

## Programme Objective

Last decade has observed quantum jump in various disciplines of computing and related research areas. UGC also sponsors such research programs and has provided special assistance to the department for the thrust areas of Natural Language Processing and Data Mining. The seminar aims to bring together innovative academicians, researchers, scientists, industrial experts in multi-disciplinary field and provide a platform to acquaint & share new ideas in the field of computing with special focus on Natural Language Processing, Data Mining, Digital Image Processing and Database Systems.

## Call for papers

Faculty members, researchers, research students, PG students and industry professionals are invited to submit full length Research papers on topics as follows but not limited to:

- ◆ Natural language processing
- ◆ Speech Synthesis and Recognition
- ◆ Optical Character Recognition
- ◆ Data mining and Data Warehousing
- ◆ Web Mining
- ◆ Database Systems
- ◆ Digital Image Processing
- ◆ Networking
- ◆ Related research problems and solutions

Papers accepted for oral presentation will be published in "VNSGU Journal of Science and Technology" (ISSN 0975-5446).

Papers must be submitted online through website only and as per guidelines of paper format published on seminar homepage.

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## **2<sup>nd</sup> National Seminar** **on** **Natural Language** **Processing and Data Mining** **(NLPDM-2015)** **(UGC-SAP Sponsored)**



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## About the University

In consonance with its motto, “Satyam Gyanam Anantham” (Truth and knowledge are infinite), Veer Narmad South Gujarat University is accredited with CGPA of 2.82 on 4 point scale at B grade by NAAC. This UGC recognized state university, more than four decades old University, was earlier known as South Gujarat University and was renamed as Veer Narmad South Gujarat University in 2004

The University’s jurisdiction extends to the seven districts of Surat, Navsari, Valsad, Narmada, Dangs, Bharuch, Tapi and the Union Territory of Daman. More than two hundred Grant-in-aid Colleges, Self-financed Colleges/Institutions and Post-graduate Teaching Centres are affiliated with the University. There are 23 Post Graduate Departments / Centers on the University campus that offer various PG courses, M.Phil and Ph.D. There are many self-financed programmes on the campus. The University offers more than hundred Graduate and around thirty five Post-Graduate programmes in all. University has a large library with immense collection of books, journals and e-resource on various subjects.

To support curricular and extra-curricular activities the university has created facilities like research centre, hostels, health centre, playgrounds, auditorium etc.

## About the Department

The Department of Computer Science (DCS) is one of the progressive departments of the University. It offers Computer Science courses for last 24 years. The courses offered are 3 years **MCA** course (full time), 2 years MCA (Lateral Entry) 1 year **PGDCA** course (full time), 1½ year PGDCA course (part time), **M.Phil** and **Ph.D.** programs in Computer Science.

The department's dedication to impart technical expertise coupled with periodic update of the curriculum inculcates and fine tunes the essential skills required to meet the dynamic demand of the industries. With these diverse set of programmes, DCS has stayed at the forefront of emerging technologies. Further, the selection procedure for various Post-Graduate programmes at DCS ensures that only the very best of students make it to its campus.

The Department has a well equipped building having an area of around 30,000 sq. ft. and state of the art infrastructural facilities. These modern facilities make this Department one of the best departments of the Veer Narmad South Gujarat University. The Department has very highly qualified and experienced faculties.

**IBM** has identified Department of Computer Science as its **Centre of Excellence (CoE)** since 2008.

UGC has identified Department of Computer Science under its **Special Assistance Programme (SAP)** since 2011



## About Surat

**S**urat, one of the fastest growing cities, is situated in southern Gujarat, which is a diamond and textiles hub of India. Surat, with approximately 60 lacs of population, is very well connected by railway and road. Also a direct flight is available from Delhi. The other nearest domestic airport from Surat is Vadodara which is at a distance of 3 hrs drive.

## Registration

Rs 700/- per registered author/participant. Atleast one of the authors of the paper must register.

Rs. 300/- per Full time PG student author/participant.

The registration fees includes seminar-kit, breakfast, tea/coffee, lunch and dinner during the days of the seminar.

For registration, please refer the following link:  
[www.vnsgu.ac.in/nlpdm/index.php](http://www.vnsgu.ac.in/nlpdm/index.php)

## Accommodation

Male participants/paper presenters of the seminar shall be provided accommodation at the Hostels in the University campus on chargeable basis. For female participants, arrangement shall be made at University staff quarters. There shall be a nominal charge of Rs 200 for the accommodation. Please refer details on the website.

## Important Dates

Last date for submission of full papers:  
31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2015  
Acceptance notification 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2015 (by email)  
Camera ready copy 16<sup>th</sup> Feb 2015  
Last date for Registration 16<sup>th</sup> Feb 2015

All the processes like paper submission, paper acceptance notification, registration etc. will be online.

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