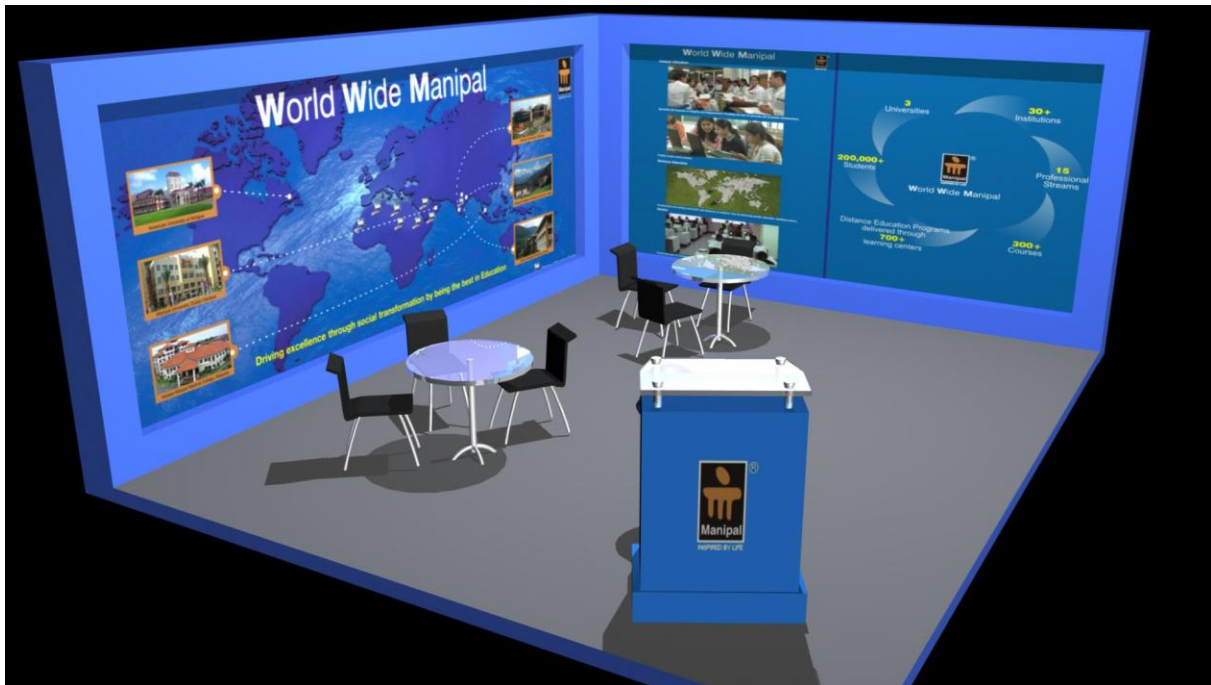


Sikkim Manipal University's Distance Education Programme: 'Catalysing Change' at EDGE 2010



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Directorate of Distance Education



Manipal Education is principal sponsor for EDGE 2010 (Emerging Directions in Global Education) scheduled **from 3rd – 5th March, 2010** at the India Habitat Center, New Delhi.

VIDYADEEP
CASE STUDY CONTEST

**GRAND
FINALE
@EDGE**

**SMU – DE'S MANAGEMENT
STUDENTS SHOW THEIR
PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS
JUDGED BY A
DISTINGUISHED PANEL.**

**Contest begins at 8.30am
Awards ceremony at 12.30pm**



The conference will consist of an International Conference and Workshops, Exhibition on global education trends, attended by dignitaries, govt. officials, industry captains and trend-setters in the field of higher education.

Widely covered by international and national media, EDGE 2010 will be inaugurated by **Shri. Kapil Sibal, Hon'ble Minister for HRD** on 4th March 2010.

Dr. Martha Kanter, Under Secretary, **Education Department, US Government** will lead the delegation.

The national level finals for Vidyadeep, SMU-DE's **national case study competition for MBA students will be hosted at EDGE.** Previous events @ 4 zones saw winners being picked to present their solutions to a business case study at EDGE 2010.

The Sikkim Manipal University's Distance Education (**SMU-DE**) programme has more than 3 lac students on its rolls and is one of the largest student strengths of Distance Education in India.

Vidyadeep provides students scholarship opportunities as well as the opportunity to present their business aptitude to industry and academic experts at EDGE 2010. Winners will also bag prizes worth more than Rs.1.5 lac.

Manipal Education will also host a stall at EDGE 2010. For more details visit <http://www.smude.edu.in>