



**Regional Coordinating Institute, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan  
Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati**

Organises

**One Day Workshop on  
"Unnat Bharat Abhiyan towards Viksit Bharat:  
Community Initiatives"**

In Collaboration with

**Department of Chemical Technology, Department of  
Geology & Participating Institute, UBA, SGBAU**



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for Registration

**Date : 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2026 Time : 10:00 AM**

**Venue : Auditorium, Dr. Shrikant Jichakar Memorial Research Centre  
Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati**

### **About University:**

Established on auspicious day May 1, 1983, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University (formerly Amravati University) primarily meet the educational needs of the populace in western Vidarbha. The vision statement of the University is “to contribute to the society through the pursuit of education, learning and research at the highest level of excellence”. The University has a 470.63 acre gorgeous lush green campus with 28 teaching departments under four faculties to meet the knowledge demands of students. The Institution prioritizes using education to uplift the poor and impoverished. Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University trains students in a variety of skill-development areas in an effort to create a workshop that can transform challenges into possibilities. Therefore, it encompasses all facets of higher education to help students become the finest academics, citizens and global entrepreneurs who will represent India as a leader in the twenty-first century.

### **About UBA:**

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan is a flagship programme of the Ministry of Education, Government of India, launched in 2014 to engage higher educational institutions in rural development initiatives. The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan is inspired by the vision of transformational change in rural development processes by leveraging knowledge institutions to help build the architecture of an Inclusive India. Unnat Bharat Abhiyan enables higher educational institutions to collaborate with rural communities in identifying development challenges and developing appropriate, sustainable solutions. Regional Coordinating Institute, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University is the institute identified as nodal centre by the National Coordinating Institute, I.I.T. Delhi on the basis of their earlier experience and infrastructural competence etc. for the purpose of better coordination of the UBA programme in Vidarbha & Marathwada region.

### **About Chemical Technology:**

The Department of Chemical Technology, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University (SGBAU), Amravati, is a premier academic department dedicated to excellence in chemical sciences, process technology, and applied research. The department strives to impart quality education through a balanced blend of theoretical knowledge and practical exposure, preparing students for industry, research, entrepreneurship, and higher studies. Equipped with well-established laboratories, modern instrumentation facilities, and experienced faculty members, the department emphasizes skill development, innovation, and research-oriented learning. It actively promotes student participation in projects, internships, industrial visits, and community engagement activities.

### **About Geology:**

The Department of Geology, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University is a distinguished center of learning and research in Earth Sciences. The department is dedicated to providing quality education and promoting scientific understanding of the Earth's structure, composition, processes, and natural resources. The department offers postgraduate and research programs with strong emphasis on field-based training, laboratory analysis, and practical exposure. Students gain expertise in areas such as mineralogy, petrology, structural geology, stratigraphy, paleontology, hydrogeology, environmental geology, and remote sensing.

**Preamble:**

The One Day Workshop on “Unnat Bharat Abhiyan towards Viksit Bharat: Community Initiatives” aims to create awareness among faculty members, researchers, students, and community stakeholders about the transformative role of academic institutions in rural development. The workshop seeks to promote community engagement, participatory rural appraisal, and sustainable development models aligned with national priorities. Through expert lectures, interactive discussions, case studies, experience sharing and field visit. Participants will gain insights into effective implementation strategies under UBA and explore innovative approaches to strengthen village-level initiatives.

**Objectives:**

- To sensitize participants about the goals and framework of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan.
- To highlight the role of higher educational institutions in achieving Viksit Bharat.
- To promote community-driven development initiatives.
- To share best practices, success stories, and innovative rural models.
- To encourage collaborative action between academia and rural communities.

**Expected Outcomes:**

- Enhanced understanding of UBA implementation strategies.
- Strengthened institutional commitment towards rural engagement.
- Development of actionable community-based project ideas.
- Increased collaboration among stakeholders for sustainable rural transformation.
- Increased awareness about national development priorities.

**Target Participants:**

- UBA Coordinators
- Faculty Members, Contributory Teachers
- UG and PG students from any discipline, Researchers & Scholars
- Community Representatives

**Registration Process:**

- Registration is free
- Kindly use the following link for online registration.  
The Link will be active only from 5 March, to 11 March, 2026  
<https://forms.gle/AuZJs1tBe88tVsAb6>

**E-certificate will be provided to the participants those who shall submit the feedback after attending the Program.**

**Jointly Organises**  
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Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,  
Sant Gadge Baba Amravati  
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**Patrons**



**Dr. Mahendra P. Dhore**  
Hon'ble Pro-Vice Chancellor,  
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**Programme Schedule**  
**Registration - 9:30am to 10:30 am**

<b>Inaugural Function (10.30 AM)</b>		
Welcome Address	Dr. M. B. Kumbhare, Coordinator RCI, UBA, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University	10.30 AM to 10.35AM
Opening Remark	Dr. Avinash M. Asanare, Registrar, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University	10.35 AM to 10.40AM
Inaugural Address	Padma Shri Dr. Ravindra Kolhe, Indian Social Activist and Doctor, Bairagarh, Melghat, Amravati	10.40 AM to 10.50 AM
Presidential Address	Prof. (Dr.) Milind Barhate, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati	10.50 AM to 11.00 AM
Vote of Thanks	Dr. Yadaokumar Mawale, Coordinator, PI,UBA, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University	11.00 AM to 11.05 AM
Tea Break (11.05AM to 11.30AM)		
<b>Technical Session</b>		
Technical Session-I	Dr. Nikhil Atale, Visiting Faculty of MBA, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University and CEO, Change Maker Foundation, Nagpur	11.30 AM to 01:00 PM
Technical Session-II	Dr. Sandip Soni, UBA Coordinator, Javaharlal Darda Institute of Engineering And Technology, Lohara, Yavatmal	01.00 PM to 02.30 PM
Lunch 2.30 PM to 3.30 PM.		
Technical Session-III & (Field Visit)	Dr. Vishram N. Bapat, Director, Agri- Startup Krushnamay Ayuryog Private Limited Amravati	03:30 PM to 05.00 PM
<b>Valedictory Function (5.00 PM.)</b>		
Welcome Address	Dr. A. B. Naik, Head, Dept. of Chemical, Technology, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University	05.00 PM to 05.05PM
Valedictory Address	Dr. Ajay Lad, Director, Innovation, Incubation & Linkages Cell (IIL), Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati	05.05 PM to 05.15PM
Presidential Address	Dr. Mahendra P. Dhore Hon'ble Pro-Vice Chancellor Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati	05.15 PM to 05.25PM
Vote of Thanks	Dr. M. B. Kumbhare, Coordinator RCI, UBA, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University	05.25 PM to 05:30 PM

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