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ಕಛೇರಿ ಪತ್ರ

ವಿಷಯ: ದಿನಾಂಕ 10-11-2020 ರಂದು ನಡೆದ ಸಿಂಡಿಕೇಟ್ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡ  
ತೀರ್ಮಾನದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮುಂದಿನ ಕ್ರಮಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: ಸಿಂಡಿಕೇಟ್ ಸಭೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10-11-2020

ಮೇಲ್ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ವಿಷಯ ಹಾಗೂ ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ದಿನಾಂಕ 10-11-2020 ರಂದು ನಡೆದ  
ಸಿಂಡಿಕೇಟ್ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಭಾಗಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಾಣಿಸಿದಂತೆ ತೀರ್ಮಾನವನ್ನು  
ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ಕಾರ್ಯ ಸೂಚಿ ವಿವರ ಹಾಗೂ ಕೈಗೊಂಡ ತೀರ್ಮಾನಗಳು
1	2020/11/02	ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಕ್ಕೆ ನ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾನ್ಯತೆ ಪಡೆಯುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, IQAC ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ನೀಡಿರುವ ವಿವಿಧ ನೀತಿ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು (Policy Documents) ಅನುಮೋದನೆ ನೀಡುವ ಕುರಿತು.
	ತೀರ್ಮಾನ	ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಕ್ಕೆ ನ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾನ್ಯತೆ ಪಡೆಯುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಸಿಂಡಿಕೇಟ್ ಸಭೆಯು ವಿವಿಧ ನೀತಿ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು (Policy Documents) ಸರ್ವಾನುಮತದಿಂದ ಅನುಮೋದನೆ ನೀಡಿತು. 1. Policy document on Promotion of Research (3.1.1) 2. Code of ethics for Research Document (3.4.1) 3. Policy document detailing scheme of incentives (3.4.2) 4. Consultancy Policy (3.5.1) 5. IT Policy (4.3.2) 6. Policy document for award of scholarship and freeship (5.1.1) 7. Policy document on e-governance (6.2.3) 8. Policy document on providing financial support to teachers (6.3.2) 9. Policy document on green campus (7.1.5) 10. Policy document on environment and energy usage (7.1.6) 11. Policy document for disabled friendly, barrier free environment (7.1.7) 12. Policy document on code of ethics (7.1.10)

ಮೇಲ್ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ತೀರ್ಮಾನದನ್ವಯ, ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಭಾಗವು ನಿಯಮಾನುಸಾರವಾಗಿ ಮುಂದಿನ ಕ್ರಮಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು  
ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಕುಲಸಚಿವರು

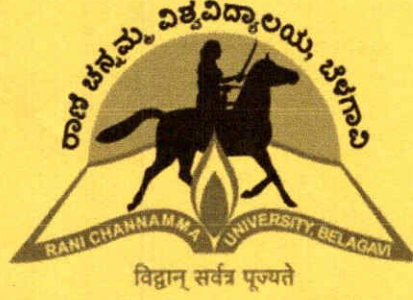
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## **POLICY DOCUMENT ON PROMOTION OF RESEARCH**



RESEARCH POLICY @  
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UNIVERSITY, BELAGAVI

2016

Framed by the Research Advisory Committee of RCU, Belagavi



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RCU envisions creating a research culture for achieving international distinction through excellence in research and innovation by exploring novel research paradigms and promoting research to address at the International, National, State, Local level and Societal challenges.

RCU has been consistently harnessing Research and Development activities through a broad-based **Research Advisory Committee** formed to implement the following objectives and advise the authorities to issue Office Orders.

- Research Policy & Consultancy Policy in accordance with UGC/ NAAC requirements
- Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR) Certificate
- Intellectual Property Right (IPR) issues in accordance with Indian Patent Act
- Information Technology (IT) Policy and Infrastructure
- Safety Audit Policy
- Ethical and Plagiarism issues as per UGC guidelines
- Projects and External funding activity
- Any other issues related to smooth function of R & D activities

The committee is comprised of the senior and active faculty members from different discipline. The proceedings of the meeting held and orders issue through the Registrar based on the recommendation of the R & D Advisory committee are useful for promotion of research in RCU. Accordingly, RCU has adopted the Research Policy drafted by the research advisory committee. The main focus has been the Guidelines for Research Scholars in accordance with the Common regulation, faculty research and collaborations, external and external funding for R&D activities and dissemination of knowledge through publications, seminars/conference etc.

Towards this endeavor, RCU is committed to fostering a research culture in the University by encouraging research initiatives across the School of Basic Sciences, Applied Sciences, Mathematical and Computing Sciences, Business and Economics, Social Sciences, Languages, Classical Kannada studies, Criminology and Criminal Justice, Education etc.

1. **Research Policy:** of RCU is mainly governed by the UGU regulations, Karnataka State Universities Act, Common Regulations for Ph.D. Programs and other procedures as mentioned below. All these rules and Acts are modified/ amended



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time to time as per the requirements of regulatory bodies at the Central and State Govt as well as external funding agencies after due approval from competent authorities (wherever necessary the matter is placed before the Academic Council and/or Syndicate meetings).

2. **Departmental Council & Doctoral Committee:** All the major decisions from admission of Research Scholars (Ph.D.) to their submission/ award of degree, Departmental Council & Doctoral Committee (consisting of at least one external expert) are responsible as per common regulations for Ph.D. degree adopted by RCU.
3. **Fellowships:** The fellowships and contingency grants are provided to SC/ST and OBC Research Scholars for a period of 3 years as per the RCU norms. The Research Scholars selected under externally funded projects (Research Assistants/ JRFs/SRFs/Research Associates/Post-Doctoral Fellows) are provided with the fellows and research facilities as per the RCU and funding agency norms.
4. **Student Projects:** In addition to regular research projects undertaken by post graduate degree students, they are also encouraged to sponsored research projects and summer research from different agencies such as KSCST and VGST, Govt. of Karnataka. Many students from Science streams have availed such projects and benefited in enhancing their domain knowledge. Undergraduate students of the affiliated colleges are also given access to make use of the Research facilities and guidance with prior permission.
5. **Innovation Projects:** Faculty members are encouraged to write a research proposal for external funding agencies like ICSSR, MHRD, UGC, DST, DBT, BRNS, etc. The permanent faculty members need to submit the Research Proposal with the permission from RCU authorities, wherever necessary. A dedicated Project handling section is established to process the external funded projects from their inception to successful completion.
6. **Internal funding/ Start-up grant:** RCU is providing 0.5 to 1 lakh as seed-money for minor research projects undertaken by its junior faculty members. An easy to handle guidelines are issue for proper utilization of the funding and evaluation of progress is made through external experts.
7. **Publications:** Faculty members are free to publish their Research work in the journals/ periodicals by mentioning their affiliation as RCU and/or the place of work done. If the work is done with the financial support from external funding agencies (e.g., ICSSR,



  
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MHRD, UGC, DST, DBT, BRNS, etc.) due acknowledgement should be given to them and permission should be sought, if necessary. The concerned Research scholars and collaborators can be published jointly as per their understanding and norms of the publication agency. Usually the concerned Research supervisor will be the corresponding author for the Ph.D. Scholars. The Publications charges for individual faculty member or students is not borne by the RCU unless special permission is obtained. The publications from *PRASARANGA* (internal publishing unit) will follow RCU norms.

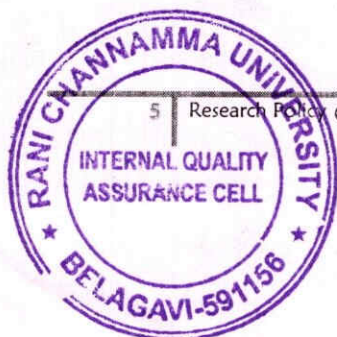
8. **IPR Cell and Patent Fund:** The Intellectual Property Rights Cell became operational since 2016 in RCU. This was created to facilitate patent filing and maintenance. The guidelines for patent filing and collaborative research have been formulated and a patent fund has been set up for the faculty members of University. Although the faculty member is free to file a Patent either individually or through the RCU (as per the convenience), the permission should be sought from RCU authorities and/or funding agency.
9. **University-Industry Interaction Cell:** RCU has launched the University-Industry Cell (UIC) in 2017. The primary objective of this cell is to help facilitate interface between the University and the Industry so that students get more exposure to the Industry which would help to develop their skills and in turn increase their employability as well as entrepreneurship. Symposia are held involving local and national level industrialists to encourage possible consultation with faculty members and provide an opportunity for students to prepare themselves for professional life / environment with required skills.
10. **Incubation center:** RCU has a mechanism to help new and startup companies/ business centres or offshoot technologies to develop by providing technical services such as management / technical training or Laboratory space, faculty advice and related assistance including proposals for funding / loan from MSME/banks. Also, Centre of excellence are established to go for pilot-plot scale or community level implementation of established process and technologies. These activities are in tune with Startup India & Make in India Mission towards building Atmanirbhar Bharat.
11. **Study Chairs:** RCU has dedicated study centres on great personalities and social movements to sensitize the students and social communities towards their overall development. RCU is actively involved in Language development programme focusing 'Vocal to Local' towards Kannada and Marathi literature.





12. **Oversea Centre for Foreign Students:** In order to facilitate the admission of foreign students, RCU has set-up this Centre with a Nodal officer.
13. **Research Centers at Affiliated Colleges:** In order to encourage the research and innovation activities in its affiliated Colleges, RCU has recognized several Research centers wherein the eligible faculty members are recognized as Research Guides and allowed to enroll Ph.D. scholars as per RCU norms.
14. **Monitoring the Quality of Research:** In accordance with UGC norms, it is mandatory for all the Researchers to adhere with Ethics in Research during their publication and platforms to disseminate the knowledge. A similarity check (plagiarism) report should be submitted by research scholars during the submission of their dissertation as per the UGC and RCU norms. The consent of Institutional ethical committee is taken when the Principal Investigator requested for the same
15. **Seminars/ Conferences:** RCU supports the faculty members to organize State/ National/ International level Seminars/Workshops/ Conferences to disseminate the knowledge and promote the visibility, collaborations and excellence. RCU also provide financial assistance (Registration and Travel Fee) to faculty members to attend at least one such scientific events anywhere in India and abroad once in two years. Many innovative practices are introduced with the aim of bringing new insights in knowledge and an innovative spirit among students, research scholars and faculty members. Interdisciplinary research is encouraged to encourage collaboration and joint publications.
16. **Equipment /Facility Maintenance grant:** RCU provides an annual maintenance grant for its basic R&D facilities established through internal/external funding through Annual budget allocation or through special permission. Contingency and Overhead grants of the externally funded projects are allowed to make use for such expenditures as per the RCU and funding agency norms.
17. **Annual Reports & Self-Appraisal:** It is mandatory for all the faculty members to provide the details of outcome of their R & D activities in Annual Reports of the concerned Department and Self-Appraisal of the individual Faculty member.

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