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## NOTIFICATION

Subject: Implementation of the Guidelines for Establishment of **Research & Development Cell** at Cotton University

Ref. : Letter from the Chairman, UGC : F.No.1-5/2021(NEP/DESK-PARL) dated 14<sup>th</sup> March 2022

Pursuant to the letter under reference and for implementation of the Objectives with the Vision & Mission therein, a Research & Development Cell (RDC) is set up at Cotton University, Guwahati which shall be governed by a Research Advisory Council (RAC) as under:

### **A. Constitution of RAC:**

1. Vice Chancellor - Chairperson
2. Dean, Research & Development - Member and shall chair in absentia
3. Director-RDC - Convener, RAC
4. Committee-1 : Finance & Infrastructure with three members
5. Committee-2 : Research Program, Policy Development with three members
6. Committee-3 : Collaboration & Community with three members
7. Committee-4 : Product Development, Monitoring and Commercialization with three members
8. Committee-5 : IPR, Legal & Ethical Matters with three members

### **B. The RDC along with RAC is constituted with the following members:**

1. **Prof. Bhabesh Ch. Goswami, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, CU** : Chairperson
2. **Prof. Mahadev Patgiri, Dean, R&D, CU** : Member ( to chair in absentia)
3. **Prof. Barnali Gogoi, Director, RDC** : Convener, RAC & to chair the meetings of all the following Committees
  - (i) **Dr Dulumoni Das, Associate Professor, Statistics** –Convener of this Committee
  - (ii) **Dr Monjit Borthakur, Assistant Professor, Geography**- Member
  - (iii) **Dr Jitumani Kalita, Assistant Professor, Physics** –Member
4. **Committee-1** : Finance & Infrastructure
  - (i) **Dr Eeshan Kalita, Associate Professor, MBBT** – Convener of this Committee
  - (ii) **Dr Indrani Sarma, Assistant Professor, Sociology**- Member
  - (iii) **Dr Anup Kumar Nath , Assistant Professor, Physics**- Member
5. **Committee-2** : Research Program, Policy Development
  - (i) **Dr Hiten Choudhury, Associate Professor, Computer Sc. & IT** – Convener of this Committee
  - (ii) **Dr Rituparna Chutia, Assistant Professor, Mathematics**- Member
  - (iii) **Dr Manjil Hazarika, Assistant Professor, Archeology**- Member
6. **Committee-3** : Collaboration & Community
  - (i) **Dr Hiten Choudhury, Associate Professor, Computer Sc. & IT** – Convener of this Committee
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7. **Committee-4 : Product Development, Monitoring and Commercialization**

- (i) Dr Jinu Devi Rajkumari, Associate Professor, Botany – Convener of this Committee
- (ii) Dr Akalesh Kumar Verma , Assistant Professor, Zoology- Member
- (iii) Dr Bhabatosh Banik, Assistant Professor, Chemistry- Member

8. **Committee-5: IPR, Legal & Ethical Matters**

- (i) Dr Purabi Deka Bose, Assistant Professor, MBBT – Convener of this Committee
- (ii) Dr Smita Sarmah, Assistant Professor, Law- Member
- (iii) Dr Deepjyoti Kalita , Assistant Professor, Lib. Science- Member

This has been issued with the approval of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Cotton University.

(Prof. Mahadev Patgiri)  
Dean, R&D, Cotton University, Guwahati

Memo No: CU/R&D/RDC/2022/08/ 02-11

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1. The Hon'ble Chairman, University Grant Commission, New Delhi for kind information
2. The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, CU for kind information
3. All Deans, CU
4. Registrar, CU
5. Academic Registrar, CU
6. All Heads of the Academic Departments/Centres with a request to circulate among the faculty members
7. All members of RAC for RDC, CU
8. Finance Officer, CU
9. Computer System Manager to upload the same in the University Website
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