



GONDWANA UNIVERSITY, GADCHIROLI
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in association with

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
SHREE SHIVAJI ARTS, COMMERCE & SCIENCE COLLEGE
RAJURA, DIST. CHANDRAPUR

&
SHARADRAO PAWAR ARTS & COMMERCE COLLEGE, GADCHANDUR, DIST. CHANDRAPUR

Are Jointly Organizing
One - Day Interdisciplinary National Conference

On
India's Foreign Policy :
Historical Trajectories And Contemporary Challenges



Date : Saturday, 22nd November, 2025

Venue : Shree Shivaji Arts, Commerce & Science College, Rajura



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About Gondwana University ➤

The Gondwana University has been conceived and formed with foresighted view to cater the aspirations of the economically and socio-culturally backward districts of Gadchiroli and Chandrapur. Though the network of Governmental agencies have been constantly trying to execute the state welfare policies of an all inclusive development, the resultant progress has been sluggish compared to other areas of the state. This lag has created a host of socio-political tensions and problems as is seen in the rise of naxalites violence. Though a speedy all inclusive growth is a right answer to all this, it cannot be achieved without apt vision and well-tailored methodology. The formation of a new university is, therefore, a right step in the direction.

The compiled data on overall life of the domain of the university indicates that it has area specific problems like age old poverty, prejudices followed from static mind-sets, directionlessness emerging from traditional ignorance, etc. The cumulative effect of all this is a deep chasm between the local populace and the rest of the mainstream society. In brief, turning problems in to opportunities forms the real syllabi of the new university.

to translate the above vision into reality the university has scontemplates befitting modalities commensurate with our intended objectives. Same time efforts will also be made to build up motivational strength in the learners so as to in-still in them hope and ambition for self promotion. This certainly is a colossal and formidable task, yet at the same time is a worthy challenge and we have willfully accepted it.

Conventionally a university is concerned with higher education alone. As a bold experiment we with to have a small but important deviation from this. For example in rural and backward areas we find vast number of young people, who are educated just up to middle school level, yet have inborn talents for doing skilled jobs after proper and adequate training. So, there is need to provide such people a job oriented education, motivating them to be an entrepreneur or to be employed with a good package to live their life with equal status and satisfaction. These things are possible though our university by applying certain modern tactics in the field of education.

About Rajyashastra Pradhyapak Parishad, (Vidarbha Prant) Nagpur ➤

Nagpur Vidyapeeth Rajyashastra Pradhyapak Parishad was established in 1958 as is continuously functioning from the past 67 years. Dr. Ajitanand Sen, Dr. N. R. Varhadpande, Dr. Murthy, Dr. Raghunath Ranade, Dr. G. M. Kulkarni, Dr. Kashikar, Dr. P. C. Kane, Dr. P. L. Joshi, Dr. B. T. Deshmukh, Dr. V. R. Raipurkar, Dr. V. M. Peshve, Dr. B. L. Bhole, Dr. Mudaliar and many other scholars in the subject of Political Science have worked for the establishment and smooth functioning of this organization. This organization was formed in 1958 to enable political science professors to come together and express their views independently on contemporary issues, with the aim of objectively analyzing the political views on human life. On 11th October 2017 this Parishad was transformed into Rajyashastra Pradhyapak Parishad (Vidarbha Prant) official registration in the Govt. records. The members of this Parishad are working in various Colleges and Universities such as Rashtrasant Tukdoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur, Sant Gadgebaba Amravati University, Amravati and Gondwana

University, Gadchiroli as HoDs and faculty member of Political Science. The sole intention behind organizing these conferences is to establish academic dialogue and social consensus among the professors on political science in the three universities. Such conferences on different topics are successfully organized every year in the college among these three universities alternatively so as to have scholarly reflection on the important questions of political topics.

About Shree Shivaji Arts, Commerce and Science College, Rajura

Shree Shivaji Arts, Commerce & Science College Rajura was established by Adarsh Shikshan Prasarak Mandal in 1984 with an objective to impart quality education to the tribal and backward students of remote and inaccessible areas of Rajura, Gadchandur and Korapana tahasils. Beginning with arts and commerce faculties, the college introduced science faculty in 1992. At present the college has 3 wings - senior, junior and vocational (M.C.V.C.) Apart from U.G. degree programs B.A., B.Com, and B.Sc., the college runs post graduation courses in eight subjects and a centre for Higher Learning and Research and Specialized Studies (CHLRSS) for Ph.D. programs in English, Marathi and Political Science. Located in sprawling 8 acre lush green campus, the college has created congenial atmosphere for learning with its extensive playground, well equipped gymnasium, auditorium, seminar hall, enriched library, well facilitated laboratories, and separate hostel for boys and girls. Having a mission to provide quality education to the socially and financially backward students at the minimum cost, more than 90% students of the college are from backward communities. The College has been accredited by NAAC, Bangalore with 'B' grade.

About Sharadrao Pawar Arts and Commerce College, Gadchandur

Sharadrao Pawar Arts and Commerce College, Gadchandur, was established in 1993 under the visionary of late Shri Haribhau T. Dohe, founder of Saraswati Shikshan Prasarak Mandal (1982). The society has been devoted to spreading education in rural and tribal areas such as Gadchandur, Pellora, and Korpana of Chandrapur district, with a strong focus on empowering students from poor, backward and tribal families. Over the years, the college has grown into a center of higher learning, offering undergraduate programs in Arts and Commerce, with department in Marathi, English, Political Science, Economics, History and Sociology. The college has been re-accredited by NAAC (Cycle II) with a B++ Grade and 2.94 CGPA, is ISO Certified, and recognized under 2(f) and 12(B) of UGC with a mission to uplift marginalized communities the institution continues to play a vital role in shaping the educational and social landscape of the region.

Inaugural Function

Time : 10.30 AM TO 12.30 PM

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Welcome Address

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Inaugurator & Keynote Speaker

Dr. SHAILENDRA DEOLANKAR

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LUNCH BREAK : 2.00 PM to 2.30 PM

TECHNICAL SESSION - II : 2.30 PM to 4.00 PM

**Changing Trend In Indian Foreign Policy :
Assessment & Review**

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PARALLEL SESSION - II : 2.30 PM to 4.00 PM

Paper Presentation

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VALEDICTORY SESSION : 4.00 PM to 5.30 PM

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: 8.00 AM to 10.00 AM

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: 8.00 AM to 10.30 AM

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