Press Release

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Engineering is the profession that can change the world

“Dream hard enough, Believe yourself and Good thing will happen” said Mr. Sudipta Bhattacharya CEO – Adani Ports & Logistic, Chief Strategy & Technology Officer, Adani Group at the inauguration ceremony of GTU Techfest on 4th April 2014 at KCG. Mr. Sudipta Bhattacharya delivered the keynote address at the ceremony. During his speech Dr. Bhattacharya took the audience in the future of technology world saying that 9000 days back in our lives we did not had internet technology and about 2500 days back smart phones were not in existence until i-phone was launched. Today we all are using these technologies. In the case, imagine where the technology will be reaching in next five years.

This is the very first Techfest organized by GTU under the leadership of Dr. Akshai Aggarwal, vice chancellor of GTU. Dr. Akshai Aggarwal says that “the only purpose of organizing the Techfest is that students can enjoy the engineering. Engineering is the profession that can change the world and it is the profession on which we all can take pride”. Participation of more than 7000 students across the state shows the huge response received for GTU Techfest. As L. D. College of Engineering is hosting the event, the campus of LDCE went vibrant with the excitement and curiosity among the student community. 71 technical and non-technical events are planned during the two days of GTU Techfest.

GTU Techfest for pharmacy is organized at Arihant College of Pharmacy which was inaugurated by Dr. G. P. Vadodaria, I/C Registrar of GTU. While Techfest for Management, Engineering & Computer Science are organized at L. D. College of Engineering.

Students showcased their talent and engineering creativity in Robotix event on the first day. Else, GTU students have also created a 1.2 mtr long special track to race the ATV assembled by teams of students. Students of civil engineering designed structures which can withstand major earth-quacks. These designs were tested by creating an artificial tremor to replicate the earth-quack effects. Many students also displayed working models of their projects.

Final round of various competitions will be taking place on the 2nd day of the event. The winners will be awarded with the prize money and certificates at the valedictory ceremony scheduled at 5 pm at LDCE campus.