





RK University is the only University in Saurashtra region to be in the **Top 200** Universities in India for two consecutive years 2022 & 2021 as per **NIRF Ranking** by **Ministry of Education, Government of India**.









Out of 1438 HEIs across the nation, RKU secured a position in Top Private Universities in India to get Excellent Band category in Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA 2021) published by Ministry of Education, Government of India.





The oldest State Private University **Accredited by NAAC-UGC**in Western Gujarat region.



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Shri Khodidasbhai Patel

Founder & Hon. President, RK University

THE STORY WITH WHICH IT ALL BEGAN!

This institution was founded by the singular vision of one man, our President.

Shri Khodidasbhai Shamjibhai Patel was born in a poor family; his father was a daily wage labourer and barely managed to make ends meet for his family. As a young boy, Khodidasbhai worked many odd jobs from ferrying vegetable carts to selling ice "gola" on the streets. Life has not been easy and it has been built brick by brick through hard work and perseverance. Khodidasbhai left his school after 10th but not his education. He became the sincerest student of "Life" and learned the most important lessons that life taught him.

RK University was founded to impact society positively and substantially. Starting in 2005 with just 120 students on campus, today RKU has more than 50 programs and 6000+ students. Each of RKU's graduates goes on to do something positive for the society using the skills learned at RKU. This is the dream that our President had. Each member of the RKU family is a part of that dream to bring "Change" in their own lives and that of others around them.



Mr. Denish Patel

Executive Vice President, RK University Engineer & Serial Entrepreneur

Bringing about a change in Higher Education has become one of the major challenges for all stakeholders in India today. Having established the 1st private University in Saurashtra – Kutch region of Gujarat, we, at RK University, have an important role to play in bringing about the reforms required in education. With this objective, we work on a pedagogy which differs from most of the conventional educational organizations in Gujarat and India. From the integration of Industries / Businesses / Research Organization in the academic environment on campus, to concentrating more towards training-oriented teaching with hands-on experience on learning through real-life projects and technology integration, RK University ensures that knowledge about tomorrow is imparted today!

To all the prospective students, who are entering the phase of higher education in their life, I would like to say, "Next few years will define the way you would spend the rest of your life. So wherever you take admission; aim towards getting knowledge & pursue excellence, you will always see success in Life."

All the best.

Mr. Mohit Patel

Vice President, RK University & Founder, The Northstar School

We are spearheading a revolution in the learning experience of students at RKU, be it formal learning or informal learning. We are equipping teachers with the most modern and scientifically proven adult learning strategies. We design learning experiences to be fun and enriching to the students as well as teachers. We are constantly learning from top institutions and researchers in the world to update and change curriculum, teaching methods, and assessment systems. Placements and professional success later in life are a natural outcome of the robust educational processes.

Over the past decade, we have made an incredible leap forward in changing the entire system of teaching and learning at RKU. The initiatives that we have taken are truly revolutionary and rarely seen before in Indian education system. In some cases, we are rethinking the most fundamental prejudices attached to the learning process while in some other cases we are ushering in new pedagogical approaches and tools. We spend an incredible amount of time and energy in designing learning interventions for students and faculties. Details on some of these initiatives you will find in this brochure.



RKU TIMELINE













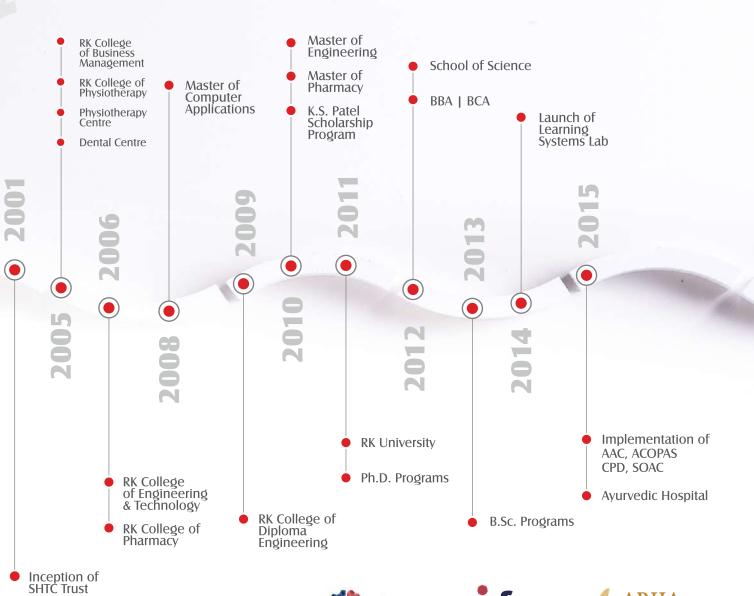


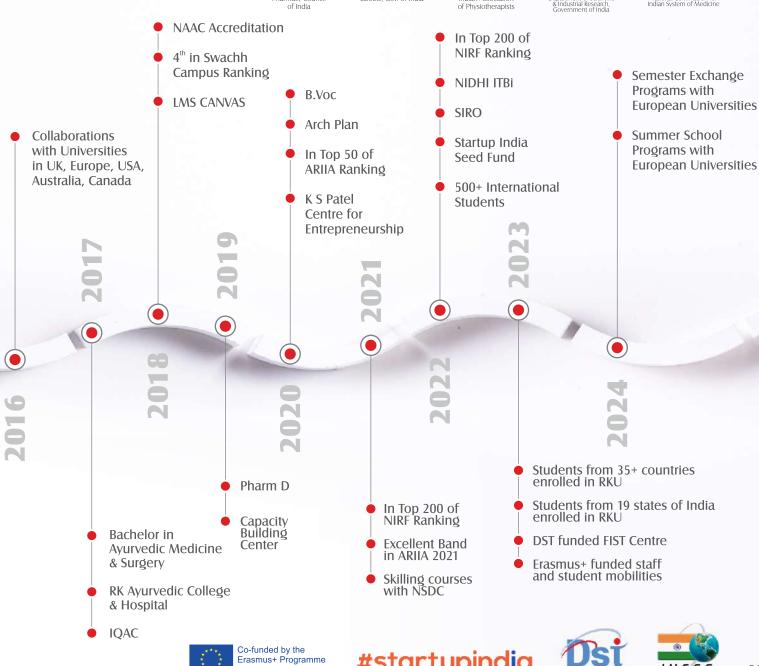




CDSCO, Gov. of India

National Commission for Indian System of Medicine









CAMPUS FACILITIES & INFRASTRUCTURE

- Main Campus & City Campus with approx 1 million sq.ft.
 of modern infrastructure
- Lush green & serene landscapes
- Hi-tech classrooms
- Fully equipped seminar & conference halls
- Open Air Theatre
- Indoor & outdoor sports facilities
- Multiple food courts & mess dining halls
- On-campus hospital
- On-campus stationery & utility shop
- 24 x 7 security & CCTV surveillance
- Transport facilities through a fleet of buses
- Homely residential facilities
- High-speed internet & wi-fi



RK University is ranked 4th across the nation in **Swachh Campus Ranking** by MHRD, Government of India. Award presented by Hon. Minister of HRD, Shri Prakash Javadekar.







A creative 3D Printed Model of Rajkot AIIMS Building, made by students and faculties of RK University, was gifted to Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi on the inauguration of AIIMS Rajkot.



























TECHNICAL WORKSHOPS & SEMINARS





















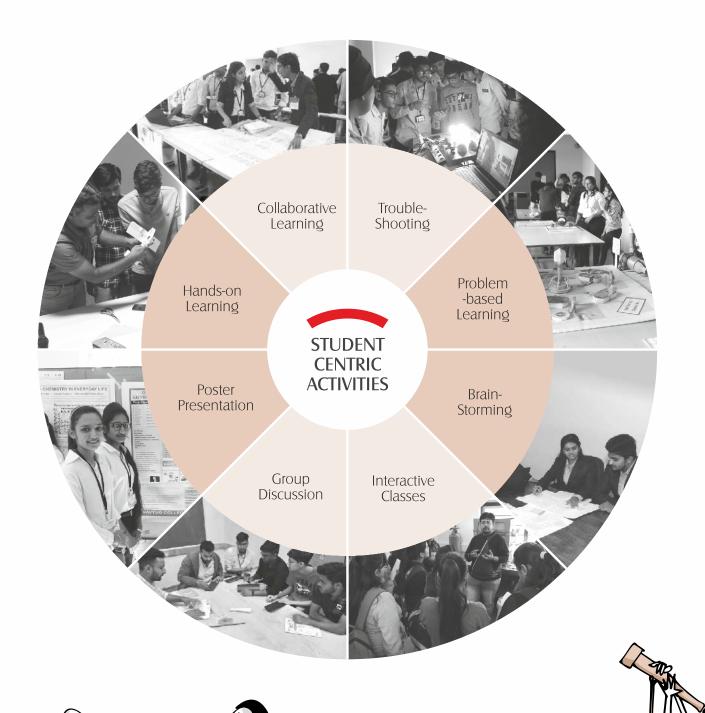


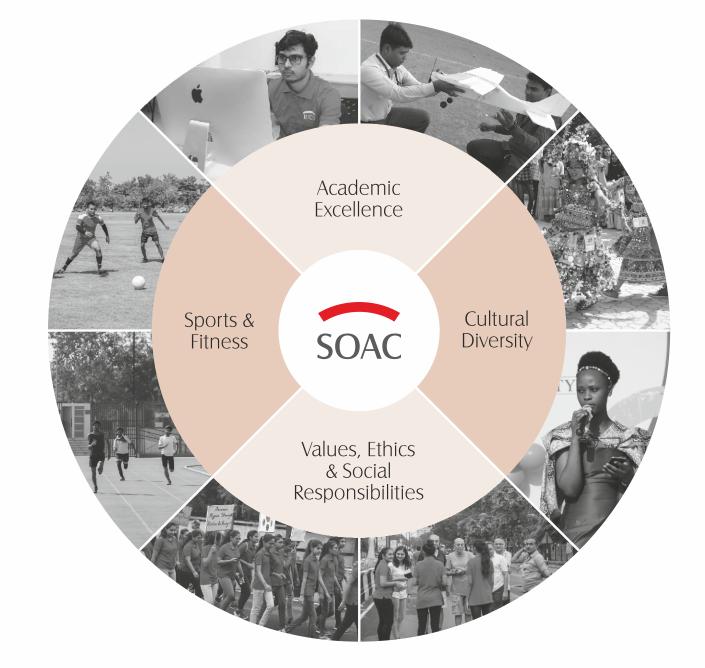






ACTIVITY AND PROJECT-BASED LEARNING 14







SOAC - RKU provides a variety of opportunities to students to explore academic, cultural & recreational, sports & outdoor, social and community service interests. SOAC allows students to develop interpersonal, organizational and leadership skills in a supportive yet challenging environment.

INSTITUTE INDUSTRY INTERACTION CELL (13C)

Industry Institute Interaction Cell (I3C) is a separate entity which purely deals with improving education and make learning methodology as per the requirement in the industry. It is designed to catalyze growth and development of interaction between the University and Industries. This cultivates strong linkages with industries and professional bodies and to provide consultancy to industries.

INSTITUTIONAL TIE UPS

























































PARTNERSHIPS & INDUSTRIAL TIE UPS



















































INSTITUTE INDUSTRY INTERACTION CELL (13C)





TRAINING & PLACEMENT CELL

At RK University, we have a well-structured and vibrant Training and Placement Cell functioning with a clear objective to help students in the best possible way to fulfill their career aspirations. We have Training and placement officers at each department/School working in coordination with the Central Training & Placement cell. The placement office is well equipped & is designed to smoothly handle and support various training and placement related activities.

Key Objectives of Training and Placement Cell:

- To enhance employability skills of students by arranging various training programmes and workshops.
- To facilitate the process of placement and internships.
- To provide employment opportunities to the students.
- To interact and strengthen relationships with potential and existing recruiters.

Different Services offered by Training and Placement Cell to enhance employability skills of the students.

The benefits of this assistance are reflected in the preparation of students who were able to secure lucrative and esteemed positions in the industry during recent years. The Training & Placement service operates throughout the year, and creates contact between companies and graduates. Staff are available to respond to students' queries. The aim is to develop the employability skills amongst the students and provide better opportunities in the industry.

INTERNSHIPS

In this era of economic upheaval and competition, strengthening the employability skills of the students is a key challenge for both academia and industry. Graduating students need to be groomed and professionally developed along the lines of industry expectations. With an aim to give hands on experience of machines, systems and technologies used by industries and to make them industry ready, we have introduced internship training programme of varied duration ranging from two weeks to sixteen weeks for the students of different courses like B.Tech., Diploma, MBA, M. Pharm and M.Sc.





PRE - PLACEMENT TALKS

Pre-Placement Talks provides an opportunity to the recruiting company and the students to interact with each other. The company gives a briefing regarding the history, growth potential, future opportunities, and jobs available, job profiles, compensation package, location, etc.

Facilities for Recruiters

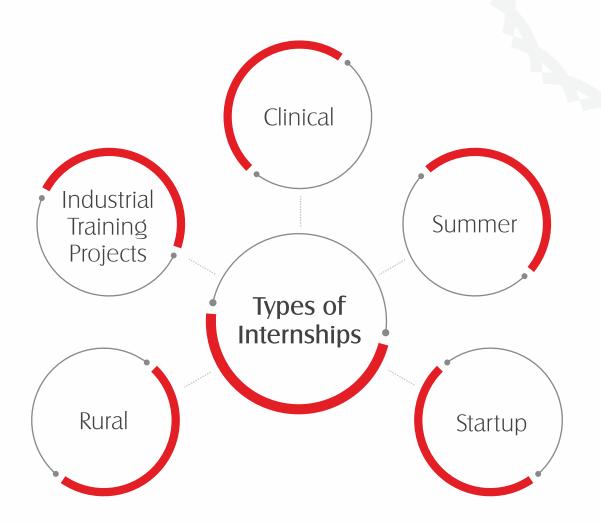
- Well-furnished auditorium for conducting pre-placement talks and analytical tests.
- University Guest House for accommodation.
- Well-furnished air-conditioned rooms for interviews and group discussions.
- Seminar halls to conduct pre-placement talks and tests.
- Student placement volunteers to assist on the day of visit and through the selection process.

MOCK - CAMPUS

- The event is meant to equip the students to perform better in campus placements which gives the replica of final campus placement activities for all the Final Year students.
- It allows students to gain experience and practice in answering questions similar to ones asked during an interview.
- Pre-Placement Talk, Aptitude Test, Technical Interview, and HR Interview are conducted during mock campus.
- Students are provided with a detailed analysis report of their strengths and weaknesses after the event.

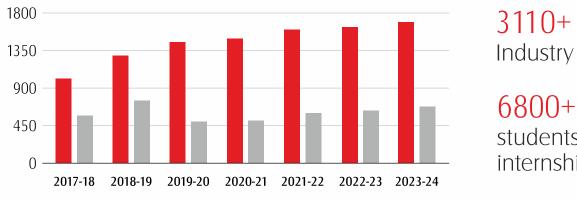
Know more at www.rku.ac.in

INTERNSHIPS & PLACEMENTS



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Expanding the horizon of practical exposure among students.



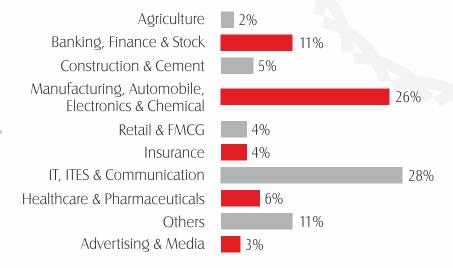
Industry Linkages

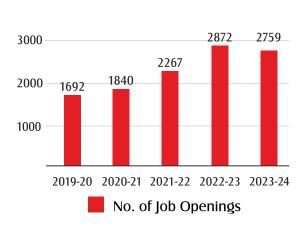
6800+
students completed
internships in industry

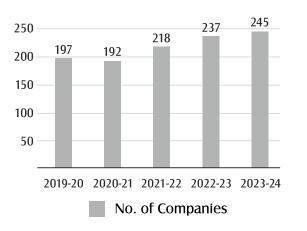


RKU PLACEMENT OFFERS

SECTOR WISE KEY RECRUITERS







TOP PLACEMENTS



Shrey Doshi
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at Grappus Technologies
with a package of 9 Lakhs P.A.



Utsav Viroja
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at Meditab Software Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 7.81 Lakhs P.A.



Manish Lathiya
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at Meditab Software Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 7.81 Lakhs P.A.



Amit Rajpurohit
B.Tech. Information Technology
Placed at Tata Consultancy Services
with a package of 7.20 Lakhs P.A.



Jaydeep Chovatiya
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at ASITE Solutions Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 9 Lakhs P.A.



Nikhil Nayak
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at Tata Consultancy Services
with a package of 7.20 Lakhs P.A.

TOP PLACEMENTS



Rahul Shreebastav B.Tech. Computer Engineering Placed at Gateway Groups of Companies with a package of 6.81 Lakhs P.A.



Dilip Chau

Masters of Computer Application
Placed at

Gateway Groups of Companies
with a package of 6.50 Lakhs P.A.



Ishika Jethwa
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at
RKIT Software Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 6.50 Lakhs P.A.



Raj Mandaviya
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at
RKIT Software Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 6.50 Lakhs P.A.



Bibek Kumar Sah
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at
Version System Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 4.50 Lakhs P.A.



Umesh Vora
B.Tech. Mechanical Engineering
Placed at
Micromatic Machine Tools Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 5.09 Lakhs P.A.

TOP PLACEMENTS



Vatsa Shah

Master of Business Administration
Placed at

Home First Finance Company India Ltd.
with a package of 6 Lakhs P.A.



Divyaksh Vakhariya

Master of Business Administration
Placed at

Home First Finance Company India Ltd.
with a package of 6 Lakhs P.A.



Mit Pandya
B.Tech. Computer Engineering
Placed at
Gateway Groups of Companies
with a package of 6.81 Lakhs P.A.



Baburam Panthi
B.Tech. Mechanical Engineering
Placed at
Hettich India Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 4.80 Lakhs P.A.



Nirav Patel
B.Tech. IT
Placed at
Inventyv Solution Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 4.80 Lakhs P.A.



Denisha Chauhan

Masters of Computer Application
Placed at
Billiyo Pvt. Ltd.
with a package of 5 Lakhs P.A.

KEY RECRUITERS











































































































OUTSTANDING ALUMNI



Dhara Bharadiya
HR Lead,
E-Clinical Works
(Alumna, School of Management, RKU)



Viral Patel
Director,
Sterling Technocast LLP
(Alumnus, School of Engineering, RKU)



Chirag Patel

Managing Director,

Aura Carbon LLP

(Alumnus, School of Engineering, RKU)



Dr. Chandani Parsania
Senior Lead Sports Scientist,
Inspire Institute of Sports;
Sports Physiotherapist & Expert for
Olympic Gold Quest Program of India
(Alumna, School of Physiotherapy, RKU)



Bansi JoshiIT Department, Govt. of UK
(Alumna, Master of Computer Applications, Faculty of Technology, RKU)



Vatsal Marvania
Founder, Valiant Events
(Alumnus, Mechanical Engineering, School of Engineering, RKU)

OUTSTANDING ALUMNI



Prakash Jotaniya
Managing Director,
HealthGenic Chemicals Pvt. Ltd.
(Alumnus, School of Pharmacy, RKU)



Dr. Hardik BhadeshiyaAssistant Professor, MS University
(Alumnus, School of Management, RKU)



Hardik Parmar
Working with Area Networking &
Development Initiative, Gujarat
(Alumnus, School of Diploma Studies, RKU)



Dr. Dhananjay Sable
Asst. Drugs Controller of India,
CDSCO, M/0 H&FW,
Govt. of India.
(Alumnus, School of
Pharmacy, RKU)



Dr. Dhwani Zaveri Senior Physical Therapist with Neurorestorative, Louisville in Kentucky, USA. (Alumna, School of Physiotherapy, RKU)



Ravi Diyora
Head of Research &
Fund Manager
at Kunvarji Group.
(Alumnus, School of
Management, RKU)

STARTUPs & ENTREPRENEURSHIP

KSPCFE (RKU

K S Patel Centre for Entrepreneurship

Up to Rs. 50 lakhs Seed Fund for Startups

RK University is providing a competent ecosystem to students and its stakeholders, since its inception, by undertaking various activities to promote innovation and entrepreneurship. To provide holistic support to all stakeholders, RK University has started 'K S Patel Centre for Entrepreneurship (CFE)', since 12th Jul'16. It has been bestowed with the status of a nodal centre for Innovation & Incubation by the Department of Industry & Mines, Government of Gujarat to facilitate enterprise development in the Saurashtra region. CFE, RK University has supported 132 interdisciplinary innovative projects under Student Startup and Innovation Policy. The incubation has a growing list of 60+ Incubates. 5 startups were selected for funding under the Startups/Innovation Scheme by Govt. of Gujarat.

Students & Innovators get access to:

- Mentorship & Guidance
- Access to high-tech labs at RK University for Research & Development
- Government & Private sector funding
- Infrastructural & Amenities Support during the Incubation If you have the passion, devotion & innovation – RKU would help you turn your dreams into reality.

RKU RECEIVED FUNDING OF RS. 15 CRORE FOR STARTUPS & INNOVATION FROM VARIOUS STATE/CENTRAL GOVT. POLICIES













COLLABORATIONS

RK University has signed MOUs to strengthen the entrepreneurial ecosystem in the region and also give students more exposure as well as opportunities for their StartUps.

















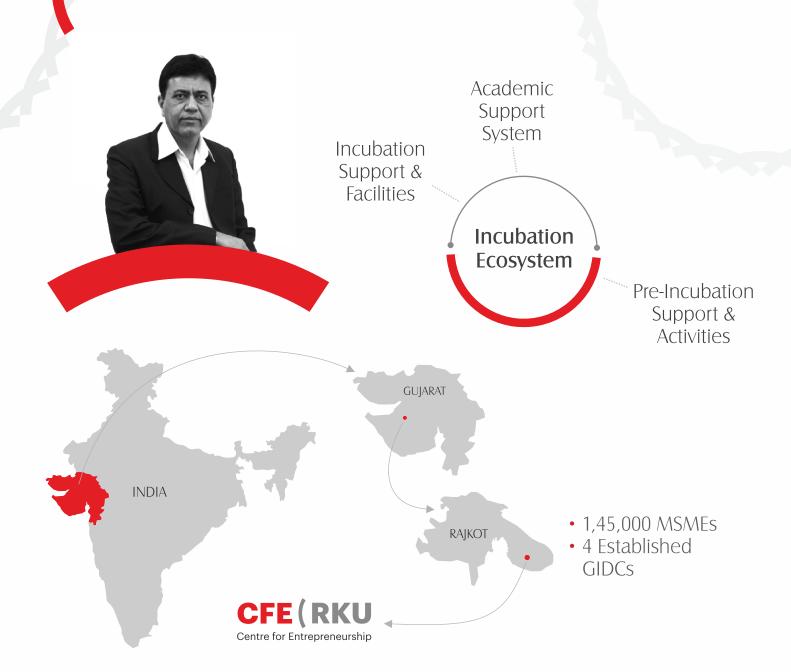








ENTREPRENEURSHIP TRACK



PRE-INCUBATION SUPPORT



- Assistance & Funding Support to Students for their Innovative Projects, Proof of Concepts and IPR.
- Funding upto INR 2.50 Lakh Per Project

INCUBATION SUPPORT



Assistance up to INR 40 Lakh as a seed support to the startups



Grant of Rs. 5.00 Cr.



Grant of Rs. 5.00 Cr.

Assistance upto INR 50 lakh for startups

ENTREPRENEURSHIP ECOSYSTEM

RK University won Best Poster Award among all Universities across Gujarat in 11th Institution's Innovation Council Regional Meet.



CERTIFICATE

Institution Innovation Council (IIC) established at School of Engineering RK University, KASTURBADHAM

had undertaken various activities prescribed by Innovation Cell, Ministry of HRD. Govt. of India to promote Innovation and Start-up in campus

Key Startups:





















State-Of-The-Art Laboratory Facilities:

- Apple Mac Lab
- LabView Academy
- Energy Audit Lab
- Central Fabrication Facility
- Central Instrumentation Centre
- Bioresearch Characterization Lab
- Simulation Lab
- Animal House

- CAD/CFX LAB
- CCNA Academy
- MIC Lab

MEGA STARTUP EVENTS

- New India Young India
 Anwesha
- ICOSTART
- Ideation March
- Startup Innocave
- Startup Conclave
- Ideation Bootcamp & Tech Innovation Hackathon
- Idea to Incorporation
 Cosmic Synergy
- Venture Adventure
 - Demo day
- Innotech Demo Day
- Sambhav
 - Investor Meet







FACULTY OF DOCTORAL STUDIES & RESEARCH

RESEARCH PROMOTION POLICY - RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

Various funding support from the University

275+ 220+ 550+

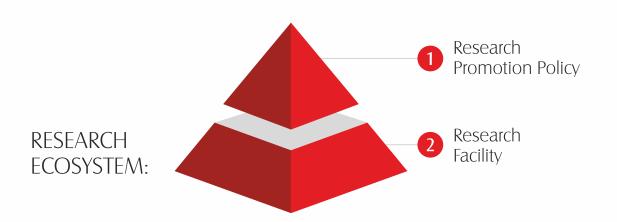
No. of incentive for publication & support for Patent Filing

No. of Projects

Supported

No. of Faculty members benefited for PD

- University Research Fellowship
- Research Funds to attend various Professional development Activities
- Every year each faculty member gets support of 5k to 50k for the PD
- 50k support for filing the patents



RESEARCH FACILITIES

Bio Research and Characterization Center (BRCC) inaugurated by Ada Yonath



Ada Yonath won the Nobel Prize for Chemistry in 2009 for her pioneering discoveries on the structure and function of ribosomes, the protein synthesizers in cells.

• 15+ Eminent Scientists visited BRCC









Animal House Institutional Animal Ethics Committee (IAEC)



Committee for the Purpose of Control And Supervision of Experiments on Animals (CPCSEA) approved Animal House & one of the best in the region

Herbal Garden

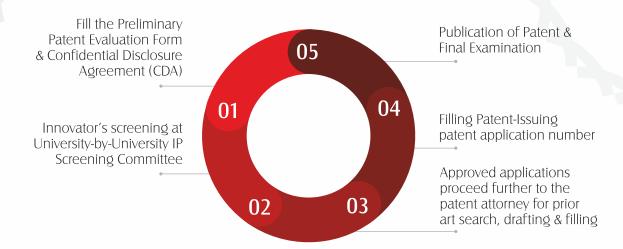


Part of the Herbal Garden Network of India formed by three central Govt. Organizations

Central drugs standard control of organization (CDSCO) approved Institutional Ethics Committee for Human Clinical Trial.

RESEARCH PROMOTION POLICY - IPR Support

SUPPORT SYSTEM FOR GOVERNMENT PROJECT FUNDING & IPR



Financial Support for Research Publication & Patent

A MECHANICAL STIRRING PHOTOCATALYTIC REACTOR

Patent No.: 513500

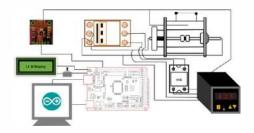
Patent Application no.: 202121044961

Name of innovators: H. B. Desai, V. C. Togadiya & Dr. Ashish Tanna





Reeva Bhatt



M.Sc. Student filed patent entitled "A Computer Interfaced Resistance Measurement Device for Oxide Materials with Temperature Variation". This device is useful to measure resistivity of various functional oxide with respect to temperature.

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS



RKU provides global exposure and international cultural experience to create a better learning environment. Students from 35 countries enrolled in various programs at RK University. RKU is having 42 international MoUs, 6 international projects, and 35 foreign university collaborations from 19 countries for student & faculty exchange, research collaborations, professional development programs, international conferences and cultural programs.

RK University creates opportunities for unique cross-cultural experiences, whether celebrating international festivals, sampling new cuisines, or traveling to visit friends in their home countries. It helps students to confront different interpersonal and communication styles, which makes them better active listeners and critical thinkers. Also, it opens them to wonderful personal and professional connections that will benefit them throughout their careers.



LIFE OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AT RKU

























INTERNATIONAL PROFESSORS' VISIT TO RK UNIVERSITY

Dr. Alan Heeger American Physicist, Nobel Prize in Chemistry (2000)

Dr. Claire Komives
Professor,
Chemical Engineering
Department,
San Jose University,
USA

Dr. John LongSenior Lecturer,
Daikin University,
Australia

Dr. Neil Perry Senior Research Lecturer, School of Business, Western Sydney University, Australia.



Dr. Hans Hoyer IFEES, USA

Dr. Vijay KanabarBoston University
USA

Prof. Martin Morgon Tailor De Montfort University, UK























Prof. Rafal Weron
Head of the Department of
Operations Research &
Business Intelligence,
Wrocław University of
Science and Technology,
Poland.



Mr. Thomas Iwinski E-Learning Specialist, Penn. State University, USA



Prof. Katarzyna Sznajd-Weron Professor of Social Simulation and Statistical Physics & Mentor of Academia Iuvenum, Wrocław University of Science and Technology, Poland.



Prof. Anna Kowalska-Pyzalaska Associate Professor of Management Science (Diffusion of Innovations), Wrocław University of Science and Technology, Poland.



Prof. Denise Kirkpatrick
Deputy Vice- Chancellor
and Vice President
(Academic),
Western Sydney
University, Australia



Steven Pollard
Lecturer in Management
Development, Dept. of
Mgmt., Leadership
& Marketing, Ulster University
Business School, UK

Prof. Ka
Ludwik
Wroclav
Science
Poland



Prof. Kamila Ludwikowska Wroclaw University of Science & Technology, Poland

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS KHEL MAHAKUMBH



TUG OF WAR (TALUKA) - WINNER



100 METER (TALUKA) - WINNER



BASKETBALL (DISTRICT)- WINNER



FOOTBALL (DISTRICT) - WINNER



FOOTBALL SAURASHTRA ZONE - WINNER



BASKETBALL (DISTRICT) - RUNNER UP



BASKETBALL (DISTRICT) - WINNER



BASKETBALL (DISTRICT) - WINNER



VOLLEYBALL (TALUKA) - RUNNER UP



BADMINTON (DISTRICT) - WINNER



TABLE TENNIS DOUBLES (DISTRICT)
- RUNNER UP



TUG OF WAR (DISTRICT)
- RUNNER UP

COURSES AT A GLANCE

AFTER 10th STANDARD

DIPLOMA ENGINEERING

Mechanical | Electrical | Computer | Civil

AFTER 12th COMMERCE/SCIENCE/ARTS

BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATION

BBA HONS. (AM) (APPLIED MANAGEMENT)

BACHELOR OF VOCATION

Banking & Finance | Information Technology Management & Entrepreneurship | Design

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

AFTER 12th SCIENCE - A/AB GROUP

BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY

Mechanical | Information Technology Computer | Civil | Electrical

AFTER 12th SCIENCE B/AB GROUP

BACHELOR OF AYURVEDIC MEDICINE & SURGERY

BACHELOR OF PHYSIOTHERAPY

AFTER 12th SCIENCE A/B/AB GROUP

BACHELOR OF PHARMACY
DOCTOR OF PHARMACY (Pharm D)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Chemistry | Microbiology

AFTER GRADUATION

MASTER OF PHARMACY

Pharmacology | Pharmaceutics Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance

MASTER OF TECHNOLOGY

Thermal Science | Computer Engineering Machine Design | Electrical Power Systems Structural Engineering | Construction Technology

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Analytical Chemistry | Microbiology Organic Chemistry

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNIQUES (PGDMLT)

MASTER OF PHYSIOTHERAPY

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Finance | Marketing | HR | IB Entrepreneurship & Family Business

MASTER OF COMPUTER APPLICATION

AFTER POST GRADUATION

Ph.D. (DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY)

Management | Pharmacy Science | Technology | Medicine

Know more at www.rku.ac.in/apply

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CITY CAMPUS A new landmark in Rajkot city's skyline

The City Campus is located on the 2nd ring road. As with the main campus, we strive to create beautiful yet comfortable spaces for people to spend time in. We believe design can enhance landscapes, and this is the inspiration behind every single project RKU takes on.

MANAGEMENT

BBA | BBA (Applied Management) | MBA
B.Voc (Information Technology | Banking & Finance
Design | Marketing & Sales)

COMPUTER SCIENCE

BCA

LIFE @ RKU

Campus life is abuzz with variety of student activities throughout the year!

























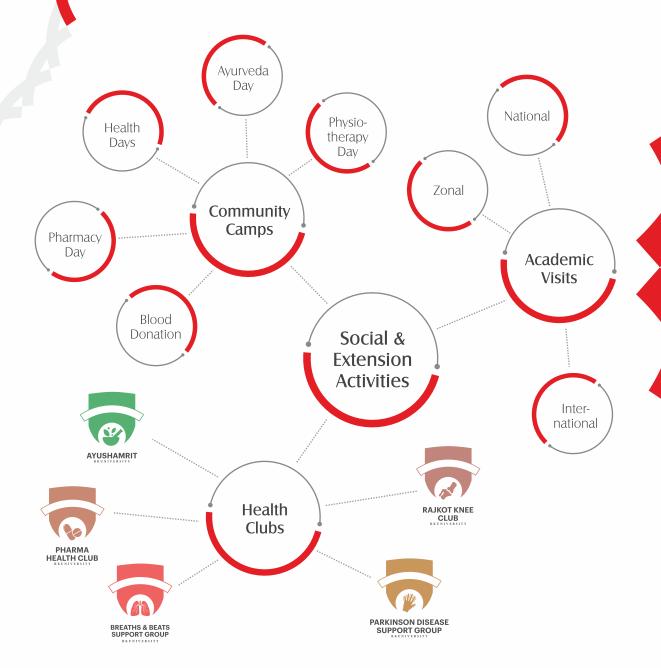








Extracurricular Exposure







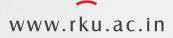








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