

Table of Contents

Editorial

Guest Editorial

Profile : Sardar Patel University, Vallabh Vidyanagar: A Profile

1. Envisioning India as a Global Leader: Role of Higher Education — <i>D P Singh</i>	5
2. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India — <i>C Swaminathan</i>	9
3. Role of Higher Education in Transforming Rural India — <i>Jayanti Ravi and Ravi Gopalan</i>	11
4. Higher Education: Key to Growth And Prosperity of India in the Knowledge-based Competitive Global Economic Order — <i>D K Ghosh</i>	15
5. Launch of a Param Intersersity: A Meta Institution in Digital India based on New Education for Social Transformation — <i>Ram Takwale</i>	19
6. Transforming India through Higher Education — <i>Sanjay Oak</i>	21
7. Golden Vision 2050 for Transforming India — <i>H Maheshappa</i>	21
8. Transition in Higher Education for Transforming India — <i>Anand K Joshi</i>	30
9. Transformation of Higher Education in India — <i>Mariamamma Varghese</i>	34
10. Higher Education to Enable India to Lead the World for Peace, Prosperity and Harmony — <i>Bhuvnesh Sharma</i>	42
11. Indian Higher Education: A Reflection — <i>V Shivkumar and Vimala Gowri Pedapalli</i>	46
12. Networked Higher Education: A New Paradigm — <i>Basab Chaudhuri</i>	48
13. Let's Turn the Indian University into a Knowledge Smithy to Transform India — <i>D A Ghanchi</i>	50
14. Higher Education for Transforming India: Issues and Concerns — <i>Nageshwar Rao and P Dahane</i>	54
15. The Role of Higher Education in the Transformation of India — <i>Kiran Vyas</i>	57
16. Academic Leadership for Transforming India — <i>Ajit K Motwani</i>	60
17. Initiatives of the Government for Transforming India — <i>Manpreet Singh Manna</i>	63
18. Role of Higher Education Stake Holders in Transforming India: Need for a Strategy — <i>P J Lavakare</i>	70
19. Evolving NSQF Compliant Programme on Cultural Informatics — <i>P Jha, Om Vikas and R S Rathore</i>	77
20. Role of Higher Education in Leaveraging the Transformation — <i>Sunil Behari Mohanty and Amarendra Pani</i>	78
21. Three Major Inputs of Higher Education for Transforming India — <i>Prabir K Bagchi</i>	80
22. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India: Issues and Challenges — <i>Ramesh Lalwani</i>	83
23. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India: Some Insights — <i>Hema Raghavan</i>	91
24. Cultural Comparison of Higher Education of Past and Present: An Indian Perspective — <i>N K Ahuja</i>	91
25. Paradigm Shift in Education: Challenges and Opportunities in Contemporary Times — <i>R C Sobti, Jaya Srivastava, Sanāhya, Harishankar Singh and Vipin Sobti</i>	108
	121
	123
	128
	131
	133



26. Education City and other Innovations in Higher Education for Transformation — <i>Rushmi Soni and M S Sodha</i>	138
27. Improving Quality of Higher Agricultural Education in India — <i>Manoranjan Kar</i>	146
28. Higher Education for Rural Transformation — <i>G Palanithurai</i>	148
29. NIFTEM's Village Adoption Programme: <i>Connecting College Youth to the Grass Roots of the Country for India's Transformation</i> — <i>Ajit Kumar</i>	153
30. Rise of India as Global Power: The Role of Economic Sciences — <i>Vedagiri Shanmuga Sundaram</i>	157
31. A Model of Innovation at Higher Education Institutions for Nation Building — <i>P K Ghosh, Rajat Agrawal and Ankur Kashyap</i>	164
32. Role of Higher Education in Transformation — <i>Debjani Dasgupta</i>	167
33. World University Rankings: A Catalyst for Architecting World Class Universities for Transforming India — <i>Prashant R Nair</i>	170
34. Decoding the Role of Higher Education in Transforming India — <i>Haresh Tank</i>	174
35. Strategies for Transforming India through Materialistic and Spiritual Higher Education — <i>V K Sharma</i>	178
36. Challenges and Strategies in Engineering Education in Knowledge Era — <i>Onkar Singh</i>	180
37. How Technology Will and Will Not Transform Higher Education: An Analytical Prediction — <i>Anirudh Motwani</i>	183
38. ICT Based Higher Education for Transforming India: Challenges and Opportunities — <i>S Jeelani</i>	186
39. Teaching of Life – Skills and Transformation of India — <i>S Xavier Alphonse S J</i>	191
40. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India: Future Perspectives — <i>Kirandeep Singh and Prabhjot Kaur</i>	194
41. Indian Higher Education System: Issues, Challenges and Initiatives — <i>George Thomas and Jyoti Jain</i>	198
42. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India: Some Issues — <i>T R Piplani</i>	203
43. Knowledge Based Economy and Higher Education: Institutions Involved in Building a Knowledge Base Economy — <i>V B Nanda Gopal and N Sundararajan</i>	205
44. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India: Some Suggestions — <i>Mohanbhai C Patel and Rajeshkumar Mahendrabhai Patel</i>	211
45. Role of Higher Education in Transforming India: Challenges with Reference to Management Education — <i>Yogesh C Joshi and Darshana Dave</i>	215
46. Invigorating Higher Education In India — <i>S B Nimse</i>	223
47. Internationalization of Higher Education: Past and Present — <i>Ranbir Singh</i>	225
Convocation: Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University, Pune To Lead by Example: Powerful Way to Transform — <i>Narayana Murthy</i>	230
Campus	232
Book Review	237
Theses (Humanities)	240
Advertisements	242

Opinions expressed in the articles are those of the contributors and do not necessarily reflect the policies of the Association