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The Research Advisory Council in association with Research & Development Cell planned to conduct a meeting at 11:00 AM on 07.07.2022 in conference room of AITS, Tirupati to discuss the items: to avail seed money grant, encourage faculty to avail finance assistance in attending FDPs and workshops, to write multidisciplinary research proposals for funding projects, to write proposals for FDP, MODROB and publishing research papers in reputed journals..

HODs and doctorates from each department are directed to attend the meeting and participate in the discussion.

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- All Heads of the Departments of AITS.
- Copy to Prof. J. Guru Jawahar, Convener, RDC
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Minutes of the Meeting

The meeting of the RAC in association with RDC was held at 11:00 AM on 07.07.2022 in conference room of AITS, Tirupati under the Chairperson, Dr. C.Nadhamuni Reddy, Principal of Annamacharya Institute of Technology & Sciences, Tirupati.

Members present


S.No	Name and designation	Role in the RDC	Signature
1	Prof. C. Nadhamuni Reddy Principal, AITS, Tirupati	Chairperson	
2	Dr. J. Guru Jawahar Professor, Dept.of CE, AITS, Tirupati	Director/ Convener	
3	Dr. K. Ramya Coordinator, Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), AITS, Tirupati	Member	
4	Dr. K. Balaji Nanda Kumar Reddy Convener, Research Ethics Committee (REC), AITS, Tirupati	Member	
5	Mr. M. Lakshmi Narayana Reddy Convener, Industry-Interaction Cell (IIC), AITS, Tirupati	Member	
6	Dr. K. Thulasirajan Coordinator, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), AITS, Tirupati	Member	
7	Dr. P. Lavanya Coordinator, Institute Ethics Committee (IEC), AITS, Tirupati	Member	
8	Mr. N. Dilip Kumar Coordinator, Entrepreneurship Innovation and Start-ups Centre (EISC), AITS, Tirupati	Member	
9	Mr. D. Ayyappa Reddy Accounts Officer, AITS, Tirupati	Member	

At the outset Dr. J. Guru Jawahar, Convener (RDC) welcomed Dr. C.Nadhamuni Reddy, Principal & Chairperson and all the members of the RDC, AITS, Tirupati to the meeting for discussion of the proposed items circulated with the permission of the Chair.

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The following Agenda items are discussed and deliberated upon:

1. **Encouraging faculty to avail seed money grant in the institution:** Dr. C. Nadhamuni Reddy encouraged faculty to avail seed money grant from the institution by submitting applications for innovative projects. He also shared that few faculty availed seed money grant for their research works.
2. **Avail financial assistance for attending FDPs:** Dr. C. Nadhamuni Reddy encouraged faculty to avail the financial assistance for attending AICTE sponsored FDPs, workshops and conferences held in reputed institutions.
3. **Writing multidisciplinary research project proposals:** The Chairperson of RDC briefly explained about the multidisciplinary research and its benefits to the society in general and developing faculty in particular. He addressed various available research funding agencies like AICTE-AQIS, SERB and DST. He asked the doctorates to take guidance from professors in reputed institutions to come up with quality research proposals.
4. **Writing proposals for FDPs and MODROB:** Chairperson enquired about progress of the proposals for FDPs from all departments and MODROBs from NBA accredited departments (ECE, CSE and CE). He also announced the members to take assistance from few senior faculty for writing the proposals.
5. **Publishing papers in reputed journals:** Chairperson briefed the importance of Quality publications in Scopus and Web of Science that enhances the academic research and paves path for growing in career.
6. **Any other item with permission of the chair:** Since, there are no further items to discuss, the meeting concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. J. Guru Jawahar, Convener of RD


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