## Skills Enhancement #Online at CHARUSAT University

Free online coaching on IELTS, APTIS, TOEFL at Indukaka Ipcowala
Institute of Management (I2IM) in amid lockdown

'Academy for Graduate Admissions and Competitive Examinations (AGACE)' at **Indukaka Ipcowala Institute of Management (I<sup>2</sup>IM)** of CHARUSAT has taken skills enhancement initiatives in lockdown and continued to provide coaching and guidance to the students and faculty members for IELTS, TOEFL, APTIS and many more global standard English Tests and examinations. "Even during this lockdown, CHARUSAT has always strived to give the best to their students and faculty members", said by Shri. Surendra Patel, President, CHARUSAT.

As per the suggestions and guidelines provided by Dr. Pankaj Joshi Provost, CHARUSAT and Dr. Devang Joshi, Registrar, CHARUSAT, currently, Academy for Graduate Admissions and Competitive Examinations (AGACE) has been providing required guidelines to the students through online coaching on IELTS in general and Speaking & Writing sessions along with the Test Format; Tips and Videos; and Free Practice Tests.

"Collaborated with British Council to ensure impeccable communication skills of its students and faculty members, CHARUSAT has now an official IELTS Registration Centre. Any student, faculty or anybody willing to take date for IELTS, may take it from the university", said by Dr. Govind Dave, Dean, Faculty of Management Studies & Principal, I2IM.

Moreover, matching with the global standard of teaching-learning process through highly effective English communication skills, taking IELTS or APTIS by British Council as an alternative has been mandatory for all the staff members at the university, and so far more than 189 Faculty / Staff Members have appeared for APTIS Test administered by Indukaka Ipcowala Institute of Management in collaboration of British Council. Taking the advantage of lockdown, many faculty members are taking diagnostic test, coaching, and guidance through the online coaching sessions.

Here, it is worth noting that **Academy for Graduate Admissions and Competitive Examinations (AGACE)** has been established with the prime objective of providing all round guidance and quality assistance to aspiring immigrants, providing reliable and professional coaching to students' local community aspiring to appear for Graduate Admission Tests (GRE, GMAT) and English Proficiency Tests (IELTS, TOEFL, PTE) and guiding them to perform their best in FGCE (Foreign Going Competitive Examinations), and to become certified exam centre for above mentioned tests in the near future.