

# NATIONAL TECHNICAL FESTIVAL ON FOOD PROCESSING ADROIT '17

College of Food Processing Technology and Bio-Energy, Anand Agricultural University, Anand organized two days **National Technical Festival on Food Processing “ADROIT 17”** on September 26-27, 2017. Adroit means to be clever or skilful. It is all about bringing new perspectives towards the field of Food Processing by encouraging infinite potential of budding technocrats to Conceive, Create & Conquer. Students related to Food Processing from all over the country were invited. Eleven different competitive events were organized to enable the participants to show their innovative ideas, skill, talent, workmanship and knowledge. More than 700 students from 23 Institutes/ Universities participated to showcase their professional competence and a chance to win prizes and bring reverences to their institution.

On September 26, 2017 the function was inaugurated by Dr. N. C. Patel, Honorable Vice Chancellor, AAU, Anand, in presence of Dr. N. S. Rathore, Deputy Director General (Agricultural Education), ICAR, New Delhi as Chief Guest, Dr. K. B. Kathiria, Director of Research and Dr. S. H. Akbari, Director of Students’ Welfare, AAU, Anand as Guests of Honor.



The Technical events were New Product Development, Model Making, Food Quiz, Business Idea, Workshop, Ad-making, Industry Interaction



and Poster Presentation along with non technical events such as Memory Test, Treasure Hunt, Students Got Talent, Garba, etc. Workshop was an event where participants were provided with hands-on-experience on the state-of-art machinery installed in the Experiential Learning Units of the college. Interactive Session was organized on the topic ‘Challenges faced by food technocrats as an employment generator’. All the events were evaluated by a selected panel of Industry Professionals.

Mr. B. P. Rao, Head – Food Applications, India Cluster at GEA India, was the Chief Guest for the Valedictory function. The winners and runners up were felicitated with trophies, cash prizes and certificates.



