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The GNLU Competitive Exam Guidance Committee at the Gujarat National Law University

Initiated a vibrant training program on

**'The Two day State Level Training Programme on
Economics for Civil Services General Studies Paper: 1st –2nd March, 2014**

The Indian Civil Service forms the backbone of the Indian government machinery & constitutes all the major departments which run the state & central administration. Regarded as one of the most prestigious jobs in this country, a civil servant can bring about significant change to society. The Gujarat National Law University, under the Vice Chancellorship of Prof (Dr.) Bimal Patel firmly believes that it is the responsibility of National Law Universities to be socially relevant and to return to the society in the most significant manner. The Gujarat National Law University has taken up this responsibility by spearheading its second State Level Training Program to train Civil Service aspirants.

The Civil Services examination is one of the most prestigious examinations held by UPSC. Historically it has been one of the most looked after professions by the young and talent youth of our nation. It has not lost its charm and prestige amidst the prominence of IT and management professions. It is viewed as one of the toughest competitive exams in the world with a success rate of only 0.1%. Being one of the most sought after professions, the civil services examinations are highly competitive, brutal in its nature and only selecting the best of the best.

Looking at the interests of the student fraternity, Gujarat National Law University under the aegis of GNLU Competitive Exam Guidance Committee (GCGC) has started training programs to train students for the Civil Services Exam. It has always been a prerogative of the university to come up with novel solutions for favoring the student endeavours by lending a helping hand to them. In facilitation of the same the committee has set up fleeting and long term objectives to be finished in the near future. The committee is coordinating with several professional institutes who are experienced over the years in framing and grooming students into officers and more effectively, civil servants.

Thus, in furtherance of the above mentioned objective, the Gujarat National Law University under the auspices of the Competitive exam guidance was pleased to organize a ***Two day State Level Training Programme on Economics for Civil Service General Studies Paper*** conducted by Prof. Rameshwar Chechani, Assistant Professor of Economics at the Kirori Mal College, Delhi University.



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Professor Rameshwar is very well known among civil service aspirants in Delhi for his clear cut explanation and teaching of tough Economic theories and Principles relevant to cracking the exam. With a career spanning more than 15 years he teaches at various well known institutes for Civil Services Examinations (IAS/PCS/UPSC) including the COUNCIL Education, VS Academy etc. at Delhi.

The course was a ten hour intensive program spread over two days, 1-2 March, 2014. The course was designed to enrich the aspirants with the portion on general studies for the UPSC Civil Services Prelim Examinations with a special emphasis on Economic aspects in the General Studies paper. The course focused exclusively on the contemporary and upcoming issues of Economics important for the upcoming Prelim exam preparation. The training program was initiated by Prof. Hitesh Thakkar, Convener of the GNLU Competitive Exam Guidance Committee on Saturday, 1st March, 2014. He said that under the visionary leadership of Prof(Dr) Bimal .N Patel, Vice Chancellor, GNLU, GNLU is organizing various short-term training course for the competitive examination. Prof Bimal N Patel believes that there is need for competitive exam aspirants to be guided by best professionals and trainers from Delhi, which is the hub of civil services exam preparation, proper motivation is needed for the students to emerge successful in the exam. Students of Engineering, Management, Humanities and Law from all over Gujarat participated in this training program and best wishes to all the participants to fight the fierce competitions in the Competitive exams and come out with flying colors.

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