

**National Institute of Fashion Technology
Diploma Programme**

Programme	
Campus	Gandhinagar
Department	M. Des.
Year (eg. 2013-14)	2023-2024
Name of the DP	Fashion Innovation and Sustainable Design for Circularity (in collaboration with UNEP)
Duration of the programme	Duration of the course is 1 year, as follows: Total Semesters = 2 semester (1 Sem =14 weeks)
Days(eg. 5 days/week with Timing)	Classes Per Week = 4 days/week
Date of commencement and conclusion	25 th August 2023 to 24 th August 2024
Total No. of Seats	30
Eligibility	Undergraduate Degree/ full time Diploma after 10+2 in any discipline from any Institute / University recognized by law in India. Though not a prerequisite, concern and leaning towards issues of sustainability and circularity will make the applicant's candidature stronger.
Programme fee (without GST)	Rs. 2,00,000/-
Programme fee with 18% GST	Rs. 2,36,000/- (including 18% GST Rs.36,000/-)
Programme Objective (Approx. 30-40 words for printing in Brochure)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To build an understanding of concepts, relevance and importance of Sustainable Fashion and Circularity ● To identify the role of traditional and emerging material diversity, technologies, ecological sustainability, and ethical practices and apply them for Sustainable Fashion ● To inculcate circular design principles and methods for innovative fashion product Development ● To integrate sustainability and design innovations in the existing business models to gain competitive advantage
Programme Content (Approx. 50 words for printing in Brochure)	The programme is designed with extensive inputs in areas like Sustainability and Circularity in Fashion Creation, Eco-design principles & Design for Circularity (zero waste design, upcycling, design for disassembly, design for longevity, multi functionality, etc.), Life cycle thinking and "closing the loop" in Fashion, Sustainable/circular business models and Nature-based solutions, innovations, case studies from across the globe. The Diploma advances into various areas, incorporating case-based learning, collaborative assignments, and experiential/field-based learning techniques. For practical exposure the Diploma has in-built modules in the form of Industry Attachment and Industry Sponsored Capstone Project .
Planned career profile (Approx. 20 words for printing in Brochure)	Global corporations, Government and non-governmental organisations offer strategic roles in sustainability. After completing the Diploma programme, students can apply to these roles offering their skill sets in sustainable design, production, merchandising and marketing of such products. Entrepreneurship in building sustainable/circular fashion business through the creation of new enterprises.

People Involved		
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