

Shree Meghmani Parivar And Shree Bhailalbai A. Patel (Detrojwala)
Umiya Arts and Commerce College for Girls Sola, Ahmedabad
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One Day National Seminar on

'GST Reforms, Digitalization, Compliance and Ease of Doing Business'

DATE : 14 March, 2026 Saturday

Organized by Department of Commerce
Shree Meghmani Parivar And Shree Bhailalbai A. Patel
(Detrojwala) Umiya Arts and Commerce College for Girls



in collaboration with
the Indian Council of Social Science Research

Venue

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Invited Experts

Adv. Jagrat Shah,
High Court Practitioner, Tax and Civil Law Expert

Adv. Jigar Shah
High Court Practitioner, GST Expert

Adv. Gaurav Gupta
Advocate at Delhi High Court and Tax Tribunals

Key Dates

Seminar Date : 14 March 2026

Last date for Registration : 05 March 2026

Last date for Abstract submission : 07 March 2026

Last date for Full paper submission : 09 March 2026

Registration link : <https://tinyurl.com/umiyaseminar>

Objectives of National Seminar

- 1) **Analyze Policy Shifts:** Detail the operational impact of the latest GST rate rationalization
- 2) **Master Digital Compliance:** Equip participants with practical strategies to implement mandatory digital tools
- 3) **Enhance Business Efficiency:** Discuss how the simplification of compliance procedures and the proposed operationalization of the Goods and Services Tax

Focus Group

Academicians
Research Scholars
Business Persons
Lawyers

C.A. Interns
C.A. practitioners and
all other enthusiasts

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About the College

Shree Meghmani Parivar And Shree Bhailalbai A. Patel (Detrojwala) Umiya Arts and Commerce College for Girls, managed by Shree Umiya K.V.C. Education Trust is a renowned and leading college in Ahmedabad for imparting education to Girls. The mission of the college is empowering girls and thereby society. While the "Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao" campaign was initiated only in recent years, the idea of empowering girls of rural areas by providing them with good quality education had already taken shape in the minds of our founders, which speaks volumes about their vision.

We consider our college as the "Temple of Enlightenment." We strive to provide our students a quality education. Various initiatives are constantly being undertaken to improve the teaching-learning process. The Add-on courses, arranging conferences and seminars, providing career guidance and co-curricular activities on the campus are key indicators of our academic efforts.

Our college has completed three cycles of NAAC and meeting academic quality standards of Higher Education in India. We are proud to state that we have been ranked among the Top 100 Colleges in India for the 12th time by India Today and among the Top 3 Colleges in Ahmedabad. The college secured 3rd rank at national level for charging lowest fees in year 2025. We have achieved exceptional accomplishments in academics, sports, NCC, and NSS and cultural activities.

About ICSSR

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About National Seminar

The introduction of the Goods and Services Tax (GST) in 2017 marked a major reform in India's indirect tax system, creating a unified 'One Nation, One Tax' structure. Building on this, GST 2.0 represents the next phase of evolution—focused on structural simplification, rate rationalization, and a secure, digital-first compliance framework.

The seminar, "GST Reforms, Digitalization, Compliance and Ease of Doing Business," aims to provide stakeholders with a clear understanding of these changes and how businesses can turn regulatory and technological shifts into strategic advantages.

GST 2.0 emphasizes simplified tax slabs (5% and 18%), expanded e-invoicing, mandatory multi-factor authentication, automated reconciliation, faster risk-based refunds, and reduced compliance costs—especially benefiting MSMEs and start-ups. As compliance becomes increasingly data-driven, adapting to these reforms is essential for operational continuity and improved ease of doing business.

Call for Paper

Original and unpublished thematic and research-based papers are invited for presentation in the seminar, relevant to the main theme and sub-themes. Submitted papers must be free from plagiarism. Participants are required to submit their papers in both Word and PDF formats, named as: Name_Word / Name_PDF.

Research papers are invited on following sub themes:

1. GST 2.0: Structural Reforms and Rate Rationalization
2. One Nation, One Tax: Achievements and gaps
3. Compliance Efficiency and Risk Mitigation for the business
4. Use of AI and data analytics in tax compliance and fraud detection
5. Role of technology in tax administration (e.g., GSTN, e-invoicing)
6. Challenges in digital compliance for small businesses
7. Role of professional services (CAs, tax consultants) in compliance
8. Reduction in cascading taxes and its impact on business costs
9. Role of digital platforms in reducing red tape
10. GST Reforms: Post Implementation impact on Business
11. Any other themes pertaining to 'GST Reforms, Digitalization, Compliance and Ease of Doing Business'

Payment Details

	Registration	With Paper Presentation
Teachers, Academicians and others	₹ 500/-	₹ 700/-
Research Scholar	₹ 300/-	₹ 500/-
Students	₹ 300/-	₹ 500/-

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- Paper will be accepted in English.
- Abstract and paper should be submitted using MSWord, Font - Times New Roman for English-font size 12, with 1.5 line spacing on A4 size. Only soft copies of the abstract and full length paper should be submitted.
- Submission of abstract and full paper should be in MS WORD Format.
- References should be in the latest APA or MLA style

The abstract and papers should be E-mailed to:

umiyaseminar@gmail.com

Kindly mention your name and title of the paper as the subject of the E-mail.

Submission Deadline :

Last date for Abstract submission : 07 March 2026

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