



# GTU TECHFEST 2017

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Venue:  
L.D. College Of Engineering,  
Near Gujarat University,  
Ahmedabad - 380015,  
Gujarat.

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### Description:

This contest is based on the state of debate and discussion between the participating teams. The core idea behind this event is to provide the topics (based on pharmaceutical sciences) that generates an environment that leads to debate and argumentation between the thoughts of the participants. This entire event is divided into 2 days format i.e. On the 1st day of the event there will be elimination rounds and on the 2nd day there will be Semi-final and final round. The participants will be provided with the topics right before 24 hrs. of the competition and the participants are supposed to come prepared with the topic given to them and the participants have to prepare on both the phases of the given topic (FOR the motion and AGAINST the motion).

### Rules:

- Only 2 students are allowed per team.
- Topics will be provided to the participants personally right before 24 hrs. of the commencement of the event (On 29th March, 2017 at 12:30 PM at L.M. college of Pharmacy on presentation of ID proof).
- English is the only language that is offered by the host institution and the techfest team to be eligible to compete in the competition.
- Each team will be allotted a time period of 2 minutes and 30 seconds to speak either FOR or AGAINST the motion.
- Competitors must adhere to the spirit of healthy competition.
- Coordinators/Organizers reserve the right to disqualify any individual indulged in unfair means of the competition or any individual violating the rules of the competition set by the organizing committee.
- Any competitor not ready at the specified time will be immediately disqualified from the competition.



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- In case of any discrepancies, the coordinators' decision will be considered final and binding.
- The organizing committee reserves the right to change any or all of the above rules as they deem fit.
- In any case, the participation fees will not be refunded.
- Certificates will be issued to the competitors who are present at the time.
- The participants are suggested to review the website for the updates

## Specifications:

- Each team involves only 2 participants.
- Any team consisting of more than 2 participants will not be allowed to participate in the competition.
- Each team must come prepared on both the phases of the given topic (FOR and AGAINST the motion).

## Round Level Tasks:

**Round 1:** Preliminary round

**Round 2:** Final round

## Judging Criteria:

- Content of the speech
- Presentation and communication skills
- Time limit
- Participants and ones securing Top 3 position complying with all rules and regulations will be awarded with GTU Techfest 2017 Participation Certificate and Winner Certificate respectively.



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**Team size:** Only 2 students are allowed per team

**Registration Fees:** 50 Rs per head

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