

Vikramajit Singh Sanatan Dharma College
Azad Nagar, Kanpur

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RESEARCH POLICY DOCUMENT

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V.S.S.D. PG College, Kanpur focuses on promoting Research Culture by complementing it with teaching & learning in which freedom of inquiry, thought, initiative, expression, innovation and publication are given the fullest cooperation and protection. In this regard, as per UGC & AICTE guidelines, Research and Development Cell and Institution's Innovation Council have been constituted in the college. The Research policy document presents broad principles that guide the research activities upholding the values and integrity of scholarly inquiry that helps the faculty and students in achieving excellence and contributing to the scientific temper, academic endeavour, socio-cultural fabric and national development.

Aims and Objectives:

The research policy aims to create and support a research environment among its faculty, research scholars and students and leverage it for enriching and enhancing the professional competence by:

1. Developing and promoting scientific temper, interdisciplinary approach and research aptitudes amongst all learners.
2. Realising the vision and mission of the college and facilitating their participation in research, innovation and related activities.
3. Providing the proper guidance, necessary resources and appropriate facilities for smooth and qualitative research & development work such as use of plagiarism check and DOI generation software.
4. Strengthening the institutional capacity for planning, budgeting, and execution and monitoring over all research activities.
5. Fostering socially & culturally relevant research and promoting multidisciplinary approach.
6. Developing rules, procedures and guidelines for granting support, awards and all other motivational activities.
7. Guiding faculty members in the effective manner to integrate research projects with the regular curriculum implementation and enrichment activities.
8. Identifying, collaborating and establishing linkages and mutual contracts including MOUs with National/ International/ Government/ Non-Government/ Industry/ Research organizations and Local academic & financial institutions to benefit from the activities and programmes conducted by those organisations for widening the scope of the research opportunities, obtaining sponsorships and funding options available.
9. Encouraging and facilitating the faculty to get research projects and research grants from National/ International/ Government/ Non-Government/ Industry/ Research organizations and to publish their research articles/ papers/field work/project reports in reputed academic journals.

10. Serving as a facilitator to provide professional guidance, technical support and recommendation for financial assistance.
11. Compiling data on all the research work/projects undertaken by the faculty, research scholars and students in to the Research and Development Cell database for easy monitoring and analysis of the progress of research work.
12. Drawing and adopting a research code, which informs all researchers about the ethical and legal norms and principles to be followed in the conduct of research.
13. Preparing and implement a research quality assurance mechanism for ensuring that all research activities of the institution conform to standard quality specifications.
14. To publish an international peer reviewed multidisciplinary research Journal.

Scope of the Research Policy:

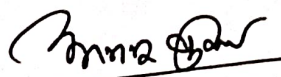
This policy shall apply to all the researchers of the college and for the purpose of this policy 'researchers' are defined to include:

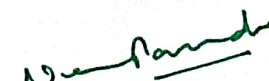
- All faculty members, temporary and permanent, who are active in teaching and research in the college.
- All students registered with the college — undergraduate, post-graduate and doctoral candidates.
- All mentors, guides, external experts, industry partners associated with any of the research activities of the college.

Research Activities:

This policy shall apply to all the research and related activities of the college and for the purpose of this policy research and related activities will include:

1. Research activities including basic and applied research undertaken for fulfilling the requirements of academic degrees.
2. Scholarly activities intended to expand knowledge boundaries by analysis, synthesis and interpretation of ideas and information by making use of various methodologies.
3. Knowledge compilation for academic developments in any knowledge domain such as writing of textbooks, chapters of textbooks or developing/updating curriculum, etc.
4. Research Projects of faculty members.
5. Research projects of students undertaken as part of the curriculum or for enriching it.
6. Publications and presentations on research work and related topics.


Co-convener, R & D Cell


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