



INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR HUMANITARIAN FORENSICS

... India leading a new frontier in the discipline of
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ICHF is the initiative borne out of unique partnership between Gujarat Forensic Sciences University (GFSU) and the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC). It is the world's first institutionalisation of Humanitarian Forensic Action within the first university of its kind, GFSU.

It is envisioned to be the one-stop Centre of Excellence in Asia for global high quality and sustainable capacity building, research and innovative projects that

will underpin operational responses for Humanitarian Forensic Action when the need arises.

The Centre will conduct various academic and professional programmes/training, carry out relevant researches and provide technical expertise to support operations and/or consultancy services in the field of Humanitarian Forensics towards addressing the needs and challenges of management of the dead, including



forensic human identification, and support to affected individuals, families and communities in the aftermath of a disaster.

ICHF will also posit sociocultural realities in the application of forensic sciences to addressing humanitarian needs, and through evidence based research, clearly define acceptable practices in a given context with high premium placed on

respect for the local population and jurisdictional authorities, and application of appropriate ethical considerations.

Therefore, ICHF is the institutionalisation of Humanitarian Forensic Action from India to the rest of the world.

ICHF STANDS ON THE FOLLOWING TRIPOD OF HUMANITARIAN FORENSICS:



Research/Innovations



Teaching/Training



Services/Consultancies



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