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1. Introduction

The University of Delhi revels in holding illustrious standards of research in the country with eminent faculty to match the best in the world. It is a research-intensive university that seeks to create and share knowledge and technical knowhow through quality research for the benefit of society and humanity. While it is not possible to quantify the value of significant inputs that go into research at the university, some of the measurable/deliverables include funds received from extramural sources, research grants, research-based course curricula, research supervision by faculty and the number of students enrolled in postgraduate and doctoral programmes. Output, on the other hand, constitutes quality publications, patents, consultancy, MoUs, citations, distinguished awards/honours received by faculty and research scholars, and various research products and processes that enhance the quality of life and well-being of the society at large.

Research Highlights

h-index and Publications: The University has an impressive h-index of **200** (based on the Scopus database), which is one of the highest among Indian Universities. The total number of publications during 2015–2019 was 10,283.

Research Grants: Being a research-intensive university, the University of Delhi promotes the strengthening of research infrastructure and innovation culture by exploring novel paradigms to address societal, national, and global challenges. The University's strong commitment to excellence in research is reflected by a perusal of its funding from extramural sources, which amounts to more than Rs. 270 crores. In 2018-19, there were 361 projects which were ongoing and amounted to around Rs. 272 Crores.

Eminent Research Faculty: Every year there is an extensive list of research faculty who received extramural grants of more than rupees one crore. In 2018-19, the University had 34 ongoing research projects with grants of more than Rs. 1 crore and 222 ongoing research projects with grants above Rs. 10 Lakhs. They receive these on a competitive basis and account for the prestige and importance of their research in the global context. The research

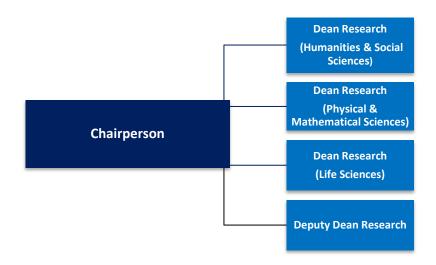
has resulted in several path-breaking outcomes, which have led to significant advances in the existing knowledge base. Apart from resulting in prestigious publications with high impact factors, the research outcomes of these initiatives have also included innovative applications that have permeated the broader public domain and have enhanced the societal well-being.

Awards, Collaborations, Conferences: The outstanding body of research work done in the University has been duly rewarded with several national and international recognition and awards. Faculty members are also recipients of the most prestigious international and national research fellowships. The University has partner universities across the world with which student/faculty exchange programmes and active collaborations for research are strongly encouraged.

2. Research Council

The University has established a Research Council, which coordinates and facilitates research activities of the various constituent units of the University. The Chair of the Research Council, together with the Deans (Research), plays an active role in augmenting the research work of the University. Based on their specialization, they look after various faculties and departments.

Composition of Research Council:



Objectives of Research Council

To enthuse an active research culture in the University To provide overall guidance to Ph.D./M.Phil. Programmes and related ordinances To frame guidelines and provide assistance for availing and utilization of intramural research grants To facilitate intramural grants and fellowships To provide guidance on issues related to utilization of extramural grants To support undergraduate research in colleges To ensure that ethics guidelines are followed To facilitate activities related to Intellectual Property **Rights, Patents** To facilitate the process of signing National MoUs

Faculties/Centres under Deans Research

Dean Research (Humanities & Social Sciences)

- Faculty of Applied Social Sciences & Humanities- Business Economics
- Faculty of Arts- Arabic, Buddhist Studies, English, Germanic & Romance Studies, Hindi,
 Library & Information Science, Linguistics, Modern Indian Languages and Literary Studies,
 Persian, Philosophy, Psychology, Punjabi, Sanskrit, Slavonic & Finno-Ugrian Studies, Urdu
- Faculty of Commerce & Business Studies- Commerce, Financial Studies
- Faculty of Education- Education
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Management Studies- Business Management & Industrial Administration
- Faculty of Music & Fine Arts
- Faculty of Social Sciences- Adult, Continuing Education & Extension, African Studies, East Asian Studies, Economics, Geography, History, Political Science, Social Work, Sociology
- Delhi School of Journalism
- Open Learning- Distance and Continuing Education
- Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education
- Centre for Canadian Studies
- Agricultural Economics Research Centre
- Developing Countries Research Centre
- Institute of Lifelong Learning
- Prof. D.S. Kothari Centre for Science Ethics & Education
- Women's Study & Development Centre

Dean Research (Life Sciences)

- Faculty of Ayurvedic & Unani Medicine
- Faculty of Homeopathic Medicine
- Faculty of Interdisciplinary & Applied Sciences-, Biochemistry, Biophysics, Electronic Science, Genetics, Microbiology, Physical Education and Sports Sciences, Plant Molecular Biology
- Faculty of Medical Sciences
- Faculty of Science- Anthropology, Botany, Environmental Studies, Home Science, Nursing, Pharmacy, Zoology
- Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Centre for Biomedical Research
- Centre for Inter-disciplinary Studies of Mountain & Hill Environment
- Centre for Environment Management of Degraded Ecosystem
- Centre for Genetic Manipulation of Crop Plants

- Centre for Innovation in Infectious Disease Research, Education and Training
- Inter Disciplinary Centre for Plant Genomics

Dean Research (Physical & Mathematical Sciences)

- Faculty of Mathematical Sciences- Computer Science, Mathematics, Operational Research,
 Statistics
- Faculty of Science- Chemistry, Geology, Physics & Astrophysics
- Institute of Informatics and Communication
- Cluster Innovation Centre
- Centre for Science Education & Communication
- Centre for Detector & Related Software Technology

3. Research Parameters

3.1 M.Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes

(i) Ordinance VI and its amendments defines the procedure for award of Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees. The Ordinance and its amendments conforms to the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations, 2016 with effect from 5th July 2016 and its amendment, namely, the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degrees) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2018 with effect from 27th August 2018; University Grants Commission (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations, 2018 with effect from 23 July 2018, and Relevant provisions of University Grants Commission Regulations for Appointment of Teachers and Other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 with effect from 18 July 2018 (Annexure I). A Professor can guide up to eight doctoral students and three M.Phil. students. An Associate Professor can guide up to six doctoral students and two M.Phil. students. An Assistant Professor can guide up to four doctoral students and one M.Phil. student. The average number of M.Phil. and Ph.D. students guided by each permanent faculty of the University is decided accordingly.

Measures undertaken to check plagiarism

The University has a rigorous process for upholding academic integrity in its publications. Submitted reports and research papers are screened for plagiarism using anti-plagiarism software **Turnitin** and **Urkund** (provided by UGC). The facility has been made centralized

with the Central Library and the South Campus Library, helping students and faculty members desirous of submitting thesis and submitting papers for publication with the plagiarism check through these softwares. The scholars have to submit the soft copies of their thesis to the library, which uses the requisite software to check plagiarism. A certificate is provided by the library along with a copy of the report, authenticating that the work is original and is free from plagiarism. The certificate has to be submitted by the scholar at the time of submission of the thesis. **Please see Annexure II for details.**

Departmental Academic Integrity Panel (DAIP) and Institutional Academic Integrity Panel (IAIP) have been constituted as per UGC (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations, 2018.

Ph.D. awarded in the last five years (2014-2019):

Department	2014-15	2015-16	2016–17	2017-18	2018-19
Faculty of Arts	176	152	115	141	178
Faculty of Social Sciences	72	80	46	73	69
Faculty of Mathematical Sciences	29	35	42	47	39
Faculty of Commerce & Business Studies	31	15	26	22	18
Faculty of Applied Social Sciences & Humanities	3	3	8	5	4
Faculty of Science	180	187	165	192	155
Faculty of Inter-Disciplinary & Applied Sciences	75	70	41	29	44
Faculty - Other	71	90	64	98	85

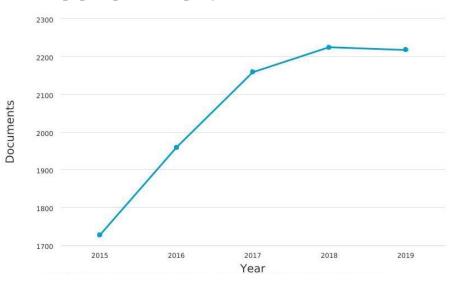
Shodhganga- Depositing Ph.D. theses with INFLIBNET

The University of Delhi has signed a Memorandum of Understanding under the *Shodhganga* project with UGC-INFLIBNET for electronic submission of theses which are later made available online. *Shodhganga* is a repository of Indian Electronic Thesis and Dissertations (ETD) that requires compulsory submission of the thesis online. The University submits soft copies of thesis to INFLIBNET for uploading in the *Shodhganga* repository from 2009.

3.2 Research Publications and h-Index

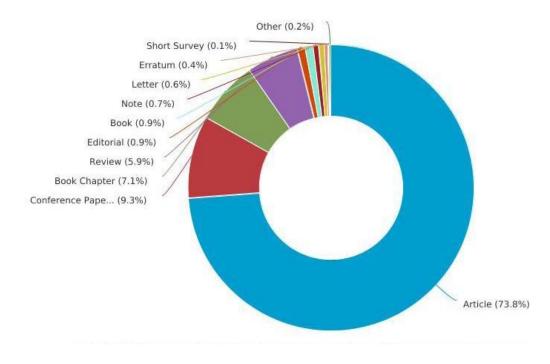
Given the prolific research base of the University, the "h-index" of the University, **as per Scopus database**, **is 200**, one of the highest among Indian Universities. The total number of publications in the period 2015-2019 are 10,283 which include research articles, reviews, conference papers, books, chapter in books, notes and several articles in press.

Number of research papers published per year (2015 - 2019)



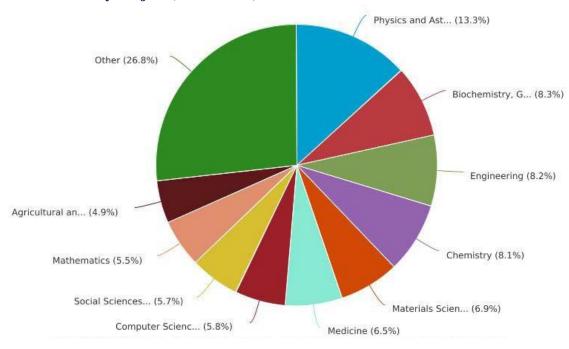
Scopus Database

Publications by type (2015 - 2019)



Scopus Database

Publications by subject (2015 - 2019)



Scopus Database

Research findings of many faculty members have been highlighted in the front cover of the most coveted Journals



3.3 Faculty Members Serving as Members of Editorial Boards

Several faculty members of the University are serving on the editorial boards of national and international journals by virtue of their achievements in their fields of expertise. More than 250 faculty members of different departments are serving on editorial boards of about 450 national/international journals. Many of them serve on the editorial boards of more than one journal in various editorial capacity.

250+ Faculty members are in the editorial board of 450+ National/International journals

3.4 **Research Grants**

The research grants in the University are obtained from several national and international funding agencies.

To reiterate, high quality research activities are extensively promoted by the University. Faculty members are encouraged and facilitated to apply for research grants from various extramural sources. As a result of its efforts to augment resource mobilization, the University has been receiving funding from a large number of international and national bodies. Guidelines for sponsored research grant are covered in **Annexure III.**

DST-PURSE Grant

As an impact of its outstanding research initiatives, publication record and high "h-index", the University of Delhi is the recipient of the highest DST-PURSE grant received by any University in the country. The grant for the Phase-II (2014-2019) was Rs. 40.80 Crores. The grant has benefitted more than twenty Science departments and helped with enhancement of basic research facilities, central instrumentation facilities and high-quality research at the University.



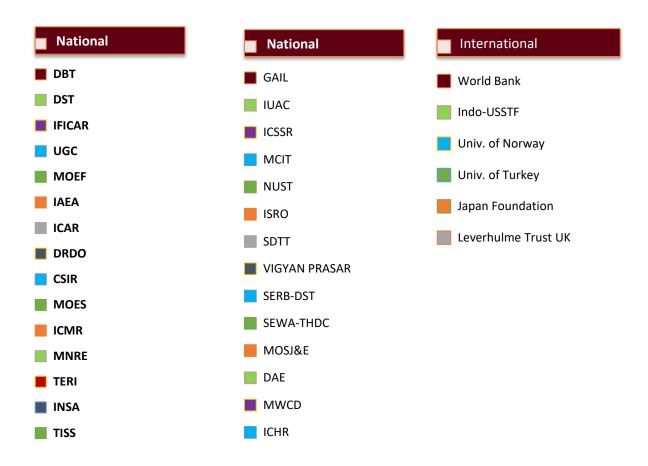
Faculty members with grants of more than Rs. 1 Crore in 2018-2019

S. No.	Name of the Faculty	Department	Funding Agency	Amount (Rs.in Crores)
1.	Prof. Daman Saluja	ACBR	DBT	1.28
2.	Dr. Vipin Gupta	Anthropology	DBT	3.81
3.	Prof. Manu Agarwal	Botany	ICAR	1.12
4.	Prof. Arun Jagannath	Botany	DBT	1.08
5.	Prof. Renu Deswal	Botany	IBSD	1.23
6.	Dr. Garima Khare	Biochemistry	DBT	1.18 & 1.03

7.	Prof. V. K. Chaudhary	Biochemistry	DBT	3.55, 2.09, & 2.47
8.	Dr. Satish K. Awasthi	Chemistry	DST	4.28
9.	Prof. C. R. Babu	CEMDE	DDA	2.15, 2 & 1.16
10.	Prof. Christel Devadawson	English	UGC	1.07
11.	Prof. Radhey Shyam Sharma	Environmental Studies	MOEF	1.29
12.	Prof. B. K. Thelma	Genetics	DBT	5.71 & 1.06
16			DBT	1.08
13.	Prof. A. K. Pradhan	Genetics	BBSRC	4.86
			DBT	11.87
14.	Dr. Md. Naimuddin	Physics & Astrophysics	DST	1.78
15.	Dr. Vinay Gupta	Physics & Astrophysics	DST	4.44
16.	Prof. B.C. Chaudhary	Physics & Astrophysics	DST	1.78
17.	Prof. Kirti Ranjan	Physics & Astrophysics	DST	11.73
18.	Prof. J. P. Khurana	Plant Molecular Biology	DBT	1.38
19.	Prof. Sanjay Kapoor	Plant Molecular Biology	DBT	1.31 & 1.67
20.	Prof. Arun K Sharma	Plant Molecular Biology	DBT	1.30
21.	Prof. Akhilesh K	Plant Molecular	DBT NIPGR	1.96
۷1.	Tyagi	Biology	DBT	9.17
22.	Prof. Anil Grover	Plant Molecular Biology	NASF	1.12
23.	Dr R. K. Negi	Zoology	DBT	1.11
24.	Prof. Vinod Kumar	Zoology	DBT	1.59

Number of faculty members with grants of Rs.10 Lakhs or more in 2018-2019: 222

Extramural research grants from various National and International funding agencies



Several departments in the University have also been recognized for their research activities by National and International agencies and receive financial assistance. These are as follows:

Departments with Fund for Improvement of S&T (DST-FIST):

- Anthropology
- Botany
- Chemistry
- Genetics

- Mathematics
- Physics & Astrophysics
- Plant Molecular Biology
- Zoology

Departments with Financial Assistance under UGC/UGC SAP

Departmental Research Support (DRS)

- Biochemistry
- Botany
- Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Centre for Bio-Medical Research
- Hindi

- Modern Indian Languages and Literary Studies
- Persian
- Psychology

Department of Special Assistance (DSA)

English

Centre of Advanced Study (CAS)

- Buddhist Studies
- Chemistry
- Economics
- Geology
- History

- Linguistics
- Physics & Astrophysics
- Political Science
- Zoology

Area Studies Programme (ASP)

- African Studies
- East Asian Studies

3.5 Interdisciplinary Research

Interdisciplinary Research is in-built into the structure of the University where various departments and centres collaborate for interdisciplinary research initiatives. Several schemes, courses and research journals have been initiated with an aim to strengthen the interdisciplinary and collaborative research culture in the University. These include the following:

- Interdisciplinary Faculties: The University has two designated faculties for Interdisciplinary Studies-
- The **Faculty of Interdisciplinary & Applied Sciences** is equipped with state-of-theart research facilities comparable to the best globally in areas of Plant Molecular Biology, Genetics, Biochemistry, Microbiology and Biophysics. The research profile of the faculty is prolific and internationally acclaimed.
- ii) In the **Faculty of Applied Social Sciences & Humanities**, the constituent department offer courses and conduct cutting-edge research in interdisciplinary areas. Faculty members collaborate with various national and international institutions on several interdisciplinary research areas.
- Interdisciplinary Centre: The University has a Cluster Innovation Centre that offers courses in interdisciplinary areas with a focus on innovation and research. It also gives impetus to the application of research in the form of entrepreneurial initiatives. A conducive environment has been created to encourage collaboration with industry and private organizations.

- Interdisciplinary Research Centre: The Centre for Inter-disciplinary Studies of Mountain and Hill Environment (CISMHE) has researchers drawn from disciplines like Ecology, Biodiversity Conservation & Management, Aquatic Ecology and, Remote Sensing and Geographic Information System (GIS) working together with various projects.
- Interdisciplinary M.Phil. Programme: The South Campus of the University of Delhi conducts an interdisciplinary M.Phil. Programme in Biotechnology. The course work and research are jointly taken care of by all the applied science-based departments in South Campus namely Biochemistry, Biophysics, Genetics, Microbiology and Plant Molecular Biology.

In 2012, the departments of Economics, English, History, Political Science and Sociology, participated in an interdisciplinary M.Phil.Course on "Caste in the Disciplines" as a part of a series of courses on methods and approaches in the Social Sciences.

- Interdisciplinary Conferences: The University encourages its departments to hold conferences in interdisciplinary areas. Several departments (on a collaborative basis), like Mathematics and Operational Research; Physics and Economics; and Sociology, Geography and Economics have held such conferences.
- Interdisciplinary Lectures: Several departments of the University organize popular lectures and talks by subject experts from time to time. Similarly, the Alumni Lecture Series of the University Percipience, and Ambassadorial Lecture Series are also organized.

3.6 Mechanisms adopted by the University to facilitate the smooth implementation of Research Schemes/ Projects

The **Research Council in the University** ensures smooth implementation of research programmes. Through the following mechanisms of continuous assessment, it constantly **reviews the research programmes and undertakes timely measures for addressing any** issues related to the ongoing research at the University:

Sponsored Research Project Guidelines: The University facilitates the acquisition of grants from extramural sources by providing mechanism for submitting research proposals, and their implementation after sanction, through well-defined guidelines for Sponsored Research Projects. These guidelines help in operationalization of all aspects of the research project activity, such as release of grant, appointment of staff, purchase of equipment, periodic budget review and final submission of utilization certificate. **Please see Annexure III for details.**

- Standardized Operating Procedures have been developed for the implementation of all schemes related to research.
- Dedicated Finance Branches for Major and Minor Research Projects: The University has allocated distinct finance branches and dedicated staff for handling major research projects, minor research projects, university grants and other aspects related to research projects.
- Appointment and Purchase Committees: Detailed procedures for purchase and appointments in projects have been put in place for uniform application under the varied extramural and university grants. Well defined Project Appointment Committees and Project Purchase Committees are constituted to take the requisite operations forward.

3.7 Ethical Guidelines in Research followed in the University

Scientific research involves the cooperation and coordination of different people to achieve goals that have impact on society and are essential for overall development in all areas. Research requires experimentation, data analysis, writing research papers and grant proposals and educating future scientists. Thus, it is essential that research is carried out in ways that are ethically correct. Guidelines for research ethics are laid in such a way that concerns of research institutions and individuals are simultaneously addressed. Also, it is important to adhere to these ethical guidelines in order to preserve the dignity, rights and welfare of researchers and research participants. Based on area of research and subjects involved, guidelines for carrying research has been defined by various agencies. These guidelines can be found on WEBSITE of various government agencies. All the researchers at University of Delhi are expected to follow the Ethics of research as described in the guidelines.

Research Council ensures that the ethics guidelines mandated by the funding agencies are followed. Some of the guidelines are given below:

• Biomedical Research on Human Participants: The Nuremberg Code formulated in 1947, was the first international statement on ethics of medical research using human subjects. Over the years, various international and national advisory bodies have revised and laid down principles for scientific research involving human beings. Clinical research is required for better understanding of science and developing drugs, vaccines, diagnostics, instruments and materials which can enhance quality of human health. However, it is important to give credit to individuals who volunteer to participate in biomedical research. To protect the interest of participants in biomedical research, ethical guidelines are established. In India, the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Govt. of India, sets ethical guidelines for biomedical research involving human participants. Research on human subjects follows the principles of essentiality of the research, voluntariness, informed consent, non-exploitation, confidentiality, accountability and transparency. The guidelines can be found at:

https://main.icmr.nic.in/sites/default/files/guidelines/ICMR_Ethical_Guidelines_2017.pdf

- Working with Laboratory Animals: In India, the Committee for the Purpose of Control and Supervision on Experiments on Animals (CPCSEA), has laid down guidelines to assure quality maintenance and humane care of laboratory animals while conducting scientific experiments. These guidelines also set rules for proper procurement, quarantine and rearing of laboratory animals. Every department of University of Delhi which has animal house and involve animals in research should have committee which examine and approve all the proposals of research involving animals. The guidelines can be found at: cpcsea.nic.in/Content/55_1_GUIDELINES.aspx and www.cpcsea.com
- Working with Chemicals: The Bureau of Indian Standards, Govt. of India, recommends a code of safety for all chemical laboratories in India. It involves guidelines for recognizing potential chemical hazards and employing corrective actions in order to expeditiously minimize accidents. Every researcher at University of Delhi is expected to follow the guidelines especially with the hazardous chemicals. Details can be found at: https://images10.newegg.com/UploadFilesForNewegg/itemintelligence/Pacon/is.4209.1
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https://bis.gov.in/index.php/the-bureau/bis-act-rules-and-regulations/

- Radiation Safety: These guidelines set by the Department of Atomic Energy, Govt. of India, apply to practices adopted and interventions applied while working with radiation sources in Indian laboratories. They ensure that the ionizing radiation and nuclear energy does not cause any risk to the health of researcher and the environment. Close monitoring by institutional radiation safety committee helps in ensuring compliance to these guidelines so that the exposure to all sources of ionizing radiation should be 'as low as reasonably achievable'. https://www.aerb.gov.in/english/publications/codes-guides
- Recombinant DNA Technology and Bio-contaminants: Recombinant DNA technology is the most popular method of introducing gene or related material in microorganism, plants and animals. Department of Biotechnology has given guidelines for research work in this area. The details can be found at:

http://dbtindia.gov.in/guidelines-biosafety

http://dbtindia.gov.in/sites/default/files/uploadfiles/Regulations %26 Guidelines for Reocminant DNA Research and Biocontainment%2C2017.pdf

3.8 Consultancy

The University has a structured consultancy policy and a centralized mechanism to regulate consultancy offers in the capacity of both individual and the organization. A faculty member can spend maximum 40 days in a year for consultancy. All remunerations related to consultancy are received in favour of the Registrar of the University. A faculty/ group receives 75% of total consultancy and 25% of the amount is remitted to University Development Fund. Remuneration paid to an individual faculty in one academic year should not exceed his/her total salary for the year. It is also ensured that the consultancy work at no stage interferes with the normal teaching/research work of any faculty. The administrative charges and charges for the use of equipment/instruments are decided by University as a percentage of the total consultancy amount involved. However, for individual consultancy where lab facility is not needed, no charge is levied.

3.8.1 Guidelines followed for consultancy work by the academic staff of the central Universities

Guidelines for Professional Consultancy

Preamble: In order to ensure effective teaching in the technological Institutions, there is a need for interaction with the industry and other Institutions of higher learning in the form of:

- Industrial Consultancy
- Sponsored Research
- Transfer of know how in the shape of patent etc.
- Inter-Institutional collaboration in selected research areas of mutual interest.

Consultancy services may be categorized as under

- Individual Consultancy
- Consultancy that does not involve the use of any Institutional facilities.
- Institutional/Departmental Consultancy
- It involves the use of University facilities such as equipment, instrument, computer, Laboratory Staff and administrative persons etc.

Organizational Set-Up

The Research Council shall constitute a committee including subject expert(s) from the University.

Payment for consultancy and permissible limits

- All consultancy assignment by faculty members should be undertaken with prior concurrence of head of the department and permission of dean consultancy.
- A faculty member may be allowed to spend normally a maximum of 40 days a year for consultancy. In special cases Vice-Chancellor's permission may be sought.
- Examination, Lectures, Selection Committees and other professional work of faculty are not to be included in the consultancy.
- All remuneration for consultancy should be received by a cheque/draft in favor of Registrar of the University, Individual Faculty Members should not receive any cash directly.
- A Faculty Member of a Group will receive 75% of total consultancy fees [item vii (F.) of para II] paid by the client and the balance of the 25% of such amount shall be remitted to the University development fund.
- Remuneration paid to an individual faculty member for consultancy as his share in one
 academic year should not exceed his total salary for the year. Any amount in excess of this
 prescribed limit due to a faculty member will be remitted to the University development fund.
- Quarterly statements of consultancy services rendered by each faculty shall be forwarded by the Dean, consultancy for information and record of the Vice-Chancellor. This statement will also show the total of fees received by individuals up to date in the academic year.

3.8.2 Revenue generated by the faculty members by consultancy

Consultant (Name of Faculty)	Faculty/ Department	Consultancy Project	Consulting/ Sponsoring Agency	Revenue Generated (in Rs.)
Prof. C.R. Babu	Centre for Environmental Management of Degraded Ecosystems	Biodiversity conservation & Rural Livelihood Improvement	BCRLI	5,85,000
Dr. Shashank Shekhar	Geology	Ground Water impact Assessment Study for Yamuna Bank Depot	DMRC	4,06,774
Dr. Meenu Anand	Social Work	Impact assessment of CSR Initiatives of Tata Power Delhi Distribution Ltd	TATA Power	3,02,494
Dr. Seema Sharma	Social Work	Hindustan Petroleum Corporation	HPCL	15,49,182
Prof. M. K. Pandit	Centre for Inter- disciplinary Studies of Mountain & Hill Environment	Ecological Study for Odisha Thermal Power Plant Project at KamakhNagar	WAPCOS	3,58,200
Prof. M. K. Pandit	Centre for Inter- disciplinary Studies of Mountain & Hill Environment	Biodiversity Studies as part of EIA Studies for Two Pump Storage Sehemes VIZ Pinnapuran Andhra Pradesh & Saundati Karnataka	RS Envirolink Technologies	2,00,000
Total (2018-2019	34,01,000			

3.9 IPR Cell and Patent Fund

The University has an Intellectual Property Rights Cell and a Patent Fund to support the intellectual property filing needs and awareness generation in the area. The University also had an IPR Chair instituted by MHRD that was functioning at the University for the past few years and has held various training programmes and conferences to promote the research culture. So far, a total of 115 inventions have been made by the University out of which 208 patents were filed in various countries and 56 applications have been granted (**Annexure IV**). In the last five years (2012-2017), 42 inventions have been made, out of which 50 patents were filed in various countries and 14 applications have been granted (**Annexure V**).

Total Number of number of inventions inventions in five years so far: No. of patent No. of patent (2012-2017): 115 applications: applications: 42 208 42 No. of No. of patents patents granted: 14 granted: 56

42 inventions: 50 patents filed in various countries and 14 applications have been granted (2012-2017)

Patents Granted

- Curcumin Analogs And Methods Of Making And Using Thereof
- Aminoquinoline Derivatives
 And Uses Thereof
- A Method Of Virus-Induced Gene Silencing In Rice Using A Vector Derived From A Dna Virus
- WithaniaSomenifera Plant Extract And A Method Of Preparation Thereof
- Method Of Producing Alkalothermostable Xylanase From Bacillus Pumiius Strain Mk001 By Solid State Fermentation
- A Process For Extraction Of Bioactive Psoralen Compound
- Pcr-Based Detection Method For Chlamydia Trachomatis
- A Process For Producing Modified Reconstituted Sendai Viral Envelope Specific For Drug And Or Gene Delivery To Liver Cells
- Improved Process For Expression, Purification And Enhanced Recovery Of Mycobacterial Recombinant Proteins
- A Novel Cytoplasmic Male Sterility System For Brassica Species And Its Use For Hybrid Seed Production In Indian Oilseed Mustard Brassica Juncea.
- Mutants Of Mycobacteria And Process Thereof
- Novel Gene Osisap1 Of Rice Confers Tolerance To Stresses And A Method Thereof
- Regulation Of Lethal Gene Expression In Plants

Patent Applications Filed

- A Device For Measuring Trignometric Functions
- Novel Brominated
 Phenothiazine Scaffolds And Methods Thereof
- A Herbal Compound From Clycine Max Seeds For Controlling Diabetes And Dyslipidemia
- A Method And Apparatus For Identification of Heterosis In Indica Rice Hybrid
- Semantic Integration And Cataloguing Of Biological Experimental
- A Method Of Transient Expression Of Gene Of Interest In Plants Using A Plant Dna

- A Molecular Beacon-Mediated Oligonucleotide-Based Diagnostic probe/Tool/Kit For Detection of Trichomonasvaginalis And Method Of Working For Same
- Production of Rifamycin B
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 Of Rifamycin Polyketide
 Synthase (Pks) Gene Cluster Of
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- Coumarin Compounds For The Treatment Of Mycobacterial Infections
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- Virus Based Vector
- Method For Bio-Bleaching Of Wood Kraft Pulps
- A Process Of Producing Orf-Enriched Phage Display Library And Uses Thereof
- A Novel Beacon-Based
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 Leukemia Patients And Method
 Of Working For The Same
- A New Fluorescent Beacon Probe Diagnostic Tool/Kit For Molecular Detection Of Translocation T(9;22)/Bcr-Abl1 In Leukemic Patients And Method Of Working For The Same

- Process For Preparing The SameInstitute of Plasma Research, Ahmedabad
- Nutritional Compositions And Methods For Manufacturing The Same
- Solar Water Distiller
- Coating Compositions And Methods From Preparation Thereof
- A Novel Oligonucleotide -Based Diagnostic
 Probe/Tool/Kit For
 Tuberculosis Detection And
 Method Of Working For Same
- A Bio-Conversion Method To Improve Nutritional Properties Of Lignocellulosic Residues

- Adhesion Molecule Icam-1 Expression onto Human Endothelial Cells.
- Optimized Process For Production Of Alkaline Lipase Enzyme From Pseudomonas Sp. And Its Applications Thereof
- A Synergistic Herbal Composition For Prevention And Treatment Of Diabetic Retinopathy And Cataract
- A Process For Producing Aromatic Carboxylic Acids By Oxidation Of Methyl Arenes

3.10 Technology Transfer

One of the major aim of research in Science is to develop processes, devices, molecules and materials as applications which can be useful for the society. The knowledge of developed processes or devices or material for wider distribution is transferred to another group or company or industry for commercialization as it requires mass application or production. The technology transfer along with patenting helps in protecting interest of person or group of people who develop the technology. Many Government organizations and Industries have developed guidelines for transfer of technology. These guidelines vary based on their aim and financial input in the organization.

The Patent Cell of the University of Delhi helps in writing and filing the patents. The technology transfer at present can be done with the help of proposal specific committee which can be constituted by patent/ technology transfer cell or Research Council in consultation with Principal Investigator.

Some of the examples of Technology/Research transferred to industry

Name of the Faculty	Centre/ Department	Description of the technology	Applications	Technology transferred to
Prof. Daman Saluja	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Centre for Biomedical Research	Chlamydia/Neisseria Detection Kit	Rapid, cost effective diagnosis infection caused by Chlamydia/Neisseria	DSS ImagetechPvt. Ltd.
Prof. Vijay K Chaudhary	Biochemistry	TB confirmation Test	For diagnosis of Tuberculosis (TB)	Yash Raj Biotechnology, Navi Mumbai
Prof. Vinay Gupta	Physics	Development of table-top Surface Plasmon Resonance (SPR) set up		Industry Optiregion, Delhi

3.11 Memorandum of Understanding

The University has been actively collaborating with many academic and research institutions to widen its research base and to share and infuse new themes of study and research in different disciplines and subject areas. In the last five years, the University has signed about 87Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) with various National & International Universities, Industries and Corporate houses. The list of MoUs is presented in **Annexure VI**.

Total number of MoUs (2012-2017): 87

3.12 Linkages with Other Institutions

In its constant endeavour to achieve excellence in research and innovation by exploring novel research paradigm, the University incentivize research by strengthening linkages and expanding National and International collaborations and partnerships with key academic institutions, industry, government, policy makers and sponsors of research. A large number of linkages have been made in the last five years for exchange of faculty and students, for internships, dissertations and research projects. The list of linkages made with national and international collaborators can be found in the **Annexure VIII and Annexure VIII.**

University of Delhi as a member of Educational network and Global Initiative of Academic Network (GIAN)

In order to add value to the learning environment, the University facilitates visit of eminent scientists/professors to the campus as adjunct professors. It regularly invites distinguished faculty from different fields to participate in its programmes as Visiting Professors, Scholars of Eminence and Adjunct Professors. The University of Delhi is a part of the following educational networks:

- Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU)
- International Association of Universities (IAU)
- International Association of University Presidents (IAUP)
- Asia Pacific Association for International Education (APAIE)
- Association of Indian Universities (AIU)
- Commonwealth Universities Study Abroad Consortium (CUSAC)
- Association of University of Asia and the Pacific (AUAP)
- Global Problem Solving Consortium (GPS)
- Universitas 21 (U21)

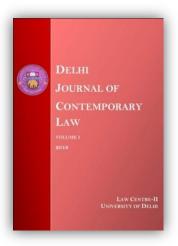
• World Cities World Class Universities (WC2)

The University is also part of the Global Initiative of Academic Networks (GIAN) in Higher Education, an initiative of the MHRD, GOI to increase the presence of reputed international faculty in the Indian academic institutes.

3.13 Research Journals of the University

There are several journals, which are published by departments and colleges. These are:

- Indian Economic Review (Department of Economics) ISSN: 0019-4670 (print version), ISSN: 2520-1778 (electronic version). https://www.springer.com/economics/journal/41775
- Journal of Commerce & Business (Department of Commerce) ISSN: 2322-0767, http://www.journal.commerce.du.ac.in
- Vageeshwari (Department of Music), ISSN: 0975-7872, http://music.du.ac.in/e-journal/journal.php
- Indian Journal of African Studies (Department of African studies). http://as.du.ac.in/publications.html
- Journal of Law Teachers of India (Law Centre I), ISSN: 2231-1580. http://law.du.ac.in/research--journal.html
- The Indian Journal of Chest Diseases & Allied Sciences (VPCI), ISSN: 0377-9343. http://www.vpci.org.in/journal.php
- Yearly Review (Department of English)
- Persian Research Journal (Department of Persian), ISSN: 2395-3667, http://persian.du.ac.in/associates.html
- Journal of Library & Information Science (Library and Information), ISSN:0970-714 X, http://dlis.du.ac.in/JLIS.htm
- Phytomorphology (Department of Botany) ISSN: 0031-9449, http://ispm.co.in/phytomorphology.html
- Delhi Journal of Contemporary Law (Law Centre II), ISSN: 2582-4570, http://lc2.du.ac.in/DJCL.html
- Ramanujan International Journal of Business and Research (Ramanujan College), ISSN: 455-5959, https://ramanujancollege.ac.in/ramanujan-international-journal-of-business-and-research-rijbr







3.14 Innovation Centres in the University

Cluster Innovation Centre

The Cluster Innovation Centre or CIC as it is popularly known- was established in 2011. It has been designed to seek and derive innovations from various clusters such as industries, villages, slums and educational clusters. It is an endeavour to harness the passion and dedication of bright young minds to solve some of the major challenges of our civil society through its learning and research programmes.

The CIC has pioneered the concept of Meta College as well as Meta University and runs a highly innovative state of the art learning and research programmes. The Design Innovation Centre (DIC) at CIC, established in 2015 under the National Initiative for Design Innovation with funding from MHRD offers graduate and post-graduate Programmes and student internships that are mentored by junior and senior design fellows.

DUCIC offers electives, certificates courses, workshops and design camps with the objectives of infusing design-based learning. The courses are delivered in blended-learning format. Currently, at DUCIC-Technology Business Incubator (MSME), eight projects are being incubated. The DUCIC Technology Business Incubator provides funding (through MoMSME), mentoring and co-working space to students facilitate start-ups. So far, three profitable companies have graduated.

Centre for Innovation in Infectious Disease Research, Education and Training (CIIDRET)

CIDRET was established under Ordinance XV-A of the University in October 2015 with the main objective to develop innovative approaches towards developing diagnostics, prophylactics and therapeutics for infectious diseases plaguing India, such as Tuberculosis, Malaria, Typhoid, HIV-AIDS, Chikungunya and Dengue infections. Another objective is to make its state-of-the-art Genomic and Proteomic facilities available for use by the scientific community, and to train students, research scholars and teachers in advance techniques and technologies, beyond their regular classroom learning, through short-term and long-term courses. Yet another aim of the centre is to interact with the Biotech Industries to provide consultancy and solutions through the expertise and facilities available to scientists involved at CIIDRET. CIIDRET also promotes Industry-Academia Interaction through 'Entrepreneurship Guest Public Lecture Series', which includes lectures by Entrepreneurs and the facilitators of Innovation.

3.15 Entrepreneurial Projects/Activities in the University

Incubation Centres in the University

Electropreneur Park





Electropreneur Park has been setup under the aegis of the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Software Technology Park of India (STPI) and India Electronics and Semiconductor Association (IESA) to support start-ups in electronic system design and manufacturing (ESDM). A holistic eco-system has been established to promote R&D, innovation, entrepreneurship in the ESDM sector in India, to enable creation of Intellectual Property, to provide assistance during prototyping, development and commercialization for the products produced through the scheme for India and other growth markets, to create employment at various levels, and to create long-term partnership with strategic sectors. The Park provides mentorships to the incubatees as per their needs e.g. Strategic, Investment, Legal, Management etc.

Recent Start-up* under incubation at Electropreneur Park in 2018-19:

Start-up	Product		
EVI Technologies Pvt. Ltd.	Indigenously developed DC based fast charging solutions and charging stations for electric vehicles		
Quickproto	Developing a range of monitoring and control systems for gas and power utility companies		
Leap Aeronautics	Developing fully electric "Vertical Take-off and Landing" vehicle for urban transport		
Dweepi Innovation	Developing vibration-based train detection system for fault detection and workman's safety		

^{*}Start-up by students from the University of Delhi

Technology Business Incubator

The Ministry of Micro, Small Medium Enterprise (MoMSME) has supported the Technology Business Incubator (TBI) at the Cluster Innovation Centre, University of Delhi (DUCIC, TBI) under the scheme "Support for Entrepreneurial and Managerial Development of SMEs through Incubators". TBI has been set up with an objective to facilitate nurturing of ideas by promoting emerging technological and knowledge based innovative ventures. DUCIC-TBI (MSME), provides funding (through MoMSME), mentoring and co-working space to students facilitate start-ups So far, eight projects have been incubated and three profitable companies have graduated.

The following are the ideas approved by MoMSME:

- MathematicalGames
- EdRob
- SignMyTour
- **PixVera**
- IdeasMarket

- Survaider
- ApparelMedia
- TnineInfotech
- Lithic

Facilities for converting ideas to products













Innovative Products Developed



















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3.16 Research Facility/Infrastructure in the University

Besides the well-equipped laboratories with state-of the art facilities across the departments, the University has "Central Instrumentation Facility" (CIFs) at the North campus (http://www.du.ac.in/du/index.php?page=university-science-instrumentation-centre) and South campus (http://cifsouthcampus.org). CIFs have a team of trained professional who help the faculty/scholars to process/analyze their samples using the high-end equipment such as Mass Spectrometer, DNA Sequencer, Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM), Confocal Microscope, Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR), CD-Spectrometer, FTIR spectrometer with ATR & Specular reflectance, LCMS with Quadropole time of flight etc.



3.17 Major Areas of Research in the Departments

Following is a brief description of the major areas of research undertaken in various departments:

Adult Continuing Education and Extension: Extension education and services in higher education, Curriculum Development and Environmental Issues, Research Methodology, Adult, Continuing Education and Extension, Lifelong Learning (LLL), Non-Formal Education, Skill Development

African Studies: Social Theories, Sociology of religion, African environment, natural resource management, disaster management, Ancient African Empires, Pan-Africanism, and African nationalism, Multi-Party Democracy in Africa, Human Rights & Refugee Problems, Africa in World Politics, India's foreign policy in Africa, Food Security and agriculture development, SAP & its impact on Africa, Regional Economic Groupings and India-Africa Economic Relations.

Anthropology: Comparative religion, caste system, family dynamics, medical systems, and anthropological theory and methods, Gender and Women's Studies, Caste studies with special interest in Dalit studies, Ecology and Environment and Border and Margins of Society, Human Genetics, Human Cytogenetics, Recombinant DNA Technology, Reproductive Immunology, Medical Anthropology; Qualitative Research; Public Health; Disaster Impact Assessment Tools; Anthropology and Mountain Communities, Genetic Structure, Diversity and Health Dynamics Among Human Coastal Populations, Association of variants of uncoupling protein 1(UCP 1) with levels of obesity, cardiovascular and metabolic complications among adolescent and adult in two homogenous groups, Human Ecology, Human Growth & Development, Physiological Anthropology, Applied Anthropology, Tribal health.

Arabic: Modern Arabic Literature, Islamic studies and Translation, Classical Arabic Literature, Indo- Arab Literature, Arab Civilization and Islamic Studies.

Biochemistry: Recombinant antibodies for therapeutics and diagnostics, Drug design and discovery against cardiovascular diseases, Haemoglobin and artificial blood substitutes, Molecular oncology and anti-cancer therapeutics, Microbial genomics and Immunodiagnostics, Bioinformatics, Network. Biology and Immunoinformatics, Signal Transduction Mechanisms of Mycobacterium tuberculosis.

Biophysics Membrane Biophysics, Ion Channels, Neuro-biophysics, Cognitive Science (Learning & Memory), Theoretical & Mathematical Biology, Structural Biology, Computational Biology and Bioinformatics, Computational Biology, Bioinformatics, Next Generation Sequencing, Protein and Genome Sequence Analysis, Use of Machine Learning Methods in Biology

Botany: Developmental and Reproductive Biology, Functional Genomics, Proteomics and Genetics, Physiology and Biochemistry, Plant Biotechnology, Systematics and Ecology, Plant- Microbe/Plant-Pest interaction, Biodiversity Conservation and Evolutionary Biology, Climate change and Abiotic Stress.

Buddhist Studies: Buddhist History, Buddhist Archaeology, Buddhist Art & Architecture, Theravada Abhidhamma Philosophy, Theravada Buddhist Psychology, Theravada Buddhist Para- Psychology, Theravada Buddhist Eschatology, and Pali (Language and Literature), Buddhist Philosophy, Theravada, Mahayana, Logic & Tantra.

Chemistry: Bio-organic chemistry, synthetic organic chemistry, natural products and noncovalent interactions in chemistry & biological fields and supramolecular chemistry, Theoretical polymer chemistry with special reference to electrically conducting polymers and biopolymers such as proteins and DNA, Nanomaterials and conducting polymer composites for fabrication of biosensors, Clay polymer nano composites as fire retardants and for synthesis of organic compounds, Physical Chemistry, Quantum Chemistry, Spectroscopy, Computational Chemistry, Nanoscience, Theoretical Physical Chemistry, Complex Systems in Electrochemistry and Materials, Synthesis of novel heterocyclic compounds; Sonochemistry, Application of microwaves in organic synthesis; Synthesis, characterization and applications of ionic liquids in organic synthesis; Preparation, characterization and applications of metal nanoparticles in organic synthesis; Synthesis of heterocycles by multicomponent reactions, photophysical studies, Corrosion Science and Technology, Semiconducting nano materials for environment, Organic Synthesis, Medicinal Chemistry (synthesis of biologically active compounds: anti-cancer, antiviral, antibacterial, antifungal, and antimalarial), Natural and Marine Natural Products (bioactivity guided isolation of natural/marine natural products). Process development of drugs/drug intermediates.

Commerce: Marketing; Organisational Behaviour and Development; Finance; Accounting; International Business; Taxation.

Computer Science: Computer Networks, Data Mining, Computational Intelligence, Algorithms, Web Intelligence, Multi-agent systems, Software Engineering, Steganography

and Steganalysis, Information Hiding, Coding Theory, Intelligent Data Analysis. Network Science, Text Analytics, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Trust and Reputation Systems, Artificial Intelligence, social network analysis, Cyber security, Image processing, Biometrics, Computer Graphics, Crowdsourcing, Cloud Computing, Web Applications, Technology enhanced Education (MOOC Platforms), Requirements Engineering and Data Science.

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Centre for Biomedical Research: Functional Genomics of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*, Epigenetics and Developmental Biology, Molecular Biology of Cancer, Molecular Virology & Human Genetics, Molecular diagnostics and basis of pathogenesis by *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* and *Chlamydia trachomatis*, Regulation of gene expression.

East Asian Studies: China's foreign policy, security policy, and political economy, Chinese Politics and Education, Ancient Indian History, Silk Road and Buddhist settlements, Chinese language, Socially engaged Buddhism, Chinese Nationalism, Chinese Ethnic Minorities, Chinese Foreign Policy, Tibet, Taiwan, Xinjiang, Hong Kong, India-China Relations, Sociology, East Asian Society, Japanese Society and Religions, Japan's Social, political, intellectual And Cultural History, Japanese Language and Literature; Japanese society and Gender Studies, Dynamics of Social Stratification in China.

Economics: International Trade, Industrial Economics, Game Theory, Econometrics, Law & Economics, Information Economics, Applied Econometrics, Applied Micro, Growth and Development, Macroeconomics, International Economics, Economics of discrimination, Aspects of the Chinese economy, Forecasting, Microeconomic Theory, Welfare Economics, Development Economics, Agricultural Economics, Health Economics, Public Economics, IPRs and Technology Transfer.

Education: Asian Education and South Asia related education, women education; Childhood, Children's Identities and Schooling; City, Migrant Social groups and Education; Class, Caste, Gender and Urban Education; Cognitive Psychology; Comparative& International Education; Computer Assisted Learning; Contemporary Education in India, under diversity, gender, caste, policy; Developmental Psychology; Disability Studies; Education of Gifted Students; Education, State, Market and Society; Educational Planning and Policies, Social-Historical Perspectives; Educational Policy, Planning and Administration; EducationalPsychology; Elementary Education; English Language Teaching; Ethnography of Schools; Gender Issues in Education; Gender Studies; Gender, School and Society; History Education; History Education; ICT in Education; Identity& Education; Impact of Social Factors such as poverty, class, language, gender etc on Education; Inclusive Education; Inclusive Education and Educational Technology; Inclusive Education of Children with Disability; Indian Psychology & Philosophy; Integral Education and Psychology; Language Education; Marginal Identities and Schooling; Mathematics Education; Mental Health; Pedagogy of Sanskrit; Pedagogy of Science; Philosophy of Education; Science and Environment Education; Science Education; Social. Science Education; Social Theory of Education; Teacher Education; Technology in Mathematics Teaching and Learning; Youth, Democracy and Education.

Electronic Science: Microwave, Optical Electronics, Artificial Intelligence, Nanoelectronics/Material Science/ Semiconductor Devices, Biomedical Instrumentation, Microelectronics/VLSI/ Embedded System, Semiconductor Material Thin Films/Photovoltaics, Optical Devices, Spintronics, Signal Processing.

English: Renaissance studies, gender studies, visual culture, Modernism, Queer Theory, Dalit Literature, Autobiographical Studies, Indian Literature, Post-colonial Studies, Translation, Postcolonial Literature and Theory; Literary Gerontology; Families in Literature; Urban Cultures; the nineteenth-century novel.

Environmental Studies: Environmental Biotechnology & Bioremediation, Nano-bioscience, Ecogenomics, Himalayan Ecology, Conservation Biodiversity & EIA studies, Allelopathy, Invasion Ecology & Soil Communities, Behavioural Ecology, Foraging and nesting ecology, Evolution, Biodiversity conservation, Urban Ecology, Fish biology & Herpetology, Systematics, Biodiversity Conservation, Molecular phylogeny & Evolution, Soil Microbial Ecology; Bio-/Phyto- Remediation; Plant-Microbe Associations; Bioresources & their Utilization, Ecology and Conservation, AMF studies Diversity of symbiotic micro-organisms, Legal regimes and policy frameworks in conservation programmes, Ecotoxicology, Environmental Pollution & Health, Bioprospecting, Protein Biochemistry, Environmental Biotechnology, Plant invasions, phenotypic plasticity in plants, Ecosystem studies and function in invaded systems, evolutionary perspectives in plant invasions, Plant Diversity, Bioacoustics, Behavioural and community ecology of Invertebrates, Tropical forests and biodiversity conservation.

Faculty of Management Studies: Growth & Behaviour Patterns of Companies in India, Marketing, Financial, Human Resource and Organizational Dimensions of Modern Industry & Business.

Financial Studies: Quantitative Finance; Investment Management and Fuzzy Decision Making, Strategic Management of Information Systems, e-commerce, Bank Management, Corporate finance; strategic finance; capital markets; venture capital, Corporate Reporting, Corporate Governance— Transparency and Disclosure Issues.

Genetics: The department is engaged in Interdisciplinary research in the frontline areas of Plant Genetics, Molecular Breeding and Biotechnology like genetic improvement of oilseed mustard through conventional and biotechnological approaches; novel strategies (based on RNAi and artificial microRNA) for the control of viral and fungal pathogens and insect pests in crops; Human Genetics & Medical Genomics with focus on discovery and functional genomics of common as well as emerging complex diseases and discovery of lead molecules; Drosophila Genetics for basic research and as model for disease biology; Plant—pathogen interaction using Arabidopsis as a model and mustard as a target crop; Dictyostelium biology to elucidate the role of bZIP transcription factors, Parvulin type PPIases, PinA and other protein regulators; Yeast Genetics with a focus on mitochondrial ribosome

function/biogenesis; Cancer Genetics to understand molecular and cellular changes occurring in hypoxic tumor microenvironment; Promoter architecture and gene regulation in plants.

Geography: Quantitative Techniques, Urban and Regional Studies, Programme Evaluation, Indian Geography, Disasters and their Management in India, Political Geography, Regional Geography of Middle East, Geography of Federal Study, Spatial Studies, Watershed Management; Mountain Hydrology; Ecotourism and Conservation, Environmental Studies, Remote Sensing and GIS, Disaster Management, Climate Change, Urban Environment.

Geology: Igneous &Metamorphic Petrology, Geochemistry, Structural Geology, Igneous Petrology, Geochemistry, Vertebrate Palaeontology, Geochemistry and Geochronology, Metamorphic Petrology, Environmental Geology, Hydrogeology, Biostratigraphy, Engineering Geology, Structural Geology, Sedimentary Geology, Mineralogy, Petrology, Geomorphology, Fluvail system, Sedimentary Geology and Geomorphology, Hydrogeology, Geomorphology, Sedimentology, Micropaleontology, Metamorphic Petrology, Stratigraphy, Sedimentology.

Germanic & Romance Studies: French and Francophone Literature, German Literature, Latin American and Spanish literature, Italian Literature, Portuguese Literature, Comparative Literature, Postcolonial Studies, Translation Studies, Foreign Language Education with focus on Teaching French/German/Italian/Spanish/Portuguese as a Foreign language.

Hindi: Bhakti Literature and Movement and Modern Hindi Literature, Dalit literature, Fiction, Hindi language, Language pedagogy, Media, Indian society & culture, Indian education system, Modern Hindi Literature, Polish English Hindi Translation, Hindi Novel, Poetry, Dalit Literature and Hindi Journalism.

History: Social, economic and cultural history, disciplinary history of archaeology, the interface between landscape archaeology and anthropology, medieval state and ecclesiastical institutions, thenationalist movement in India, peasant and tribal societies and movements, the process of sectarian and majoritarian identity formation, memory history-community, oral and performative narratives and their relationships to constructions of particularistic pasts, the interaction between institutions of governance and newer forms of knowledge, with particular reference to the development of humanistic disciplines and of archaeology and museumology.

Home Science: Food and Nutrition, Human development and childhood studies, development and communication extension, resource management and design application, fabric and apparel science, Food Technology.

Institute of Informatics & Communication: Internet of Things (IoT), Network Architecture, Network Security, Complex Network, Cryptography, Sensor Network, Service Delivery Design and Architecture, Cloud Computing and Infrastructure, Network Application, Mobile application architecture and security. Modelling and Simulation, Computational neuro-bioscience, Nonlinear dynamics, Applied Numerical analysis,

Nonlinear Time Series Analysis, Stochastic Modelling, Stellar Structure- Evolution, Pulsation, Rotation & Magnetic Fields, Celestial Mechanics and Dynamical Systems

Library and Information Science: Marketing of LIS Products, Cataloguing, History of libraries in India and Information Systems, Library, Information and Society, Library Cataloguing, ICT Application in Libraries and Information Activities; Web Designing and Content Development; Library Classification, bibliometrics, Scientometrics and webometrics studies; Government of India Publications, Indian Official Documents, Public Library System, Designing and evaluation of websites, Web- OPACs, e-journals, Social Networking Sites, Syntax, Discourse, Psycholinguistics.

Linguistics: Documentation and description of endangered languages, Historical Linguistics, Phonology, Morphology, Language contact, Psycholinguistics and Neurolinguistics, Linguistic Stylistics, Applied Linguistics, Generative Phonology, Translation Studies, Sociolinguistics, Lexicography.

Mathematics: Banach Algebras, Complex Analysis, Functional Analysis, Harmonic Analysis, Operator Algebras, Operator Spaces, Dynamical Systems and Ergodic Theory, Operator Theory, Semigroups of Operators, Theory of Frames, Differential Equations on Abstract Spaces, Commutative Algebra, Field Theory and Polynomials, Cryptography and Number Theory, Topology, General Topology, Algebraic Topology, Topological Dynamics, Differential Equations, Fluid Dynamics, Mathematical Modelling, General Relativity, Numerical Analysis, Computational Fluid Dynamics, Analysis of PDE, Partial Differential Equations, Nonlinear Waves, Celestial Mechanics, Nonlinear Dynamical Systems, Simulation and Numerical Modelling, Mathematical Programming, Optimization Theory

Microbiology: Microbial differentiation, food and industrial microbiology, environmental microbiology, agricultural microbiology, microbial pathogens and pathogenicity, medical microbiology, immunology, clinical microbiology, genetic engineering and microbial molecular biology.

Modern Indian Languages and Literary Studies: Comparative Indian literature, Translations Studies, Women_s Writings, Drama and Theatre, Folklore and Tribal Lore, Assamese Language, Literature and Culture, Bengali Language, Literature and Culture, Gujarati Language, Literature and Culture, Odia Language, Literature and Culture, Sindhi Language, Literature and Culture, Tamil Language, Literature and Culture, Telugu Language, Literature and Culture, Postmodernism and Postcolonialism, Bhakti Literature, Cultural Studies, Life Writings, Literary and Cultural Theory, Partition Literature, Sociology of Literature and Culture, Indian Poetics.Socio-linguistics.

Music and Fine Arts: Interdisciplinary research and applied musicology and aesthetics, Aesthetics and Instrumental Music, Music of Punjab, Practical aspect of Hindustani aesthetically Rag presentation, Khayalgayaki, Voice culture for singing music, Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal) Dhrupad, Dhamar, Khyal, Musical Instruments and Instrumental

Music: Classical Music as well as Folk Music, rhythmic and melodic aspects in ritualistic, folk and classical music of Kerala, RagamTanam-Pallavi, Dikshitar'skritis, javalis, Hindustani Instrumental Music.

Operational Research: Inventory Management, Supply Chain Management, Statistics, Optimization, Mathematical Programming, Financial Management, Software Reliability.

Persian: Indo-Persian Literature, Persian Lexicography, Medieval Indian Culture and Sufism, Indo-Iranian Literary relations in the context of translations of classical Sanskrit and other Texts into Persian and their impact, Modern Persian Literature (Prose) and Translation and Interpretation from Persian into English and vice-versa, Persian Novel Writing in Iran and Modern Persian Literature.

Philosophy: Indian Philosophy, Philosophy of Religion, Human Rights, Ethics, Applied Ethics(Environmental Ethics), Development Ethics, Metaethics, Media Ethics, Feminism, Epistemology, Social and Political Philosophy, Contemporary Indian Philosophy, Philosophy of Technology, Continental Philosophy, Vedic and Vedanta Philosophy.

Physical Education and Sports Sciences: Exercise and Sports Psychology, Sports Exercise Physiology, Adapted Physical Activity, Sports Bio-mechanics and Kinesiology, Motor Learning and control, Comparative Physical Education and Sport, Coaching Science and Physical Fitness, Health and Wellness, Kinathropometry, Neuro-motor Psychology, Philosophy of Sports, Political Science of Sports, Sociology of Sports, Sport Facilities, Sports Law and Sports for All, Sports History, Sports Management, Sports Pedagogy, Sports Medicine, Yogic Science, Sports Spirituality, Development of norms for various age groups of Human populations in the areas of Health and Fitness, Curriculum Development and Designing, Training Programme implementation and Development and Talent identification.

Physics & Astrophysics: Astrophysics, Atomic & Molecular Physics, Bio-Physics, Biological Network Cosmology, Condensed matter physics, Complex systems computational physics, Field theory, General relativity, Laser Plasma interactions, Nuclear Physics-Nuclear Structure & Reaction Dynamics, High Energy Physics, Material Science, Non-linear dynamics, , Mesoscopic Physics (Transport Quantum Dots and Quantum Wires), Spintronics, Nano-materials physics, Non-equilibrium Statistical mechanics, Particle Physics, Plasma physics, Quantum Dots, Radiation dosimetry, Radiation detector development & characterisation, Polymers, Semiconductors, Crystallography, String Theory.

Plant Molecular Biology: Stress Molecular Biology, Reproductive Biology, Signal transduction and photobiology, Bioinformatics, Functional genomics, Genomics and proteomics, Transgenics for crop improvement, Small regulatory RNAs, Plant viruses, Plant biotechnology for human health, Intellectual property rights.

Political Science: International Relations Theory, Identity Politics and Political Violence, Gender Studies, South Asian Politics with a special focus on Pakistan & the Kashmir conflict,

Public Administration, Modern Indian Political Thought, Contemporary Indian politics, Political theory, comparative politics, Indian politics, Communal Identity formations in modern India; internationalism/cosmopolitanism; history and time, South Asian Studies and Pakistan Studies, State, Constitutionalism and Democracy— Laws and their relationship with state, democracy and constitutionalism, issues of rights and people's movements, Judiciary, Election Commission, International Relations-Strategic Studies, Nuclear Weapons and Terrorism, Indian Political Economy, Indian Political System, Issues concerning communalism and secularism. Democracy, Development and Peace, sociological, economic, philosophical and cultural dimensions of political science.

Psychology: Research related to Dyslexia, mental retardation, hypertension, schizophrenia, depression, drug abuse, cognition in disabled children, belief systems, ageing, organizational processes.

Punjabi: Medieval Punjabi Literature, Modern Punjabi Literature, Classical Theories of Literature, Western Literary Theories, Media Studies, Language and Linguistics Studies, Meta Criticism, Diasporic Punjabi Literature, Inter-disciplinary Studies of Literature, Comparative Studies of Literature, History of Punjabi Language & Literature. Folklore Studies, Film Studies, Lexicography.

Sanskrit: Linguistics & Indian Philosophy (especially Nyaya& Vedanta), Indian Philosophy, Literature, Indian Culture and civilization and Religions, Epigraphy and Palaeography, Sanskrit Drama, Poetry, History and culture of Ancient India, Veda, Dharma Shastra& Poetics.

Slavonic and Finno-Ugrian Studies: The Department of Slavonic and Finno-Ugrian Studies offers Ph.D. programme in Russian Studies. The objective is to promote research in the areas of language, literature, translation, culture and comparative studies in Russian (The department presently is offering research only in the area of literature and comparative literary studies).

Social Work: Social work discipline, Social Work with Older persons, Social Development, Social Legislation, HRM, Ecology and Social Work, Rural and Urban Community Development, Management of Voluntary Organizations, Social Development, Social Work Education, Disaster Management, Social movements, protest movements and community organization.

Sociology: Folk Culture, Narrative Theory, Phenomenology and Everyday Life, Bureaucratic Institutions, Agrarian Relations, Population Displacement, Sociology in South Asia, Sociocultural aspects of the economy; Caste inequalities and identities in contemporary India and their relationship to social policy; Social space and its interactions with globalization; Contemporary social theory and the history and politics of the social sciences in India; South-South intellectual linkages; Higher education and social inclusion and pedagogy, Gender; Kinship; Care; State and Citizenship; Social Movements; Agrarian Structures; Sociology of

Emotion; Fieldwork Methodology; Comparative Sociology, Citizenship, war and counterinsurgency in South Asia, indigenous identity and politics in India, the sociology of law, and inequality, Sociology of Education, Gender Studies, Sociology of Migration, Agrarian Social Structure, Development Studies, Tribal Studies, Kinship, caste, visualanthropology, urban sociology.

Statistics: Order Statistics, Fluctuation theory, Random walk, Rank order statistics, Biostatistics, Demography, Sequential Analysis, Reliability and Life-Testing, Design of Experiments, Optimization, Time Series, Reliability Models.

Urdu: Classical Prose, Classical Poetry, Modern Prose, Modern Poetry, Humour & Satire, Fiction, Criticism, Drama, Theatre, Mass Media and Non Fiction Prose, etc.

Zoology: Animal Physiology, Animal Behaviour, Aquaculture, Cell Signalling, Chromatin and Cancer Biology, Computational Biology, Endocrinology, Entomology, Genomics and Metagenomics, Systematics, Evolution and Biodiversity, Microbiology, Molecular Cell Biology, Radiation Biology, Reproductive Physiology and Toxicology.

3.18 Research Centres and Institutes

The University has 20 Centres and 03 Institutes. Five (marked with asterisk) are also Teaching Centres/Institutes.

- Agricultural Economics Research Centre
- Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Center for Biomedical Research *
- Centre for Canadian Studies
- Centre for Detector & Related Software Technology
- Centre for Disability Studies
- Cluster Innovation Centre *
- Centre for Environmental Management of Degraded Eco System
- Centre for Genetic Manipulation of Crop Plants
- Centre for Innovation in Infectious Disease Research, Education and Training
- Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies of Mountain and Hill Environment
- Centre for Science Education & Communication
- Delhi School of Journalism*
- Delhi School of Public Policy & Governance*
- Delhi School of Transnational Affairs
- Developing Countries Research Centre
- Institute of Cyber Security and Law
- Institute of Lifelong Learning
- Institute of Informatics & Communication *
- Inter Disciplinary Centre for Plant Genomics
- Prof. D.S. Kothari Centre for Science Ethics & Education
- University Science Instrumentation Centre
- Women Studies & Development Centre

A brief description of major research and academic activities of the Centres is as follows:

Agricultural Economics Research Centre (AERC): The Centre was established in 1954 as a maintained institution of the University under Ordinance XX-G. The Centre is funded by the Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India andworks on issues related to agriculture and rural development in India.Someof the studies conducted by the Centre have resulted in the creation of primary database which are used by the Ministry of Agriculture as well as scholars within and outside the University. Several renowned economists have worked at the Centre and contributed substantially in the field of agricultural economic research.

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Centre for Bio-Medical Research Centre (ACBR): The Centre was established in 1991 and offers courses at the level of post-graduation: M.Sc. (Bio-Medical Sciences) and Ph.D. (Bio-Medical Sciences). The interdisciplinary nature of the Centre has contributed immensely in the development of new interdisciplinary leads in the area of Chemistry and Biology. This is reflected by joint publications and continued research funding from government agencies in recognition of a fruitful amalgamation of Chemistry and Biology that is unique to this Centre of the University. The Centre has a DBT sponsored Bioinformatics Infrastructure Facility (BIF) since 2006 and is being utilized by faculty members, Ph.D. and M.Sc. students as well as by other faculty members and scientists from INMAS, IGIB, Department of Chemistry, AIIMS etc.

Centre for Canadian Studies: The Centre for Canadian Studies was set up in March 1992 at the University of Delhi to promote Indo- Canadian academic collaboration among faculty members, research scholars and students, particularly in the field of multidisciplinary studies. The Centre has in its nineteen years of existence succeeded in its objectives. Every year it organizes a Lester Pearson lecture in the memory of the late Prime Minister of Canada. To promote interest among students in Canadian Studies, the Centre organises an annual Pierre Trudeau memorial debate. The Centre has a programme of sending students who are pursuing post graduate professional programmes in the University to Canada for a summer internship in collaboration with the Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute and the Canada-India Business Council.

Centre for Detector & Related Software Technology: The Centre was established in 1988-89 under the aegis of the Department of Physics & Astrophysics. The Centre has international recognition in the Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS experiment at CERN Switzerland). It has been involved in Major International Collaborative Research Projects in Experimental High Energy Physicssince 1988-89 and through the funding from the research projects, it has established experimental facilities for (a) data analysis in High Energy Physics (b) high performance computing cluster (c) video conferencing facilities (d) silicon and gaseous detector characterization labs. The international collaboration of the Centre extends from Fermilab, US to CERN Switzerland. Faculties and students utilizing the facilities of the Centre were also involved in several important Physics results including Higgs boson, or the so called 'God Particle'.

Centre for Disability Studies: The establishment of the Centre was approved in July, 2019 by the Executive Council. Once it is operational, it will offer Certi_icate, Diploma and Postgraduate degree courses and Research programmes.

Cluster Innovation Centre (CIC): An innovation - oriented centre of learning within University of Delhi with an entrepreneurial dimension, Cluster Innovation Centre offers the dynamic programmes of study with a "no boundary" concept thereby inculcating diverse opportunities and promoting the spirit of enterprise through its education, innovation and services. Activities of the centre are described in 3.16.

Centre for Environmental Management of Degraded Eco System (CEMDE): The two major ecosystems of Delhi - River Yamuna and Delhi Ridge - are life supporting systems of the city providing ecological goods and services to the society in the past. These are now under threat due to anthropogenic activities. The Delhi Development Authority came to rescue this natural heritage of Delhi by the establishment of Biodiversity Parks in collaboration with the Centre for Environmental Management of Degraded Ecosystems, University of Delhi. This is a major outreach programme at the University of Delhi under which a team of scientists under the leadership of Professor C.R. Babu (Professor Emeritus) has beendeveloping a network of Biodiversity Parks through innovative approach-ecological assemblages of species that form self-sustaining communities on degraded/barren landscapes. These parks are first of their kind in India and perhaps in the world, and serve as ecological models for conservation of natural heritage in urban landscapes. In fact, the two biodiversity parks-the Yamuna Biodiversity Park and the Aravali Biodiversity Park are fully functional and serve as Nature Reserves with some 2000 species of plants and animals.

Centre for Genetic Manipulation of Crop Plants: The major activity of the Centre is to undertake research on genetic improvement of oilseed Brassicas through conventional and biotechnological approaches. Its major financial support has come from the National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) and DBT. The Centre is primarily working on the molecular mapping of *B.juncea*. A total of eight bi-parental DH mapping populations are being used for genome mapping and mapping of several qualitative and quantitative traits. Different marker systems (detected and developed in the lab) such as RFLP, AFLP, genomic and genic SSRs and RNA Seq-based SNPs are being used for whole genome mapping as well as target region fine mapping.

Centre for Innovation in Infectious Disease Research, Education and Training (CIIDRET): CIDRET was established under Ordinance XV-A of the University in October 2015 with the main objective to develop innovative approaches towards developing diagnostics, prophylactics and therapeutics for infectious diseases plaguing India, such as Tuberculosis, Malaria, Typhoid, HIV-AIDS, Chikungunya and Dengue infections. Another objective is to make available state-of-the-art Genomic and Proteomic facilities for use by the scientific community, and to train students, research scholars and teachers in advance techniques and technologies, beyond their regular classroom learning, through short-term and

long-term courses. Yet another aim of the centre is to interact with the Biotech Industries to provide consultancy and solutions through the expertise and facilities available with scientists involved at CIIDRET. CIIDRET also promotes Industry-Academia Interaction through 'Entrepreneurship Guest Public Lecture Series', which includes lectures by entrepreneurs and the facilitators of innovation.

Centre for Inter-Disciplinary Studies of Mountain & Hill Environment (CISMHE):

CISMHE was established in 1990 and is recognized as a Centre of excellence/R&D Centre by the Ministry of Power, Govt. of India. The Centre is actively engaged in research on Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and conducting capacity studies. The Centre takes up consultancy work and the research laboratories of the Centre are supported by various corporate houses including Reliance Energy Ltd., JAY PEE Associates among others. The Centre presently has four inter-institutional collaboration projects sponsored by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change. The project includes carrying capacity based developmental planning of national capital region (NCR), Doon Valley, Damodar river basin and Tistariver basin in Sikkim. The international outreach of the Centre includes collaboration with National University of Singapore for projects, Ecological Economics of Hydropower Development in the Himalaya, and Ecological River Impact on Himalaya.

Centre for Science Education and Communication: The Centre for Science Education and Communication (CSEC) at the University of Delhi was established in 1989 as a response to the changing relationship between society at large and the University. It was established to serve as an institution in which studies can be carried out by teachers and students of the University, and other interested individuals, for the generation of ideas and materials for the improvement of science education and for the promotion of a wider interest in science and scientific issues through all means of communications.

Delhi School of Journalism: The School started in September 2017 with the objective to identify and nurture aspiring journalists to enable them to become a driving force for a quality driven public sphere and information economy. The School offers a Five Year Integrated Bilingual Programme in Journalism which includes teaching of four foreign languages (French, Spanish, Chinese and Arabic) and four regional languages (Sanskrit, Tamil, Urdu and Bengali) in ten semesters (A student has to select one foreign language and one regional language). This programme is the first of its kind in India. It offers an exit option after three years, where the students will be awarded Degree of Bachelor of Journalism. Students completing two years postgraduate programme will be awarded Degree of Master of Journalism. The selection of candidates is done through an All India entrance test.

Delhi School of Public Policy & Governance: The proposal for setting up of the Delhi School of Public Policy and Governance has been approved by the Executive Council in July 2019. The vision statement of the School states, inter alia:

The vision of the School is to provide an interdisciplinary platform for learning and research on Public Policy and Governance. The School will serve as a forum where the academic rigour blends with empirical evidence and the practical experience to promote the knowledge

about processes of policymaking and governance. The objective is to contribute to the design and implementation of the public policy by providing context relevant policy inputs to the policymakers. The School will serve as a springboard of purposive discourse on effective and equitable governance from the developing world view point.

Delhi School of Transnational Affairs: The Delhi School of Transnational Affairs is established under Ordinance XX (P) of the University, which was approved in 2017 by the Executive Council. The School aims to promote excellence in transnational, comparative and interdisciplinary research. The School is envisaged as the University's academic window to the world in which ideas and studies are shared and carried out by and among various stakeholders of the academic community of the University along with scholars and practitioners from across the globe.

Developing Countries Research Centre (DCRC): Developing Countries Research Centre took shape in 1993, under the Board of Interdisciplinary Programme through Ordinance No. XV-A by the University. Since its inception, the Centre has organized major national and international seminars and conferences on themes of significant interest, sometimes in collaboration with prestigious institutions.

Institute of Cyber Security and Law: The Institute of Cyber Security and Law is established under Ordinance XX (O) of the University, which was approved in 2017 by the Executive Council. The Institute of Cyber Security and Law has been envisaged to nurture young talent in the niche domain of cyber security and law. The Institute aspires to work for development of safe cyber security environment and secure systems and promote ethical conduct amongst the cyber security professionals. The Institute is run by a group of professionals in the field of cyber security. It is mentored by some of the leading experts in the fields of cyber security and law. The Institute offers a Postgraduate Diploma in Cyber Security and Law.

Institute of Life Long Learning (ILLL): The Institute of Lifelong Learning is dedicated to the cause of those who believe that learning is not age-bound nor classroom-bound, but it takes place throughout life and in all kinds of situations. The Institute of Lifelong Learning is a nodal agency for creation and uploading of e-Content for the Undergraduate Students of the University of Delhi. The endeavour is an attempt to provide additional quality e-material for students. To facilitate learning processes of students under UGP courses, ILLL has initiated the process to prepare e-material in form of e-lessons, e-labs, e-quizzes and e-lectures For UG courses in various subjects. This endeavour is the outcome of collective efforts of the academic community.

Institute of Informatics & Communication (IIC): Information Technology integrates a wide spectrum of knowledge and skill ranging from the design of computer hardware, software systems, and telecommunication to the impact of information technology on society. Institute of Informatics & Communication was established to serve as an inter-disciplinary

centre for humanities, social sciences, pure and applied sciences and as a nodal point between university and various Institutions/Industries, related to communication and informatics.

Inter Disciplinary Centre for Plant Genomics: In their efforts to sequence wheat genome as part of International Wheat Genome Sequencing Consortium, the primary task of the Interdisciplinary Centre at University of Delhi South Campus was to generate BAC end sequence data from both the ends of these BACs using Sanger technology. Till date, sequencing of 1,30,848 BAC clones has been performed from both the ends using T7 (forward) and a custom designed reverse primer, generating 2,61,696 sequences, with 2-3% error rate. In total, nearly 150Mb of wheat genomic sequences having an average read length of ~550bp per BAC end have been generated. After quality assessment of these BAC-end sequences, these data have been analysed for repeat identification, gene content and functional annotation, identification of SSRs and compared with model grass genomes.

Prof. D.S. Kothari Centre for Science Ethics & Education: In honour of Professor Kothari the University of Delhi has established the D.S. Kothari Centre for Science, Ethics and Education. The activities of the Centre include organizing lectures and workshops, including the D.S. Kothari Memorial Lecture, publishing working papers, books and other material on themes close to Professor Kothari's interests: science, ethics and various related aspects of education in India. As one of the Centre's activities, Sir John Kendrew, Nobel laureate, delivered the first Prof. D. S. Kothari Memorial lecture on November 18, 1995. In recent years, Nobel Laureate His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama has delivered the D.S. Kothari Memorial Lecture.

University Science Instrumentation Centre: It is a central facility and houses for sophisticated analytical instruments. Its main objective is to provide services to all researchers and students of science departments in the University and the constituent colleges of the University of Delhi. Facilities for carrying out spectral, thermal, chemical and microstructural analysis on a variety of materials are extended to all researchers. A centralized liquid nitrogen distribution facility is maintained for all science departments, and all requests for customs duty and excise duty exemption for imported items are processed. Training programs and workshops/seminars are organized regularly for laboratory staff and research scholars in focused areas of materials characterization and analysis.

Women Studies and Development Centre (WSDC): Women's Studies and Development Centre of Advanced Study, University of Delhi, was established in 1987 as a response of the University of Delhi to the call from the University Grants Commissions (UGC) to address women's concerns in higher education. Since then, WSDC has covered a long distance by expanding its programmes and activities. WSDC has been recognized as an Advanced Centre of Study by the UGC in 2016.

4 Awards and Honours

In recognition of remarkable contribution made in their respective fields, a large number of faculty members of the University have been conferred with prestigious awards and honours. Following are some of the awards and honours conferred upon faculty of University of Delhi in the last five years (2014-2019).

	Padma Shri Award			
Depa	artment of Mathematics			
1	Prof. Dinesh Singh, Ex-VC, University of Delhi	Padma Shri Award by President of India, 2014.		
Depa	artment of Persian			
2	Prof. Rehana Khatoon	Padma Shri Award by President of India, 2014.		
	Lifetime Achievem	ent Award		
Depa	artment of Microbiology			
1	Prof. R.C. Kuhad	Life Time Achievement Award by the Association of Microbiologists of India-Platinum Jubilee.		
Depa	artment of Plant Molecular Biology			
2	Prof. J.P. Khurana	Lifetime Achievement Award, SciGenome Research Foundation, 2015.		
Depa	artment of Psychology			
3	Prof. N.K. Chadha	Lifetime Achievement Award in Psychology, International Conference on Multidisciplinary Healthcare, AIIMS , New Delhi.		
Depa	artment of Sanskrit			
4	Prof. Sharda Sharma	Lifetime Achievement Award, Nagaland.		
Depa	artment of Social Work			
5	Prof.Sanjai Bhatt	Professor V.K.R.V. Rao Memorial Lifetime Achievement Award, 2017.		
	President/Visitor	r Award		
Depa	artment of Biochemistry			
1	Dr.Amita Gupta	Visitors Award for Innovation for TB Detection Kit, by President of India, 2015.		
2	Prof. Vijay K. Chaudhary	Visitors Award for Innovation for TB Detection Kit, by President of India, 2015. Biotech Product and Process		
		Development and Commercialization Award, DST, by President of India, 2014.		

Depa	artment of Hindi			
3	Prof Sheoraj Singh	Subramanyam Bharti National Award,		
		2016 by President of India.		
4	Prof.Sudhish Pachauri	Subramanyam Bharti National Award,		
		2014 by President of India.		
Depa	artment of Buddhist studies			
5	Prof.BhikshuSatyapala	Awarded Certificate of Honour in		
		Paliby President of India, 2014.		
6	Prof K.T.S. Sarao	Awarded Certificate of Honour for		
		Excellence in Pāli Language by the		
		President of India as part of the		
		Independence Day Honours 2018.		
	al Opportunity Cell			
7	Dr.Bipin Kumar Tiwary	National Award for the Empowerment		
		of Persons with Disabilities (Role		
Dom	outmout of II:n d:	Model), by President of India, 2016.		
Depa	Artment of Hindi	Dunaidantial Assaul Cata f D-1		
8	Prof. Kusumlata Malik	Presidential Award Category for Role Model for Academic Achievements and		
		Social Works, 2015.		
	J. C Bose F			
Done	artment of Biochemistry	ellows		
1	Prof. Debi P. Sarkar	J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2015-20.		
Don		J.C. Bose National Pellow, 2013-20.		
2	Prof. B.K. Thelma	LC Dose National Follow, 2011 16		
		J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2011-16.		
	artment of Geology	1.C.D. N 1.E.H. 2017.20		
3	Prof. G.V.R Prasad	J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2015-20.		
	artment of Plant Molecular Biology	1.6.5. 1.7.1. 2017.20		
4	Prof. Anil Grover	J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2015-20		
5	Prof. Indranil Dasgupta	J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2017-22		
6	Prof. Paramjit Khurana	J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2017-22		
7	Prof J P Khurana	J C Bose National Fellow, 2013-18		
Depa	artment of Zoology			
8	Prof. Yogendra Singh	J.C. Bose National Fellow, 2016-21.		
	Technology Award by DBT/DST/CSIR/ICMR			
	ogical Sciences and Engineering, NSIT			
1	Dr. Sanjeev Kumar	Bioenergy Award for Cutting Edge Research from DBT & IUSSTF, 2017.		
2	Dr. Yatender Kumar	Carrier Research Award in Life		
		Sciences Research Board (SERB),		
		Department of Science & Technology		
		(DST) Govt. of India.		
_	artment of Environmental Studies			
3	Dr. David Kothamasi	DST BOYSCAST Award for Research		
		at Overseas Institute, DST, Government		
		of India.		

Dep	artment of Microbiology	
4	Prof. J.S. Virdi	DBT-BIRAC Ideathon Award on
		Antimicrobial Resistance, 2016.
	Fellows Elected in Pr	estigious Academies & Awards
Dep	artment of Botany	
1	Prof. A.K. Bhatnagar	Fellow, National Institute of Ecology,
		Jaipur/New-Delhi.
2	Prof. K.S. Rao	Fellow, Andhra Pradesh Akademi of
		Sciences, Amaravati, 2016.
3	Prof.Ved Pal Singh	Fellow, International Society of Plant
		Morphologists
		Fellow, Linnean Society, London.
4	Prof. Veena Aggarwal	Awarded fellowship of Indian Society
		of Plant Physiology (ISPP), India, 2013.
5	Prof Shailendra Goel	Fellow of linnean Society of London,
		UK, 2016.
6	Prof. P.L. Uniyal	Fellow of Indian Fern Society, India in
		2019.
	artment of Chemistry	
7	Prof. Rama Kant	Fellow of the Indian Academy of
		Sciences.
	artment of Economics	17
8	Prof. Rohini Somanathan	International Economic Association
	4 85 4 104 1	(IEA) Fellow (life-time title), 2018.
	artment of Environmental Studies	
9	Prof. Maharaj K. Pandit	Fellow, Indian National Science
		Academy (INSA).
		Fellow, National Academy of Sciences
		(2014-15).
		Fellow, Harvard University's Radcliffe
		Institute of Advanced Study. Independent Director (Board of
		Directors) in Tehri Hydro Development
		Corporation (India) by GoI.
10	Prof. P. Pardha Saradhi	Fellow, International Society of Plant
10	1101.1.1 arana baraani	Morphologists.
Den	artment of Genetics	Morphologists.
∠ υp		Fellow, Indian National Science
11	Prof. M V Rajam	Academy, India, 2015.
	1101. IVI V IXagani	Fellow, National Academy of
		Agricultural Sciences.
		Fellow, Andhra Pradesh Academy of
		Sciences (FAPAS).
12	Dr. Tapasya Srivastava	Member, National Academy of Medical
		Sciences.
	Prof. Pradeep K Burma	INSA Sunder Lal Hora Medal.
	· r ====	INSA Best Teacher Award, 2016.
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Dep	artment of Geology	
13	Prof. G.V.R Prasad	Fellow, The Linnean Society of London, UK, 2016.
14	Prof. M. Jayananda	Fellow, Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore.
15	Prof. P. Srivastava	Fellow, The Clay Mineral Society of India, New Delhi, 2018.
Dep	artment of Microbiology	
16	Prof. R.C. Kuhad	Fellow, Biotech Research Society of India (FBRS).
		Fellow, National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (FNAAS).
17	Prof. R.K. Saxena	Fellow, Indian Academy of Microbiological Sciences (FAMS), India, 2014.
Dep	artment of Physics and Astrophysics	s
18	Prof.AvinashKhare	Fellow Royal Society of Chemistry and Chem, Royal Society of Chemistry, London, 2016. INSA Biren Roy Memorial Award
Don	artment of Plant Molecular Biology	Lecture, 2016.
19	Prof.Girdhar K. Pandey	Fellow, National Academy of Sciences, India, 2016.
		Fellow of National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS), New Delhi, India, 2018.
20	Prof. J. P. Khurana	Fellow, The World Academy of Sciences (TWAS), Trieste, Italy, 2016. Council Member: INSA & NASI.
21	Prof. Paramjit Khurana	Fellow, The Third World Academy of Sciences, Trieste, Italy.
Dep	artment of Zoology	
22	Prof. Rup Lal	Fellow, Indian National Science Academy (INSA).
23	Prof. Yogendra Singh	Fellow of Indian National Science Academy (INSA), 2013. Fellow, Indian Academy of Microbiological Sciences (FAMI), India, 2013.
Dep	artment of Mathematics	
23	Prof. C.S. Lalitha	INSA Teachers Award (2016).
	Office Bearers of Re	eputed Societies/Associations
Dep	artment of Chemistry	
1	Prof. D. S. Rawat	Executive Member, Indian Society of Chemist and Biologist, 2013-2015.
2	Prof. Ramesh Chandra	President - World Congress of Nanomedical Sciences January, 2019.

Depa	artment of Economics	
3	Prof.PamiDua	President of The Indian Econometric Society (TIES), 2015-2016. Vice President, TIES, 2012-2013, 2013-
		2014, 2014-2015.
		Member, Monetary Policy Committee, Reserve Bank of India, 2016 to 2020.
4	Prof. Shreekant Gupta	Vice-President, Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE), 2018-2020.
5	Prof. Meenakshi J. V.	Member, National Statistical Commission, Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Government of India.
Depa	artment of Genetics	
6	Prof. Pradeep Kumar Burma	Vice-President of Indian Society of Cell Biology 2019-2021.
Depa	artment of Geography	
7	Prof. R. B. Singh	Vice President, International Geographical Union, 2016-2020.
		First Indian and Second Asian Secretary General and Treasurer of the
		International Geographical Union for 2018-2022.
		President of the Earth System Science Section of the Indian Science Congress Association for 2019-2020.
Depa	artment of Physics & Astrophysics	Tibboolation for 2017 2020.
8	Prof. Samit K. Mandal	Member of NUSTAR Council (with voting right), FAIR-NUSTAR collaboration, GSI, Darmstadt, Germany from January 2019 to 2024.
Depa	artment of Plant Molecular Biology	Germany from vandary 2017 to 2021.
9	Prof. Paramjit Khurana	General Secretary (<i>Outstation</i>), The National Academy of Sciences, Allahabad, India, 2019.
10	Prof. A. K. Tyagi	President, National Academy of Sciences, India.
		President, Indian Society for Plant Physiology, N Delhi, 2017-2018.
Facu	lty of Law	
11	Dr. Vageshwari	Treasurer in the All India Law Teachers Congress Association.
12	Prof Usha Razdan	Scholarship by Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany, 2015.
Depa	artment of Zoology	
13	Prof. Vinod Kumar	President Elect, Indian Society for

	1	Chronobiology; and Secretary, Indian
14	Prof M. M. Chaturvedi	Society for Chronobiology. President of Indian Association of
14	Prof M. M. Chaturvedi	
		teachers in Biological Sciences for the
	Conion Admi	year 2016. nistrative Positions
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1	Prof. J. L. Kaul	Vice Chancellor, H.N.B. Garhwal
	D C D C W 1 1	(Central University), Uttarakhand.
2	Prof. R.C. Kuhad	Vice Chancellor, Central University of
2	D C IZ 1 C 1	Haryana.
3	Prof. Kamala Sankran	Vice Chancellor, Tamil Nadu National
4	Prof. S.C. Raina	Law School.
4	Prof. S.C. Rama	Vice Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh
5	Doof Anil V True ai	National Law University.
3	Prof Anil K Tyagi	Vice Chancellor, G.G.S. Indraprastha
6	Prof. Santosh Panda	University, Delhi.
		Vice President, South Asian University.
7	Prof. Avinash Khare	Vice-Chancellor of Central University
		of Sikkim in 2018.
D	2 1 1 1	er Awards
	artment of Anthropology	
1	Dr. KN Saraswathy	Felicitated for contribution in the field
		of Education by the Government of
		Andhra Pradesh, International Women's
		day, March, 2019.
2	Prof. PC Joshi	Lifetime Achievement Award from
		Department of Anthropology, Panjab
		University, Chandigarh, February,
		2019.
Dep	artment of Biochemistry	
3	Prof. Suman Kundu	Prof. Suresh C. Tyagi Oration Award,
		International Academy of
		Cardiovascular Sciences (India
		Section), 2017.
Dep	artment of Biophysics	
4	Ms. Abhishishka Srivastava	Discovery Award from Royal Society
		of London, 2016.
5	Dr. Manish Kumar	Discovery Award from Royal Society
		of London, 2016.
Dep	artment of Botany	
6	Prof. Veena Agrawal	"Honorary Professor" by Samarkand
		State University, Uzbekistan in 2018.
		'Scientist of Eminence Award, 2016' by
		Society of Plant Research.
7	Prof. Renu Deswal	Executive Committee Member,
		Seabuckthorn Association of India since
		September, 2017.
8	Prof. S. Mazumdar	Distinguished Alumna Award from
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		Miranda House Alumni Association,
		Delhi University, 2017.
9	Prof. Anu K. Pandey	PanchananMaheshwari Medal by Indian
1.0	D. C. A. IV. DI.	Botanical Society, 2015.
10	Prof. A K Bhatnagar	Fellow of National Institute of Ecology, Jaipur.
Com	ppus Law Centre	Jaipur.
11	Prof. (Dr) Usha Tandon	"Phenomenal She", on International
11	Pioi. (Di) Osha Tandon	Women Day, 2019, by Indian National
		Bar Association.
Depa	artment of Chemistry	But Hosociation.
12	Prof. Ramesh Chandra	Millennium Plaques of Honour Award
		(Life Time Achievement Award for
		Contribution in Science & Technology)
		for 2017-2018, by Indian Science
		Congress Association (ISCA) March,
		2018.
13	Prof. D. S. Rawat	Prof. SP Hiremath Memorial Award,
		Indian Council of Chemists, 2016.
14	Dr. Neha Kapoor	Best Employee with Disability (Female)
	_	National Award, 2014.
15	Dr. P. Venkatesu	Awarded Bronze Medal, Chemical
		Research Society of India (CRSI),
		Bangalore, 2017.
		Professor SS Katiyar endowment
		Lecture award 2016-17 from The Indian
		Science Congress Association.
16	Dr.AyyamPerumalSakthivel	Dr. Sistala Kameswari Young Scientist
4.5	D 0 1 D1	Award, 2015
17	Dr. Sunita Bhagat	Best Chemistry Teacher, 2014
18	Prof. Satish K Awasthi	Commonwealth Academic Fellowship
D		UK.
	artment of Commerce	T 1 1' ' TI' 1 E1 2' A 1
19	Prof. Ajay Kumar Singh	Leadership in Higher Education Award
		by Higher Education Forum at 6th
		Regional Conference on "Quality &
		Accreditation of Higher Education in India: Policy & Best Practices".
20	Prof. V.K Shrotriya	Best Business Academic of the Year
20	Fior. V.K Sinourya	
		(BBAY) Gold Medal Award for 2018 at
<u> </u>		Osmania University on December 2018.
21	Prof. J P Sharma	"Shiksha Gaurav puraskar" awarded by
		Centre for Education Growth and
Dolla	i School of Journalism	Research, New Delhi, 2014.
		Controls Co siddle: Assessed 2010 for
22	Dr. Manasvini M. Yogi (OSD)	Sankalp Se siddhi Award 2018 for
		Excellence in Education by Hope and
		Faith Foundation on December 2018.

Dep	artment of East Asian Studies	
23	Prof Anita Sharma	For achievements in the field of Peace by International Women's Club, Sydney, Australia, 2017. Second World Buddhist Outstanding
		Award, Government of Thailand, 2015.
		World Fellowship of Buddhist Youth, Government of Thailand, 2015.
Dep	artment of Economics	
24	Prof. Ram Singh	Sub-domain Chair for The Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration (SPARC), Government of India.
		Appointed as Member of the Pay
		Review Committee set up by the UGC
		and Ministry of Human Resource
		Development, Government of India for
		colleges and universities in India.
25	Dr. Dibyendu Maiti	Ester Boserup Prize of 2016.
Dep	artment of Education	
26	Dr. Anupa Sidhu	Nina Sibal Award, 2014 Shikshak Ratna Award, 2014 International Education & Leadership Summit Award, 2015.
Dep	artment of Environmental Studies	,
27	Prof. M.K. Pandit	Ngee Ann Kongsi Distinguished Visiting Professor by National University of Singapore, Singapore.
28	Dr. Chirashree Ghosh	"Bharat Vikas Award" by Intellectuals' Social Responsibility (ISRI, India) at Bhubaneswar, Odisha on December 2018.
29	Dr. Chirashree Ghosh	"NESA Environmentalist of the Year Award-2018" awarded by National Environmental Science Academy (NESA) on December 2018.
Dep	artment of Genetics	
30	Prof Thelma	Prof. SP Raychaudhuri endowment lecture award, Indian Society of Cell Biology.
31	Prof. Rajam	Prof. H. C. Arya Gold Medal, 2018. Delivered his Memorial Lecture during 40 th PTCA (I) meeting at IIT, Gauwati, February, 2019.
Dep	artment of Geology	
32	Prof. C. S. Dubey	Ambassador for Open Education Resources (OER), International Council

		of Distance Education, Norway for 2017-2019.
33	Prof. J. P. Shrivastava	Prof. William Dixon West Memorial Award, ISCA 104th Session, S.V. University, Tirupati.
Dep	artment of Hindi	om orong, mapani
34	Dr. Alpana Mishra	Valmiki Katha Samman, 2017. Vanmali Katha Alochna Samman, 2016.
35	Dr. Vinod Tiwari	State Level Award from Delhi Government on the eve of Constitution day 26 th November, 2015.
36	Dr. Sheoraj Singh	Vikram-Kalidas Award (MP Government) by Vikram university Ujjain, 2016.
37	Dr. Mukesh Garg	Ambedkar National Award for "Katha Sahityaewamdalitpatrakarita".
38	Prof. Prem Singh	Hindi Bhasha Bhushan Samman from Sahitya Mandal Nath and National Award "Creative Person"
Dep	artment of History	
39	Prof. Seema Bawa	Presidential Address (Ancient India Section), at the 3rd Session of the Haryana History Congress Gurgaon, October 2018.
40	Prof. Sunil Kumar	Global South Award, 2014.
		Allianz Distinguished Visiting Scholar in Islamic Studies, Institute for Near and Middle Eastern Studies, Ludwig Maximillian's University, Munich, 2015.
Dep	artment of Library and Information Science	
41	Dr. R.K. Bhatt	Best Teacher Award by Special Library Association -Asian Chapter; Best Teacher Award by Society for Promotion of Libraries Uttar Pradesh, 2019.
42	Dr. K.P. Singh	DLA - Professional Excellence Award for Working LIS Leader, 2018. Distinguished Library Science Teacher- 2016 by Delhi Library Association.
Dep	artment of Mathematics	
43	Prof. Dinesh Singh	Honorary Doctorate degrees: University of Edinburgh; National University of Ireland, Cork; University of Houston, Houston, Texas (U.S.A.); National Institute of Technology, Kurukshetra (Haryana).

Department of Microbiology	Member of Planning Comm DST for five years project (201 on "National meet of Research" in mathematical Sciences".	Prof B. K. Das	44 P
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Category Best Lab Mentor, 2016. 46			
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54 Prof. Prateek Chaudhari Smt. Shanti Devi Samman, 2016		Prof. Prateek Chaudhari	54 P
55 Prof.SuneeraKasliwal Marwar Ratna Padmashri Kothari Award by Mehe Museum Trust, Jodhpur, 2015 &	Kothari Award by Meho	Prof.SuneeraKasliwal	55 P
56 Prof. Deepti Bhalla Sangeeta Nritta Visharada	•	Prof. Deepti Bhalla	56 P

		Irayimman Tampi Trust, 2015.
		Narada Gana Sabha award, Chennai, 2015.
		Nritya Kala Shikhamani from Delhi
		Karnataka Sangeeta Sabha and Tirupati
		Tirumala Devasthanam Tirupati, 2017.
57	Prof Uma Garg	"Sangeet Shree Award" by the Art &
		Culture Trust of India "Chakrapani's
		World School of Music" 2014.
58	Dr. P. B. Kannakumar	Conferred with "Sangeeta Kovidha" by
		Gayatri Fine Arts, Delhi, 2014.
		Sri Kanchi Kamakoti Peetam Asthan
		Vidwan" by Sri Jayendra Saraswati
		Sangeeta Vidwat Sabha, TN 2014.
		Awarded the Title "Isai Gnana
		Sudaroli" by the organisation Apoorva
		Ragam.
Dep	artment of Plant Molecular Biology	
59	Prof. Akhilesh K. Tyagi	P. Parija Memorial Lecture Award,
		Ravenshaw University, Cuttack, 2019.
60	Prof. G.K. Pandey	J.J. Chinoy Gold medal award, Indian
		Society of Plant Physiology, New
		Delhi, India, 2018.
61	Prof. J.P. Khurana	Prof.Jatis Chandra Sengupta
		Endowment Lecture Award by the West
		Bengal Academy of sciences &
		Technology in 2014.
		H C Arya Memorial Gold medal by
		Plant tissue Culture Association of
		India, 2015.
		Prof. S.K. Sinha Memorial Lecture
		Award, Indian Society of Plant
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62	Prof. ParamjitKhurana	Shri Ranjan Memorial Lecture Award,
		National Academy of Sciences, India, 2014.
		Birbal Sahni Medal of the Indian
		Botanical Society, 2017.
63	Prof Anil Grover	Biotech Product and Process
03	Tioi Aini Giovei	Development and Commercialization
		Award.
Den	artment of Political Science	11viid.
64	Prof. Navnita Chadha Behera	Vice-President for the ISA in March
07	1101. Ivavinta Chadha Behera	2019.
65	Prof. Sunil K Choudhary	Prof .G Ram Reddy IPSA National
03	1101. Builli IX Choudhary	Award, Indian Political Science
		Association, 2018.
		Pearson Award in Higher Education,
		2014.
		2017.

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			Council for Promotion of Urdu
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77	Prof. Madan Mohan Chaturvedi	Member, Board of Governors (BoG),		
		and Board of Management (BoM),		
		GSFC University, Vadodara, Gujarat Prof. L. S. Ramaswami Memorial		
78	Prof. Rita Singh	Prof. L. S. Ramaswami Memorial		
		Oration Award and Gold medal.		
79	Prof. Rup Lal	Prof. S.R. Vyas Memorial Award from		
		the Association of Microbiologists,		
		India, 2014.		
		Prof. B.N. Johri Award on Microbial		
		Diversity (Biannual) by the Association		
		of Microbiologists of India, 2016.		
		MoselioSchaechter Distinguished		
		Service Award- 2016 from American		
		Society for Microbiology.		
		Professor S. S. Katiyar Endowment		
		Lecture Award from the Indian Science		
		Congress Association, 2016-2017.		
		Kuldeep Dhatwalia Excellence Award-		
		2017 from Chaman Seva Sansthan		
		(HP).		
80	Prof. Yogendra Singh	Best Mentor Award from Indian		
		Institute of Science, Bangalore, 2017.		
		MoselioSchaechter Distinguished		
		Service Award from American Society		
		for Microbiology, 2014.		
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81	Capt Parminder Sehgal	Recognition Award for Services in		
		Matdata Mahotsav, 2016		
	ical Education & Sports Sciences			
82	Dr.Pardeep Kumar	World Fellowship of Buddhist Youth,		
		Government of Thailand, 2015.		
83	Dr. Rakesh Gupta	Appointed as Director, Selection		
		Committee by the Ministry of Youth		
		Affairs and Sports, Government of		
		India to select Indian para Athletics		
		team to represent India in the Rio		
		Paralympics games held at Rio Brazil in		
		2016.		

5 Promoting Research and Innovation in the University of Delhi

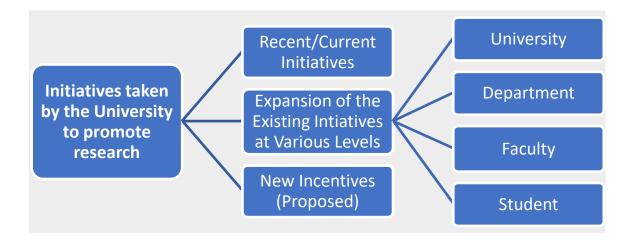
As a research-intensive university, the University of Delhi constantly strives for achieving international distinction through excellence in research and innovation to address global, national and societal challenges.

Towards this endeavour, University of Delhi is committed to encourage research initiatives across all disciplines. The prime objectives for incentivizing research are as follows:

- Develop a congenial research environment to ensure high quality of research with greater focus on outcome based research
- Strengthen linkages by expanding national and international collaborations and partnerships with key academic institutions, industry, government, policy makers and sponsors of research
- Promote a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship in every sphere of knowledge
- Provide robust and flexible infrastructure conducive to research
- Support and encourage faculty and students in developing and advancing their research potential

The Research Initiatives are divided into three categories, as follows:

- Current Initiatives
- Expansion of Existing Initiatives (Proposed)
- New Incentives (Proposed)



5.1 Recent/Current Initiatives

- Excellence Awards for Department Faculty and College Teachers:
 - Department faculty and college teachers receive Excellence Awards at the Foundation Day of the University every year for outstanding contribution to research and teaching.
- Seed Grant to New Faculty: The University of Delhi offers seed grant as a one-time grant to each new faculty member recruited in the University. This is done to help initiate their research engagement through the establishment of requisite research facilities.
- Publication Charges: Limited support is provided towards publication charges of papers that are published in peer reviewed journals.
- Dedicated Finance Branches for Major and Minor Research Projects: The University has allocated responsibility to distinct finance branches and dedicated staff for handling major research projects, minor research projects, university grants and other aspects related to research projects.
- IPR Cell, Patent Fund: The University has an Intellectual Property Rights Cell and a Patent Fund to support the intellectual property filing needs and awareness generation in the area. The University also had an IPR Chair instituted by MHRD that was functioning at the University for the past few years and has held various training programmes and conferences to promote the research culture.
- Research Centres in Colleges: Several research Centres have been established in the colleges to provide further impetus to research activities (e.g. the D S Kothari Centre for Research and Innovation in Science Education at Miranda House).
- International and National Collaborations: The University has established linkages by expanding national and international collaborations and partnerships with key academic institutions, industry, government, policy makers and sponsors of research. A University-Industry Interaction Cell may be established to contribute to the socio-economic development of the country through collaborations and partnerships with industry. The Cell may promote interaction between academics and industry through mutual co-operation amongst teachers,

scientists, researchers and the practicing industrialists to fill the gaps between knowledge creation and its application. It may define thrust areas of collaboration, promote university-industry linkages and create a database of collaborating industries.

- Emeritus Professor: In order to benefit from the invaluable experience and expertise of the faculty members of the University who are superannuated having an excellent track record of outstanding research achievements, positions of Emeritus/Superannuated Professor are considered.
- Visiting Professorship: Outstanding and accomplished scientists and academicians with robust research record are invited to contribute to the ongoing research programmes.
- Visiting Fellowship: Fellowships are offered to experienced academicians who can add a new dimension to the University by their experience and expertise in a particular area.
- Research Ethics and Integrity Policy: The University complies with the research ethics and guidelines of various government agencies for use of humans and animals in research, safety guidelines for use of hazardous material like radioactive material, chemicals, genetically modified organisms etc.

5.2 Expansion of the existing initiatives at various levels (Proposed)

University Level

- Enhanced Support for Publication Charges of Research Papers accepted in high impact factor journals.
- Supportfor Publication Charges of Books from Renowned Publishers: The faculty members who get acceptance for publication of their high quality work with prestigious publishers may be provided financial support for publication.
- Enhanced Seed money for new faculty joining the University of Delhi keeping in mind the nature of their research work and the requirements.
- Connecting Researchers: To nurture, strengthen and build strong relationships and partnerships with other academic institutions, industry, government, policy makers and

sponsors of research both in India and abroad, the University may impart funding support to researchers engaged in inter-department research projects.

- To create a road map for establishment of Centres of Excellence in defined research areas: Efforts may be made for collaborative research with other institutes/agencies of national relevance to conduct research in strategic areas of national importance and ensure joint funding for cutting-edge research. Adequate space may also be provided to set up such centres and benefit from extramural support.
- Expansionand Upgradation of Central Instrumentation Facilities/Departmental Central Research Facilities and making them accessible to all departments and colleges. The present facilities may be revamped and new facilities may be added as hubs for sophisticated, advanced and expensive equipment to be centrally located for the benefit of the university/college faculty and students.
- Promoting Effective Documentation of Research on the departmental websites that have active link with the main university website including progress reports, publication details and data update on a quarterly basis.
- Procurement of more journals of international repute in the libraries with extended access to faculty and students via internet.
- Anelaboration of existing lecture series and its strengthening commensurate with research activities of different Departments.
- Additional support for visitors from renowned institutions in India and abroad for one or two semesters.
- Improvement in Governance: (i) improvement in decision making process, (ii) mechanism to sustain programmes even in economically lean periods, (iii) simplification of procedures to carry out research based on feedback, consultation and trust.

Department and College Level

 Continuously improve research training and enhance research skills by organizing workshops, training programmes for students and faculty from colleges regarding research methodology, writing proposals, management of research projects, dissemination of research findings, writing of papers, etc. Emphasis should be laid on academic integrity and ethical practices in research. Enhanced support for organizing national and international conferences/workshops/seminars may be provided. In order to inculcate a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship in young minds, skill enhancement training Programmes must be organized at regular intervals.

5.3 New Incentives (Proposed)

- Incentives and support for the Development of Broad, Multi-Disciplinary Research:

 Taking initiative to establish Institutes and Centres and support research in interdisciplinary areas that will position the University as a national leader in emerging and frontier areas of research.
- Increased support for Outcome Based Research in strategic priority areas of global, national and social relevance leading to an innovation and resulting in an entrepreneurial venture.
- Establishment of University-Industry Interaction Cell: A University-Industry Interaction Cell may be established to contribute to the socio-economic development of the country through collaborations and partnerships with industry. The Cell may promote interaction between academics and industry through mutual co-operation amongst teachers, scientists, researchers and the practicing industrialists to fill the gaps between knowledge creation and its application. It may define thrust areas of collaboration, promote university-industry linkages and create a database of collaborating industries.
- Support for Multi-centric Outcome Based Mega Projects on problems of international, national and social importance that cut across disciplines, departments and colleges; involve faculty and students at all levels; having national as well as international collaborations/consortia.
- Maintenance Grant for research labs/equipment in the University: Expensive equipment bought by Central facilities and various departments has high maintenance cost and generally cannot be routinely maintained with individual grants of faculty members. This grant will enable proper functioning of existing facilities.

- Resource Centres and Digital Resource Libraries: In an attempt to enhance the quality of research, special digital libraries/resource centres may be established for researchers with facilities such as individual accounts for storage of research data and access to digital resources and databases from all across the world.
- Research Excellence Awards for Department/College Faculty: Research Excellence Awards in the form of Certificate of Recognition and Research Grant may be given in two categories:
 - Research Excellence Award for faculty below the age of 45 years
 - Research Excellence Award for faculty above the age of 45 years

The awards will be based on excellence in research including publications, extramural grants, patents, collaboration with industry, other recognition, etc.

• Additional research grants for exceptional research performance, filing patents, technology transfer to industry: Incentives in the form of additional research grants and facilities may be provided to faculty members showing exceptional research performance, publishing in prestigious journals, making efforts for collaborative research, filing patents and taking the research to the level of technology transfer and making significant contribution to meetsocietal, national and global challenges.

6 Annexures

ANNEXURE-I

Ordinance VI for the Procedures for the award of Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Degree conforms with UGC Gazette Regulations, 2016.

http://www.du.ac.in/du/index.php?page=ordinances-and-guidelines-related-to-research

ANNEXURE-II

Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism: Plagiarism is defined as an 'act of academic dishonesty and breach of ethics. It involves using someone else's work as one's own'. The University Grants Commission, Govt. of India, has set guidelines to ensure academic integrity and eliminate plagiarism from higher educational institutions in India as per the University Grants Commission (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations, 2018. These apply to students, researchers, faculty and staff in these institutions.

https://www.ugc.ac.in/ugc_notices.aspx?id=2079

ANNEXURE-III.

Guidelines for Sponsored Research Projects: The University facilitates the acquisition of grants from extramural sources by providing a structured mechanism for submitting research proposals and their implementation after sanction through well-defined guidelines for Sponsored Research Projects. These comprehensive guidelines form the basis for the smooth operation of all aspects of the research project activity, such as release of grants, appointment of staff, purchase of equipment, periodic budget review and final submission of utilization certificate.

http://www.du.ac.in/du/index.php?page=ordinances-and-guidelines-related-to-research

ANNEXURE-IV

Link to total patents applications filed and granted:

http://www.du.ac.in/du/uploads/Patents.pdf

ANNEXURE V

Link to patents applications filed and granted during 2012-2017:

http://www.du.ac.in/du/uploads/Patents_2012-2017.pdf

ANNEXURE VI

S. No	Organization with which MoU is signed: Name of the Institution/ Industry/ Corporate house	Year of signing MoU	Duration
1.	Hankuk University of Foreign Studies, South Korea (Linguistics)	1993	Ongoing
2.	University of Heidelberg, Germany	January 2000	Ongoing
3.	Heidelberg University (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2000	
4.	University of Navarra, Pamplona (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2005	
5.	Freie University Germany	June 2007	Ongoing
6.	University of Helsinki, Finland	October 2007	Ongoing
7.	University of Wroclaw, Poland	May 2007	Ongoing
8.	University of Bradford, UK	May 2008	Ongoing
9.	Korea University, Korea	November 2009	Ongoing
10.	University of Montpellier-III (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2009	8 years
11.	University of Wuppertal, Germany (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2009	8 years
12.	Freie University, Berlin, Germany (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2009	8 years
13.	Potsdam University, Germany	2009	8 years
14.	Bielefeld University, Germany	March 2010	10 years
15.	Fudan University, China	April 2010	Ongoing
16.	Bielefeld University, Germany (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2010-14	4 years
17.	ARIES, Nainital (Physics)	2010	Ongoing
18.	GSI-Germany and other Institute from Europe	2010-11	Ongoing
19.	University of Potsdam, Germany	February 2011	7 years
20.	Department of Biotechnology, Government of India (Botany)	2012-2013	5 Years

21.	JMI (CIC)	2012-2013	Ongoing
22.	University of Aizu, Japan (Computer Science	2012-2013	5 Years
23.	Mitsubishi Corporation (East Asian Studies)	2012-2016	5 Years
24.	Korea Foundation (East Asian Studies)	2012-2013	4 Years
25.	DRDO (Mathematics)	2012-2013	Ongoing
26.	National Dong Hwa University, Taiwan (Physics)	2012-2013	Ongoing
27.	Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) (Plant Molecular Biology) Nirmal Seeds, Pachora, Maharashtra	2012-2013	5 Years
28.	AbaiKazk National Pedagogical University, Kazakhstan (2012)(Slavonic & Finno-Ugrian Studies) Department of Slavonic and Finno-Ugrian Studies, University of Delhi	2012-2013	5 Years
29.	Ataturk University, Turkey	October 2013	5 years
30.	Kadir Has University, Turkey	October 2013	5 years
31.	Carleton University, Canada (Philosophy)	2013-2014	5 Years
32.	The Ecole NormaleSuperieure (ENS), Paris	February 2013	5 years
33.	Universite Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium	October 2013	5 years
34.	University of Aizu, Japan	October 2013	5 years
35.	IIT, Bombay (CIC) eYantra	2013-2014	3 years
36.	PHD Chamber of Commerce & Industry, and Iam SME of India (CIC)	2013-2014	2 Years
37.	Epitech University, France (Computer Science)	2013-2014	3 Years
38.	Seoul National University, Korea	May 2013	5 years
39.	InstitutD'EtudesPoliteques de Paris, France	February2014	5 years
40.	Copenhagen Business School, Denmark	April 2014	5 years
41.	Japan Advanced Institute of Science & Technology, Japan	April 2014	5 years
42.	University of Glasgow, UK	May 14, 2014	5 years
43.	University of Michigan, USA	May 2014	5 years

44.	University of Oslo, Norway	February 2014	5 years
45.	JAIST (Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, Japan) (Chemistry)	2014-2015	5 Years
46.	M.V. Lomonosov Moscow State University, Russia	May 2015	5 years
47.	Universite Jean Moulin Lyon 3, France	July 2015	5 Years
48.	University of Pecs, Hungary	August 2015	5 years
49.	King's College London, UK	September 2015	5 years
50.	National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu	September 2015	5 Years
51.	University of Würzberg, Germany	September 2015	5 years
52.	Ben-Gurion University of the Negev (BGU), Beer Sheva, Israel	October 2015	5 years
53.	IDC, Herzilya, Israel	October 2015	5 years
54.	Isra University	October 2015	5 years
55.	The Georg-August-Universitat Gottingen	October 2015	5 Years
56.	Russian State University for the Humanities, Moscow	October 2015	5 years
57.	Osaka University, Graduate School of Language and Culture/School of Foreign Studies, Japan	October 2015	5 years
58.	University of Jordan, Jordan	October 2015	5 years
59.	University of Leiden, Netherlands	October 2015	5 years
60.	The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel	October 2015	5 years
61.	University of Turin, Italy	October 2015	5 years
62.	Geological Survey of India (Geology)	2015-2016	2 Years
63.	University of Turin, Turin, Italy (Germanic & Romance Studies)	2015-2016	2 Years
64.	TATA Power Delhi Distribution Ltd. (CIC)	2015-2016	3 years
65.	UGC DAAD J .M. University, Wurzburg , Germany (Adult Continuing Education & Extension)	2015-2016	5 Years
66.	Collaboration with University of Pecs Hungary (Slavonic & Finno-Ugrian Studies)	2015-2016	5 Years
67.	Moscow State university (Slavonic & Finno-Ugrian Studies)	2015-2016	5 Years
68.	Russian State University for Humanities (Slavonic and Ugrarian Studies)	2015-2016	5 Years

69.	University of Tokyo, Japan	May 2016	5 years
70.	University of Glasgow, Glasgow LITUP (English)	2016-2017	6 Years
71.	University of Potsdam, Potsdam DEE (English)	2016-2017	4 Years
72.	School of Social Welfare, UC Berkeley (Social Work)	2016-2017	1 Year
73.	Leiden University (Sociology)	2016-2017	5 Years
74.	ESC Pau , France (Financial Studies)	2006-2017	11 years
75.	Paderborn University, Germany	April 2017	
76.	University of Edinburgh, UK	May 2017	5 Years
77.	University of Sheffield, UK	May 2017	2 years
78.	Taipei Economic and Cultural Centre in India, Taiwan	June 2017	1 year
79.	Universidad Externado de Colombia, Spain	June 2017	5 years
80.	Philipps-Universitat Marburg, Germany	July 2017	5 years
81.	University of Copenhagen, Denmark	September 2017	5 years
82.	National Chung Chen University, Taiwan	October 2017	5 years
83.	State University of New York at Oswego, USA	October 2017	5 years
84.	Freiburg University, Germany	October 2017	5 Years
85.	Instituto Camões, Portugal	October 2017	5 Years
86.	Xaingtan University (Sociology), Hunan, China	Till date	5 Years
87.	DRDO (Physics)		ongoing
88.	The College of Law and Business, Israel	January 2018	4 Years
89.	"L'Orientale" University of Naples, Italy	January 2018	5 Years
90.	University of Teacher Education, State of Vaud, Switzerland	January 2018	4 Years
91.	Macquarie University, Australia	February 2018	5 Years
92.	University of Costa Rica, Central America	February 2018	5 Years
93.	Samarkand State University, Uzbekistan	February 2018	5 Years

94.	National Chengchi University (NCCU), Taiwan	March 2018	5 Years
95.	National Pingtung University of S&T, Taiwan	March 2018	5 Years
96.	University of Vienna, Austria	May 2018	5 Years
97.	Osaka University, Graduate School of Science/School of Science, Japan	June 2018	5 Years
98.	Vietnam National University, Hanoi, Vietnam	July 2018	5 Years
99.	Concordia University, Canada	August 2018	3 Years
100.	Kyushu Institute of Technology (Kyutech), Japan	August 2018	5 Years
101.	Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Japan	September 2018	5 Years
102.	Western Sydney University, Australia	October 2018	2 Years
103.	Tongmyong University, Korea	December 2018	5 Years
104.	Yunnan University, China	December 2018	5 Years
105.	University of Potsdam, Germany	December 2018	5 Years
106.	University of Taipei, Taiwan	December 2018	5 Years
107.	Tribhuvan University, Nepal	January 2019	5 Years
108.	University of Helsinki, Finland	February 2019	5 Years
109.	Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg (MLU), Germany	February 2019	5 Years
110.	Eötvös Loránd University, Hungary	February 2019	5 Years
111.	Elabuga Institute of Federal, State Autonomous Educational Establishment of Higher Professional Learning, Kazan Federal, University, Elabuga, Russia	February 2019	5 Years
112.	Moscow City University, Russia	February 2019	5 Years
113.	National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan	February 2019	5 Years
114.	University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada	May 2019	5 Years
115.	Renmin University, China	May 2019	5 Years
116.	University of Wuppertal, Germany	May 2019	5 Years
117.	The University of Kwazulu- Natal, South africa	June 2019	5 Years

118.	University of Vienna, Austria	July 2019	5 Years
119.	Peoples' Friendship University of Russia, Russia	July 2019	5 Years
120.	National Research Nuclear University MEPhI, Moscow, Russia	August 2019	5 Years
121.	The Moscow Region State University, Russia (The State educational Institution of The Moscow Region Higher Education)	August 2019	5 Years
122.	Catholic University in Ruzomberok, Slovak Republic	August 2019	5 Years
123.	University Paul Valery Montpellier 3, France	September 2019	5 Years
124.	Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana of the United Mexican States, Mexico	September 2019	5 Years

ANNEXURE VII

National collaborative activities for Research, Faculty exchange, Student exchange

- CSIR-CCMB
- CSIR-IGIB
- ICGEB
- Industry Interaction (DSS Imagetech Pvt Ltd
- Kashmir University
- Manipur University
- PGIMER
- Safdarjung Hospital
- AIIMS
- AIIMS; UCMS
- Aman Trust
- Ambedkar University
- Amity University; Indraprastha University
- Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat, Assam
- Mira's College of Girls Pune
- Tata Institute of Social Sciences Mumai, Maharashtra
- Banaras Hindu University (BHU)
- BARC, Mumbai.
- BEL, Ghaziabad
- Bidhan Chandra Krishi Vishwa Vidyalaya, Kalyani, West Bengal
- C.C.S. University, Meerut
- CDAC, Noida

- Central University of Haryana
- Centre for Environmental Management of Degraded Ecosystems (CEMDE)
- Centre for Policy Research and Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS), Delhi
- Centre for Political Studies, JNU
- Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta
- Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS), Delhi
- Centre for Women Development Studies, Delhi
- CFEES
- CIFA, CIFRI and KIIT University
- Council for Social Development (CSD), New Delhi
- CSDS; Naz Foundation; O.P. Jindal University
- Dabur Research Foundation
- DAE-BRNS
- DBT India
- DEAL, DRDO, Dehradun
- Delhi School of Economics
- Delhi Technological University, Delhi, Central Institute of Fisheries Education, Rohtak, Haryana
- Department of Crop Physiology, University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK Campus, Bangalore.

- Department of Crop Physiology, University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK Campus, Bangalore.
- Department of English, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong
- Department of Sociology, University of North Bengal
- Department of Zoology, University of Lucknow
- Department of Philosophy, Dev Samaj College for Women, Ferozepur City, Punjab.
- Dept. of Social Exclusion, EFLU, Hyderabad
- Directorate of Rice Research, Hyderabad, C
- Dravid University, AP
- DRDO
- DST (India)
- DST Japan Society for promotion of Science
- DST-CSI
- DST-SERB
- DWSR Jabalpur
- FSI and NCAOR, Goa
- GBPISS, Allahabad; Ambedkar College, Nagpur
- Goa University
- Gujarat Central University
- Guwahati University
- Hindu College and Trade Union Member
- Hunter College NewYork
- Hyderabad Central University
- IAEA
- IARI, New Delhi
- ICCR
- ICMR & Malaria Research Centre
- ICSSR
- IHBT, Palampur
- ISJRP
- ISJRP by DST

- IISc, Bangalore. Other institute
- IISC., Bangalore, DRR &
- IISER Kolkata
- IISER Mohali
- IISER Pune
- IIT Guwahati
- IIT Kanpur
- IIT, Delhi
- IIT, Madras
- IMSc Chennai
- India International Centre and Sage Publications (India)
- Indian Inst. of Natural Gums and Resins, Ranchi.
- Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla; Dalit Camera
- Indian Institute of Health Management Research (IIHMR), Jaipur
- Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay
- Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi
- Indira Gandhi Krishi Viswavidyalaya Raipur.
- Indo-Belarus Joint research project
- Indo-Norwegian Cooperation Programme 2014 (INCP)
- Indo-Taiwan S&T Prog.
- Indo-US Science & Technology Forum
- Institute for Research on India and International Studies (IRIIS)
- Institute of Mathematical Science
- Participatory Research in Agra (PRIA) in India
- Patna University
- Peoples Movement Against Nuclear Energy, Tamil Nadu
- Peoples Union for Democratic Rights (PUDR), Delhi
- Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana
- Punjab University, Chandigarh
- Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Trivandrum, Kerala
- Ram Manohar Lohiya Hospital
- Ranchi University

- ISSA DRDO, Delhi
- IT-BHU
- IUAC
- Jadavpur University, Kolkata
- Ambedkar University (AUD)
- Jamia Millia Islamic University
- Jammu University
- Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU)
- LRDE, DRDO, Bangalore
- Madhya Pradesh State Planning Commission
- Madras Institute of Development Studies, Chennai
- Madurai kamarajar University
- Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group
- MalaviyaCenter for Peace Research, Benaras
- Manipal Centre for Philosophy and Humanities, Manipal
- Maulana Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata (MAKAIS)
- MoEF
- Mycorrhizal Division, The Energy and Resource Institute, Delhi
- Tehelka
- The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI) University.
- The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda
- The Netherland
- TIFR, BARC, IMSc, HRI, Panjab U, BHU, SINP, etc.
- TISS Mumbai
- Transnational Institute, Amsterdam

- School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University
- School of Liberal Studies, Ambedkar University
- School of Management and Governance
- Shyama Prasad Mookerjee College, Delhi University.
- South Asian University
- South Asian University
- Sri Krishna Devaraya University
- St. Aloysius College, Mangalore
- SubeerMajumdar, NII, Delhi
- Supreme Court of India
- Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu.
- Tata Institute of Social Sciences, India
- NASA
- National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources, New Delhi
- Institute of Physical Chemistry and Electrochemistry,
- Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar, IIT, Bhubaneswar
- UCMS, University of Delhi
- University Grants Commission
- University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur, Karnataka
- University of Hyderabad (School of Life Sciences).
- University of Lucknow
- University of Pune
- Water Technology Centre, IARI, New Delhi.

ANNEXURE VIII

Collaboration with International Institutions for Research and Faculty exchange, Student exchange

- AbaiNational Pedagogical University, Kazakhstan
- AGRINATURA, Czech Republic
- Alexandervon Humboldt
- Allegheney College, USA
- Literature and Sikh Studies, University of British Columbia, Vancouver,
- University of Aarhaus, Denmark,
- Australian Catholic University, Melbourne
- Berghof Foundation, Berlin
- Bhulan University, Bangladesh
- Bielefeld University, Germany
- Bogor Agricultural University (IPB Bogor), Indonesia
- Brown University
- Cambridge University
- Carleton University
- Catholic University of Leuven
- Center for Refugee Studies
- Central European University, Budapest
- Centre for Applied Nonviolent Action and Strategies (CANVAS), Serbia
- Centre for the Study of Global Ethics, University of Birmingham
- COIMBRA Group, Belgium
- Columbia University
- Copenhagen University, Denmark
- Department of Anthropology, London School of Economics, UK.
- Department of Sociology, Faculty of Arts, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka
- Department of Chemistry, IPN, Mexico City, Mexico
- Institute for the International Affairs, Rome
- JM, University Wurzburg, Germany
- Just World Institute, University of Edinburgh
- Kanda University of International Studies, Japan
- Kathmandu University, Nepal

- Development Sociology and Director of Feminist, Gender and Sexuality Studies at Cornell University,
- Drew University
- Durham University
- Edinburgh University
- European Commission- Horizon 2020 -MARIE Sklodowska-CURIE
- European Union
- Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, The University of Sydney, NSW.
- Faculty of Law, University of Fribourg, Switzerland
- Faculty of Law, University of Western Cape, South Africa
- Faculty of Oriental Studies, Warsaw University, Poland.
- Fellow, Transnational Institute, Amsterdam
- Forum of Federations, Canada
- Free University Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- Frei University Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- George Washington University, USA
- Griffith University
- Harvard Medical School, McLean Hospital, Belmont, MA 2478, USA
- Heidelberg University
- Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research UFZ, Permoserstrae
- History Department, Director of South Asian Studies, Middlebury College, Virginia, USA.
- Humboldt Foundation, Germany
- Hunter College City, University of New York, USA
- Indo-Mexico Joint project, Department of Chemistry, IPN, Mexico City, Mexico
- Stanford University, USA
- The Leverhulme Trust
- The Peace Research Institute of Oslo (PRIO)
- The Southeast Asian Regional Center for Graduate Study and Research in Agriculture (SEARCA), The Philippines
- Tribhuvan University, Nepal
- Universidad San Francisco de Quito in Ecuador

- Kings College, London
- KU Leuven, Belgium
- Lahore University of Management Sciences, Pakistan
- Laussane University, Switzerland
- Leibniz University of Hannover
- Louisiana State University, USA
- Lund University
- Macmillan Global Justice Programme, Yale University;
- Centre for Study of Global Ethics, University of Birmingham
- Masaryk University, Czech Republic
- Max Planck Institute, Gottingen
- Murdoch University, Australia
- Nanjing University, PR China
- NanoparticaGmBH
- Newcastle University, UK
- NOW Netherlands
- Penn University, USA
- Politecnico di Torino, Italy
- Potsdam University, Germany
- RFBR (Russia)
- Royal University of Bhutan, Bhuta
- University of Montpellier III
- University of Montreal, Canada
- University of Naples II
- University of Navarra
- University of North Carolina
- University of Nottingham
- University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka; Kasetsart University, Thailand
- University of Science and Technology of China, PR China
- University of Tokyo
- University of Turin, Turin, Italy
- University of Turku, Finland
- University of Warsaw
- University of Wisconsin-Madison and London School of Economics and Political Science

- Universidad Santiago de Compostela
- Universidade de Braslia, Brazil.
- University of St. Andrews, Edinburgh.
- University of Australia
- University of Birmingham
- University of Bonn, Germany
- University of Bristol
- University of British Columbia, Canada
- University of Burdwan
- University of California, Berkley, USA.
- University of California, San Diego
- University of California, Santa Barbara
- University of Chittagong, Bangladesh
- University of Duisburg, Essen, Germany
- University of Edinburgh
- University of Göttingen Georg-August-Universität Göttingen
- University of Heidelberg
- University of Leeds, UK
- University of Manchester, Manchester
- University of Mary, Washington DC
- University of Maryland
- University of Melbourne
- University of Missouri
- University of Wuppertal, Germany
- University of Wuppertal, Germany
- Uppsala University, Sweden
- Uppsala University, Sweden
- Vanderbilt University
- Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences
- Visayas State University, The Philippines
- Wales DTC, UK
- World International Studies Committee (WISC) at University of Gothe, Germany
- Yale University

