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Grand Academic Portal



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About Grand Academic Portal:

Grand Academic Portal (Gyan- Adhyayan- Parampara) is an initiative started by Dr. Gurudutta Japee & Dr. Preeti Oza to provide a supplementary and complementary element to the existing formal higher education system in India. The founders have collectively envisioned a platform to provide an innovative, free, equal, equitable, collaborative, sustainable, and all-inclusive teaching-learning-pedagogy environment to all the stakeholders of the higher education in India. GAP has its presence in more than five states of India and growing its popularity very fast in the foreign countries also.

Grand Academic Portal (GAP) is a network group functioning in the field of Higher education in India. It is a platform, having more than one thousand direct and indirect stakeholders who are the professors, faculty members, researchers, industry patrons, lawyers and other highly esteemed professionals from India and abroad. GAP is operational in many areas of higher education like research, consultancy, publication of books and journals, project management, resource mobilization, faculty development and training and mentoring. There are many sub-bodies under the umbrella of GAP like ISAC (International Society for Applied Commerce) which are catering to these individual verticals.

About NGO:

GYAN ADHYAYAN PARAMPARA TRUST is a registered NGO of the Grand Academic Portal. Some of the major areas to be undertaken for various activities of GAP-NGO are:

- Skill Development under the licence of NSDC
- Community engagement and connect
- Institutional social responsibility
- Environment protection initiatives
- Providing support to the NSS in various institutions
- Promoting Research at various levels

Our Vision:

Grand Academic Portal (Gyan-Adhyayan-Parampara) is committed to providing a transformative impact on the current Higher Education system in India and abroad through continual innovation in academics.

Our Mission:

- To create a holistic and transformative platform for the teaching community and explore their academic pursuits.
- To cultivate a strong and united academic fraternity and make a pool of world-class talent.
- To install, attract and retain diverse fraternity who can create a collaborative environment open to free exchange of ideas, research, entrepreneurship in their full potential
- To make a positive value addition to the society - regionally, nationally and globally by engaging partners outside the limiting boundaries of the campus Our Initiatives

1. Gap-Kalpataru -Magazine By & For The Academicians



GAP- KALPATARU is an e-magazine of Grand Academic Portal. It is published every month and is a good resource for information sharing and keeping a tab on the latest update in the field of higher education. So far 18 issues have been published. For more details please visit:

<https://www.grandacademicportal.education/home/details/65/kalpataru--e-magazine>

2. GAP Journals



GAP JOURNALS is an academic extension of GAP (Grand Academic Portal). All the GAP JOURNALS are International Peer Reviewed Open Access Journals. All the GAP JOURNALS follow OASPA Code of Conduct for the publishing best practices and published under CC (Creative Commons) License. It is also indexed to DRJI, DRJO, Academia.edu, Research gate, Google Scholar and many other agencies. More than 250 quality papers have been published by researchers across world. At present three journals are published by GAP namely;

- GAPINTERDISCIPLINARITIES- A Global Journal of Interdisciplinary studies

- GAP Bodh Taru- A Global Journal of Humanities
- GAP Gyan- A Global Journal of Social Sciences

For more details please visit: <http://www.gapgyan.org>, <http://www.gapinterdisciplinarity.org>, <http://www.gapbodhitaru.org>

3. International Collaboration Research and Academics

GAP aims to engage institutions of higher education in the abroad and in India to help foster and enhance linkages between them. Moreover, the primary objective is to deepen institutional ties in numerous ways: in areas of collaborative research, study abroad programs, faculty exchanges and seminars for higher education administrators from both countries. More details of this initiative will be available soon on the website.

4. Promotion of Research and Entrepreneurial Activities

The main objectives of promotion of Research and Entrepreneurial activities are:

- To stimulate, facilitate, and support the development of the greater capacity to find research-based solutions to major challenges.
- Linking higher education to Employment's field.
- Transfer of knowledge, methodology, and practice of technology-based entrepreneurship and support for the creation of technology-based businesses.
- To generate employment opportunities in India state.
- To bring radical changes in the environment through the creation of a significant new value, usually an innovation, and sometimes a new economic sector.

For more details please visit: <http://www.grandacademicportal.education/home/details/41/promotion-of-research-and-entrepreneurial-activities>

5. Minor/Major Research Grant Programme

GAP is launching Research Grant Programme under which teachers of THE WORLD will provide financial assistance to conduct research projects on the specific problem. The objective of Research Grant Programme is to encourage teachers who could not avail financial assistance from any funding agency to carry out research work. Research Grant Programme, aims to provide financial assistance to young teachers to carry out research projects. Under Research Grant Programme, college and university teachers are invited to submit research project proposals that address a particular issue relevant to India

For more details please visit: <http://www.grandacademicportal.education/>

6. Industrial and Academic Exposure visit for Faculty members

Research and innovation are one of the initiatives of GAP under which several research-based exposure visits have been organized. The objective behind this exposure visit is to develop a trend of research among best faculty members of colleges and research scholars of higher education and making them aware of career opportunities in research through effective learning.

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7. High-Quality Research-based E-Resources

GAP aims to increase the wealth of Researchers by procuring high quality of Research-Based E-resources. Following E resources will be procured by GAP:

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| A. E-Books: | B. Research-Based Software: | C. E-journals: | D. Databases (A-Z) |
| E. Reports | F. PPP | G. Documents related to research | |

For more details please visit: <http://www.grandacademicportal.education/>

8. Faculty and Student Exchange Programmes

GAP proposes a Faculty Exchange Programme to enhance the quality of teaching and research in the colleges and universities. The funds required for the operation of the Exchange Program will be provided by the GAP. The Programme will be managed by the GAP. Under this Programme, the selected faculty members of the colleges and universities will visit reputed foreign universities for a period of about two months. (preferably in summer vacation) The invited foreign scholars are also expected to stay approximately for about two months on the campuses of the universities/ colleges of India and interact with the teachers and students.

For more details please visit: <http://www.grandacademicportal.education/home/details/42/faculty-and-student-exchange-programmes>

9. Seminar, Workshop and Conference

GAP always Believe that Seminar, Conferences are organised to create academic discomfort and therefore it is the practice of GAP to organise such events on latest issues. So far such 6 qualitative conferences organised by GAP across world and 2 outcome based workshops have been organised where participants are treated by our mentor.

10. GAP Academy



GAP Academy is our upcoming initiative where in MOOC and online courses will be made available. The website is under construction and we are planning to launch it in the month of November 2019. Those faculty members are interested to design and develop the programme are requested to kindly contact GAP office.

11. Book Project Series

The first and most consistent initiative of GAP is Book Project Series which was started in 2017. Authors are invited to write book chapter on particular title and theme decided by GAP. So far 20 books have been published under this initiative. The specimen book is given free of cost to all the contributors. All books have been published by International publishers and available on E Commerce websites like amazon.in Flipkart Snap deal etc.

Following are the list of Books



12. Academic Collaborations

- ❖ University of Hindu, Denpasar, Bali, Indonesia
- ❖ Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Patiala
- ❖ Himachal Pradesh national University of Law, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh
- ❖ St Andrews Foundation, Mumbai
- ❖ Nalanda College of Performing Art, Mumbai
- ❖ Yatche Education, Ahmedabad
- ❖ The Bhopal School of Social Sciences, Bhopal
- ❖ Shri R. P. Arts Shri K. B. Commerce and Smt. B. C. J. Science College, Khambhat
- ❖ Shree VM Sakariya Mahila Arts College, Botad
- ❖ MP Shah Commerce College, Surendranagar
- ❖ Gale Cengage Learning Pvt Limited
- ❖ Samarpan Arts & Commerce College, Gandhinagar

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