

Support Message



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I am pleased to note, that Messe Frankfurt India is organizing the 7th edition of Rail India Conference & Expo on 27th October 2023 at Shangri - La Eros Hotel, New Delhi.

With very rapid developments in the India's infrastructure sector, in line with the PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan 2021 and enablement of logistics cost optimization in tune with National Logistics Policy 2022, I must compliment the organizers for very timely conduct of this event. Indian Railways is playing a very critical role towards fulfilling these missions covering all the aspects of the theme namely SMART, SAFE and SUSTAINABLE, both from passenger and freight traffic.

The **Gati Shakti Vishwavidyalaya (GSV)** is established as a Central University, through an Act of Parliament, with a unique mandate to create a resource pool of best-in-class professionals for the entire transportation and logistics sector across technology, economics, management and policy comprising multidisciplinary teaching, executive training and research. The GSV, operating under the Ministry of Railways (Govt. of India), is a first of its kind university in the whole of India that focuses exclusively on transport and logistics sectors. Accordingly, the GSV has introduced several demand-driven academic programs that are both relevant and contemporary for the entire sector to fulfil its unique mandate. It has set up (and continuously seeking) several collaborations across Industry as well as Government organizations to further its goals.

The Gati Shakti Vishwavidyalaya is expected to fulfil the mandate of the National Developmental Plans across railways, shipping, ports, highways, roads, waterways, and aviation etc. **Being an Innovation-led and Industry-driven University, the GSV takes immense pleasure in being the "Knowledge Partner" for the 7th Rail India Conference & Expo.**

Extremely happy to note the participation from the top leaders in Rail Industry (including Govt, PSU as well as private sector), professionals and researchers in the domain, policy makers and enablers etc. Such an informed and diverse gathering would definitely lead to sharing respective experiences, ideas and perspectives for the future growth of the railways.

I convey my best wishes for the 7th Rail India Conference & Expo.