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Minutes

Minutes of the 49th Research Committee Meeting held at the VC Conference Room of The ICFAI University, Dehradun on June 05, 2024, at 11:30 AM in Physical Mode.

Officials Present:

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| 1. Prof. (Dr.) Ram Karan Singh, Vice-Chancellor, IUD | Chairman |
| 2. Prof. (Dr.) Rajaram Bal, Sr. Principal Scientist
CSIR-IIP, Dehradun, Uttarakhand | Member (External) |
| 3. Prof. (Dr.) R.C. Ramola, Registrar, IUD | Member |
| 4. Prof. (Dr.) Santanu Roy, Director, ICFAI Business School | Member |
| 5. Prof. (Dr.) Tapan Kumar Chandola, Dean, ICFAI Law School | Member |
| 6. Prof. (Dr.) Arun Kumar Singh, Director, IQAC, IUD | Invitee |
| 7. Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, Dean-In charge, ICFAI Tech School | Member |
| 8. Dr. Meena Bhandari, Head, ICFAI Education School, Dehradun | Member |
| 9. Dr. Puneet Kumar Gupta, Research Coordinator,
Research and Development Cell, IUD | Member Secretary |

The chairperson greeted the Research Committee members and attendees, formally commencing the meeting, and asked the research coordinator to present the agenda items. Subsequently, the meeting deliberated on the following items.

49.01. Grant of leave of absence, if any: Leave of absence was granted to Dr. Usha Pathak (External Members) due to her unavailability.

49.02. Confirmation of the Minutes of the 48th Meeting of the Research Committee

The minutes of the 48th meeting of the Research Committee of the ICFAI University, Dehradun were received and confirmed by all the members of the committee.

49.03. Follow-up action on the Minutes of the 48th Meeting of the Research Committee

The follow-up action taken were presented and discussed.



49.04. Approval of Cancellation of Registration from Ph.D. Program

The committee approved the cancellation of the registration of Jaya Agarwal (ID No.- RSILS170073) from the Ph.D. program in alignment with clause 13 of Ph.D. Program Rules and Regulations, 2017 of The ICFAI University, Dehradun. The chairperson directed the Research Coordinator to promptly issue official letters notifying the respective candidates about the cancellation of her registration from the Ph.D. program.

49.05. Approval of Admission Policy & Selection Procedure for Ph.D. Program 2024-25

The Research Coordinator presented the Ph.D. admission guidelines for the academic session 2024-25. The committee discussed the policy and approved the same with minor changes (Annexure-RCM 49.01).

49.06. Approval of IUD Research Promotion Policy, 2024

The Research Coordinator presented the IUD Research Promotion Policy, 2024 for approval. The committee discussed the policy and approved the same with minor changes (Annexure-RCM 49.02).

49.07. Ph.D. Degree to be awarded in the 11th convocation of the University

The committee noted that the Ph.D. degree will be awarded to the following six (06) research scholars:

S. No.	ID. No.	Name of Scholar	Subject	Supervisor	Thesis Title	Date of Final Viva-Voce
1	RSIBS200061	Ogirala Rama Seshagiri Rao	Management	Dr. Puneet Kumar Gupta	Teachers' Perspectives on integrating modern Educational Technologies in Higher Education	04-10-2023
2	RSIBS170071	Itisha Sharma	Management	Dr. Deepti Kiran	Sustainability and growth of Charter operators – An Industry Analysis in Indian Perspective	05-10-2023
3	RSIBS140025	Gurleen Kaur	Management	Dr. Deepti Kiran	A Study of Performance Appraisal and its Impact on Job Satisfaction in Pharmaceutical Companies of Punjab	31-10-2023
4	RSIBS180075	Pooja Prakash Srivastava	Management	Dr. Mohd. Imran	Factors affecting the Success of Women entrepreneurs: A Study of Dehradun and Zirakpur District	12-12-2023
5	RSITS180082	Shekhar	Electronics & Communication Engineering	Dr. Gaurav Bhandari & Dr. Sudanshu Tyagi	Allocation of Dynamic Bandwidth to Enhance Quality of Service in Internet of Things using Machine Learning	01-02-2024
6	RSITS180081	Priya Bhardwaj	Computer Science & Engineering	Dr. Sanjeev Kumar & Dr. Yogesh Kumar	Premature Detection of Gastric Lesions Using Hybrid Deep Learning Techniques	23-02-2024

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49.08. Summary of Activities of Ph.D. Program

The committee noted the details of the twenty-eight (28) activities of the Ph.D. program conducted by the Research and Development Cell since 24.02.2024.

49.09. Status of Ph.D. Research Scholars

The committee noted the detailed status of seventy (70) Ph.D. research scholars of the university.

49.10. Number of JRFs, SRFs, Post-Doctoral Fellows, Research Associates, and other research fellows enrolled in the institution during the last five years

The committee noted the current status of doctoral fellows of the university

Academic Year	No. of Doctoral Fellow Recruited	No. of Active Doctoral Fellow (as on 05/06/24)
2019-20	0	0
2020-21	0	0
2021-22	0	0
2022-23	1	1
2023-24	4	2
Total	5	3

49.11. Summary of IUD Publications by Students, Research Scholars, and Faculty Members

The research coordinator presented the details of IUD publications for the year 2024. The committee noted the publication data.

Type of Publications	School				Total	Remarks
	IBS	ITS	ILS	IEdS		
Research Article*	3	0	1	0	4	Scopus-02, WoS-02, ABDC-02
Book Chapters	0	0	0	0	0	-
Conference Proceedings	1	2	1	0	4	Springer-02, IEEE-01
Case Study	1	0	0	0	1	UK Case Centre-01
Patent/Design/Copyright	3	5	0	0	8	Design-05; Copyright-03
Book	0	0	1	0	1	National Publisher-01
Total	8	7	3	0	18	

**Only Scopus/ABDC/WoS/UGC Care Publications are considered.*



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49.12. Status of Ph.D. thesis uploaded on Shodhganga

The committee noted and appraised that the following five (05) Ph.D. thesis have been successfully uploaded on Shodhganga since 24 February 2024:

Upload Date	Title	Researcher	Guide(s)
22-May-2024	Factors affecting the Success of Women entrepreneurs A Study of Dehradun and Zirakpur District	Srivastava, Pooja Prakash	Imran, Mohd
22-May-2024	Sustainability and growth of Charter operators An Industry Analysis in Indian Perspective	Sharma, Itisha	Kiran, Deepti
22-May-2024	Teachers Perspectives on integrating modern Educational Technologies in Higher Education	Rao, Ogirala Rama Seshagiri	Gupta, Puneet Kumar
24-May-2024	Allocation of Dynamic Bandwidth to Enhance Quality of Service in Internet of Things Using Machine Learning	Shekhar	Bhandari, Gaurav and Tiyyagi, Sudhanshu
29-May-2024	A Study of Performance Appraisal and its Impact on Job Satisfaction in Pharmaceutical Companies of Punjab	Kaur, Gurleen	Kiran, Deepti

49.13. Summary of Projects Received for Seed Money Funding

The Committee noted the following three projects are sanctioned for seed money funding:

Academic Year	School	Title of the Project	Principal Investigator (PI)	Co-PIs	Sanctioned Amount (in lakh)	Date of Sanction
2023-24	IBS	Towards Sustainable Cities: A Study of Public E-waste Knowledge & Awareness in Dehradun City	Dr. Puneet Kumar Gupta	Dr. Ram Karan Singh & Mr. Virendra Singh Rana	0.95	30-04-2024
2023-24	ILS	Human Rights to Safe Drinking Water and Sanitation in the Slum Areas of Dehradun District A Study	Dr. Razit Sharma	Ms. Sugandha Sharma	1.05	30-04-2024
2023-24	ILS	Exploring the Unexplored Geographical Indications in the State of Uttarakhand	Dr. Monica Kharola	Ms. Monika Kothiyal & Mr. Aditya Tomar	1.90	30-04-2024



The committee also noted that the workshop on "Crafting and Effective Research Project Proposal:

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A Step-by-Step-Guide” was jointly organized by the Research and Development Cell and IQAC on 17th May, 2024.

49.14. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair

The Research Committee members praised the progress of the Research and Development Cell. The following points were suggested:

- The chairman directed the research coordinator to inform the faculty members that it is compulsory to publish two research papers in a year. Dr. Rajaram Bal also suggested to enhance the number of publication for the university.
- The Chairman suggested that each school should allow the submission of master degree's dissertation after publishing/submitting one research paper in a well-reputed journal.

49.15. Next Meeting

The chairman expressed gratitude to all the members for their active involvement and valuable suggestions during the meeting. It was agreed that the scheduling of the next meeting would be coordinated in consultation with the chairman.


Prof. (Dr.) Ram Karan Singh,
Chairman, Research Committee
The ICFAI University,
Dehradun

