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WELCOME TO OUR
Monthly Newsletter

The Open Research

The Open Research Library is an online platform that provides free access to a large collection of academic books and research materials. It was created through a collaboration between Knowledge Unlatched and BiblioLabs to support the global open-access movement and make scholarly knowledge more accessible to everyone.

The platform brings together thousands of peer-reviewed academic books from various publishers and research institutions around the world. Users can easily search, browse, and read these materials through a simple interface. The content covers many academic subjects, including social sciences, humanities, science, and technology. One of the main advantages of the library is that all materials are freely available, allowing students, researchers, and educators to access reliable academic resources without subscription fees.

In addition, the platform integrates with major academic library systems such as EBSCO, ProQuest, and OCLC, making it easier for universities and libraries to include open-access resources in their catalogues.

Overall, the Open Research Library helps promote free access to knowledge and supports global academic research and learning.

[Find out more via the website](http://library.atmiyauni.ac.in)

NEWS ALERT

In this newsletter:

The Open Research, Research, Innovation, Faculty Publication, Up coming library events, Save Earth, Author of the Month, Library Usage Statistics, IndianJournals.com and more. Keep Reading!

@ Library events March 2026

Book Talk on “आर्यन जीवनशैली”

• New Arrivals Periodicals On Digitally March 2026

LIBRARY USAGE STATISTICS



IR Repository

Research added

- Faculty Publication
- Research Scholar
- Master's Dissertations
- Students Project

[Find out more via the IR](#)

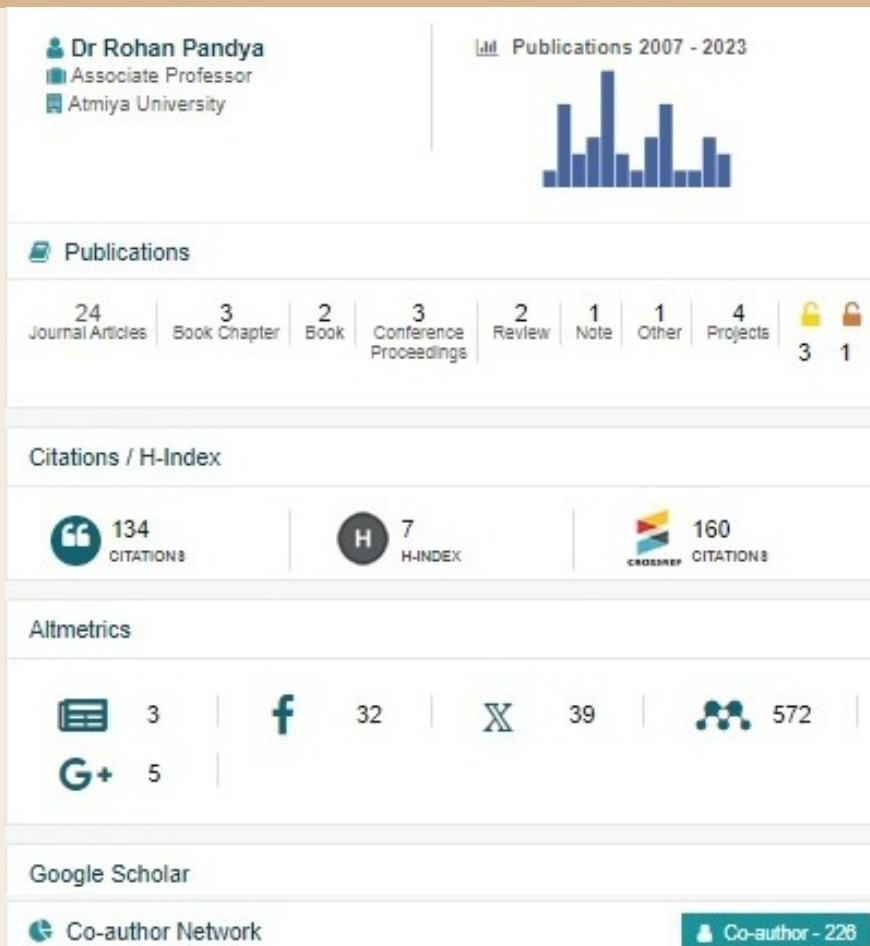


(FDP)

Faculty Development Programme

A programme that helps faculty enhance their teaching skills, update knowledge, and improve professional growth.

[Find out Up coming FDP](#)



Research, Innovation

Dr. Rohan Vinodbhai Pandya

PUBLICATIONS, CITATIONS / H-INDEX, GOOGLE SCHOLAR



Dr. Rohan Vinodbhai Pandya is an Associate Professor in the Department of Microbiology / Life Sciences at Atmiya University. He holds M.Sc. and Ph.D. degrees and has around 22 years of academic and research experience in microbiology and biotechnology.

Dr. Pandya's research interests include **microbial biotechnology, bioactive compounds, natural product research, and biomedical applications**. His scholarly work includes research on **bioactive metabolites, marine macroalgae, microbial peptides, and natural compounds with therapeutic potential**.

He has authored several research publications in reputed journals. Notable works include studies on **larvicidal compounds from Commiphora wightii, pectin characterization from citrus fruit peels, anticancer potential of surfactins, and bioactive metabolites from marine macroalgae**.

Dr. Pandya actively contributes to teaching, research, and mentoring students, supporting the development of microbiology and biotechnology research at Atmiya University. [IRINS portal](#)

Library Events

Up coming

LIBRARY EVENTS

- Book Talks
- Book Exhibitions
- Day celebrations

[Find out more on Library website](#)

SAVE EARTH TIPS



REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE

Recycle materials, reduce waste, and reuse items whenever possible



CONSERVE WATER

Fix leaks, take shorter showers, and turn off the tap while brushing your teeth



SAVE ENERGY

Turn off lights and unplug electronics when not in use. Use energy-efficient appliances



REDUCE PLASTIC USE

Avoid single-use plastics by using reusable bags, bottles, and containers



PLANT TREES

Plant trees and support reforestation efforts to absorb CO₂ and provide oxygen



TRAVEL SMART

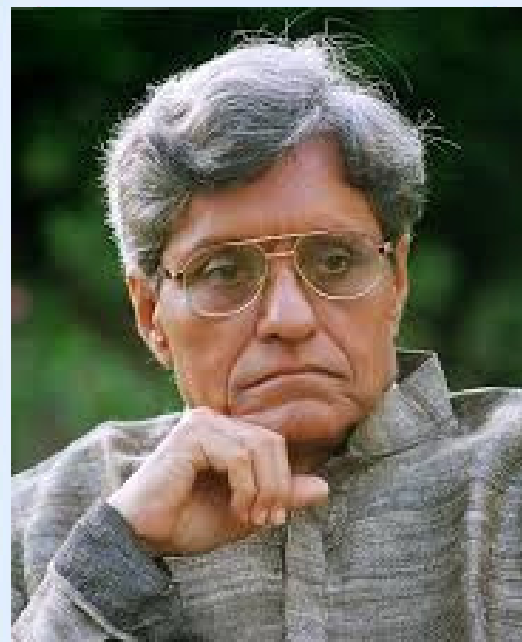
Carpool, bike, walk, or use public transport to reduce carbon emissions



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[Save Earth](#)



Author of the Month

Gunvant Shah

Gunvant Shah born 12 March 1937 in Rander, Surat, Gujarat is a distinguished Gujarati essayist, philosopher, columnist, and educationist. He completed his higher education at Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda and later served as a professor at several reputed institutions, including SNTD Women's University and Veer Narmad South Gujarat University.

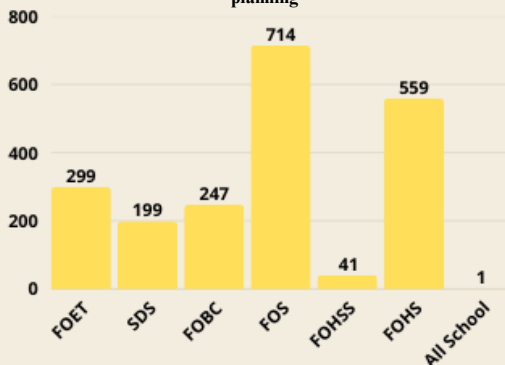
Gunvant Shah is widely known for his thoughtful essays that explore philosophy, spirituality, education, and social values. Through simple language and deep insights, he connects intellectual ideas with everyday life. Over the years, he has authored more than 150 books in Gujarati, inspiring readers to think critically and live with moral awareness. His writings frequently appear in newspapers and magazines, making him a respected public intellectual. For his remarkable contribution to literature and education, he received the Padma Shri in 2015. His works continue to influence students, teachers, and readers across Gujarat.

[Explore his collection at our library](#)

Library Usage Statistics for February 2026

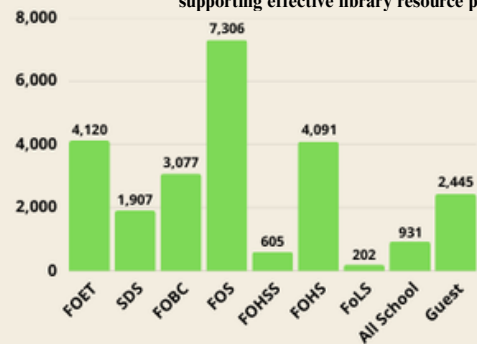
Book Transaction Statistics

"This chart illustrates book transaction statistics - monthly, department-wise, and categorized by circulation and reference helping identify user trends and support effective library resource planning"



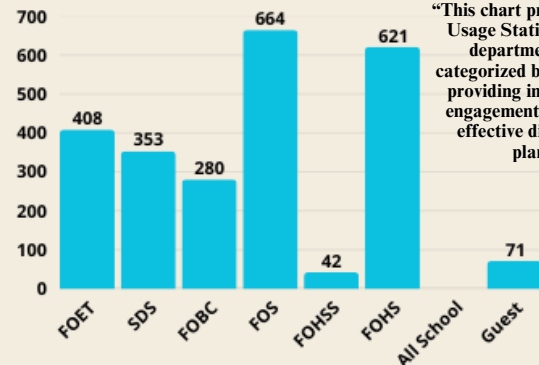
Reading Usage Statistics

"This chart presents Reading Usage Statistics - monthly, department-wise, Reading Room - providing insights into user habits and supporting effective library resource planning."



E- Library Usage Statistics

"This chart presents E-Library Usage Statistics - monthly, department-wise, and categorized by resource type - providing insights into user engagement and supporting effective digital resource planning."



Library Team wants you to know

Library Team wants you to know about - [IndianJournals.com](https://www.IndianJournals.com), a comprehensive platform showcasing more than 250+ Indian academic and professional journals across 18 disciplines, offering an essential gateway to credible, India-focused scholarship. Dedicated exclusively to elevating Indian research, it connects authors, researchers, publishers, and institutions, making high-quality national research more visible and accessible. It has 12 collections namely - [Agriculture Science](#), [Animal Science](#), [Applied Science and Technology](#), [Biotechnology and Life Sciences](#), [Business Economics and Management](#), [Computer Science](#), [Horticulture](#), [Library Science](#), [Medical Science](#), [Nursing](#), [Pharmacy](#) and [Social Science](#).

The publishers represented on this platform come from India's leading academic and professional bodies, spanning major subject domains such as **Agriculture and Plant Sciences**, **Veterinary and Animal Sciences**, **Biological Sciences**, **Medical and Allied Health Sciences**, **Engineering and Technology**, **Environmental Sciences**, **Social Sciences**, **Economics**, **Management**, **Law & Public Policy**, **Library and Information Science**, and **Communication**. This breadth reflects the depth and diversity of India's scholarly ecosystem, bringing together high-quality, domain-specific and interdisciplinary research. Whether you are conducting a literature review, seeking India-centric studies, or exploring publication avenues, IndianJournals.com offers a rich and reliable source of knowledge—one we encourage our academic community to actively explore and benefit from.