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Research and Development Cell (RDC)



Objectives

- To undertake and promote research studies, innovations and new trends in the field of education and other related areas.
- To establish linkages and collaborate with individuals and organizations for the promotion of educational research, innovations and experimentation.
- To organize training programmes in research techniques and other emerging areas of specialization.
- To organise conferences, workshops, seminars, lectures and research colloquia on important educational themes and issues.
- To publish books, journals and documents to disseminate research findings, innovations and trends.
- To provide consultancy to institutions and practitioners of education for promoting research and enhancing the quality of education.
- To explore opportunities for seeking external funding and grants for research projects from various agencies.

About the Cell

Research and Development Cell formerly known as Centre for Educational Research was set up in 2006 to bring all activities related to educational research under its ambit.

The purpose of the Cell is to create a robust framework that is in line with NEP-2020's requirements for expanding and enhancing the research culture within the College.

It is also responsible for fostering a research environment conducive for inculcating research aptitude in both faculty and students.

A journal entitled 'MIER Journal of Educational Studies, Trends and Practices' (ISSN 0976-8203) is also published under the aegis of RDC. It also publishes books, research reports, seminar and conference proceedings for information dissemination and sharing of knowledge about research findings.

The Research work at RDC is done at three levels a) Research studies leading to Masters Degrees b) Sponsored research projects and c) Institutional research projects. The RDC also promotes action research by encouraging faculty and students to work on projects and internships.

Achievements

- Received patents for the innovative research work from the Commissioner of Patents-Australia and German Patents and Trademark Office.
- Published 50 books and more than 200 research papers, completed 27 research projects with the financial assistance of external agencies like UGC, ICSSR, NCERT etc.
- Published 13 Volumes of MJESTP, indexed with Web of Sciences successfully.
- Organised several international and national conferences, seminars, workshops and colloquia.
- Created Research Profile of the College and its faculty on the IRINS platform
- Gave Research awards, seed money and provided research mentorship to faculty and students.