## **One Day Visit Organized by**



# **Industry Institute Interaction Cell -IIIC**





#### **Event Organized**

The 18th Heads of State and Government Summit of the Group of 20 (G20), under the Indian Presidency, is scheduled to take place in New Delhi, India, during September 2023. The summit will revolve around the theme of 'One Earth, One Family, One Future'. As part of the G20 proceedings, the National Innovation Foundation (NIF), India, and the Indian National Science Academy (INSA), in association with the Science 20 (S20) engagement group, have arranged a series of expert lectures. The expert lecture be held at the Ahmedabad Management Association (AMA) located on Dr. Vikram Sarabhai Marg, University Area, Ahmedabad, on the 26th of June 2023, from 10:45 am to 11:30 am. To enrich the event as the audience, students from CAET, AAU, Godhra, have been invited to participate. Under the guidance of Er. Chirag Jadav, Chairman of the Industry Institute Interaction Cell and Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering in the Basic Engineering & Applied Sciences Department, a visit has been organized for the students on the 26th of June 2023.

#### **About Event**

Dr. Chaitanya Joshi, the Director of the Gujarat Biotechnology Research Centre (GBRC), DST, GoG, delivered an insightful expert lecture on the topic of Universal Holistic Health. His lecture was a part of the broader theme of "Disruptive Science for Innovative and Sustainable Development." Dr. Joshi specifically focused on the sub-theme of Universal Holistic Health and shared valuable insights with the students in attendance.

During his lecture, Dr. Chaitanya actively encouraged the students from various universities to actively participate by openly sharing their doubts, queries, and questions. His interactive approach created a conducive environment for engaging discussions and facilitated the exchange of knowledge among the students. This approach fostered a deeper understanding of the subject matter and promoted a collaborative learning experience.

Dr. Chaitanya Joshi, the Director of the Gujarat Biotechnology Research Centre (GBRC), DST, GoG, delved into the significance of the shloka (verse) of shanti path that is sung during holistic festivals for peace. The shloka emphasizes the importance of harmony and peace in various aspects of existence. Dr. Joshi elucidated on the verse: "द्यो: शान्तिरन्तिरक्षं

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He explained how each element mentioned in the shloka, such as water, the universe, Brahma (the ultimate reality), animals, plants, and all life and products on Earth, holds significance in the context of universal health. Dr. Joshi further elaborated on the percentage-wise prevalence of diseases in animals, humans, and plants, providing insights into the health issues faced by different organisms. He also discussed specific viruses and bacteria, providing information on their impact on health.

Through his lecture, Dr. Joshi highlighted the interconnectedness of all life forms and stressed the importance of maintaining the health and well-being of each component for the overall universal health.

### **Key Role of Officer, Faculty and Staff**

The visit was impeccably organized and flawlessly executed, thanks to the dedicated efforts of Er. Chirag Jadav, Chairman of the Industry Institute Interaction Cell, and Assistant Professor. Dr. Mukesh Tiwari, Head of the Soil and Water Conservation Department, and Er. Suryaprakash Suryavansi, SRA of the IDE Department, also contributed their unwavering commitment to ensuring the smooth functioning of all activities throughout the day. A special mention goes to Er. Kapil Mandloi, Head of the BEAS Department, whose steadfast support was invaluable. The success and productivity of the event were further enhanced by Dr. R. Subbaiah, the Principal and Dean of CAET, AAU, Godhra.



