



CHRIST CHURCH COLLEGE, KANPUR

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL (RDC)

POLICY DOCUMENT

Introduction:

In line with the UGC initiative launched in March 2022, Christ Church College, Kanpur is establishing a Research & Development Cell (RDC) to foster quality research aligned with the objectives of the National Education Policy 2020 (NEP-2020) and contribute to the vision of a self-reliant India.

Vision:

To establish a robust mechanism fostering research excellence within the institution, under NEP-2020.

Mission:

- Create a conducive environment for elevated research productivity.
- Encourage collaboration across industry, government, community-based organizations, and agencies at local, national, and international levels.
- Facilitate greater access to research through resource mobilization and funding.

Functions of the RDC:

1. Financial Assistance and Grants: Refer to UGC guidelines and formulate an action plan for obtaining financial assistance and grants from UGC and other relevant agencies for infrastructure development, faculty development, research projects, labs, seminars/conferences, etc.
2. Departmental Collaboration: Collaborate with departments on finance, infrastructure, collaboration, intellectual property rights (IPR), and the research ecosystem. Develop a comprehensive action plan and policy.
3. Encourage faculty members to apply for financial assistance for major/minor research projects and seminars/conferences from research funding agencies such as UGC, CSIR, DST, ICSSR, UP Higher Education Council, etc.
4. Quarterly Meetings: Conduct RDC meetings at least once every quarter.
5. Document agendas, minutes, and Action Taken Reports with official signatures.
6. Maintain a file for subsequent upload on the college website.

Review and Update:

This policy document shall be subject to periodic review and necessary amendments under changing requirements and the evolving research landscape.

Adherence:

All faculty members, departments, and stakeholders are expected to adhere to the policies outlined in this document.


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