## DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

I am pleased to inform you that GNLU Journal of Law, Development and Politics is launching its second issue of this academic year. GJLDP is dedicated to express views on topical issues, thereby generating a cross current of ideas on emerging legal and developmental issues. Gujarat National Law University aims to develop as a centre of excellence in legal studies and by launching GJLDP, GNLU is contributing its share in the dialogue between law, development and politics. I can assure our readers that GJLDP will be conducive to integrating interdisciplinary facets of law so as to give a holistic dimension to legal learning.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to our esteemed Board of Editors who have extended their unflinching support for the launch of this second issue. I also wish to convey my sincere gratitude to the erudite personalities who have contributed invaluable articles for publication. I hope you find this issue resourceful.

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