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EDI: The Institute

• An Autonomous and Not-for-Profit Institute set up in 1983
• Promoted by All-India Financial Institutions viz., IDBI Bank Ltd., ICICI Bank Ltd., IFCI Ltd. & SBI, with support from Govt. of Gujarat
• At the inception, the corpus as provided by promoters:
  • Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI) Ltd. Rs.56 Lakh
  • Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India (ICICI) Ltd. Rs.28 Lakh
  • Industrial Finance Corporation of India (IFCI) Ltd. Rs.28 Lakh
  • State Bank of India (SBI) Rs.20 Lakh
  • Government of Gujarat Rs.15 Lakh and 23 acres of land on subsidized rate.
• Registered under the Societies Registration Act 1860 And Public Trust Act 1950
Vision
To become an Acknowledged National Resource Institute Engaged in Entrepreneurship Education, Research, Training & Institution Building

Mission
To become a catalyst in facilitating emergence of competent first generation entrepreneurs and transition of existing SMEs into growth-oriented enterprises through entrepreneurship education, training, research & institution building
Institutional Network

National Level
- National Level Institutions
- EDI Regional / Project Offices
- EDI Ahmedabad (H.O.)
- EDI trained Resource Persons
- Entrepreneur Trainer Motivators
- Business Counsellors
- OLPF Alumni
- Teachers

State Level Institutions
- Business Management Organizations
- NGOs
- ED Cells
- STEPS
- NIMSME
- NIESBUD & IIE
- TBIs

International Level
- CIEDC, Cambodia
- LIEC, Laos
- VIEDC, Vietnam
- MIEDC, Myanmar
- SIEDRC, China
- Interventions in 103 Countries
- North East - Guwahati
- East - Bhubaneswar
- Central - Bhopal
- North - Lucknow
- South - Bengaluru & Thrissur
International Interactions: Supported ED Initiatives

Europe
U.K., Austria, Germany, Russia, Malta, Cyprus, Turkey

Asia
Nepal, Bhutan, Thailand, Bangladesh, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam, Philippines, China, Indonesia, Brunei, Malaysia, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, Sri Lanka

Africa

Arab Region
Bahrain, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Jordan, Egypt, Oman, UAE, Iraq

Other Regions
Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Jamaica, Trinidad & Tobago, Columbia, Barbados
Strategic Thrust Areas

- Entrepreneurship Education & Research
- Micro Enterprises, Micro Finance & Sustainable Livelihood
- Cluster Competitiveness, Growth & Technology
- Women Entrepreneurship & Gender Studies
- SMEs & Business Development Services
- Social Entrepreneurship & Corporate Social Responsibility
Mission: To Augment the supply of new entrepreneurs through education, research & training

- All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), MHRD, Govt of India -approved, Doctoral level Fellow Programme in Management (FPM) with focus on Entrepreneurship
- Two-year, AICTE-approved Post-Graduate Diploma Programmes in (i) Business Entrepreneurship & (ii) Development Studies
- Distance Education Bureau, UGC approved, Diploma in Entrepreneurship and Business Management
- Capacity Building of Educational Institutions to promote Entrepreneurship
- National Summer Camps on Inculcating Entrepreneurial Spirit among Children & Youth
- Support for Research to spearhead Entrepreneurship
- Start-up support for the budding entrepreneurs
- Biennial Conference on Entrepreneurship Research
Mission: Acknowledged resource, action research & policy advocacy centre for institutions promoting micro enterprise, micro finance & sustainable livelihood

- Training and Capacity Building: Micro Enterprise Development Programmes (MEDPs), Value Chain Based Sectoral Programmes, Performance Improvement Programmes, etc;
- Theme papers on Start up Village Entrepreneurship, Greening Rural Development, Cluster approach in unorganized sector; Institutional innovations in craft sector.
Centre for SMEs & Business Development Services

Mission: Organizing quality training interventions to help SMEs acquire required competencies to Go Global

- Institution Building and Capacity Enhancement Programmes at national/international levels
- Identifying & Profiling Business Opportunities
- Training-cum-Counselling for Existing Entrepreneurs
- Human Resource Development in SME sector
- Facilitating Science & Technology based Innovations
Mission: Fostering global competitiveness and growth of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprise (MSME) clusters

- Centre of Excellence in MSME Cluster Development
- Think Tank on MSME Cluster Development. Supporting State and Central Govt. in formulating policy/scheme on Cluster Development
- Spearheading research and working as a repository of knowledge on cluster, value chain, Business Development Services (BDS) and competitiveness
- National Resource Agency to spearhead MSME cluster development nationally & internationally
- Developing a cadre of Cluster Development Executives/ Business Development Service Providers
- Establishing Common Facilities Centres in MSME clusters
- Nodal Agency for DC-MSME, Ministry of MSME, DC (Handloom), Ministry of Textile, Govt. of India.
Mission: To achieve excellence in promoting social entrepreneurship and widespreading benefits of corporate social responsibility (CSR)

- Online Programme on CSR in partnership with Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs
- Knowledge Partner for setting up Techno Social Business Incubator
- Spearheading Social Entrepreneurship Agenda with Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Govt. of India
- Research in Social Entrepreneurship
- Distance Education Programme in Social Entrepreneurship
- Skill Development Interventions at Karnali Village, adopted by Hon’ble Union Finance Minister Shri Arun Jaitley, under Sansad Aadarsh Gram Yojana, with support from IDBI Bank Ltd.
Mission: To act as a repository of knowledge in the area of women entrepreneurship development

- Women Entrepreneurship Development Programmes (WEDPs)
- Education / Awareness Programmes in Life Skills, Gender Equality & Empowerment
- Seminars / Workshops for Women Entrepreneurs on possible Business Opportunities, Sustaining and Growing their Businesses
- Case Studies of selected Successful Women Entrepreneurs
- Management Development and Performance Improvement Programmes
International Programmes

Under Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) of Ministry of External Affairs, Govt. of India, EDI conducts following Programmes to train about 300-400 delegates every year

- Industrial, Infrastructure and Sustainable Project Preparation & Appraisal
- Empowering Women through Entrepreneurship Development
- Capital Markets & Investment Banking
- Entrepreneurship & Small Business Promotion
- Informal Sector Enterprise, Entrepreneurship & Local Economic Development
- Business Research Methodology & Data Analysis
- Entrepreneurial Management
- Promoting Innovations & Entrepreneurship through Incubation
- Cluster Development Executives (CDEs) Programme
- SME Banking & Financial Services
- Sustainable Livelihoods & Mainstreaming with Market
- Agri-Entrepreneurship & Supply Chain Management
- Entrepreneurship Education to Strengthen Emerging Economies
Research and Publications

• **The Journal of Entrepreneurship** (Published by SAGE) since 1992

• Leading the Global Entrepreneurship Monitor (GEM) India ([www.gemindiaconsortium.org](http://www.gemindiaconsortium.org)): World’s largest study on Entrepreneurship and its salient features, having policy implications

• Books, research papers/cases etc. on entrepreneurship and related areas

• Recent research studies:

  • Problems Faced by Hi-Technology Based Entrepreneurs in Launching and Growth of their Ventures - Supported by DST, Govt. of India
  
  • Case Studies on Successful Science and Technology Entrepreneurs- Supported by DST Govt. of India
  
  • Changing Sector Profile of Urban Economy and implications for Urban Poverty- Supported by UNDP
  
  • Survey of Regional clusters – Value chain and BDS providers: Indore Region- Supported by German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ)
  
  • Unleashing Entrepreneurship for Development & Trade in Greater Mekong Sub-region- Supported by Swiss Agency for Development and Co-operation (SDC) Bern, Switzerland
  
  • A Study on Entry Barriers to Entrepreneurship – Supported by Ministry of SSI & ARI, Govt. of India (now renamed as Ministry of MSME)

• Developed draft National Entrepreneurship Policy for Government of India

• Project documentation
Landmarks: National & International

• Helped set up thirteen state level Entrepreneurship Development Institutions in the country
• Developed Curriculum on Entrepreneurship for UGC & Gujarat Text Book Board
• Trained 1286 students under its Post-Graduate Programmes, with 65% start up rate, 716 Corporate Executives in Management Development Programmes (MDPs) and 12620 students under the Distance Learning Programme in Entrepreneurship
• Implementation, Monitoring and Technical Support to 343 Industrial and Artisanal Clusters, across the country
• EDI-European union project for rehabilitation of earthquake affected areas of Kuchchh & Saurashtra
• Set up Entrepreneurship Development Centres (EDCs) in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar & Vietnam and work-in-progress towards establishing such EDCs in Uzbekistan and five African Countries.

• Implemented projects with support from the World Bank, Commonwealth Secretariat, UNIDO, ILO, FNSt, British Council, Ford Foundation, European Union, ASEAN Secretariat, etc.

• Student exposure visits to leading universities such as those in China and South East Asia.

• Student exchange program with Yunnan University of Finance and Economics, Kunming, China and University of West of Scotland.
Major Collaborations

- Nodal agency for Govt. of India’s Ministry of External Affairs, Ministry of Textiles, Ministry of Food Processing, NSTEDB, DST, DC (Handicrafts), Ministry of MSME, Ministry of Rural Development, Regional Evaluating Agency for Ministry of Panchayati Raj.
- Working closely with Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, Govt. of India
- MoU with Gujarat Technological University to facilitate technology-Business Incubation.
- MoU with Parampara Family Business Institute promoted by GMR Group for joint programme on Family Business Management.
- Strategic alliances with Kunming University of Science and Technology, China; Yunnan University of Finance and Economics, China; South West University of Finance and Technology, China; Newcastle University Business School, UK.
- MoU with Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, USA for student and entrepreneur exchange
Awards and Honours

- United States Association For Small Business And Entrepreneurship (USASBE) Outstanding Entrepreneurship Program Abroad (2014)
- Ranked 1st in western region by AICTE-CII survey on Industry Academia linkages (out of 124 institutions).
- Late Shri Dewang Mehta B-school Leadership Award (Four years in a row- 2011 to 2014)
- Dainik Bhaskar National Education Leadership Awards (2013)
- Ranked as one of the top four B-schools for Entrepreneurship In India (as per the magazine ‘Entrepreneur’ - 2011)
- The Aga Khan Award for Architecture (1992)
Convocation Chief Guests

16th 2014-15
Dr. Hasmukh Adhia
Secretary
Ministry of Finance
Govt. of India

15th 2013-14
Shri G.M. Rao
Chairman
GMR Group

14th 2012-13
Mr. Rajiv Takru
Secretary
Ministry of Finance
Govt. of India

13th 2011-12
Shri Sam Pitroda
Scientific
Advisor to GOI

12th 2010-11
Dr. K C Chakrabarty
Dy. Governor of the RBI

11th 2009-10
Shri Vijay Mallya
Chairman
UB Group

10th 2007-08
Shri Venugopalan Dhoot
Chairman
Videocon Group

9th 2006-07
Shri Shashi Ruia
Chairman
Essar Group
Convocation Chief Guests

8th 2005-06
Ms. Lila Poonawalla
Chairperson
DeLaval Pvt. Ltd.

7th 2004-05
Shri Harishankar Singania
President
JK Organisation

6th 2003-04
Shri K.M. Birla
Chairman,
Aditya Birla Group

5th 2002-03
Shri Anil Ambani
Vice-Chairman
Reliance Group

4th 2001-02
Shri Brijmohan Lall Munjal
Chairman
Hero Honda Motors

3rd 2000-01
Shri Sunil Bharti Mittal
Chairman
Bharti Group

2nd 1999-2000
Shri Subhash Chandra
Chairman
Zee Telefilm Ltd.

1st 1998-99
Shri Yashwant Sinha
Finance Minister
Govt. of India
Human Resource

- 35 faculty members comprising academicians, researchers, consultants, extension officers and trainer-motivators, supplemented by distinguished visiting faculty (11) and project staff.
- 35 professionals from the fields of finance, administration, communication and publicity

Campus Facilities

- **Library**: Automated, technologically updated Centre with specialized Collection of Books, Journals, CD-ROMs in Entrepreneurship & Related Areas.
- **Computer Centre**: Equipped with state-of-art technology, the centre continually updates its software inventory. Wi-fi enabled campus with high speed internet bandwidth and security. Facilitates Google Cloud based utilities.
- **Infrastructure**: Auditorium, Conference Hall, Board Room, Meeting Rooms, Classrooms, Residence Halls for students and national & international participants, Canteen, Sports Ground, Panel Doctors
Thank You!