

GANGADHAR MEHER UNIVERSITY, AMRUTA VIHAR, SAMBALPUR

MINUTES OF THE TWELFTH PMU (RUSA) MEETING HELD ON

Date: 03.08.2024 AT 04.00 PM

No. 3472 /GMU

Dt. 13.08.2021

Venue: -Board Room, VC's Secretariat

The Thirteenth (13th) meeting of the Project Monitoring Unit (PMU) formed for planning and implementation of projects under the RUSA was held at 04:00P.M. on Dt.03.08.2024 in the Board Room of Vice Chancellor's Secretariat under the Chairmanship of Prof. (Dr.) N. Nagaraju, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the University.

The following members attended the meeting and participated in the deliberations.

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| 1. Prof. N. Nagaraju, Vice-Chancellor | - | Chairman |
| 2. Sri Sanat Kumar Naik, Registrar | - | Member |
| 3. Prof. Sushanta Kumar Das, Chairman, PGC | - | Member |
| 4. Dr. Uma Charan Pati, Dy. Registrar | - | RUSA Coordinator |
| 5. Sri Jagannath Rout, Compt. of Finance | - | Member |
| 6. Prof. Gyanaranjan Swain, Director IQAC | - | Member |
| 7. Dr. Sushree Sasmita Pati, Dy. CoE | - | Member |
| 8. Dr. Pammi Nitin Sinha, Asst. professor | - | Member |
| 9. Sri Gyana Ranjan Bal, Purchase Officer | - | Member |
| 10. Dr. Kamdeba Sahu, Retd. Reader in English | - | External Member |
| 11. Prof. Sabita Tripathy, Syndicate Member | - | External Member |
| 12. Ms. Swagatika Barik, PhD. Scholar | - | Students Representative |

Support Staff

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| 13. Sri Nilamadhav Pradhan | - | Student Welfare Officer |
| 14. Smt. Priyanka Swain | - | System Manager |
| 15. Sri Lingaraj Behera | - | PEO |
| 16. Sri Guru Charan Sahu | - | Lab Assistant |
| 17. Sri Amit Kumar Hota | - | Senior Assistant. |
| 18. Sri Subash Pattnaik | - | Peon |
| 19. Sri Digambar Tandri | - | Attendant |

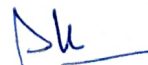
After the introductory remarks by the Registrar Sri Sanat Kumar Naik, the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and the Chairman of the PMU welcomed all the members to the meeting and requested them all to participate and deliberate for the larger benefit of the institution.

The RUSA Coordinator Dr. Uma Charan Pati co-ordinated the meeting and informed all the members about the progress made so far as regards the spending of the sanctioned amount strictly as per the requirement of the University and in conformity with the mandate of the RUSA.

The minutes of the 12th PMU and action taken so far were presented before the members of the PMU for their perusal.

After detailed discussion, the following decisions were taken in the PMU meeting:-

- An amount of Rs. 8,00,00,000/- (Eight crore) has been sanctioned vide Sanction No. 202446642227/ dated 03.07.2024, Sanction No. 202446642509, dated 02.07.2024 & Sanction No. 202446553166/ dated 03.07.2024 by the Department of Higher Education, Government of Odisha. Hence, Planning should be made for implementation of projects worth Rs. 8,00,00,000/-.
- Hon'ble Vice Chancellor focused on quick operationalization of the second campus at Badasinghari, Basantpur. He informed the members about the plan of the University administration to transfer one stream to the second campus as per the decision to be taken in the Syndicate meeting.
- As per the DPR submitted to the Higher Education Department for RUSA-I phase the following projects may be undertaken on priority basis and estimates to be prepared by the OPHWC.
 1. Construction of a building to house the proposed School of Physical Sciences.
 2. Construction of another building to accommodate the proposed School of Biological Sciences.
- The project cost of the two buildings is estimated at Rs. 33,52,46,000 by the Odisha Police Housing and Welfare Corporation. As the balance amount to be received under RUSA is pegged at Rs. 26.50 crores, construction of both the buildings within that limit may not be possible under the RUSA funding. Hence, OPHWC may be asked to merge both the projects i.e. School of Physical Sciences and School of Biological Science and prepare an estimate with one building of G+4 Storied in the name of School of Sciences which is also mentioned in the DPR of Phase-I.
- An amount of Rs. 39,56,100.00 has been sanctioned earlier for construction of 04 nos. of Toilet blocks. But the amount fell short by Rs. 29,54,194.00. The rest amount of Rs. 29,54,194.00 to be adjusted from the amount sanctioned in the second phase. The said amount will be released to the OPHWC after receiving of complete Utilization Certificate.
- As the University Administration is planning to shift one stream to the second campus, internal roads are essential to be constructed before the second campus is operationalized. As the construction of roads was not included in the original DPR submitted to the RUSA, the same can't be covered under the second phase RUSA funding. Hence, a letter to be sent to the DHE, Government of Odisha for sanction of fund for construction of Internal Roads and Park under GIA Scheme.

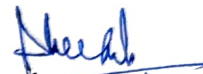


- Chairman, PGC raised the issue of the urgent requirement of equipment for the science labs as per CBCS syllabus. Since an amount of Rs. 30,00,000.00 has already been allotted for purchase of basic equipment for the Instrumentation centre under the World bank project, additional fund, if required may be sourced from the second phase RUSA funding subject to the approval of the Govt.

The meeting ended with a Vote of Thanks proposed to the Chair and others by the Deputy Registrar and RUSA Co-Ordinator Dr. Uma Charan Pati.


Co-Ordinator RUSA


Vice Chancellor (Chairman)


Registrar 