

# PRIYADARSHINI

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# INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY FOR WOMEN

Sai Prabhath Nagar, Khammam Dist., Telangana State

# **RESEARCH POLICY**



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Priyadarshini Institute of Science and Technology for Women (PRIW) was established with a vision. To be a premier center of professional education and research. The Institute has developed excellent facilities, both in terms of infrastructure and scholastics. PRIW encourages faculty members and students to undertake sponsored research projects with a commitment to serve the society. Research is the foundation of knowledge that brings new energy, builds state of the art facilities, promotes research publications, develops collaborations and becomes part of active community that shares the mission objectives. Taking these into considerations, PRIW framed and implemented its Research Policy.

#### 1. Purpose

The purpose of the Research Policy is to create a vibrant atmosphere of research among faculty and inculcate research aptitude among the students. The policy shall serve as an overall framework within which research activities may be carried out. It also aims to identify thrust areas of research having social relevance and thereby supplementing the vision and mission of the college. The Research policy also emphasizes contribution towards society and to the nation at large.

#### 2. Scope

This Research Policy forms the basics of the research ethics of the college and is implemented in all the departments and it serve as the guidelines for the functioning of the Research council of the college.

#### 3. Custodian of the Policy

The implementation and updating of the research policy is carried out by the R&D Coordinator. The Research Policy shall have a Research and Development Committee to function under the Principal. PRIW and Academic Council, to assist and advise in matters related to research within the college

#### 4. Objectives of Research Policy

The Principal objectives of the Research Policy are as follows:

- a) To develop desired awareness regarding research in the faculty of PRIW
- b) To establish a right kind of research culture through various research initiatives and programs.
- c) To encourage faculty members to publish research papers and undertake various research projects of social and academic importance.

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- d) To create awareness in the society through various research initiatives and by giving due publicity to the socially useful research projects that will be undertaken by the college.
- e) Conduction of Research Meetings at least once in a semester and whenever required.

#### 5. Research and Development (R&D) Centre:

To achieve high quality research ambience in the Institute, a Research & Development Centre is set up with the objective of developing the strategic plan for scientific and technology research and ensuring the implementation of such plans. The R&D Centre provides specialized administrative and managerial support for the operation of academic research, sponsored research, consultancy and other R&D related activities of the Institute. This Centre is available round the clock for faculty and students for research work.

#### 6. Committee for Promotion of Research

To assist the young researchers, R&D committee is established. Responsibilities of the committee include giving awareness to faculties in securing research grants, publication support and coordinate the college R&D activities.

#### 7. Incentives for Publications

In order to motivate the faculty members towards research and publishing their research findings in reputed journals with impact factor, incentives are given to faculty members.

Research Publication	Incentive Amount (Rs)
SCI Journals	10,000
SCOPUS / WOS Journals	7,500
UGC Journals	2,000
Book Chapter	5,000

#### 08. Research by Seed Funding

The college provides seed grant to support research in all frontier areas of Science, Engineering, Technology and Management studies by its faculty members. New faculties are encouraged to apply. Details of the seed money policy are given on page no. 6.

#### 09. Consultancy and related Services

The college encourages its faculty members to carry out consultancy. On completion of the work, the honorarium on approval of the Principal may be distributed on a case by case basis. Details of the consultancy policy are given on page no. 8.

#### 10. Faculty Development & Research Interactions

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To get expertise in specific domain and promote the research interest, PRIW is providing full financial help (Registration/course Fee and TA/DA) to faculty members attending International Conference/Seminar/Research Workshop in abroad and in India. A faculty can avail these benefits once in an academic year. TA/DA and Honorarium is allowed for the experts coming to PRIW for Research Interactions and Collaborative Research works.

#### 11. Ethics in Research

With a focus on integrity and accountability, the college has well defined rules for all research activities. Details of the research ethics policy are given on page no. 9.

#### 12. IPR Policy

The goal of this Policy is to ensure that Intellectual Property created by Members is utilized in ways most likely to benefit PRIW and the public. PRIW seeks to assist its members in properly disclosing all Intellectual Property that they create, in complying with applicable laws and formal agreements, and in gaining the protection available under laws governing patents, copyrights and other intellectual property rights. Likewise, PRIW seeks to ensure that commercial benefits are distributed in a fair and equitable manner that recognizes both the contributions of the Members and the interests of PRIW. Details of the IPR policy are given on page no. 10.



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#### RESEARCH ETHICS POLICY

Priyadarshini Institute Of Science And Technology For Women (PRIW) is steadfast in promoting and maintaining high values of integrity and accountability in the conduct of academic research and is dedicated to embed and endorse a culture of honesty and transparency in all its institutional activities. This document provides recommendations on good practice in academic research at PRIW. In addition, it educates and monitors faculties and students conducting research to ensure a high ethical standard. Following are the ethical guidelines:

- 1. Researchers should have mutual trust and understanding for free exchange of ideas.
- 2. Researchers should discuss and agree upon the result/publication credit throughout the research process to acknowledge the contributions.
- 3. There should be honest reporting of facts and findings.
- 4. Scholarly opinions should be collaborated with scientific knowledge and respected.
- 5. Research should be conducted with a sense of responsibility and the process/results should stand the legal norms.
- 6. Results should be published in journals conference proceedings to make a widely available for the research community.
- 7. Faculties are encouraged to create an environment of mutual cooperation for furthering the mission and vision of the college.
- 8. Faculties are encouraged to attend training programs/workshops to enhance their research capabilities.
- 9. Researchers must not involve themselves in any form of academic misconduct such as misinterpretation, plagiarism, violations of intellectual property rights, deviation from college rules, etc
- 10. Project theses should be submitted for anti-plagiarism chess for the quality and if the similarity information is los than 24%, then only thesis will be accepted f submission
- 11. Investigation of research misconduct shall be carried out by the Research Ethics Committee.
- 12. Based on the investigation report and recommendation of the ethics Committee. Appropriate actions may be initiated after duly listening to the respondent



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