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# ગુજરાત ટેકનોલોજિકલ યુનિવર્સિટી

(ગુજરાત સરકારના ગુજરાત અધિનિયમ ક્રમાંક:૨૦/૨૦૦૭ દ્વારા સ્થાપિત)

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GTU/IEP-2019/USA/KSU/Announcement/9242

## Announcement of International Experience Program (IEP) 2019 at Kansas State University (KSU), USA for BE (Mechanical Engineering)

**International Experience Program** abbreviated as IEP is a step forward from GTU in the direction of becoming an "**International Innovative University**". The program was initiated in 2011. Currently IEP is one of the largest student mobility programs offered by the technological universities of India. Since the inception of the program, more than 1800 students have been benefited through IEP.

Recently, GTU won the prestigious award for IEP under the category of "Innovation in Global Collaborative Learning" at 13<sup>th</sup> World Education Summit 2018, Mumbai on 8<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

Under this program, students study **two subjects** of their final year at the foreign university. Students also appear in internal examination, continuous evaluation and external examination conducted by the foreign professors at their foreign university. If student achieves the passing grades in the exams he/she will be given the waiver for appearing in the internal and external examination of GTU for respective subjects. Apart from the above-mentioned subject-learning experience, students also prepare the projects and case studies as decided by the foreign professors. They also visit the companies to enhance their understanding on the work culture of the foreign country in their respective fields. Once the program is over the students come back and join their parent college and finish their final year.

GTU is inviting application from interested and eligible students for IEP - 2019 at Kansas State University, USA.

#### **BRANCH & SUBJECTS:**

Sr. No	Branch	Branch Code	Subjects	Sub. Code	Semester
1	Mechanical Engineering		Power Plant Engineering	2171910	VII
		19	Machine Design	2171909	VII

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#### **REVISED MINIMUM ELIGIBILTY CRITERIA\*:**

- 1. Minimum CPI 5 or more (up to semester 4)
- 2. Maximum backlog -3 (up to semester 4)
- 3. Semester Students who will complete the exam of **SEMESTER 6** in summer 2019.

#### **TENTATIVE DURATION OF IEP - 2019:**

Second week of June 2019 – Second week of August 2019 (Immediately after the completion of end semester exam in summer 2019)

#### LAST DATE OF APPLICATION: 27th JANUARY 2019

#### Note:

- 1. Separate merit lists will be prepared based on the applications received in Phase I (24<sup>th</sup> December 2018 to 15<sup>th</sup> January 2019) and Phase II (16<sup>th</sup> January 2019 to 27 the January 2019) respectively.
- 2. The final selection of students w.r.t number of seats available shall be done based on the priority of Phase I application and then Phase II applications.

#### **TENTATIVE BUDGET:**

Sr. No.	Particulars	Cost Estimate (Per Student)
1	Total Cost per Student to be paid to foreign university (Housing, Dining, Ground Transportation and Other Administrative Charges)	USD 3865*
2	SEVIS (Student and Exchange Visitor Information System) Fee as per the norms of US government	USD 220
3	Additional Cost related to IEP  (Air ticket charges, Visa processing fee, Travel insurance charges, Bank charges applicable for wire transfer)	Applicable charges to be paid to respective agency

<sup>\*</sup>All above mentioned costs are subject to change as per the final count of students, government norms and policies of the universities.

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<sup>\*</sup>Final selection will be done purely on merit basis w.r.t the available seats

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#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**

It is mandatory for students and their parents & guardians to refer **IEP Handbook** (<a href="http://iep.gtu.ac.in/iep\_handbook.pdf">http://iep.gtu.ac.in/iep\_handbook.pdf</a>) for the details of selection criteria, selection procedure, application procedure, payment of confirmation fee, important information about IEP and other terms & conditions before applying for IEP-2019.

LINK TO APPLY FOR IEP: http://iep.gtu.ac.in/

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