to enhance their academic and research activities.

Programme Outline

The workshop was structured as follows:

1. Introduction to N-LIST:

Dr. Sandip Patel, Librarian at Shahid Veer Vinod Kinarawala Library, provided an overview of the N-LIST programme. He explained its objectives, the type of resources it offers, and the institutions eligible for access. Also highlighted the importance of digital resources in modern education and encouraged students to make the most of the N-LIST platform.

2. Navigating the N-LIST Portal:

A detailed presentation on navigating the N-LIST portal was given by Ms. Priya Mehta, Assistant Librarian. She demonstrated the process of logging in, searching for resources, and downloading articles and e-books.

3. Hands-On Training Session:

An interactive hands-on training session was conducted to provide practical experience in using the N-LIST resources. Students were guided through various search techniques and resource management strategies.

4. Q&A Session:



The workshop concluded with an open Q&A session, where students asked questions and clarified their doubts about accessing and using N-LIST resources effectively.

Attendance

The workshop saw enthusiastic participation, with more than 40 M.Sc students attending. Their active involvement and queries indicated a high level of interest and engagement with the programme.

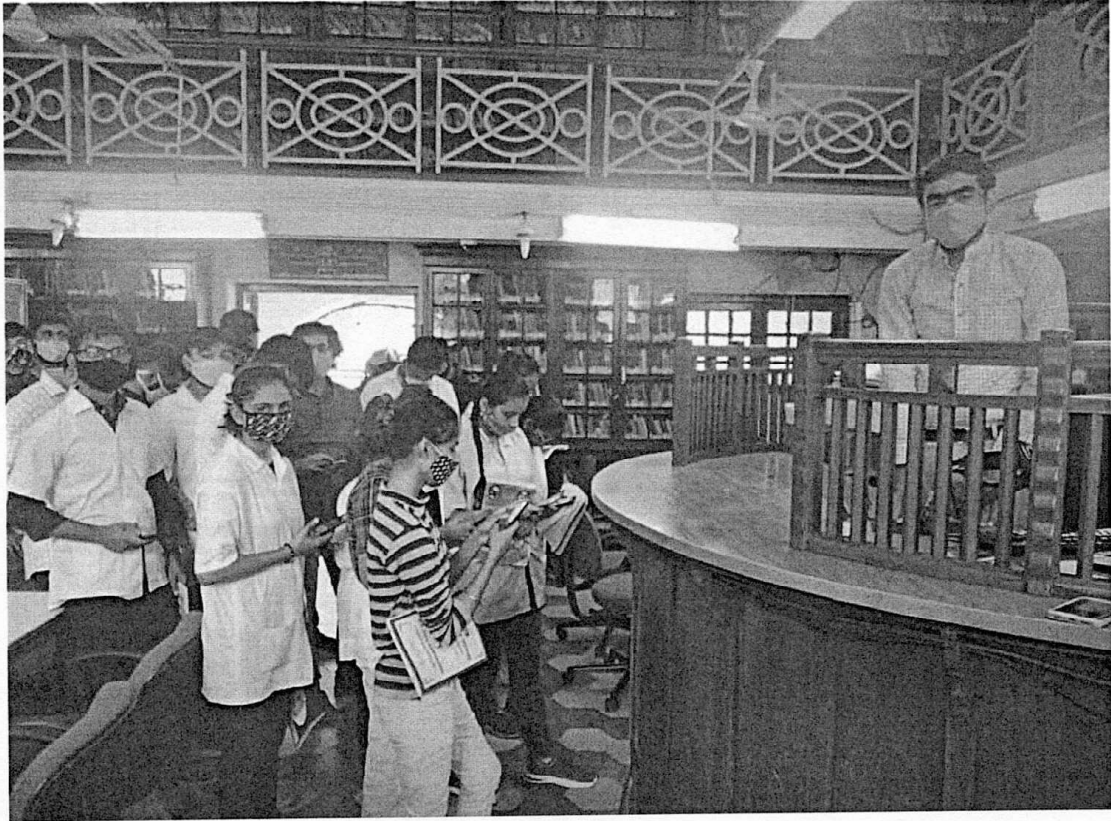
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Conclusion

The N-LIST Awareness Programme successfully achieved its objective of educating M.Sc students about the valuable electronic resources available through N-LIST. The workshop empowered students with the knowledge and skills required to utilize these resources effectively, thereby supporting their academic and research endeavors.





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09/09/21, Thursday

Webinar Report: Innovation & Entrepreneurship Opportunity by Miss. Akanksha Bhadoria, from GUSEC, Ahmedabad

Overview: The webinar on "Innovation & Entrepreneurship Opportunity," organized by the GASC SSIP-CELL, featured a dynamic session led by Miss. Akanksha Bhadoria, an esteemed representative from GUSEC (Gujarat University Startup and Entrepreneurship Council) in Ahmedabad. The webinar aimed to inspire and guide participants on harnessing innovation and entrepreneurial opportunities in the contemporary business landscape.

Key Highlights:

- 1. Introduction to Innovation and Entrepreneurship:** Miss. Akanksha Bhadoria commenced the session by elucidating the significance of innovation and entrepreneurship in driving economic growth and societal development. She emphasized the role of startups and small businesses in fostering innovation and creating new market opportunities.
- 2. Identifying Opportunities for Innovation:** Participants gained insights into the process of identifying and capitalizing on opportunities for innovation. Miss. Bhadoria discussed various sources of innovation, including technological advancements, market trends, and consumer needs. She encouraged attendees to adopt a proactive approach to innovation by staying abreast of industry developments and anticipating future trends.
- 3. Building an Entrepreneurial Mindset:** The webinar focused on cultivating an entrepreneurial mindset characterized by creativity, resilience, and adaptability. Miss. Bhadoria shared practical tips and strategies for overcoming challenges and embracing



failure as a stepping stone to success. She underscored the importance of perseverance and continuous learning in the entrepreneurial journey.

4. **Navigating the Startup Ecosystem:** Participants received valuable insights into the startup ecosystem and the resources available to support aspiring entrepreneurs. Miss. Bhadoria highlighted the role of incubators, accelerators, and government initiatives in providing mentorship, funding, and networking opportunities to startups. She encouraged participants to leverage these resources to accelerate their entrepreneurial ventures.
5. **Case Studies and Success Stories:** The session featured case studies and success stories of innovative startups that have disrupted industries and achieved remarkable growth. Miss. Bhadoria showcased examples of entrepreneurs who have transformed ideas into scalable businesses through perseverance, innovation, and strategic execution.

Interactive Q&A Session: The webinar concluded with an interactive Q&A session, allowing participants to engage with Miss. Akanksha Bhadoria and seek clarification on specific topics related to innovation and entrepreneurship. Attendees posed questions pertaining to business model innovation, market validation, and funding strategies, which were addressed with insightful responses.








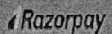
Key Takeaways:

- Understanding the importance of innovation and entrepreneurship in driving economic growth.
- Identifying opportunities for innovation and leveraging emerging trends to create value.
- Cultivating an entrepreneurial mindset characterized by creativity, resilience, and adaptability.
- Navigating the startup ecosystem and accessing resources to support entrepreneurial ventures.
- Learning from real-world case studies and success stories of innovative startups.


Conclusion: The "Innovation & Entrepreneurship Opportunity" webinar, led by Miss. Akanksha Bhadoria from GUSEC, provided participants with valuable insights and practical guidance on harnessing innovation and entrepreneurial opportunities. Through engaging discussions and



interactive sessions, attendees were inspired to embrace entrepreneurship as a means of creating positive impact and driving meaningful change in society.

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September 16, 2021 (Thursday)

Webinar Report: Open Innovation for Academia by Mr. Nishit Sharma, i-Hub, SSIP CELL, KCG, Ahmedabad

Overview: On September 16, 2021, the GASC SSIP-CELL organized a webinar titled "Open Innovation for Academia," featuring Mr. Nishit Sharma as the esteemed speaker from i-Hub, SSIP CELL, KCG, Ahmedabad, the webinar aimed to explore the concept of open innovation and its implications for academic institutions. Mr. Sharma, an expert in innovation management and technology commercialization, delivered an enlightening session highlighting the importance of collaboration and knowledge exchange in driving academic innovation.

Key Highlights:

- 1. Understanding Open Innovation:** Mr. Nishit Sharma commenced the webinar by providing a comprehensive overview of open innovation, emphasizing its departure from traditional closed innovation models. He delineated the core principles of open innovation, including the importance of external collaboration, knowledge sharing, and leveraging external sources of innovation.
- 2. Role of Academia in Open Innovation:** The session delved into the pivotal role of academia as a key player in the open innovation ecosystem. Mr. Sharma underscored the significance of academic institutions in generating new knowledge, conducting research, and fostering technological advancements. He elaborated on the potential benefits of open innovation for academia, such as access to external expertise, resources, and funding opportunities.
- 3. Challenges and Opportunities:** Participants gained insights into the challenges and opportunities associated with implementing open innovation practices in academic



settings. Mr. Sharma highlighted common barriers, including organizational silos, intellectual property concerns, and cultural resistance to collaboration. He also discussed strategies for overcoming these challenges and harnessing the full potential of open innovation.


4. **Best Practices and Case Studies:** The webinar featured best practices and case studies showcasing successful examples of open innovation initiatives in academia. Mr. Sharma shared real-world examples of universities and research institutions that have embraced open innovation principles to drive impactful research, technology transfer, and industry collaboration. These case studies served as inspiration for participants to explore similar opportunities within their own academic environments.
5. **Interactive Discussion and Q&A:** The session concluded with an interactive discussion and Q&A segment, allowing participants to engage with Mr. Nishit Sharma and delve deeper into the concepts presented. Attendees had the opportunity to seek clarification on specific topics, share their experiences, and exchange ideas on how to foster a culture of open innovation within academic institutions.

Key Takeaways:

- Understanding the concept and principles of open innovation.
- Recognizing the role of academia as a catalyst for innovation and knowledge creation.
- Identifying challenges and opportunities associated with implementing open innovation in academic settings.
- Learning from best practices and case studies of successful open innovation initiatives.
- Exploring strategies for promoting collaboration, knowledge exchange, and technology commercialization in academia.

Conclusion: The "Open Innovation for Academia" webinar, led by Mr. Nishit Sharma, provided participants with valuable insights and practical guidance on embracing open innovation principles within academic institutions. Through engaging discussions and real-world examples, attendees were inspired to adopt collaborative approaches to research, technology transfer, and industry engagement, thereby fostering a culture of innovation and driving positive impact in the academic community.




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Webinar Report: "Creativity - A World Within You" by Mr. Dhvanil Pandit

Overview: The webinar on "Creativity - A World Within You," organized by the GASC SSIP-CELL, featured a captivating session led by Mr. Dhvanil Pandit (Founder @ Dhyanam). He is also mentoring students-youth for career transformation. Focusing on the area of Design, Development, Marketing and Execution of Project to Product, the vision is to prepare more Job Creators. With a focus on unlocking personal creativity, the webinar aimed to inspire participants to tap into their creative potential and unleash innovation in various aspects of their lives.

Key Highlights:

- 1. Exploring Creativity:** Mr. Dhvanil Pandit initiated the webinar by delving into the concept of creativity and its significance in today's dynamic world. He emphasized that creativity is not limited to artistic expression but extends to problem-solving, innovation, and personal growth. Participants were encouraged to embrace their innate creativity and explore its boundless possibilities.
- 2. Understanding the Creative Process:** The session elucidated the creative process, providing insights into how ideas are generated, developed, and transformed into tangible outcomes. Mr. Pandit discussed various stages of the creative process, including inspiration, ideation, incubation, and implementation. He highlighted the importance of fostering a conducive environment for creativity and overcoming common barriers such as self-doubt and fear of failure.
- 3. Harnessing Creative Thinking Techniques:** Participants gained practical tips and techniques for enhancing their creative thinking skills. Mr. Pandit introduced brainstorming methods, lateral thinking exercises, and visualization techniques to



stimulate innovative ideas and perspectives. He encouraged participants to adopt a playful and exploratory mindset, fostering curiosity and experimentation in their creative endeavors.

4. **Nurturing a Creative Mindset:** The webinar emphasized the significance of cultivating a creative mindset characterized by openness, curiosity, and resilience. Mr. Pandit shared strategies for nurturing creativity in everyday life, such as embracing ambiguity, seeking diverse perspectives, and embracing failure as a learning opportunity. Participants were inspired to adopt a growth mindset and embrace challenges as opportunities for personal and professional development.
5. **Practical Applications and Case Studies:** The session featured practical examples and case studies illustrating the transformative power of creativity in various domains. Mr. Pandit showcased examples of individuals and organizations that have leveraged creativity to drive innovation, solve complex problems, and create positive change. These real-world examples served as inspiration for participants to apply creative thinking in their own endeavors.

Interactive Q&A Session: The webinar concluded with an interactive Q&A session, allowing participants to engage with Mr. Dhvanil Pandit and seek further insights on creativity-related topics. Attendees posed questions on topics such as overcoming creative blocks, fostering creativity in team settings, and applying creative thinking in specific industries.

Key Takeaways:

- Understanding the concept and importance of creativity in personal and professional contexts.
- Exploring the stages of the creative process and practical techniques for generating innovative ideas.
- Nurturing a creative mindset characterized by openness, curiosity, and resilience.
- Learning from real-world examples of creativity and innovation in diverse domains.
- Embracing creativity as a catalyst for personal growth, problem-solving, and positive change.



Conclusion: The "Creativity - A World Within You" webinar, led by Mr. Dhvanil Pandit, provided participants with valuable insights and practical tools for unlocking their creative potential. Through engaging discussions, practical exercises, and real-world examples, attendees were inspired to embrace creativity as a powerful force for innovation, personal growth, and positive transformation in their lives.



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