

# Shree Manibhai Virani and Smt. Navalben Virani Science College

(An Autonomous College affiliated to Saurashtra University, Rajkot)

## Meeting of Research Advisory Committee

Date: 07-07-2021

Time: 11:30 AM

Venue: Online

### Agenda:

1. Overview on the agenda of last RAC meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021 and its follow-up
2. New research related initiatives and announcements by UGC , DBT and other National and State level funding agencies
  - 2.1. Continuance of UGC schemes up to 31/03/2022
  - 2.2. No Cost Extension of tenure of Fellowship
  - 2.3. Extension of date for submission of theses for terminal M.Phil/Ph.D.  
Students
  - 2.4. DBT - Indo-Australian Biotechnology Fund Collaborative Research Projects Round 14
  - 2.5. Indo-Belgian Research and Technology Cooperation - Call For Proposals: Support Of  
Networking Activities
3. Any other inputs from the Chair and the members

**Shree M. & N. Virani Science College, Rajkot**

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**Minutes of the Research Advisory Committee Meeting**

**Date: 07/07/2021**

**Time: 11.30AM**

**Venue: Online – Google meet**

A meeting of Research Advisory Committee under the Autonomous status was held on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2021, at 11.30 AM in online mode through Google meet


The Agenda for the meeting was as stated under

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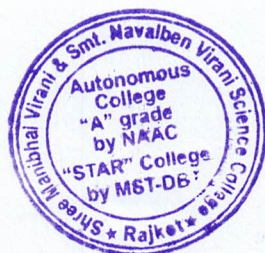
1. Overview on the agenda of last RAC meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021 and its follow-up
2. New research related initiatives and announcements by UGC, DBT and other National and State level funding agencies.
3. Progress of the ongoing research projects in the college
4. Details regarding application 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 7<sup>th</sup> July 2021 at 11.30am in the online mode through Google meet due to the strict adherence to the CoViD-19 guidelines issued by the Central and the State government regarding Social Distancing. 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 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021 and then initiated the discussion on various agenda of the current meeting.
- II. The first agenda for the discussion was a notification from UGC regarding Continuance of UGC schemes up to 31/03/2022. The members were briefed about these schemes.
- III. The members were made aware of UGC's decision regarding No Cost Extension of tenure of some of the Fellowships till 31/12/2021.
- IV. UGC gave notification regarding the extension of date for submission of theses for terminal M.Phil/Ph.D. Students till 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021. All the members hailed this decision and thanked UGC for the same in the meeting.
- V. DBT - Indo-Australian Biotechnology Fund Collaborative Research Projects Round 14 - A call for proposals under the Innovations partnership between India and Australia- has been announced. The members were given all the relevant details and were motivated to apply.
- VI. Indo-Belgian Research and Technology Cooperation - Call For Proposals: Support Of Networking Activities has been announced by DBT. The theme for the collaborative work is - Marine Biotechnology, and Life science focused on micro-organisms. The concerned faculty were briefed about the scheme and given all the relevant details for application.
- 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

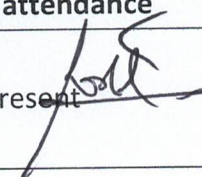
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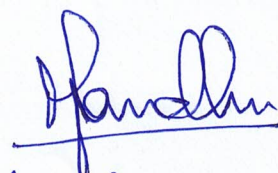
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**Research Advisory Committee - (2016 to 2021)**

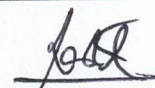
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SN	Name of Faculty	Membership	Online attendance
1.	Dr. Kartik D. Ladva M: 9824803333 kdladva@vsc.edu.in	Chairperson	Present 
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9.	Dr. Nilkanth J. Faldu M: 9879512797 prabhumay@vsc.edu.in	Member	Present
10.	Mr. H. N. Donga M: 9925022399 hndonga@vsc.edu.in	Member	Absent

  
(Member Secretary)



  
Principal  
Shri Manibhai Virani and  
Smt. Navalben Virani Science College  
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(Chairman)