

## **IITGN alumnus is now Schmidt Science fellow**

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An alumnus of the Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar is one of the 14 across the globe to have received the prestigious Schmidt Science fellowship. The fellowship aims to develop next generation of leaders and innovators in the field of natural science, engineering, mathematics and computing.

Yogesh Goyal belongs to the first batch of IITGN and graduated in 2012 with a gold medal. After completing his engineering, he joined Princeton University from where he received his doctorate in chemical engineering in 2017.

He is among the fourteen Schmidt Science fellows who has been selected from across the world after a rigorous evaluation based on scientific curiosity, extraordinary achievement, intellectual spark, and global ambitions. The Schmidt Science fellows program initiates \$25 million programme with Rhodes trust to focus on scientific leadership and interdisciplinary research. Under the programme, Yogesh will work to address medical challenges using novel theoretical and computational approaches.

The programme will feature five weeks of high-level courses and experiential workshops.

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