Expression of Interest (EoI) For Development and Implementation of University Management System (UMS)

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## About CEPT

Established in 1962, CEPT University is a 58-year old institution in Ahmedabad, India that focuses on understanding, designing, planning, constructing, and managing human habitats. Its teaching programs aim to build thoughtful professionals and its research programs attend to the deepening of the understanding of human settlements. CEPT was established by the Gujarat State Legislative Act (Gujarat Act No. 24 of 2005). It is recognized by the University Grants Commission under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act, 1956 vide Notification No. F. 9-17/2005(CPP-I) dated 2nd February 2007. The Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR) of the Government of India recognizes the University as a Scientific and Industrial Research Organization (SIRO).

The University comprises five faculties offering undergraduate, postgraduate programs, and doctoral programs. CEPT is acknowledged nationally and internationally for excellence in the fields of Architecture, Design, and Planning. In the year 2020, for the first time, the University participated in the NIRF and GSIRF ranking. In the NIRF, CEPT was ranked 4th in the Architecture category. In GSIRF, the CEPT University was rated 4 Stars and Ranked 3rd in the Overall University category in the state. CEPT's Faculty of Architecture was rated 5 Stars and ranked first in the state. CEPT University was certified as an E-Learning Excellence for Academic Digitisation (E-LEAD) institution by QS I-GAUGE, through a virtual ceremony. CEPT is the only private university in Gujarat to be recognized with E-LEAD.

Our ethos reflects most clearly in our liberal pedagogic regime that integrates the University and expands learning options for our students by making it possible for students to easily move across faculties and programs and to explore different intellectual worlds while allowing people to go deep into their areas of focus and expertise. Programs at CEPT allow better cross-pollination of ideas from other disciplines through choice-based curriculums and a vast array of electives.

## About the EOI

CEPT University is inviting Expression of Interest (EoI) from experienced software developers / IT consultants for developing and implementing University Management System (UMS) for the University. The primary objectives of the UMS are, a) to create a fully integrated system to facilitate day to day operations, and b) to create a robust backend database and analytics for decision support.

Based on the EOI, competent companies/firms will be shortlisted, and the Request for Proposal (RFP) will be shared only with the shortlisted firms. CEPT University reserves the right to carry out the assessment of the capability of the interested firms/companies and the decision of the University in this regard shall be final and binding to all. The shortlisted firms will be asked to suggest the most appropriate, modular, scalable and feasible implementation methodology for the entire project after a pre-bid meeting.

## **Existing System:**

Currently the University operates a web based academic management application (built on ASP.net and MS-SQL) that interfaces with other systems to support key functions. The provisional list of broad function areas to be addressed is as below:

- Admissions
- Fee payment
- Course registration, course allocation and administration
- Attendance and leave management for students
- Attendance and leave management for University staff
- Examinations, Evaluation, Grading and Results
- Feedback management
- Student information management
- Course/ studio outputs collation and management
- User lifecycle and role management
- Smartcard and Identity management
- Alumni affairs

## EOI should be submitted through the google form given below

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1PRZree2Mxk6rdV\_kdDYDiO1yYa5zAknYe1Lh8vZbVWA /edit?ts=5ff2bc64&gxids=7628

Last Date for submission of EOI is 11<sup>th</sup> January 2021 by 5.30 p.m. Shortlisted firms / companies will be informed on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2021

Please Note: Shortlisted firms / companies will be asked to submit proofs in the next phase of the selection. Companies / Firms failing to submit required proof will be disqualified from the process of selection.

For any other queries please connect with Ms. Jharna Guleria

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