

## MINUTES OF 17<sup>TH</sup> ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING

The 17<sup>th</sup> Academic council meeting of the Children's Research University, Gandhinagar was held on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2024 at 11.00 am.

**The following members of the Academic Council were present in the meeting.**

Sr.No.	Name of the Member	Designation
1	Prof. Sanjay Gupta- Vice Chancellor (I/c)	Chairperson
2	Prof. B.D. Dhila, Professor, Director, Centre of Education, CRU	Member
3	Prof. Ranjitsinh Pawar, Professor, Director, Centre of Toy Science, CRU	Member
4	Dr. Nimish Vasoya, Associate Professor, Director, Centre of Research, CRU	Member
5	Dr. Nilesh Pandya, Associate Professor, Director, Centre of Training, CRU	Member
6	Dr. Rupam Upadhyay, Associate Professor, Director, Centre of Extension, CRU	Member
7	Prof. Chandrabhusan Sharma Professor, IGNOU	Member
8	Dr. Rameshchandra Kothari Former, Vice Chancellor, VNSG University, Surat	Member
9	Prof. Jayna Joshi Professor, IITE Gandhinagar	Member
10	Dr. Sanjay Patel (Dungrani), Homeopethic Doctor	Member
11	Dr. Bhadrayu Vachhrajani Former, Vice Chancellor, Lok Bharti Uni for Rural Innovation	Member
12	Dr. Rudresh Vyas, Head, Manovigyan Bhavan MTB Arts College, Surat.	Member
13	Dr. T. S. Joshi, Ex. Director GCERT, Gandhinagar	Member
14	Prof. V. Sudhakar, Retd. Professor, The English and Foreign Language University, Hyderabad	Member
15	Dr. H.B. Patel, Professor, School of Education Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar	Member
16	Dr. Mahendra Chotaliya, Ex. Professor in Education S P University, VVNagar	Member





17	Dr. Nitin Pethani, Principal, Desai C M Arts and Commerce College, Mandal Rd. Viramgam Ahmedabad.	Member
18	Dr. Bharat Joshi, Senior Professor, Department of Education (IASE), Gujarat Vidyapith, Ahmedabad	Member
19	Dr. Padma Yadav, Dept of Elementary Education, NCERT, New Delhi	Member
20	Kumari Bhumika Panchal, MA Psychology	Member
21	Kumari Gopi Kalavadiya, M.Sc. Home Science	Member
22	Kumari Rimpal Bar, MSW	Member
23	Shri. Amit Jani, Registrar, CRU	Member Secretary

The following members of the Academic Council were not present in the meeting with the permission of the chair.

Prof. Malvika Kapur, Shri Divyanshu Dave, Mr. Gajanan Londhe, Dr. Hemant Bhatt.

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor had welcomed the august Academic Council members & extended his gratitude to council members for their presence.

The agenda of Academic Council meeting were discussed and deliberated by the members at length and resolved as under.

**Agenda 1:** The confirmation of Minutes of the 16<sup>th</sup> Academic Council Meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2024. **(Annexure-1) (Academic Branch)**

**Resolution 1:** The Minutes of the 16<sup>th</sup> Academic Council Meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2024 is confirmed.

**Agenda 2:** The matter of the following Ph. D. Research Supervisors to be notified along with their Subject Specialization under the Faculty of Holistic Development of Child is put before the council for approval. Further, the Revised Notification will be issued in place of all the previous notifications. **(Academic Branch)**

Sr. No	Details of the Teacher	Designation	Subject Specialization	With Effect From
1.	Dr.Chiragbhai M. Darji	Associate Professor	Education	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
2.	Dr. Rajesh Chauhan	Associate Professor	History	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
3.	Dr. Hemangi D. Mehta	Associate Professor	Home Science	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)





4.	Dr.Anjana S. Chauhan	Assistant Professor	Psychology	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
5.	Dr.Ronakkumar R.Parmar	Assistant Professor	Psychology	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
6.	Dr. Jay Oza	Assistant Professor	Sanskrit	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
7.	Dr.Narendrakumar D. Vasava	Assistant Professor	Social Work	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
8.	Dr. Sanjay M Patel	Assistant Professor	Gujarati	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
9.	Dr.Shilpa M Vala	Assistant Professor	Physical Education	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
10.	Dr.Bhairavi M Dixit	Assistant Professor	Sanskrit	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
11.	Dr.Shailesh V Brahmhatt	Assistant Professor	Social Work	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
12.	Dr.Dharmanshu V Vaidya	Assistant Professor	English	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
13.	Dr.Sunilkumar S. Jadav	Assistant Professor	Psychology	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
14.	Dr.Jalpaben K Patel	Assistant Professor	Management	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
15.	Dr.Parthvee R Damor	Assistant Professor	Biology	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
16.	Dr.Chirag R Solanki	Assistant Professor	Performing Arts	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)
17.	Dr.Krunal M Panchal	Assistant Professor	Education	11/8/2023(No. CU/Academic/2023/182)

**Resolution 2:**

It was resolved that the matter of the following Ph.D. Research Supervisors to be notified as mentioned below along with their subject specialization without quoting Faculty of Holistic Development of Child in the New Notification and it will be issued in place of the previous notification. Further it was resolved that the Research Supervisorship will be in continuation of Ph.D. Research





Supervisorship with effect from the first Notification i.e. No. CU/Academic/2023/182 dated 11/8/2023. The University shall ensure the Ph.D. Research topic selected by the aspirant Ph.D. scholars meets the objectives and nature of the Children's Research University.

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**Agenda 3**

The following teachers of the university are the Ph.D. Research supervisor of the university who will now fall under the Faculty of Holistic Development of Child and their Ph.D. supervisorship will continue with subject and date mentioned in their previous supervisorship letter/s. Further, the Revised Notification will be issued in place of all the previous notifications. **(Academic Branch)**

Sr. No	Details of the Teacher	Present Designation	Subject Specialization	With Effect From
1	Prof. Bhanubhai Dayabhai Dhila	Professor	Psychology	20/07/2020 (CU/M.Phil-Ph.D.recognition/2020/01-04)
2	Prof. Ranjitsinh Premsinh Pawar	Professor	Education	20/07/2020 (CU/M.Phil-Ph.D.recognition/2020/01-04)
3	Prof. Sanjay Kumar Gupta	Professor	Education	20/07/2020 (CU/M.Phil-Ph.D.recognition/2020/01-04)
4	Dr. Ashok Narsinhbhai Prajapati	Associate Professor	Psychology	25/5/2017 (CU/CE/Ph.D.recognition/02/2017-18)
5	Dr.Jignesh B. Patel	Associate Professor	Education	11/08/2016 (CU/CE/M.Phil-Ph.D.recognition/01/2016-17)
6	Dr.Ashvin L.Nisarta	Associate Professor	Education	18/08/2021 (CU/Ph.D.recognition/2021/339)





7	Dr.Prashant Patel	Associate Professor	Gujarati	20/7/2020 (CU/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/2020/05-13)
8	Dr.Rakeshkumar R. Patel	Associate Professor	Sanskrit	20/07/2020 (CU/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/2020/01-04)
9	Dr.Nimish H. Vasoya	Associate Professor	Physics	20/7/2020 (CU/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/2020/05-13)
10	Dr. Mahesh Jariya	Associate Professor	Mathematics	18/08/2021 (CU/Ph.D.recognition/2021/339)
11	Dr.Nileshkumar Shrikantbhai Pandya	Associate Professor	Education	11/08/2016 (CU/CE/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/01/2016-17)
12	Dr.Rupam B. Upadhyaya	Associate Professor	Education	11/08/2016 (CU/CE/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/01/2016-17)
13	Dr.MinalbaBhupendrasinhJadeja	Assistant Professor	Education	11/08/2016 (CU/CE/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/01/2016-17)
14	Dr. Neeta PratapbhaiChaudhari	Assistant Professor	Home Science	20/7/2020 (CU/M.Phil- Ph.D.recognition/2020/05-13)

**Resolution 3**

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**Agenda 4:** The minutes of 7<sup>th</sup> RDC meeting held on 1/4/2024 is put up for approval regarding recommendation of Dr. Mahendrabhai Muljibhai Patel, Assistant Professor in Physical Education as a Research Supervisor for Faculty of Holistic Development of Child and the procedure for the Ph.D. (Full Time and Part Time) students who were enrolled before the implementation of CU Ordinance-13, 2022 is put for approval.(Annexure-2) **(Academic Branch)**

**Resolution 4:** The minutes of 7<sup>th</sup> RDC meeting held on 1/4/2024 was approved regarding recommendation of Dr. Mahendrabhai Muljibhai Patel, Assistant Professor in Physical Education as a Ph.D. Research Supervisor and the procedure for the Ph.D. (Full Time and Part Time) students who were enrolled before the implementation of CU Ordinance-13, 2022 should be treated as per the UGC Regulations-2016.

**Agenda 5:** The details of Two PG Programmes i.e. M.Sc.(Foods and Nutrition) and MSW (Master of Social Work) & Ph.D. in 15 subjects are uploaded on GCAS Portal is put for information.





**(Academic Branch)**

**Resolution 5:** The details of Two PG Programmes i.e. M.Sc.(Foods and Nutrition) and MSW (Master of Social Work) & Ph.D. in 15 subjects are uploaded on GCAS Portal was noted.

**Agenda 6:** The report of Leave Committee is put up before the council for consideration in regards to various types of leaves entitled to University teachers. **(Annexure-03) (Establishment Branch)**

**Resolution 6:** It was discussed and resolved that the Leave Committee constituted by the Vice Chancellor on 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2024 and the recommendations of the committee submitted on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024 in regards to provision of various types of leaves entitled to University teachers was approved.

**Agenda 7:** As per UGC-2018 Regulations, the workload of teachers in the University should not be less than 40 hours in a week. Thus, the University proposes weekly off on every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday subject to fulfillment of workload as defined by UGC Regulations-2018. The matter is put up for consideration and the same may be amended in the University regulations. **(Establishment Branch)**

**Resolution 7:** The matter is approved with condition that University ensures minimum 40 hours workload of teachers in a week as per UGC-2018 Regulations and may offer weekly off on every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday on immediate effect.

**Agenda 8:** The matter regarding the Seed Money Grants upto Rs. 2. lacs to be allotted on demand of the Permanent Teaching Staff(Only Once in an entire career) of the University as far as higher education is concerned in view of their suitable research proposals/research projects with appropriate scrutiny who have not obtained any research project from External Agency or Children's Research University is put for consideration. **(Centre of Research)**

**Resolution 8:** It was resolved that the Seed Money Grants upto Rs. 2. lacs may be allotted on demand of the Permanent Teaching Staff including the teachers who are on probation (Only Once in an entire career) from the University to carry out research in higher education. The



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University should adopt the proper guidelines to allot and evaluate the proposal of the project and ensure the teacher is not obtaining any research grants from external agency while applying and pursuing the project under seed money grants.

  
**Registrar**

Date:02/04/2024

Place: Children's Research University, Gandhinagar

