



## **Report**

### **Visit to Glenmark Research center, Sinnar, Nashik**

A visit by MET's Institute of Pharmacy have been organized for the faculty members. The team headed by Dr. Sanjay J. Kshirsagar alongwith Dr. M. P. Patil, Dr. S. S. Sonawane and Dr. P. B. Udavant visited Glenmark Research Center on 17/02/2016. The intention of the visit was to have interaction with the scientist of the organization on issues like advancements in the areas like analytical and formulation development, projects undertaken by Glenmark and opportunities for the students for training and placement.

Mr. Nitin Deshmukh, General Manager (R&D) had explained the organizational structure, research areas of the top level officials and their responsibilities in Glenmark and facilities available for development of product for global and domestic market. He also elaborated the presence of Glenmark worldwide.

During visit Mr. Kavde, Group Leader, Analytical department thoroughly discussed the ongoing activities in analytical department for development of solid, topical and inhalation products. Glenmark Research Center has created state-of-the art GMP R&D facilities where the team members have visited all the departments and had good interaction with their scientist. During conversation with Dr. Suresh Rajurkar, who is working as a Scientist; it was observed that the in house developed milling technique (Bead mill) could be an important tool for dissolution and bioavailability enhancement of poorly water soluble drugs.

Dr. Rakshit, Group Leader, Analytical department provided the guidance on selection of students for training and placement in the organization. He discussed some important issues of students for training.

In overall the visit was very interactive and provided the platform for faculty as well as students.

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