

Shree Manibhai Virani and Smt. Navalben Virani Science College

(An Autonomous College affiliated to Saurashtra University, Rajkot)

Meeting of Research Advisory Committee

Date: 14-07-2020

Time: 11:30 AM

Venue: Online – Google meet

Agenda:

1. Overview on the agenda of last RAC meeting held on 15th April 2020 and its follow-up
2. New research related initiatives and announcements by UGC , DBT and other National and State level funding agencies
 - 2.1. Extension of deadline of certain UGC schemes due to prevailing CoViD-19 Lockdown
 - 2.2. Emphasis on Self plagiarism and its norms
 - 2.3. Call for proposal for starting skill vigyan programme in partnership with department of biotechnology and extension of the last date for its submission
 - 2.4. Indo-Swiss Joint Research Programme (ISJRP)-Joint Research Projects:
Call for Proposals 2020.
 - 2.5. Extension of date for the submission of thesis for terminal M.Phil / Ph.D. students
3. Any other inputs from the Chair and the members

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Minutes of the Research Advisory Committee Meeting

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A meeting of Research Advisory Committee under the Autonomous status was held on 14th July 2020, at 11.30 AM in Online mode.

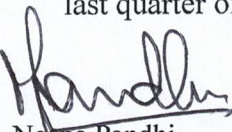
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1. Overview on the agenda of last RAC meeting held on 15th April 2020 and its follow-up
2. New research related initiatives and announcements by UGC, DBT and other National and State level funding agencies.
3. Progress of the ongoing research projects in the college
4. Details regarding application for new research projects, if any
5. Any other matter from the Chair and the members

Minutes of the meeting:

- I. A meeting of RAC was held on 14th July 2020 at 11.30am in the online mode through Google meet due to the prevailing CoViD-19 Lockdown. It was addressed by Dr. K.D. Ladva, the Chairperson of RAC who extended a warm welcome to the members and gave an overview of the proceedings of RAC meeting held on 15th April 2020 and then initiated the discussion on various agenda of the current meeting.
- II. The first agenda for the discussion was a Extension of deadline of certain UGC schemes due to prevailing CoViD-19 Lockdown. The members were given the list of schemes with extended deadlines for their perusal.
- III. The members were made aware of UGC's Regulations about Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Educational Institutions, 2018, so that plagiarised work does not acquire any credibility or value in evaluation. In continuation of its initiative, and in line with global standards of ethical publishing established by leading institutions and Committee on Publication Ethics (COPE), the UGC draws the attention of the academic community to certain points which were made known to the members.
- IV. DBT's Call for proposal for starting skill vigyan programme in partnership with department of biotechnology was discussed with the members and extension of the last date for its submission was informed to all.
- V. Indo-Swiss Joint Research Programme (ISJRP)-Joint Research Projects: Call from DBT for Proposals 2020. (The call aims to support research and development projects that advance the implementation of **Systems Medicine** approaches, in both clinical research and medical practice, by funding high quality research projects that will look at health and disease from a systems level perspective). The members were briefed about the call.
- VI. UGC extended the last date for the submission of thesis for terminal M.Phil and Ph.D. students from 30th June 2020 to 31st December 2020. The concerned faculty took notice of the same.
- VII. It was further considered that no new research proposals have been submitted in the last quarter of the year.


Dr. Neepa Pandhi
Member – Secretary




Dr. K.D. Ladva
Chairperson
Principal
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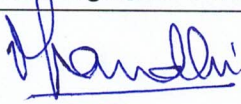
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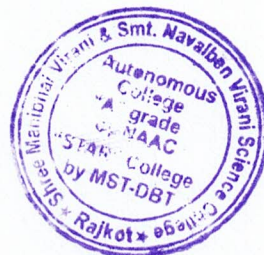
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Venue: Online

SN	Name of Faculty	Membership	Online attendance
1.	Dr. Kartik D. Ladva M: 9824803333 kdladva@vsc.edu.in	Chairperson	Present 
2.	Dr. Neepa D. Pandhi M: 9824516416 ndpandhi@vsc.edu.in	Member Secretary	Present
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