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Ahmedabad, India

Eighth Joint International Conference from
9th -11th October 2014 at
Bhavan's College Campus, Khanpur Ahmedabad India.

on

COMPUTER-ASSISTED
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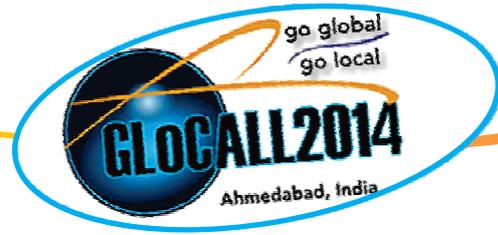"Potential for Excellence" by UGC

ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Sheth R. A. College of Arts and Commerce, established in 1965, is situated on the banks of Sabarmati river right at the heart of the heritage city of Ahmedabad. The college has created several innovative practices in past few years. The combined efforts have brought many laurels to the college at national and international levels. It was rated as 23rd Best Commerce College in India in 2011 as per *The Week* and best 33rd as per *India Today* survey. It has been awarded by UGC the highest prestigious status of College with Potential for Excellence.

The college has initiated a research oriented environment at national and International level. Today the college has 8 MOUs with International Universities of Canada and Indonesia. It hosts a number of foreign students in Undergraduate and Post graduate courses. The college also looks after most prestigious department of Study Abroad Program for Gujarat University which runs 9 international programs including foreign students and researchers.

The Principal of the college **Dr Neerja A Gupta** has received **Shiksha Bharti Puraskar** in 2011. The College has 3600 students on roll. It has 18 research scholars for M/Phil and PhD under different faculties. The College both in its curriculum, and in its support services, encourages students' self-development and acumen to become successful in all areas of life. Integrity and personal ethics are important to us. Our research pursuits lead the educational environment to appreciate the responsibilities as educationists and to respect other cultures and human differences with dignity. The college has organized a number of International and National Conferences, seminars, colloquium and workshops. It has an in-house International journal with ISSN *Bharatiya Manyaprad*.

The College is proud of the leadership it takes in the larger community, and in the region, and affirms its continuing commitment to serve the people. Our pledge is to constantly remember that the hope of a deeper and meaningful life is inherent in quality education.

CALL FOR PROPOSAL

Computer has become a language in itself. Today Computer Assisted teaching has become a challenge for faculty and students both. There are new technologies and concepts which are becoming more and more frequent in teaching and learning process.

All over the globe and in India the grants, endowments and finances are available for Institutions to be enriched in ICT environment by using more and more IT based equipment like laptop/ Desktop/ White Board/ Skype based lectures and online tools, software and lecture techniques like YouTube and virtual classrooms.

It's time to initiate a learning process about how we can enhance the use of ICT or Computer Assisted learning environment in Humanities, Social Sciences and Languages.

To upkeep the trend for the first time in Indian Continent an International Conference is organized jointly by Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Sheth R A College of Arts and Commerce, Ahmedabad and GloCALL, an international organization to promote Computer assisted language learning. (Language here means computer language and not limited to *Bhasha* in general terms.)

IMPORTANT DATES FOR INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2014

January 15	: Opening of proposal submission
May 15	: Deadline for proposal submissions
June 15	: Acceptance for Abstract
June 30	: Notices of acceptance sent out
August 30	: Deadline for registration of all presenters
August 30	: Deadline for pre-registration of participants (early bird)
September 15	: Release of a preliminary conference program
September 30	: Deadline for regular pre-registration
October 9	: Pre-conference workshops
October 10-11	: Plenary & concurrent sessions

This information is meant for the participants from India.
For Information on International participant please visit our web site **www.glocall.org**

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REGISTRATION FEE

Faculty	: Rs 2400/-
Research Students	: Rs 1500/-
Virtual Presentation	: Rs 900/-

Registration deadline:
30th September, 2014

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Patron	: Shri Rohit C Mehta
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PLENARY SPEAKERS

Prof. M M Pant (www.mmpant.net) pursues pedagogy, technology, educational innovation, tools and curricula that help enhance the effectiveness of teachers, learners, parents and entrepreneurs in the 2nd decade of the 21st century, using Tablets, mobiles and handhelds, a framework named 'Learning 221'. His past roles include being a Pro-Vice Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) and faculty at IIT Kanpur.

Thomas Robb is a professor at Kyoto Sangyo University where he is Chair of the Department of English, Faculty of Foreign Languages. He is a long-time user of CALL and the Internet, and has created a number of websites for various student projects, interactive learning and professional exchange. He is currently Chief Developer for the theMReader software which administers quizzes on "graded" and "youth" readers to students under controlled conditions.

Claire Bradin Siskin has been an enthusiastic practitioner of computer-assisted language learning (CALL) since 1983. She has chaired both the CALL Interest Section of TESOL and the Executive Board of the Computer Assisted Language Instruction Consortium (CALICO). She co-chaired the program for the WorldCALL Conference in Japan in 2008. She serves on the editorial boards of both Computer Assisted Language Learning Journal and CALICO Journal.

Vance Stevens has been ESL lecturer, CALL coordinator, CALL software developer, consultant, lecturer in computing, teacher coordinator, and currently English teacher in UAE. He founded Webheads in Action and coordinated its free international online conferences, was first chair of the CALL-IS in TESOL, taught in TESOL's online professional development programs, helps coordinate TESOL Electronic Village Online, and moderates sessions there.

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