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Education helps to earn qualification and qualification should help to earn quality and virtue in man.

From VC's Desk

Junagadh Agricultural University has passed over the formative stage of its existence with strong foundation. Now it is our duty and responsibility to review and



ch, extension education, administration and finance sectors. According to professor Yashpal committee " University is a place where new ideas germinate, strike roots and grow tall and sturdy. It is a unique space which covers the entire universe of knowledge. It is a place where creative mind converge, interact with each other and construct visions of new realities. Established notions of truth are challenged

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in the pursuit of knowledge". It is also said that, university is the temple of learning and cradles of the country's leaders. The teachers and scientists are priest and the students and the farmers are the worshippers of this temple. The teachers should have clean life, good character and sound knowledge so that they can act as real and ideal priest of the temple. The teachers and scientists should maintain dignity and discipline so that the students will also follow their path.

Productivity is key to prosperity. In order to enhance crop productivity, the research scientists should work hard, sincerely and effectively to serve the purpose of farmers. My idea of prosperous university would come true if vibrancy in teaching, research and extension education programmes is experienced. Hence, let us make concerted efforts to revitalize the activities of the university.

-N. C. Patel

CAET ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The CAET ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (CAETAA) has celebrated its **Silver Jubilee Convention** at College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology on 24-12-2009. Dr. N. C.



The CAETAA honoring Dr. N. C. Patel, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, JAU, Junagadh.

Patel, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, JAU, Junagadh and Dr. Gajendra Singh, Hon'ble Ex-Vice Chancellor, Doon University, Dehradun inaugurated the convention. On this occasion the CAETAA honored Dr. N. C. Patel, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, JAU, Junagadh for achieving the glorious post of Vice Chancellor of the JAU. Prof. J. B. Savani, Chairman CAETAA welcomed the guests and delegates and expressed that it is a moment of laurels to the faculty of agricultural engineering in India.