

Dean and Director
GITAM School of International Business
Visakhapatnam-530 003

The Gandhi Institute of Technology and Management (GITAM) School of International Business invites nominations and applications for the position of Dean and Director. GITAM School of International Business is an autonomous School of International Business within the ambit of GITAM University, a deemed to be university U/S 3 of the UGC Act 1956. The GITAM University is a multi-state and multi-campus University with its main campus located at Visakhapatnam in the state of Andhra Pradesh, and the outlying campuses located at Hyderabad in the State of Telangana, and at Bengaluru in the State of Karnataka. The University offers under-graduate, post-graduate, and doctoral programs in engineering, architecture, pharmacy, sciences, management, Law, International Business, and Gandhian Studies. The GITAM School of International Business is located at Visakhapatnam at its main campus.

The GITAM School of International Business is a leading business school offering programs in International Business. The School offers currently four MBA Programs in International Business, Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management, International Banking and Finance, and Business Analytics. The MBA Program in Business analytics is a modular program in the format that the first of the program is on the campus and the second year of the program is off-campus and on-line. In addition, the School offers Ph. D Program in International Business and Global Entrepreneurship.

The School is an integrated business school in to teaching, research, executive education and consultancy, and connected with industry and other premier business schools in India and abroad. The study abroad program and international immersion for students admitted are in place and its students are highly placed industry in India and abroad. The School is endowed with excellent in-house faculty and is supported by visiting faculty from industry and academia from India and abroad. The School is consistently rated second best school in India specializing in International Business.

The Dean and Director of the School will be supported by Joint Director and Associate Dean. The Joint Director supports the Dean and Director in over-all administration of the School and particularly in admissions, placements, and continuing education programs which include Executive Education Programmes. While the Associate Dean of the School will support the Dean and Director in the academic administration of the School. The Dean and Director is the academic and administrative head of the School and reports directly to the Vice-Chancellor of the GITAM University.

The Dean and Director of the School will provide leadership in advancing the School's network of external relationships nationally and as well as internationally. S(he) will also be responsible for the implementation of sound educational policies and effective management of personnel, programs, and fiscal resources; and the overall quality of academic programs, faculty, students with in the school and the professional activities which support the budget and enhance the

reputation of the School. S(he) must possess high level of energy and good organizational skills. S(he) also should have a solid history of institution building, handling confidential information, flexibility to adapt to changing needs and priorities, and ability to prioritize and simultaneously co-ordinate multiple projects and events. S(he) will be expected to initiate the development of long range plans and curriculum review, facilitate pursuit of accreditation by NAAC and AACSB, maintaining the academic standards through professional activities, research, publication and creative and scholarly activities; and implementing effective students recruitment and community outreach programs for attracting qualified students.

It is highly preferred that the next Dean and Director of the School will possess an earned doctorate in business or related field with an excellent record of scholarly contribution that merits appointment as a full time Professor as per UGC guidelines. Preferred attributes include:

1. Demonstrated commitment to excellence in research and teaching;
2. Demonstrated understanding of the direction of business education and the ability to articulate a vision that positions GITAM School of International business as one of the best schools of international business;
3. Demonstrated commitment to professional ethics and integrity;
4. Demonstrated record of successful institution building;
5. Demonstrated record of building partnerships and collaborations with a broad range of constituencies including faculty, students, parents, alumni, professional staff, University, other premier business schools in India and abroad, and the external business community;
6. Appreciation of history, culture, and values of the School to implement its mission;
7. Multi-disciplinary mindset and ability to unify diverse points of view in a complex setting;
8. Academic strength to value faculty scholarship and seeks new and creative ways to continue to attract, support, and retain high quality faculty;
9. Global perspective and commitment to fostering diversity in its many forms;
10. Listening and communicating with ease in a multitude of settings with multiple constituencies.

Review of applications and nominations will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. The compensation package will be commensurate with experience. Applications and nominations should be submitted with curriculum vitae, personal contact information, and the names of three professional references along with postal and e-mail addresses and telephone numbers electronically to director_gsib@gitam.edu.