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GUJARAT MARITIME UNIVERSITY

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GURU BHAVAN

From the Director's Desk



Gujarat Maritime University is a center of excellence for maritime education in India, contributing to the growth and evolution of the industry through our academic programmes research activities, and industry collaborations. Since starting our academic operations in 2019, we have been recognized by academia and industry for our transformative curriculum, state-of-the-art infrastructure, and experienced educators. Our programmes are designed to empower learners to navigate the domain-specific complexities governing the maritime industry.

As India develops itself as a hub for shipbuilding, shipping, and other maritime services which were concentrated in foreign nations, the role of GMU becomes more crucial than ever. We provide an integrated approach to academics that not only ensures academic rigour but infuses real-world expertise that will serve our students well in their future careers. Through industry expert lectures, port excursions, partnerships, and collaborations with leading maritime institutions, we provide our students with opportunities to engage and interact with industry professionals from across the globe.

Our students have the valuable opportunity to gain exposure to international good practices and expand their knowledge and skills in the field through the Global Externship Programmes conducted in collaboration with our international partners. The Global Externship Programme provides the opportunity to learn from globally renowned stalwart faculty and experts. The program includes several components such as classroom training, gamified management learning, a moot court competition, and off-campus activities such as port and shipyard excursions, as well as a visit to sophisticated ports in an international setting.

As we gear up for the 2023-24 academic year, we look forward to welcoming a new batch of students to our vibrant campus. We encourage you to explore our programmes and discover the opportunities that GMU has to offer. We are confident that your experience at GMU will be enriching, fulfilling, and set you on a path towards a successful career in the maritime industry.

We look forward to welcoming you to Gujarat Maritime University.

Prof. (Dr.) S. Shanthakumar

Director, Gujarat Maritime University



Vision

To be a global center of excellence in maritime education, research and development, professional training with an aim to enhance the capacity of maritime industry both in India and across the globe

Mission

- To provide world class education focused on areas across the value chain of the maritime industry
- To empower students to excel in global maritime industry through an interdisciplinary approach to learning
- To address the challenges of the industry and encourage innovation through cutting-edge research and collaboration with industry
- To serve the global maritime community by producing educated and well-trained individuals

The GMU

ADVANTAGE

- GMU is an esteemed institution backed by the Government of Gujarat and promoted by the Gujarat Maritime Board, the regulatory authority for the thriving port sector in Gujarat. As a student at our university, you will have access to a range of exceptional opportunities and experiences that will propel your career in the Commercial Maritime Industry.
- Our university stands out for offering unique post-graduate programmes that are specifically tailored to meet the demands of the Commercial Maritime Industry. Our curriculum is meticulously designed to ensure that it aligns with industry requirements and prepares you for the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead.
- Situated in Gujarat, the leading maritime state in India, our university benefits from its prime location in a region that boasts a rich maritime legacy. Surrounded by a thriving maritime ecosystem, our students have unparalleled access to industry resources, internships, and practical learning opportunities. Gujarat is the frontrunner in maritime affairs, providing an ideal environment for our students to immerse themselves in the world of maritime excellence.
- The governing body of our university comprises of senior government officials, industry experts and renowned academicians from top Indian universities. This esteemed group of individuals brings their expertise and experience to the table, ensuring that our institution maintains the highest standards of education.
- We believe in providing our students with hands-on learning experiences to enhance their skills and understanding of the industry. To this end, we offer practical learning opportunities, including internships and global externship programs in collaboration with top maritime institutions worldwide. These experiences empower our students to gain real-world exposure and develop valuable industry connections.
- Join Gujarat Maritime University and embark on a transformative educational journey that merges academic excellence with practical industry-focused training. Discover the endless possibilities that await you in the dynamic and rewarding world of the commercial maritime industry.
- At Gujarat Maritime University, we value industry partnerships, linkages, and collaborations. We have forged strong relationships with reputed international maritime institutions, ensuring that our students have access to a vast network of professionals and resources. These collaborations provide a platform for exchange of knowledge, cutting-edge research, and exciting career prospects.



Discover the Gujarat Maritime University, where competent faculty members guide you towards a successful career in the Commercial Maritime Industry. Our faculty consists of highly skilled professionals, including international faculty members and industry experts who bring their wealth of knowledge and experience to the classroom. You will benefit from regular classes conducted by these esteemed individuals, ensuring that you receive the most up-to-date industry insights.

We believe in providing our students with an immersive learning experience. As part of our curriculum, port visits are incorporated to give you firsthand exposure to the operations and intricacies of the maritime world. This hands-on approach enhances your understanding and allows you to apply theoretical concepts to real-world scenarios, preparing you for the challenges of the industry.

Our university takes great pride in its excellent student placement record. We have a strong track record of placing our graduates in esteemed positions within the maritime sector. Our industry-oriented curriculum, combined with practical learning opportunities and strong industry partnerships, equips you with the skills and connections necessary to secure a promising career in the field.

While our permanent campus is under development, we are currently operating from a transitory campus at Gujarat National Law University. This temporary setup ensures that you have access to top-class facilities and infrastructure on par with tier 1 educational institutions. You will enjoy state-of-the-art classrooms, modern laboratories, well-equipped libraries, and various other resources that facilitate your learning journey.

Choose Gujarat Maritime University for an enriching educational experience that empowers you with the knowledge, skills, and industry exposure needed to excel in the Commercial Maritime Industry.

Join Gujarat Maritime University to embark on a transformative educational journey that combines academic excellence with practical industry-focused training.

Open the doors to a world of possibilities in the dynamic realm of the Commercial Maritime Industry.

Join us and embark on a rewarding journey towards a successful and fulfilling career.



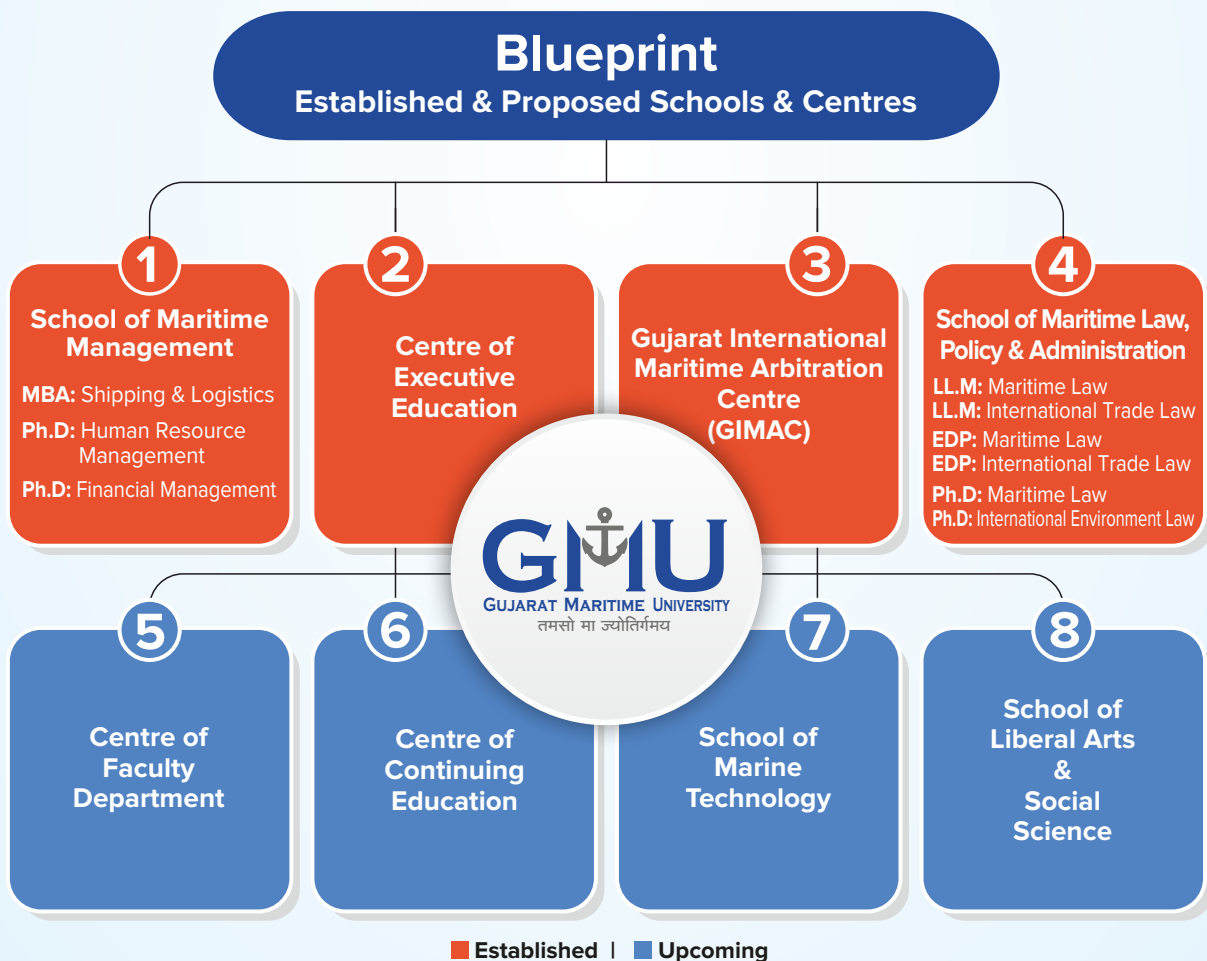
About GMU

History and Background

The Indian Maritime sector has been consistently exhibiting strong growth and is slated to be the maritime economy of the future. The establishment of Gujarat Maritime University (GMU) is an endeavour by the Gujarat Maritime Board to provide a fillip to this growth by bridging the knowledge gap within the industry.

Gujarat Maritime University was formed in 2017 under the Gujarat Private Universities Act, 2009 and commenced operations in 2019. The prime objective of Gujarat Maritime University is to be a global center of excellence in maritime education, research and development, professional training. It aims to enhance and increase the human capital and capacity of maritime industry both in India and across the globe. The aspiration is to serve the global maritime community by producing educated and well-trained professionals in the maritime domain.

In the first phase, the University has started offering Masters and Post Graduate programmes catering to the commercial aspects of maritime value chain like maritime law, maritime management, international trade law, logistics, just to name a few. The university has also started offering short-term certificate courses and executive development programmes for professionals in collaboration with foreign partners and institutions such as Erasmus UPT, STC International, Indian Institute of Management (Bangalore) etc. In the future, the University will expand its offerings in phase one by introducing additional programmes. The second phase will focus on technical and liberal arts disciplines in the maritime domain.



About the Promoter: Gujarat Maritime Board (GMB)

The Gujarat Maritime Board (GMB) has been a trailblazer in implementing innovations across port development, privatisation, and cargo handling in India. Established in 1982, GMB has been instrumental in harnessing ports and international trade to drive economic development in India. With a foresighted approach and to develop Gujarat as one of the leading maritime states, GMB introduced a new model of port development in the 1980s. At that time, major ports enjoyed a monopoly over sea freight, and state governments had little or no capacity to develop their own ports.

GMB has been consistently recognized as one of the most progressive maritime boards in India, with a total of 48 operational ports. GMB owned ports have seen an increase in the average annual growth rate over the last decade, outpacing the growth rate of major ports in the country. With the increasing demand for efficient port infrastructure and specialised cargo handling, GMB is well-positioned to continue leading the way in India's maritime industry. GMB's unique business model has successfully placed Gujarat's non-major ports as a role model for other states to follow.

GMB has recognized the need for a renewed phase of growth and the development of an illustrious workforce capable of leading the development of the maritime sector to astounding heights. This has led to GMB initiating several key projects to enable growth at an accelerated pace. GMU is one such prestigious project of GMB.

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Since its inception,
GMB has shown
consistent growth, with
traffic at its ports
increasing from a
meager 3% in 1982-83
to handling close to
30% of total national
traffic in 2022-23.



GUJARAT MARITIME BOARD
The Maritime Brand of India



Governing Body

The university's governing body comprises of senior government officials, top academicians and eminent industry practitioners who have made noteworthy contributions to their respective fields. Their shared vision for the university is derived from years of collective experience in leadership. The governing body leads the planning and development of the university, with a focus on establishing education norms and standards, as well as enhancing the quality of teaching and research.



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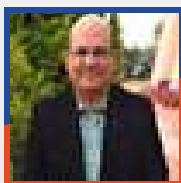
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Schools @ GMU

School of Maritime Law, Policy & Administration (SMLPA)

The domain of practicing law is a highly sought-after career profession in India with a high number of lawyers graduates entering the job market each year. However, the distinctive nature of the growing Maritime Sector demands an exclusive line of professionals to deal with maritime law. Gujarat Maritime University, in cognizance of this demand, started the School of Maritime Law, Policy & Administration (SMLPA).

In order to cater to the increasing demand for this niche skillset, GMU's School of Maritime Law, Policy and Administration (SMLPA) aims to offer programmes focused on Law, Policy and Administration in the maritime and shipping domain. Through these highly niche and sector specific offerings, the students have a unique opportunity to pursue a specialized curriculum using rich educational resources drawn from across the globe combined with the dynamic and creative learning environment at GMU.

The inputs in terms of a conducive learning environment, top-class infrastructure and learning facilities, adept faculty members with a rich history of contribution to industry and academics and the exposure offered to sub-national, national and international contexts through partnerships, helps forge the law professional with the most sought-after capabilities here, at GMU.

A typical student in GMU would be equipped to face challenges of working across legal spheres of national and international geographies, have a sound understanding of other branches of laws influencing the maritime sector and be capable of providing time-bound legal advice with utmost precision and accuracy.

GMU's SMLPA is being handheld by the Gujarat National Law University, which houses the transitory campus of GMU within its premises. The programmes offered by the SMLPA are partly delivered by adjunct faculty from GNLU. In addition, GMU and GNLU also collaborate on a number of university-level activities.

Current Programmes offered:

- LL.M - Maritime Law
- LL.M - International Trade Law
- EDP - Maritime Law
- EDP - International Trade Law
- Ph.D. - Maritime Law
- Ph.D. - International Environmental Law

Future Programmes planned:

- PG - Maritime Administration
- PG - Maritime Policy
- PG - Marine Insurance
- PGPX - Maritime Law
- LLB

Centres under SMLPA

- Centre for Maritime Environmental Law
- Centre on Maritime Labour Law
- Centre for Maritime Dispute Resolution
- Centre for International Trade and Investment Law

School of Maritime Management (SMM)

PIONEERING THE DEVELOPMENT OF FUTURE READY MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALS

The Maritime Sector is in the process of undergoing a complete overhaul in recent years. Due to the contemporary developments around a number of Government Initiatives and reforms proposed in India, including the Sagarmala Project, Maritime India Vision 2030, Green Initiatives in Ports, Project Unnati, Jal Marg Vikas Project among others, the sector is poised to experience renewed growth. This will, in turn generate the need for management professionals to manage the accompanying growth.

The School of Maritime Management (SMM) would serve to enhance the pool of management professionals in the commercial side of the Maritime Sector. It would also address the need for continuous up-skilling among professionals, aligned to the needs of the Industry 4.0 through short-term programmes.

The School of Maritime Management has commenced offering its first 2-years full-time residential programme "MBA in Shipping & Logistics", in 2020-21. **Its first programme "MBA in Shipping & Logistics" was designed by the reputed Copenhagen Business School (CBS)'s executive programme wing following their own globally renowned "Blue MBA".**

The development of in-demand management professionals at GMU is facilitated by a number of key factors. These include an optimal learning environment, leading-edge infrastructure, and advanced educational facilities. Our faculty members, who bring to the table significant industry and academic experience, are another fundamental asset. The broad perspective offered to students through collaborations at the local, national, and international levels also plays a significant part in shaping their capabilities.

The **100% placement** of the very first batch is a testament to the academically sound and industry-centric design of the programme.

Current Programmes offered:

- MBA - Shipping & Logistics
- Ph.D. - Financial Management
- Ph.D. - Human Resource Management

Future Programmes planned:

- MBA - Ports and Transportation
- MBA - Shipping Trade & Finance
- MBA - Maritime Human Resource Management
- MBA - Marine Tourism
- BBA - Maritime Management
- PGPX - Maritime Management

Centres under SMLPA

- Centre of Maritime Logistics

Other Centres @ GMU

The centres at GMU are dedicated to making noteworthy advancements in the maritime sector through extensive research, collaborations with esteemed maritime institutions and experts, as well as organizing training sessions and events that offer students ample opportunities to engage and gain hands-on experience.

Centre for Executive Education

Gujarat Maritime University's Centre of Executive Education (CEE) offers programmes tailored for maritime industry professionals seeking to enhance their leadership and management prowess. Crafted and instructed by a global executive education faculty, these courses have been endorsed by Gujarat Maritime Board and the foreign universities with which it collaborates. CEE collaborates with esteemed international institutions such as Erasmus UPT and STC International to deliver courses relevant to the industry. This alliance seeks to facilitate knowledge exchange between Gujarat and Rotterdam, Europe's Maritime Capital. Catering to professionals across various seniority levels, the programmes encompass a diverse array of functions within the maritime industry.



Gujarat International Maritime Arbitration Centre (GIMAC)



**Shaping the
future of Maritime
Arbitration in India!**

The Gujarat International Maritime Arbitration Centre (GIMAC) stands as a specialized Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) hub, developed by the Gujarat Maritime University and located in the vibrant Gujarat International Finance Tec (GIFT) City. GIMAC's primary objective revolves around expediting and ensuring effective resolution of disputes concerning the maritime and shipping sectors. It was the need to address India's unfavourable position (163rd among 189 countries) in terms of honouring business contracts, which entails prolonged dispute settlement durations and exorbitant expenses, that prompted the establishment of GIMAC. Furthermore, the absence of any dedicated arbitral institutions in India focussing solely on maritime and shipping disputes has compelled Indian enterprises to resort to arbitration centres in prominent global cities such as London, Singapore, and Hong Kong. By harnessing the expertise of accomplished arbitrators and legal professionals, GIMAC envisions to position itself as a formidable contender among renowned maritime arbitral institutions worldwide.

In an exceptional opportunity presented to Gujarat Maritime University students, GIMAC allows them to engage in live projects within the realm of arbitration and mediation while concurrently pursuing their academic endeavours.

Why GIMAC

- Provides a framework for maritime arbitration and mediation specifically tailored to the needs of the maritime and shipping community.
- Modern arbitration and mediation rules based on the UNCITRAL model (a globally recognized standard), being drawn up in consultation with senior legal professionals associated with premier arbitral institutions.
- Experienced body of arbitrators, mediators and experts specializing in wide range of maritime & shipping related fields and practices in jurisdictions across the world.
- Provides special procedures (such as, consolidation of proceedings, appointment of an emergency arbitrator) – mechanisms which are not available in ad hoc proceedings.
- Brings a fair and trustworthy, faster and cost-effective dispute resolution mechanism catering to the needs of domestic and global maritime and shipping community



GMU @ GIFT City

Gujarat Maritime University (GMU) has proposed the establishment of its permanent campus in GIFT City, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.



Academic Programmes

LL.M – Maritime Law

Maritime law, also known as admiralty law, is a fundamental and vital area of law with significant implications for global trade, environmental protection, and navigation. Specializing in this field can offer a rewarding and fulfilling career path with unique opportunities.

Some reasons why maritime law is important as a subject of specialization is listed below:

Global Trade: The vast majority of international trade (around 90%) is carried out by sea. This includes the transportation of goods and commodities, and even passengers, across various international jurisdictions. This demands a specialized legal framework to govern relationships, contractual or otherwise, related to the shipping industry.

Complex Jurisdictional Issues: Maritime law often involves complex international issues, as it deals with incidents that occur in international waters or involve vessels from multiple nations. This complexity requires specialized legal knowledge.

Environmental Concerns: Maritime activities can have significant environmental implications, including oil spills, pollution, and damage to marine ecosystems. The regulations governing these activities and the potential liabilities for violations are an essential part of maritime law.

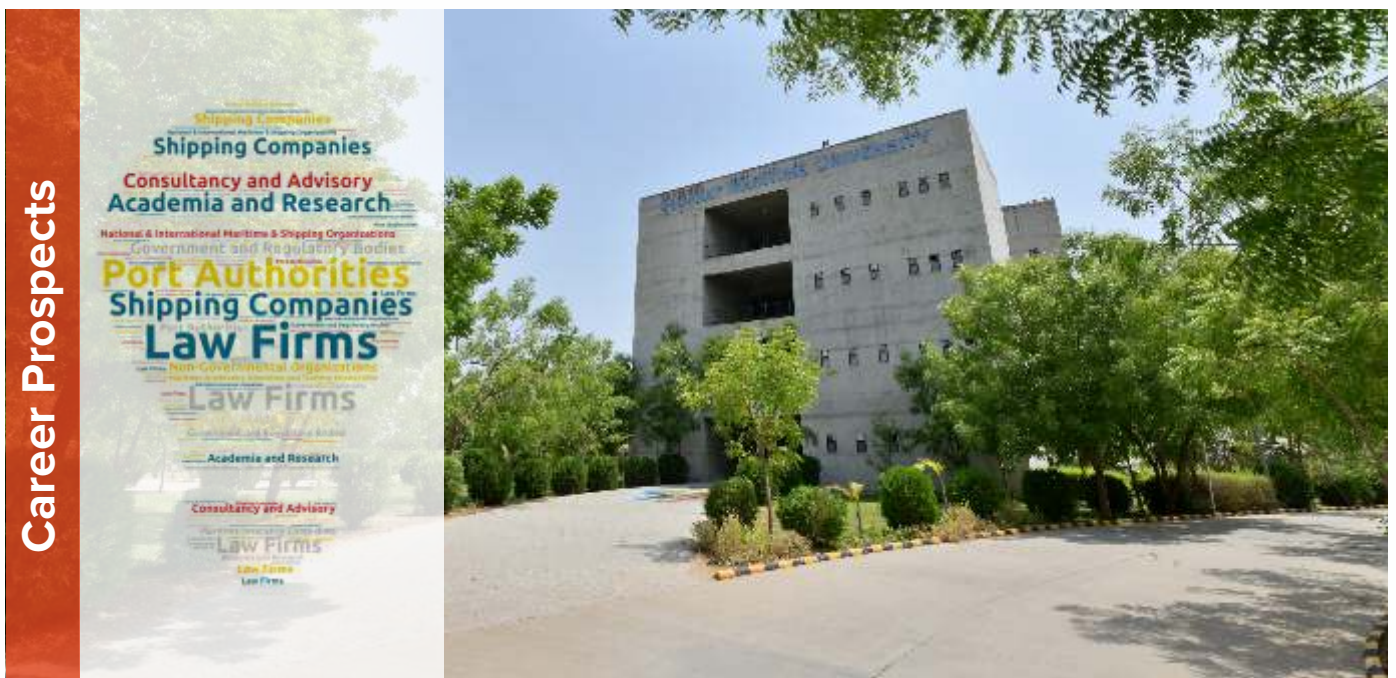
Security: Piracy, illegal fishing, and other maritime crimes pose ongoing challenges. Maritime law professionals may work on legal and policy solutions to these problems.

Insurance and Finance: The shipping industry involves significant investments and risks, and therefore a considerable amount of insurance and finance-related activities. Maritime lawyers often deal with claims, finance and re-finance of vessels, and other related issues.

Employment and Labor Rights: Working conditions, wages, and workers' rights are significant issues in the maritime industry. As a maritime lawyer, you could be involved in ensuring proper conditions and compensation for seafarers.

Opportunities: Specializing in maritime law can lead to various career paths. You could work for a law firm specializing in maritime issues, for a shipping company's legal department, or for a government or international agency involved in regulating maritime activities.

Innovation and Technology: With the advent of new technologies such as autonomous vessels, there's a growing need for legal professionals who understand both maritime law and the implications of these technologies.



Maritime law is thus a diverse, challenging, and essential field that plays a vital role in the world economy, environmental protection, and international relations. It's also a field with a rich history, and one that continues to evolve with changing circumstances and technologies. Specializing in maritime law can therefore provide both intellectual satisfaction and practical career opportunities. At GMU, we train our students of Maritime Law programme through a scientifically designed pedagogy and curriculum which equips them to champion the complexities and ingenuities of the sector. Since maritime law is being offered only by a handful of institutes in India, GMU's Maritime Law enables our students to gain a unique perspective of the legal aspects of the maritime sector and makes them stand apart from the crowd.



**ONE
YEAR**

LL.M in Maritime Law

is focussed and intensive, which allows our students to accelerate their career and academic advancement.

Course Structure

Semester - 1

- Paper 1 : Research Methods and Legal Writing
- Paper 2 : Comparative Public Law/Systems of Governance
- Paper 3 : Law & Justice in a Globalizing World
- Paper 4 : International Law and Law of the Sea
- Paper 5 : Shipping Laws and Regulations

Semester - 2

- Paper 1 : Law of Shipping Contract and Marine Insurance
- Paper 2 : Law of Marine Environment and IMO Conventions
- Paper 3 : Maritime Labour Law
- Paper 4 : Law of Maritime Dispute Resolution
- Paper 5 : Dissertation

*Including an Optional Two-week Global Externship Programme at Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands

Academic Programmes

LL.M – International Trade Law

International Trade Law is a crucial area of law that governs the regulations and standards of trading between nations. As the global economy becomes increasingly interconnected, the importance of International Trade Law as a subject of specialization is growing. Here are some reasons why international trade law is important as a subject of specialization:

Globalization: In our increasingly interconnected world, businesses often have to navigate complex international trade laws and regulations. Specialists in international trade law can guide businesses in these matters, helping them to comply with international rules and to protect their interests.

Regulatory Complexity: International trade law involves a range of complex regulations such as tariffs, trade barriers, and customs laws. Understanding these laws requires specialized knowledge, and professionals with this expertise are in high demand.

Dispute Resolution: Trade disputes between countries are common and often involve large sums of money. Specialized knowledge of international trade law is crucial for resolving these disputes, whether through negotiation, arbitration, or litigation. The coexistence of the Gujarat International Maritime Arbitration Centre under the ambit of the university would provide the much needed exposure to the students.

Economic Development: International trade is a significant driver of economic growth and development. Understanding the laws that govern this trade can therefore have significant impacts, including the reduction of poverty and the promotion of sustainable development.

Policy Making: Governments and international organizations often need legal experts to help develop and implement trade policies. Specialists in international trade law can contribute to these efforts, helping to shape policies that promote fair and sustainable trade.

Human Rights and Environmental Issues: Trade can have significant impacts on human rights and the environment. Specialized knowledge of international trade law can be used to promote trade practices that respect human rights and protect the environment.

Career Opportunities: Specializing in international trade law can open up a range of career opportunities. You might work for a law firm, a multinational corporation, a government agency, or an international organization like the World Trade Organization or the United Nations.

Innovation and Technology: With the advent of digital trade and e-commerce, the field of international trade law is continually evolving. Specialists in this field can contribute to the development of laws and regulations that address these new challenges.



International Trade Law is a fascinating and complex field that plays a critical role in our globalized world. Specializing in this field opens avenues for a rewarding career, with opportunities to contribute to economic development, environmental sustainability, and the promotion of fair and just trade practices.

GMU has curated a well-rounded curriculum for the domain as intricate and vast as International Trade Law ranging across International Business, the World Trade Organization, Trade and Investment, Risks, Insurance, Transportation and Intellectual Property Rights and many more. The curriculum is designed to create skilled professionals who can emerge as potential leaders in the domain of international trade law at legal firms, multi-national corporations, government regulatory bodies and international intergovernmental organizations.



**ONE
YEAR**

LL.M in International Trade Law

is a compact and rigorous programme that allows our students to move ahead in their careers in a short time.

Course Structure

Semester - 1

- Paper 1 : Research Methods & Legal Writing
- Paper 2 : Comparative Public Law/System Governance
- Paper 3 : Law and Justice in a Globalizing World
- Paper 4 : Law of World Trade Organization
- Paper 5 : International Commercial Law

Semester - 2

- Paper 1 : Law of International Carriage
- Paper 2 : India and Foreign Trade
- Paper 3 : International Investment Law
- Paper 4 : International Commercial Arbitration
- Paper 5 : Dissertation

*Including an Optional Two-week Global Externship Programme at Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands

Admission Process

LL.M Programmes

Eligibility

The candidate should possess an LLB/Equivalent Degree in law from a recognized University with a minimum of 50% marks or an equivalent grade for general category/OBC/PWD/NRI/PIO/OCI candidates, and 45% marks or an equivalent grade for candidates belonging to the SC/ST category.

Candidates who are in the final year of their qualifying examination or have completed the degree requirements and are awaiting results may also apply. If selected, these candidates will be provisionally allowed to join the program, subject to fulfilling all requirements and meeting the eligibility criteria within the specified timeframe.

Intake Capacity

Programme
LL.M.
Seats
60

Selection Process

The selection for the programme will be based on a National Level Online Remotely Proctored entrance test followed by a Personal Interview of the candidates. The weightage of the selection process will be as follows:

Criterion	Weights
Remotely Proctored Online MCQ Test	70%
Personal Interview	30%

In case, if any seat remains vacant after the conclusion of the GMU LL.M. admission process, the same will be filled on the basis of merit secured by the candidates in Common Law Admission Test (CLAT) – 2023. CLAT-2023 aspirants are also required to make an application for admission by following the aforementioned process and select CLAT-2023 as the mode of admission.

Entrance Test

The remotely proctored online entrance test will include 70 Objective Type Questions (MCQs) each question carrying one mark. The duration of the test will be 60 minutes. There will not be any negative marking for wrong answers. The question paper will be based on the core subjects of the undergraduate integrated LLB or LLB Programme and will include Constitutional Law, Jurisprudence, Administrative Law, Law of Contract, Torts, Criminal Law and Public International Law. It will also include questions from research & teaching aptitude, and current affairs.

Personal Interview

Candidates securing more than 50% marks in the Online Remotely Proctored Entrance Test will be called for the Personal Interview at first instance. If sufficient candidates are not found eligible, the University may call the remaining candidates for the personal Interview as well. The Personal Interview credentials will be sent to the eligible candidates separately by E-mail and will also be published on the University website.

Deadlines, Timelines and Fee Details

For the most updated deadlines, timelines and fee details, visit <https://gmu.edu.in/>.





Academic Programmes

EDP Maritime Law

The Executive Diploma Program (EDP) in Maritime Law offered at Gujarat Maritime University is a specialized course designed for entrepreneurs, business owners, and professionals who wish to expand their knowledge and expertise in the maritime sector with a global perspective. The programme covers a wide range of topics in maritime law, including maritime contracts, insurance, and liability, as well as the legal and regulatory frameworks governing the maritime industry.

Through this programme, participants will gain an in-depth understanding of the legal aspects of maritime operations and develop practical skills to navigate the complex legal landscape of the maritime industry. The course provides an ideal platform for its learners to lead a new era of progress for their organizations and exceed expectations.

Course Structure

Semester - 1

Paper 1

Legal Methods

Paper 2

International Law and Law of the Sea

Paper 3

Shipping Laws and Regulations

Semester - 2

Paper 1

Maritime Labour Law and Insurance Law

Paper 2

Law of Maritime Dispute Resolution

Paper 3

Dissertation

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EDP International Trade Law

The Executive Diploma Program (EDP) in International Trade Law offered at Gujarat Maritime University is a specialized course designed for entrepreneurs, business owners, and professionals seeking to expand their knowledge and expertise in international trade. The programme provides participants with a comprehensive understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks governing international trade and covers various aspects of international trade law, including the laws governing the sale of goods, international transport of goods, and the resolution of disputes arising from international trade transactions.

Through this programme, participants will develop a thorough understanding of the legal aspects of international trade and acquire practical skills to navigate the complex legal landscape of international trade. The course offers an excellent opportunity for its learners to lead a new era of progress for their organizations and exceed expectations.

Course Structure

Semester - 1

Paper 1

Legal Methods

Paper 2

Law of World Trade Organization

Paper 3

International Commercial Law

Semester - 2

Paper 1

International Investment Law

Paper 2

International Commercial Arbitration

Paper 3

Dissertation

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Admission Process

Eligibility

The candidates must hold a graduate degree in any discipline from a recognized University with at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA and 45% marks or equivalent CGPA in case of SC/ST category candidates.

The holders of the 'Certificate of Equivalency' issued by Association of Indian Universities or any other competent institution are also eligible to the programme.

Intake Capacity

Programme	EDP
Seats	60

Selection Process

The admission to the diploma will be based on the merit secured in the Personal Interview and the evaluation of the Statement of Purpose (SOP). The weightage assigned to the admission criterion is as follows:

Criterion	Weights
Personal Interview	70%
Evaluation of Statement of Purpose	30%

Personal Interview

The online personal interviews' credentials will be sent to each applicant separately by E-mail and will also be published on the University website.

Statement of Purpose

The applicants are required to submit a Statement of Purpose via email to admissions@gmu.edu.in after submitting the application form through the University website by or before the deadline. The length of the Statement of Purpose may be 300-500 words. It should give the educational and professional background of the applicant. It should also specify why the applicant should be considered for the diploma and how it will be useful for his/her career advancement.

Deadlines, Timelines and Fee Details

For the most updated deadlines, timelines and fee details, visit <https://gmu.edu.in/>.



Academic Programmes

MBA – Shipping & Logistics

A master's programme with specializations in shipping and logistics is of significant importance in today's globalized and interconnected world. Here are some key reasons why such a programme holds value:

Expertise in a Growing Field: The shipping and logistics industry plays a crucial role in facilitating international trade and supply chain operations. With the expansion of global commerce, there is a growing demand for professionals who possess specialized knowledge in this field. A master's programme with specializations in shipping and logistics equips individuals with the necessary skills and expertise to excel in this sector.

In-depth Understanding of the Industry: A specialized master's programme provides students with an in-depth understanding of the intricacies of the shipping and logistics industry. It covers various aspects such as maritime law, port management, freight transportation, supply chain optimization, risk management, and international trade regulations. This comprehensive knowledge prepares individuals to tackle the complexities and challenges of the industry effectively.

Career Advancement Opportunities: Obtaining a master's degree in shipping and logistics enhances career prospects within the industry. It equips individuals with the knowledge and skills that are highly valued by employers in shipping companies, logistics providers, freight forwarders, port authorities, and international trade organizations. With a master's degree, individuals can explore managerial, consulting, or strategic roles that offer higher levels of responsibility and increased earning potential.

Global Perspective and Networking Opportunities: Shipping and logistics operate on a global scale, and a master's programme in this field provides a global perspective. Students gain insights into international trade patterns, emerging markets, global regulations, and industry trends. Additionally, these programmes often attract students from diverse backgrounds and nationalities, providing ample networking opportunities and fostering cross-cultural understanding, which can be advantageous in the globalized business environment.

Future Career Prospects



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Industry-Relevant Projects and Internships:

Many master's programmes in shipping and logistics include industry-relevant projects and internships as part of their curriculum. These practical experiences allow students to apply their knowledge in real-world scenarios, develop problem-solving skills, and build valuable connections with industry professionals. Such exposure increases employability and provides a competitive edge in the job market.

Contribution to Sustainable Development:

As sustainability and environmental concerns gain prominence, the shipping and logistics industry is undergoing significant transformations. A master's programme with specializations in shipping and logistics addresses these challenges by incorporating modules on sustainable practices, green logistics, and carbon footprint reduction. Graduates can contribute to the industry's sustainability goals and work towards creating a more environmentally friendly and efficient supply chain network.

In conclusion, a master's programme with specializations in shipping and logistics offers immense value by providing specialized knowledge, enhancing career prospects, fostering a global perspective, and contributing to industry sustainability. It equips individuals with the skills and expertise needed to excel in a dynamic and rapidly evolving industry.

Furthermore, the Indian maritime sector is experiencing a surge in growth due to various government reforms and initiatives such as the Sagarmala Project, Project Unnati, and Jal Marg Vikas Project. As a result, the sector is expected to witness an abundance of job opportunities, including management positions. In response to this demand for skilled professionals, GMU has collaborated with Copenhagen Business School's executive wing, CBS Executive, to launch a unique MBA programme in Shipping and Logistics.

This pioneering programme, modeled after the highly regarded BLUE MBA, is the first of its kind in India and aims to equip students with the most sought-after capabilities in the maritime industry. The MBA in Shipping and Logistics provides students with access to top-class infrastructure, experienced faculty, and exposure to sub-national, national, and international contexts. Through this course, GMU aims to develop experts in the maritime industry who can lead the sector's growth and development.

The MBA in Shipping and Logistics is designed to prepare students for the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead in the maritime industry, and position them for success in a rapidly evolving job market.

Broad Course Structure

Semester - 1

- Financial Statements and Analysis
- Introduction to Global Maritime Sector
- Law for Managers
- Managerial Communication
- Managerial Economics
- Operations Research Models
- Statistics for Management

Semester - 2

- Law for Maritime Managers
- Digital Technologies for Maritime Sector
- International Trade
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- Maritime Human Resource Management
- The Blue Economy
- Financial Management
- International Business Communication
- Marketing Management

Semester - 3

- Law of the Sea
- Management of Shipping Companies
- Maritime Infrastructure and PPP
- Maritime Insurance and Risk Management
- Port Management
- Services Marketing for Maritime Managers
- Ship Building and Breaking
- Strategic Management
- Master's Thesis I
- Summer Internship Project

Semester - 4

- Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- Liner Trade and Multi Modal Transportation
- Safety and Environment Management in Shipping
- Shipping Finance
- Master's Thesis II

*Including an Optional Two-week
Global Externship Programme at
Erasmus University, Rotterdam, Netherlands

Admission Process: MBA (Shipping & Logistics)

Eligibility

The candidate must hold a Bachelor's Degree in any discipline from a recognized University with at least 50% marks for General Category or equivalent CGPA (45% marks in case of SC/ST/SEBC/EWS category candidates).

The holders of the 'Certificate of Equivalency' issued by Association of Indian Universities or any other competent institution are also eligible to the programme.

Candidates appearing for the final year of bachelor's degree/equivalent qualification examination and those who have completed degree requirements and are awaiting results may also apply. If selected, such candidates will be allowed to join the programme provisionally, subject to completion of all the requirements and fulfillment of eligibility criteria in due course of time.

Intake Capacity

Total Seats	Admission through GMU Entrance Exam	Admission through Admission Committee for Professional Courses (ACPC)
60	30	30

Selection Process

The selection process of the programme is through the following two methods:

All India Seats

The candidates seeking admission under this category may submit the online application by visiting the University website (<https://gmu.edu.in/>)

The selection process will be on the basis of performance of the candidate in the National Level Online Remotely Proctored Entrance Test and Personal Interview conducted by the University. The question paper will be based on Quantitative Aptitude, Logical Reasoning, Data Interpretation, Verbal Ability & Comprehension



The weightage of the selection process will be as follows:

Criterion	Weights
Remotely Proctored Online MCQ Test	70%
Personal Interview	30%

However, the candidates having a valid CMAT/CAT score of the year 2023, are not required to participate in the University Admission selection process.

State Quota Seats

For admission under the State quota seats a candidate must apply through the Admission Committee for Professional Courses (ACPC) website (<https://jacpcldce.ac.in/>), and follow the instructions provided therein and select "Gujarat Maritime University" as the first preference for admission.

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Ph.D.

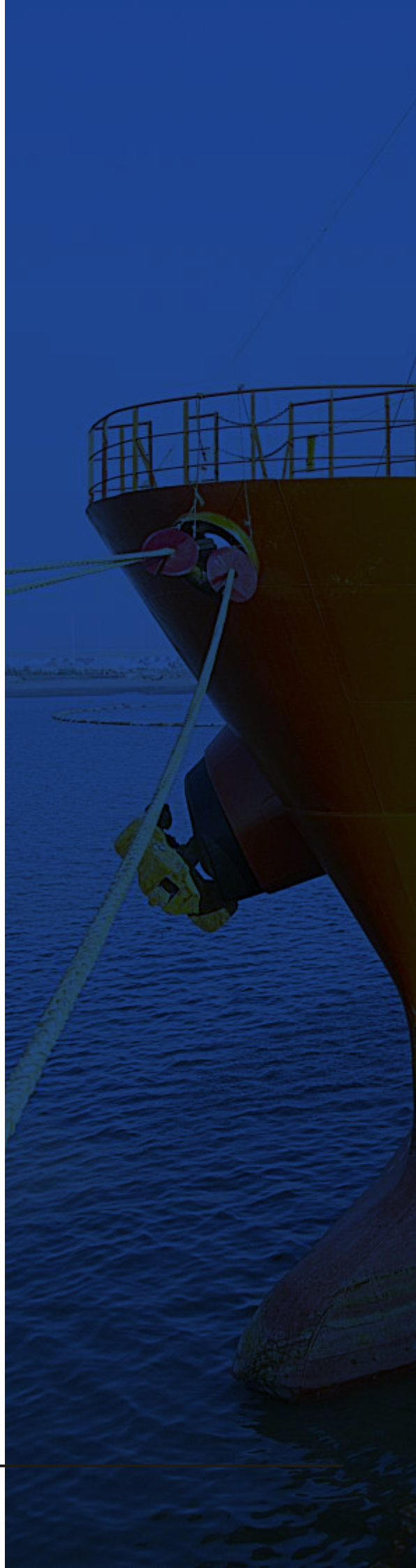
Programme in Law

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 has bestowed significant importance upon research and innovation within the realm of education, duly acknowledging their pivotal role in propelling growth and development within the education sector. With the intention of fostering research and innovation, the policy endeavors to establish a National Research Foundation (NRF) that shall provide funding and advocacy for research across all domains of knowledge, encompassing education as well. Furthermore, the policy encourages the integration of research into the education system, the establishment of research clusters and networks, and the utilization of technology and digital tools to facilitate research and innovation.

Capitalizing on the advantages presented by the transitory campus at GNLU, Gujarat Maritime University (GMU) has entered into a partnership with GNLU to align its doctoral programmes with the NEP 2020's primary focus on research and publications. Through this collaboration, GMU seeks to tackle the dearth of specialized faculty in the maritime sector and cultivate experts who can effectively contribute to the industry's growth and development. By aligning its doctoral programmes with the NEP 2020's emphasis on research, GMU is taking strides towards promoting research and innovation in the maritime sector. Currently, GMU offers a Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Law with specialization in the following areas:

- **International Trade Law**
- **International Environmental Law**

These doctoral programmes have been strategically aligned with the NEP 2020's pronounced emphasis on interdisciplinary research, aiming to afford doctoral students valuable opportunities to conduct research in areas of profound relevance to the maritime industry. Through this deliberate alignment and commitment to fostering research and innovation, GMU is actively establishing itself as a preeminent institution within the maritime sector, poised to make substantial contributions to the growth and advancement of the industry. This endeavor not only enhances GMU's prominence within the research community but also positions it as a driving force, capable of effecting positive change in the maritime domain.



Ph.D.

Programme in Management

The maritime sector, while encompassing a plethora of facets, currently grapples with limited research specifically dedicated to its commercial aspects. This paucity underscores the pressing need for augmented investment in research and development initiatives. Compounding this issue is the prevalence of professionals within the industry possessing technical or non-maritime backgrounds, posing considerable challenges when it comes to comprehending and addressing the multifaceted complexities inherent to the sector.

Through its distinguished PhD programme in Management, GMU embarks on a mission to ameliorate the scarcity of adept management professionals within the maritime domain, all the while nurturing and producing esteemed experts who can make substantial contributions to the industry's sustained growth and development. By bridging this critical gap and equipping graduates with comprehensive knowledge and skills, GMU endeavors to propel the maritime sector forward into a realm of enhanced competence and prosperity. Currently, GMU offers Ph.D in Management in the following areas:

- **Human Resource Management**
- **Financial Management**

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Collaborations and Partnerships



Awards and Accolades

Accolades

In such a short span of time from commencing its academic journey, Gujarat Maritime University has been recipient of multiple awards at prestigious platforms:

Gujarat Star Award 2023

Gujarat Maritime University was felicitated for winning the Special Award for Fostering Commercial Maritime Education.

India Maritime Awards 2022

Gujarat Maritime University was felicitated for winning the Special Award for Fostering Commercial Maritime Education in India.

The India Star Awards 2021

Gujarat Maritime University was felicitated for winning the Special Award for revolutionizing Maritime Education in India.

Gujarat Junction 2021

Gujarat Maritime University won Special Award for Reimagining Maritime Education in India at 11th Edition of Gujarat Junction 2021.

Gujarat Star Awards 2019

Gujarat Maritime University was awarded the Newsmaker of the Year at the 8th edition of Gujarat Star Awards.

Gujarat Maritime Horizon 2019

Gujarat Maritime University was felicitated for its commitment to bridge the knowledge gap in maritime and shipping sector.



Extracurricular Activities and Organizations/Clubs

Yoga Day



Women's Day



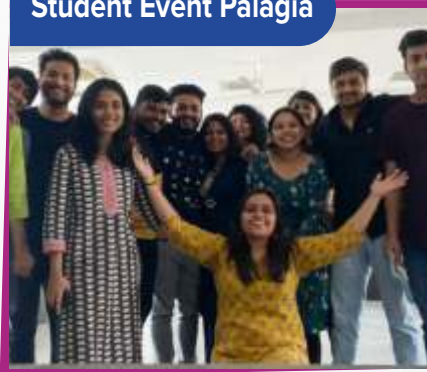
Soft Skill Classes



GMU Open Badminton Tournament



Student Event Palagia



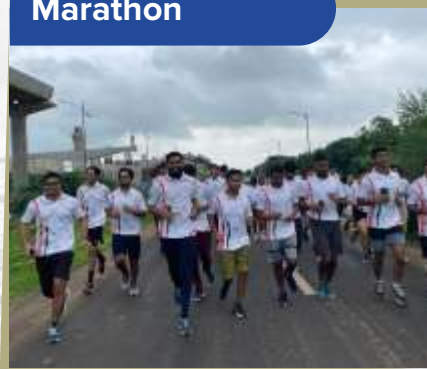
72nd Samvidhan Divas



Arbitration Competition



Marathon



National Maritime Day



Global Externship Programme

The Global Externship Programme (GEP) offered by Gujarat Maritime University (GMU) provides a unique opportunity for students to gain international exposure by spending a part of their course at the highly regarded Erasmus University in Rotterdam, known for its excellence in maritime education and research. As part of the GEP, students engage in various activities, including classroom training, moot court competitions, and off-campus excursions to ports and shipyards. Recently, GMU successfully completed its inaugural two-week GEP at Erasmus University, enabling 34 students to gain valuable insights into the European maritime sector and interact with industry experts and faculty members. The GEP is designed to deliver world-class education and to promote cross-cultural exchange of valuable information. The GEP is an integral component of GMU's programme structure and is governed by an agreement signed between GMU and the Erasmus Centre for Urban, Port and Transport.



Flagship Events and Student Activities

Gujarat International Maritime Arbitration Competition - GIMAC 2022, 2021, 2020

The Gujarat International Maritime Arbitration Competition (GIMAC) is an annual flagship event hosted by GMU since 2020, attracting over 100 participants across 34 teams each year, including international participants and National Law Universities teams. The competition simulates an arbitration process for maritime disputes such as cargo disputes, shipping contracts, and marine insurance claims and provides participants with opportunities to enhance their knowledge of maritime law, advocacy skills, and practical experience in resolving such disputes. It also allows them to network with professionals in the field and gain practical experience in resolving maritime disputes.

International Conference on the Role of UNCITRAL in Harmonization of Commercial Laws

GMU–UNCITRAL RCAP-GNLU convened a conference at the Gujarat National Law University in December 2019 to explore the role of UNCITRAL in harmonization of Commercial Laws creating a forum for analysis and dialogue bringing together academics, research scholars, UNCITRAL representatives, policy makers and civil society.

Business Idea Competition - BIC 2022

GMU hosted its inaugural state-level business idea competition, BIC 2022, on April 1st, with 12 teams taking part. The competition involved students presenting their business ideas to a panel of judges. M.C. Shah Commerce College and Parul University claimed the top two spots, receiving cash prizes. Dr. Krupa Mehta, President of the Gujarat Start-Up Council of Women's Indian Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and Dr. Chirag Rathod, Head of Training at the Centre of Entrepreneurship Development, served as judges for the competition.



Industry Exposure and Port Excursions

In addition to the industry-oriented curriculum, students at GMU are provided extensive industry exposure through frequent visits to various ports on the Gujarat coastline. A key takeaway of industry visits is the chance of observing various challenges and solutions implemented in the field. Industrial visits conducted by GMU are unique since they allow the students to visit leading industries off the Gujarat Coast which handles a fair share of the Indian Maritime sector.



Moot Court Sessions

Gujarat Maritime University conducts moot court sessions for law students to gain practical training in legal advocacy. The sessions involve a hypothetical case related to the maritime industry, allowing students to prepare and present arguments based on legal statutes and case law. Moot court sessions aim to enhance advocacy and legal research skills, provide an understanding of the legal system, and offer networking opportunities. They are a crucial part of the law curriculum, preparing students for a career in the legal industry.

International Conference on Climate Justice and Sustainable Environment (ICCJSE) 2023

Gujarat Maritime University and Gujarat National Law University organized the International Conference on Climate Justice and Sustainable Environment (ICCJSE) 2023 from 22 to 23 April 2023. The conference was aimed at providing a single platform for experts from the scientific community, economists, social thinkers, and the legal fraternity to discuss strategies to tackle the threats from climate change.



Experts @ GMU

It is our belief that frequent interaction with subject experts and industrial fraternity is vital to bridge the gap between theoretical understanding of concepts and its practical implementation. To facilitate students with diverse perspectives and empower them with knowledge beyond literature, GMU has been inviting leading academicians, sector experts and eminent personalities from different parts of the world for conducting guest lectures.



Mr. Pranav Desai
Head-Marketing and Revenue,
Mindseed (India)



Capt. Anil Puri
Marine Consultant (India)



Mr. Anil Kumar Naswa
Former Senior Vice President
(Legal, HR & City Admin),
GIFT City Co.Ltd. Corporat Legal Advisor,
Arbitrator and Management Consultant (India)



Mr. Aashish Chandorkar
Counsellor -
Permanent Mission
of India to WTO (Switzerland)



Mr Gopal Krishna, IAS
Former Secretary,
Ministry of Shipping,
Ports & Waterways (India)



Dr. Rama Rao
Former Director (Legal), Ministry of External Affairs,
Government of India; Ex-Member Council,
International Seabed Authority;
Ex-Director, WIPO (India)



Mr. Jan Hoffman
Head, Trade Logistics Branch,
Division of Technology and
Logistics, UNCTAD (Switzerland)



Capt. Brian Wilson
Dy. Director,
Global Maritime Operational Threat
Response Coordination Centre,
US Department of Homeland Security (US)



Dr. Girish Gujar
Professor,
Hong Kong Polytechnic
University (Hong Kong)



Commodore Odakkal Johanson
 Navy Veteran and Maxwell
 Leadership Certified Coach (India)



Capt. Upilli Kannan
 Master Mariner (India)



Capt. Kapil Dev Bahl
 Managing Director,
 Murray Fenton (India)
 Surveyors Pvt Ltd (India)



Capt. Yashoverman Sharma
 Director, True North Competence Management,
 Consultant and Visiting Faculty,
 IIM, Ahmedabad (India)



Vice Admiral Pradeep Chauhan
 Director General,
 National Maritime Foundation
 (India)



Ms. Mayeling Bilpodiwala
 Chief Mentor &
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 Co-Founder of the Catalystz (India)



Ms. Sneha Joshi
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 BNP Paribas (India)



Mr. Niraj Khalpada
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 and Head of Analytics,
 AGS Health (India)



Mr. Kalpesh Kothari
 Assistant Vice President,
 Banking, Ex-Assistant Vice
 President, Axis Bank (India)



Dr. Sameer Rohadia
 Business Intelligence
 Specialist & IT Trainer (Germany)



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 Adani Power Ltd (India)



Mr. Vishal Talreja
 Credit Risk Analyst,
 Doha Bank (Qatar)



Mr. Sahil Brij Malhotra
 Director of Client Partnerships,
 Qualetics Data Machines (India)



Commodore Debesh Lahiri
 Executive Director,
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 Owner,
 JBS Group of Companies (India)



Mr. Sanjay Dutta
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 Trident Chemphar Ltd (India)

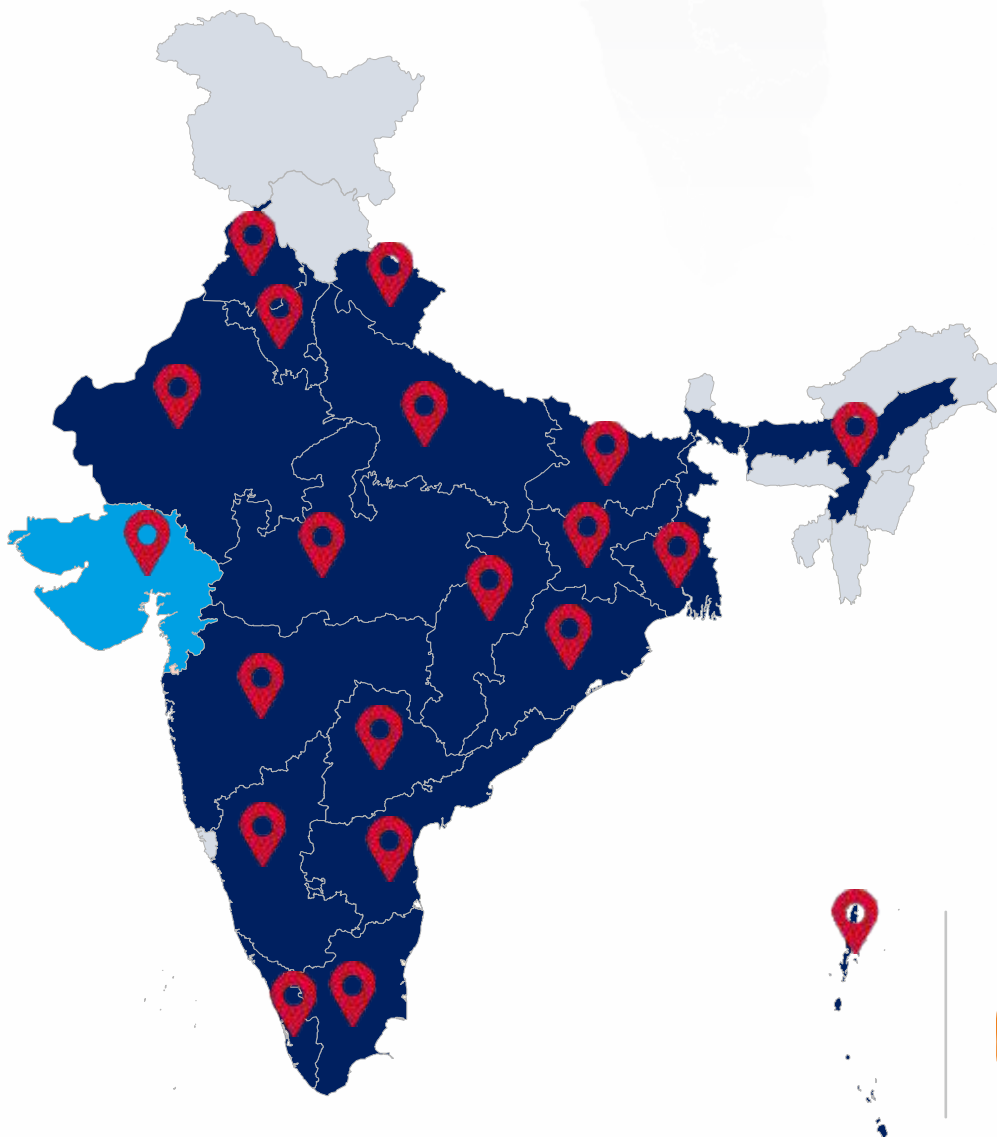
Student Life

Campus Culture and Diversity

GMU's campus culture is known for its diversity and inclusivity. With students coming from various parts of the country, the university fosters an environment where individuals from different backgrounds can come together and learn from each other. The campus promotes diversity through various cultural events and student organizations that celebrate different cultures and traditions.

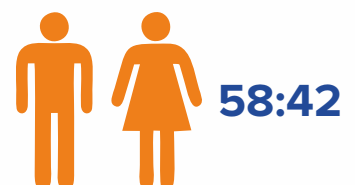
Additionally, the university has programmes that support and encourage under-represented communities to ensure that everyone feels welcomed and valued. GMU's commitment to creating a diverse and inclusive campus community makes it an ideal place for students to learn and grow.

Representation from 21 states and 3 UTs of India



- Andaman & Nicobar Islands
- Andhra Pradesh
- Assam
- Bihar
- Chhattisgarh
- Daman & Diu
- Haryana
- Jharkhand
- Karnataka
- Kerala
- Madhya Pradesh
- Maharashtra
- Meghalaya
- New Delhi
- Odisha
- Punjab
- Rajasthan
- Tamil Nadu
- Telangana
- Tripura
- Uttar Pradesh
- Uttarakhand
- West Bengal
- Gujarat

Gender Ratio



Facilities, Housing and Residential Life

Campus

The transitory campus of Gujarat Maritime University (GMU) is housed within the prestigious Gujarat National Law University (GNLU), one of India's leading law schools. GNLU's expansive campus, which extends over 50 acres, currently hosts the dedicated infrastructure of GMU. The campus is committed to minimizing its environmental impact, with sustainability integrated into every aspect of campus life and operation. The serene and verdant surroundings provide an ideal setting for learning and are cherished by all residents.

Our campus is equipped with modern facilities and cutting-edge technology, ensuring an exceptional learning environment for our students. Our state-of-the-art classrooms feature multimedia equipment and contemporary furnishings, while our fully equipped conference rooms boast video-conferencing capabilities. In addition, we offer a 24x7 library and computer lab complete with the latest configuration machines and access to various software and databases. Each classroom comes equipped with a multimedia projector and computer system, complete with an audio system for optimal learning experiences.



Hostel and Mess Facilities

At Gujarat Maritime University, we understand the importance of a comfortable and conducive living environment for students. Our on-campus hostel provides students with a safe and secure place to call home during their academic journey. Our hostel facilities are equipped with all the necessary amenities, including comfortable beds, study tables, and high-speed internet connectivity. Additionally, we provide nutritious and hygienic meals at our mess facilities, ensuring that students are able to focus on their studies and achieve their academic goals without any distractions. Our dedicated staff is committed to providing students with a homely atmosphere, making their stay at our hostel a memorable and enriching experience.

Library

Students at GMU are given access to the GNLU library which is spread over four floors with a seating capacity of 300. The library has an expansive collection of over 43,000 volumes of books, reports and subscribes 150 print journals, newspapers, reference books, and e-books. The GNLU library, in addition to law and management related learning resources, houses a vast collection of literature on allied subjects, including maritime law and international trade law.



Sports Facilities

The campus is well equipped with sporting infrastructure and hosts university level events for Cricket, Badminton, Football, Table tennis, Basketball, Kabaddi, among many others. The campus also has separate facilities like swimming pools and gymnasium for the students.



Gymnasium

For students who prioritize fitness, our campus offers a fully equipped gymnasium that caters to both cardiovascular and resistance training. With state-of-the-art equipment, our gymnasium provides a professional setting for students to stretch their muscles and reach their fitness goals. We offer a variety of resistance machines and free weights, accommodating a wide range of physical workout regimes.

Health and Wellbeing

At our campus, we prioritize the health and well-being of our students. A doctor is always available on-site, and we have a fully equipped dispensary capable of treating a wide range of illnesses. Additionally, we have established partnerships with all major hospitals in the vicinity, ensuring that our students receive the best possible care in the event of a medical emergency.



Ragging Free Campus

Our campus is completely free from ragging, as we have implemented a stringent Anti-ragging Policy. To ensure its effective implementation, a council consisting of senior faculty members has been established. They work diligently to enforce all policies in their entirety, ensuring that students feel safe and secure in their new environment.

Discipline & Safety

At our campus, we pride ourselves on fostering a lively and cohesive community. Our top priority is ensuring the safety of our students, which is why we place great importance on maintaining discipline. This plays a crucial role in shaping one's character and professional perspective. We have a zero-tolerance policy for any violations of our code of conduct, and any instances are promptly detected. To ensure round-the-clock security, a professional agency equipped with modern communication technology and CCTV cameras monitors all entry and exit points as well as key locations throughout the campus.

Living in Gandhinagar

Located on the banks of the Sabarmati River, Gandhinagar is the capital city of Gujarat, India, renowned for its well-planned infrastructure, rich cultural heritage, and tranquil environment. It boasts of several esteemed educational institutions, including the Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar, Gujarat National Law University, and the National Institute of Fashion Technology. Additionally, the city is home to the world-famous Akshardham Temple, a stunning architectural marvel that attracts tourists from far and wide.

The perfect amalgamation of modernity and tradition, Gandhinagar provides students with a friendly and welcoming culture, enhancing their safety and comfort. The city is a prime choice for those seeking a secure and peaceful environment to fulfill their academic aspirations.

Things to do in and around Gandhinagar:



Akshardham Temple



GIFT City



Indroda Dinosaur & Fossil Park



Mahatma Mandir



Dandi Kutir



Rani ni vav (Adalaj Stepwell)

- Visit the ISKCON Gandhinagar temple and learn about Hindu culture and tradition.
- Visit the Mahatma Mandir, a large complex dedicated to the life and teachings of Mahatma Gandhi.
- Visit the Indroda Dinosaur and Fossil Park, which is home to a large collection of dinosaur fossils and other prehistoric animals.
- Explore the Adalaj Stepwell, a beautifully designed ancient well that was built in the 15th century.
- Take a trip to the nearby city of Ahmedabad, which is known for its rich history and architecture.
- Take a stroll in the lovely parks of Gandhinagar.
- Visit the Akshardham Temple, one of the largest and most ornate temples in India.
- Visit the Gandhi Ashram, which was the residence of Mahatma Gandhi during the time he was working in Gujarat.
- Sample the local cuisine, which is famous for its flavours and spices.
- Shop at the local markets and bazaars, where you can find a wide range of handicrafts, textiles, and other traditional items.

Placements & Internships

GMU is dedicated to assisting its students in securing internships and employment opportunities by leveraging its partnership with the GMB and other industry stakeholders. The university strives to offer its students exceptional internships and placements in the sector of their choice and interest.

Internships



Placements





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Admissions Office

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Campus Address & Directions

Transitory Campus:

At GNLU Campus,
Attalika Avenue Knowledge Corridor,
Koba, Gandhinagar
Gujarat – 382426

GMU's transitory campus is in Gandhinagar, the capital city of Gujarat state. The best way to reach Gandhinagar depends on your location and personal preferences. From there, you can hire a taxi or take a bus to reach GMU.

From Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel International Airport

The distance between the nearest airport, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel International Airport in Ahmedabad, and GMU's transitory campus is 14 kilometers. The journey from the airport to GMU by via the Gandhinagar – Ahmedabad Road takes approximately 20-35 minutes.

From Gandhinagar Railway Station

The distance between Gandhinagar Capital, Gandhinagar's railway station located in Sector 13C, 14 and GMU's transitory campus is approximately 14 kilometers. The journey from the railway station to GMU by via the Gandhinagar – Ahmedabad Road takes approximately 25-35 minutes.

From Ahmedabad Railway Station

The distance between Ahmedabad railway station and GMU's transitory campus is approximately 21 kilometers. The journey from the railway station to GMU by via the Gandhinagar – Ahmedabad Road takes approximately 35-55 minutes.

From Gandhinagar Bus Depot

The distance between the Gandhinagar Bus Depot located in Sector 11 and GMU's transitory campus is approximately 10 kilometers. The journey from the bus depot to GMU by via the Gandhinagar – Ahmedabad Road takes approximately 15-25 minutes.

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