

ICRI expands to Gujarat

Opens Another Campus At Ahmedabad

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India's pioneering institution in Clinical Research studies, Institute of Clinical Research (India), also known as ICRI, today announced the opening of its new campus at Ahmedabad. ICRI also has campuses in Delhi, Mumbai and Bangalore. The campus will go live this session in August 2007. Dr Shruti Shukla is the Principal of the Ahmedabad campus.

The new campus in Ahmedabad has a capacity for 150 students and is spread across 10,000 sq ft. It is centrally located opposite the Polytechnique near IIM Ahmedabad, Panjrapore. The Ahmedabad campus boasts of state-of-art infrastructure and a very high profile library with the latest journals and study material.

Dr. S. K. Gupta, Dean & Director General, Institute of Clinical Research (India) commenting on this occasion said; **'We felt the need for an institute in Gujarat and hence this campus. In fact, Gujarat is fast emerging as the hub of prestigious institutes, having housed IIM, NID, NIFD and also IIT, very recently. We are proud to announce this campus in Ahmedabad. Dr Shukla, the Principal of the new campus is highly experienced and we are confident that under her able stewardship, our growth will get further momentum taking ICRI and its students to newer heights. We also hope to help deliver on the growing demand for highly skilled clinical research professionals in India.'**

Principal Dr. Shruti Shukla is highly experienced and has over a decade experience in this segment. In fact, she is one of the early researchers in this field and has worked with Synchron, Reliance and Cadilla.

ICRI is India's first and only Clinical Research institution offering an MSc. in Clinical Research and is created primarily to address the demand for qualified and trained professionals globally. Additionally, the institution boasts of a placement cell that helps students jump-start their careers. The courses offered at ICRI prepare the students for the ICR (UK) and ACRP exams also.

ICRI stands today as India's premier Clinical Research academic institution dedicated in creating high standards in thorough domain of clinical Research in India. ICRI is also dedicated to promoting ethical research and maintaining high standards in the deployment process, procedures and professionals, so as to provide global pharma companies with the right asset base to deliver on the development of newer and enhanced pharmaceutical molecules.

ICRI, has also entered into an academic alliance with Europe's leading research led institution, Cranfield University, UK. This alliance will help ICRI in its motive to educate the students in the field of clinical research at global standards and gives a good opportunity to the youth of Gujarat to study abroad. The Institute is supported by excellent faculty drawn from the best in the industry. Also faculties from UK are flown down to India to prepare the students for the international market. ICRI provides students with state-of-the-art infrastructural amenities and modern avenues to stay-up-to date with development in industry, ICRI students have access to the Institute's computer and internet facilities, enabling them in data searches and computer-aided decision-making. Students

can benefit from the largest library on Clinical Research with latest books, periodicals, newspapers, journals, prints and records that are available for reading and references.

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About Institute of Clinical Research (India):

ICRI is India's first and only Clinical Research Institute offering MSc in Clinical Research. ICRI has been conceived with the objective of meeting the growing demand of skilled Clinical Research professionals in the future. The choice of courses offered by the Institution is specially made to suit the requirements of a large number of people with varied experiences globally.

Our Mission is to foster excellence and expertise in the education of Clinical Research professionals with a primary focus on promoting ethical research. As the pioneer in Clinical Research education in India, ICRI aims to enhance the Clinical Research culture in the country to international standards of development, management and monitoring. Additionally, the institution has a placement cell that helps students jump-start their careers.

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