

GSFC University Holds Its 6th Convocation Ceremony on 18th December 2024

Out of 12 Gold Medalists, 10 are Female Students

The 6th Convocation Ceremony of GSFC University was held on December 18, 2024, at the Cultural Centre, Fertilizernagar, Vadodara. A total of 432 students (286 male students and 146 female students) from the School of Technology, the School of Science, and the School of Management Studies and Liberal Arts were awarded degrees.

Padma Shri awardee Professor Sanghamitra Bandyopadhyay, Director of the Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, graced the ceremony as the Chief Guest. She awarded Gold Medals to 12 students who topped their respective streams and Silver Medals to 11 students. The degrees were conferred by GSFC University President Shri P.K. Taneja, IAS (Retd.).

The event was attended by members of the Governing Body and Board of Management of GSFC University, government officials, members of GSFC Limited and GSFC University's management, industrialists, students, and their parents.

Shri R.B. Panchal, Director (Administration), welcomed the dignitaries, while Vice-Chancellor Professor G.R. Sinha presented the university's annual report.

President Shri P.K. Taneja congratulated all the graduates, including the 12 Gold and 11 Silver Medalists, for their remarkable achievements. He said, "Today is a day of pride and joy for all of us. For students, it marks the culmination of years of hard work, dedication, and perseverance. For parents, it is a moment of satisfaction and pride. During their academic journey, students have gained knowledge, life skills, and values that will serve as a strong foundation for their future endeavours. As you receive your degrees today, you must take responsibility to use the knowledge and values imparted by GSFC University to make a positive contribution to society."

He expressed gratitude to Shri Kamal Dayani, IAS, Managing Director of GSFC Ltd., for his invaluable support and vision in developing the university. He added, "GSFC Ltd. remains the cornerstone of our success, and its generous support and unwavering commitment enable us to strengthen academic activities and ensure the university's long-term stability." He also thanked the Governing Body, the Board of Management, and the Academic Council.

In her convocation address, Professor Sanghamitra Bandyopadhyay expressed her gratitude to the families and teachers who supported the graduating students on their journey. She said, "This day not only marks the culmination of years of academic efforts but also signifies the beginning of a new and exciting chapter. It is a matter of special pride for the students here to graduate from a university that stands as a remarkable example of industry-based education."

Encouraging the students, she said, "In today's rapidly changing world, the most important quality you can possess is the ability to keep learning throughout life and to adapt to changes."

Technology will change, market demands will shift, and job types will evolve — you must remain prepared for new challenges under all circumstances. Face life with courage, trust in yourself, and be ready for uncertainties. Embrace success and failure equally.” She concluded by urging the students to celebrate this day and use the powerful tools of education and knowledge to make their mark in the world.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Abha Kalaiya, Associate Professor, School of Management Studies and Liberal Arts at GSFC University.