

# MAHATMA GANDHI CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

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Mahatma Gandhi Central University is a comparatively young University of the country which came into existence on 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2000. And also amendment act 2014, it is spread out all over country. Ever since its inception the University has for the last 15 years never settled for a slow pace – it has steadily and successfully marched on the road to development attaining several milestones during its journey of growth and progress. There has been an astonishing growth in the University infrastructure which includes magnificent buildings, hi-tech science laboratories, a state-of-the-art Computer Centre, a prestigious Library, an Administrative and Examination Block, a Science and a Management Block and a highly impressive Vice-Chancellor's Secretariat. There has been a simultaneous increase in the number of affiliated colleges and the academic scenario has reached new horizons. There are promising job oriented courses and intensive research oriented programmes. There are also Self financing courses in several teaching departments. The University was accredited as B++ by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), Bangalore in 2004. The University is now in the process of reaccreditation by the NAAC.

The C-Net center, EDU-SAT, campus wide-networking using OFC 6 core are all a reflection of the emphasis of the University to the fact that gaining knowledge can no longer be restricted to the four walls of any institution. There is always scope to explore research and discover while sailing through the process of gaining education. The teaching departments and centres of learning at the university campus include Botany, Commerce, Computer Science, Economics, Education, Environmental Science, Food Science and Nutrition, History, Journalism, Law, Library and Information Science, Management Studies, Microbiology, Political Science, Population Studies, Pure & Applied Chemistry, Remote Sensing and Geoinformatics, Sanskrit, Yogic Sciences and Human Consciousness, Zoology and Center for Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management (CESBM). There are 226 Government and Private Colleges affiliated to this University, which are spread over 40 districts of the state of Bihar and all over India.

## *Vision and Mission*

- Ensuring land allotment & quality infra-structure in least possible time
- Offer relevant and up-to-date, multi-disciplinary programmes of study to make students vocationally competent in the global job market.
- Adopt a holistic approach to learning through e-learning, peer-group learning, self-learning, work experience (industry/summer placement) besides conventional pedagogy.
- Establish democratic outlook, a culture of performance, commitment and professionalism in faculty development.
- Integration of a high quality of research, publication, consultancy, and industry linkages.
- To implement UGC's new Choice Based Credit System.