

Gandhinagar Institute of Technology

Mechanical Engineering Department

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ISHRAE (Indian Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers) is going to arrange its **Annual Exhibition ACREX 2015** at Bangalore from 26th to 28th February, 2015. As a part of the event, the **Annual National Student Quiz aQuest-15** will be conducted during their exhibition. Qualifying rounds for the same were organized by all student chapter of India associated with this chapter. ISHRAE Ahmedabad Student Chapter had completed their qualifying rounds on 16th November, 2014 at AMA, Ahmedabad. There were total 7 teams from the Ahmedabad region; GIT had participated for the quiz event with one team comprised of 2 students. Details of various teams are as follow:

Name of Participating College	Team
L D College of Engineering	2
Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University	2
Gandhinagar Institute of Technology	1
Ahmedabad Institute of Technology	1
Universal College of Engineering	1

Gandhinagar Institute of Technology was represented by **Jainil Dave (5th Sem. Mechanical) and Karan Soni (5th Sem. Mechanical) under the guidance of Prof. Ruchir Parikh, Faculty coordinator of ISHRAE Ahmedabad – GIT student chapter.** There were total 5 rounds, namely- Individual group question, Buzzer round, Rapid fire round, Judges choice round and Visual round. Each team was asked questions on topics of Basics of Mechanical Engineering, Thermodynamics, Fluid Mechanics, Heat & Mass Transfer, Refrigeration & Air-Conditioning, and few concepts from Green building concepts, Energy conversation approach etc.

Out of the 7 Teams, only 1 team would be shortlisted for the **aQuest-15** Bangalore. Among the 7 teams, GIT College team secured 2nd position. Also it was a motivational effort for other student since the Students' of GIT were from 3rd year and other winning team was from Post Graduation level.

The qualifying round was assessed by following dignitaries.

Name of Dignitaries	Designation
Dr N M Bhatt	Director, Gandhinagar Institute of Technology
Dr G H Upadhyay	HOD, Mechanical, L D College of Engineering
Dr J M Patel	PG In-charge (Cryogenic) , L D College of Engineering
Dr Ajit Shukla	Professor, PDP
Dr N K Serasiya	Principal, Universal College of Engineering
Prof D V Jani	Principal, Ahmedabad Institute of Technology

The event was hosted by **Mr. Arvind Vegda (Famous Singer)**. Prof. N M Gajjar, Prof. H R Oza, Prof. M B Khatri & Prof. (Ms.) Manjulata Pal from GIT were present in the function to encourage the student.