




INTERNATIONAL  
INSTITUTE OF  
GEMOLOGY  
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YEARS OF  
EXCELLENCE

A chessboard with chess pieces and several pieces of jewelry, including a crown and rings with large blue diamonds. The chessboard is black and white, and the pieces are black and white. The jewelry is gold and silver, featuring large blue diamonds and smaller clear diamonds. The crown is gold with a large blue diamond in the center and smaller clear diamonds around it. The rings are silver with large blue diamonds and smaller clear diamonds. The chess pieces are black and white, with the king piece being white and the other pieces being black. The king piece is in the center of the board, and the other pieces are arranged around it. The jewelry is scattered across the board, with the crown in the center and the rings around it.

The International Institute of Gemology (IIG) has established itself as a renowned institution in the fields of Gemology, Diamond, Jewellery Designing and Merchandising education.

MR.  
**KANTI DESAI**  
FOUNDER

As a distinguished professional in the jewellery industry, your expertise is invaluable to us. We're dedicated to enhancing our institute's offerings and serving our students better, and your feedback would greatly aid us in achieving these goals. Whether through a brief call or a questionnaire, we'd greatly appreciate your insights. Thank you for considering this request, we look forward to hearing from you.



MR.  
**RAHUL DESAI**  
CEO  
& MD



Manoeuvring Jewellery &  
Gemstone Landscape with  
the constant commitment to  
creativity & innovation.

# About

Since 1965, the International Institute of Gemology (IIG) has led gemological education. Our curriculum covers gem identification, jewellery design and industry practices, preparing students for success. With experienced experts, we offer top-notch education and stay ahead with research and partnerships. Join us for a transformative journey into the gemological world.

**I**NTELLECT  
**I**NTEGRITY  
**G**ROWTH

Unleash the full potential of every student and get them ready to conquer the global stage.

**Mission**

Sparkle with knowledge, shine with passion, and leave a lasting legacy in the world of gems and jewellery.

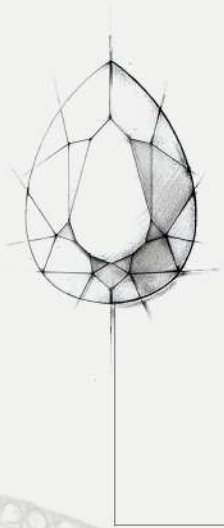
**Vision**

At IIG, we're driven by core values: enabling, empowering, and inspiring dreams in the gems and jewellery community. Through talent and global exposure, we foster a culture of continuous learning and ethical leadership.

**Values**



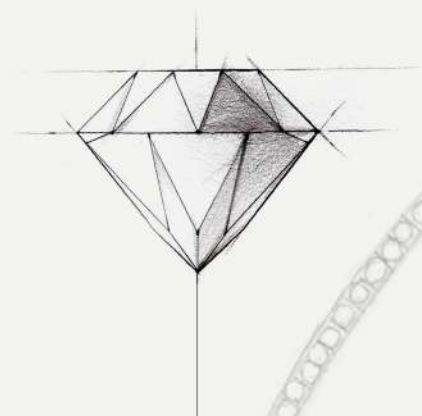
# Educational Courses



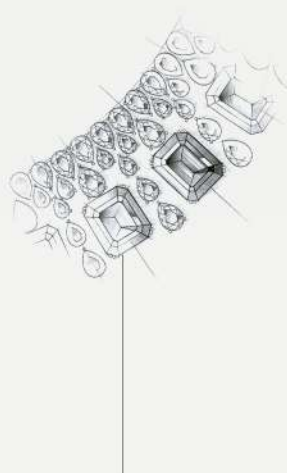
Masters In Gems-Jewellery & Mfg.  
Masters In Gems & Jewellery  
Masters In Gemology  
Gemology Graduate  
The Big 5 - Gem World Esentials  
Ruby Sapphire Emerald (The Big 3)  
Navratnam  
Pearl Graduate

## GEMOLOGY

Masters In Diamonds™  
Rough Diamond Graduate  
Diamond Graduate  
Advanced Diamond Grading  
Polished Diamond Grading  
Diamond Training Course



## DIAMONDS



Masters In Jewellery Design & Mfg.  
Masters In Jewellery Design  
Jewellery Design Graduate  
Jewellery Design Manual Professional  
Jewellery Design CAD Professional  
Jewellery Merchandising Professional  
Jewellery Retail Sales Management  
Jewellery Manufacturing Techniques

## JEWELLERY



# WHY IIG?



Over 1,00,000 professionals graduated till date



Experienced and senior faculties



Globally recognized programs



Affordable installment facility & online payment options



Visits to international markets



Practical real-world education



Flexible timings with online & on-campus courses



World-class study environment & equipment



Career guidance & 100% job assistance



IV to manufacturing Units & Indian Markets



50+ Glorious Years of Excellence in G&J Education



Online courses available

# The Jewels of IIG

## **Nofar Moryesef** Diamond Graduate

It will help me further in my business plan. It has given me a lot of in depth knowledge about diamonds and I plan on implementing it in my further careers in Diamonds.

## **Chhaya Saran** Masters In Gemology

I believe that the Masters In Gemology course at IIG is excellent. IIG programs are market oriented and helped me professionally. Thankyou IIG for helping me build a new career in the gems and jewellery industry.

## **Deepika Baid** Masters In Jewellery Design

The IIG course has allowed me to enhance the skills of jewellery designing, Merchandising, CAD, Rhino, etc. thereby helping me in achieving the required skill set to achieve my goals of becoming an entrepreneur and opening my boutique. I recommend the MIJD and other programs at IIG.



# IIG Campus



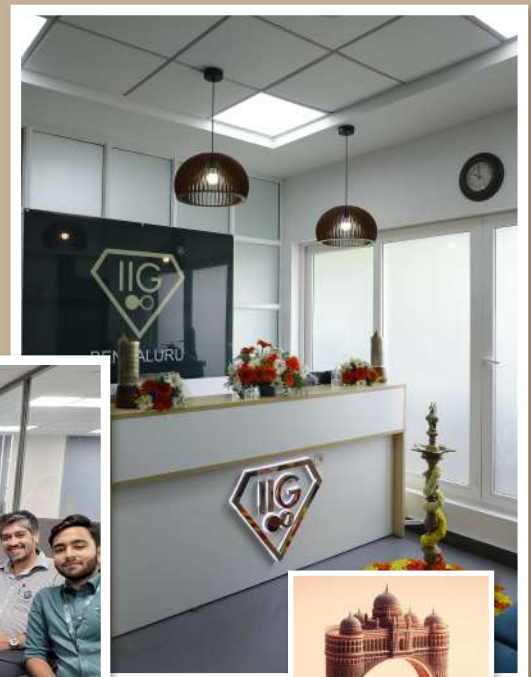
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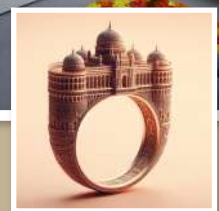
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Mumbai



Surat



Bengaluru



# Gems of Wisdom

## Industry Testimonials which speak volumes



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It is heartening to note that IIG is giving a very valuable contribution to the diamond industry by empowering the youngsters to pursue insights of diamonds right from its manufacturing to marketing. I wish you all the best in your endeavor for grooming successful entrepreneurs of future.

**Ghanshyam Dholakia**  
**Hari Krishna Exports Pvt Ltdz**

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IIG is an excellent institute and is doing a great job training students from not only jewellery background but also students from outside the industry. I would love to help the institute and the students in any way possible.

**K. Shrinivasan**  
**Emerald Jewel Industry India Limited**



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As CEO of the international Institute of Gemology [IIG], Rahul has been an admirable mentor, educator and motivator. Over the last 2 decades, he has been instrumental in carving over 25,000 careers in Gems & Jewellery. Rahul's rich experience makes him the perfect fit to execute our vision of providing education and skill sets.

**Mr. Nilesh Chhabaria**  
**COO, Finestar Diamonds**



# IBJA Skill Development Council

IIG is now a proud partner of Indian Bullion and Jewellers Association Ltd (IBJA).

As part of this collaboration, our very own CEO, Mr. Rahul Desai, has been appointed as the Vice President of the IBJA Skill Development Council.

## Courses Offered:

- Polished Diamond Grading
- Advanced Diamond Grading
- Jewellery Designing Manual Basic
- Jewellery Designing Manual Advance
- Jewellery Designing CAD Basic
- Jewellery Designing CAD Advance
- Jewellery Retail Sales Management



# Finestar Educational Institute

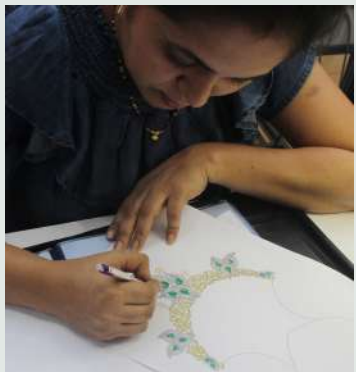
Mr. Rahul Desai, CEO of IIG, has been appointed as the Executive Director of Finestar Educational Institute (Division of Santoktara Jain Charitable Trust).



FINESTAR

As the owner of IIG, I'm proud that our institute shapes futures. Daily, I'm touched by our community's passion and dedication. Together, we build careers, forge connections, and nurture dreams. I'm grateful for this journey, where each success story proves the power of education and the human spirit.







We are proud to announce that the **International Institute of Gemology (IIG)** has been officially certified as an Accredited Teaching Centre for the Gem-A's Gemmology Foundation and Gemmology Diploma courses.



# Affiliations

DE BEERS GROUP



De Beers Group - Institute of Diamonds (London)

Gem Color Academy Gemewizard (Israel)

Gem A - Gemological Institute of London



INDIA BULLION AND JEWELLERS ASSOCIATION LTD. Since 1919



IBJA Skill Development Council, India



World Gem Foundation (Spain)



Venus Grading System (India)



The Designer's Class



Star Gems (USA)



University of Mumbai Certificate Programs



K.P.B. Hiduja College of Commerce & Economics, Mumbai



Siddhivinayak Group of Institutions

# Collaboration



Viva International HK Ltd. (Hongkong)



Laxmi Diamonds (Bengaluru)



Finestar Jewellery & Diamonds Pvt. Ltd. (India)

# Awards & Accolades



Education Institute of the Year: GJTCl Excellence Awards 2021



Best Educational Institute: 7th India Bullion & Jewellery Awards 2022



Trailblazing Gems & Jewellery Institute of Bengaluru - Retail Jeweller Award South Forum '24



NATIONAL JEWELLERY AWARDS



# Alumni Success

## National Jewellery Awards

- Saloni Agarwal - 2019
- Viraj Palkar - 2021
- Dhanashree Narkhede - 2022
- Rabia Nazir Malik - 2022
- Ritwika Dutta - 2022
- Abhishek Kanhe - 2023

## IJ Design Awards - Emerging Designer of The Year

- Simran Rawal - 2022
- Poorvi Mehra - 2023

## Golden Girl Awards

- Rakhee Biswas Deb - 2023

## Artisan Awards

- Pooja Mohnani - 2021
- Shruti Agarwal - 2023

## Jewelbuzz Iconic Awards

- Dhanashree Narkhede 2023

## Retail Jewellers Guild Awards- Women Entrepreneur

- Mahek Jain 2022



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