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Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

Research and IPR Policy



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RESEARCH CELL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT CELL POLICY

Ghanshyamdas Saraf College of Arts and Commerce outlines its research and IPR policy to support high-quality research that creates a sound knowledge-based society by protecting legal and ethical requirements.

Purpose of Research Cell

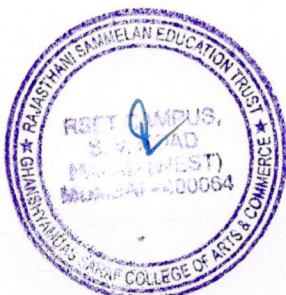
The main focus of this policy is to provide an attitude of inquiry, nurture scientific thinking, enhance research abilities, and provide capacity building. The policy makes the institution feel a research spirit, which includes envisioning, encouraging, and systematically supporting all these goals.

Intellectual Property Rights Cell

The research cell has a well-structured IPR cell. The rationale for this IPR policy lies in the need to create awareness about the importance of IPR as a financial asset and economic tool among the researchers, faculty and students of the college. Under the broad category of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), human creations such as works of art, symbols, innovations, and designs need to be safeguarded in order to be recognized and to reap financial rewards. The institute promotes creativity, research and a supportive environment in addition to teaching and extension activities.

Scope

Applicable to all faculty, students, and collaborations involving the college's resources or name.



Objectives

- Fostering Impactful Multidisciplinary Research
- Allocate resources and funding to support research initiatives.
- Ensure ethical and structured dissemination of research findings.
- Establish regulations and mandates for effective governance of research and development.
- Promote best research practices among faculty and students.
- Cultivate a strong research culture with a focus on ethical considerations.
- Develop guidelines for accessing financial support for research.
- Facilitate collaborations, MoUs, and interdisciplinary research opportunities.
- To foster awareness and enlighten on Intellectual property rights (IPR) among faculty and students of the college.
- To instruct and counsel academics and students on the value of intellectual property rights.

Governance Research and IPR Committee (RC)

Chaired by the Principal, the RC includes faculty and external advisors, overseeing:

- Proposal approvals
- Ethical compliance
- Resource allocation
- Progress monitoring

Funding/ financial Assistance for Research

- 50% Re-imbursement of fees is granted to the teaching faculty for research papers published in UGC care journals.
- In-house faculty participation & publication fees for conferences conducted by the college are given at concessional rates
- Any other research funding based on the proposal put forth by in-house researchers.
- Funding for innovative research proposal and patents are also encouraged by the college.



Resources

- Access to college library, databases, and tools
- Dedicated spaces and training programs for researchers
- Access to resources from other organizations on demand

Roles & Responsibilities

- The regular meetings will be held for planning and execution of the activities
- Organizing workshops, conferences and symposia based on Research methodology, intellectual property rights and related topics
- After the end of Academic Year report shall be submitted by the Committee
- Policy reviews will be conducted periodically and approved by the Governing Council.




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