

UTTARANCHAL  
UNIVERSITY

# Annual Report 2015-2016

## CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE



It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to the academic community of the University. The University aspires to have a far-reaching and positive impact on the world through pioneering research and student education. As part of this enterprise, the University intends to disseminate knowledge and promote learning, making a significant contribution

to social and economic growth.

We have well-equipped laboratories, workshops, and libraries to assist students in achieving the highest academic and business standards possible. Our qualified faculty members are pedagogy professionals who have been recruited from top universities.

Global thinking has been encouraged by creating a stimulating environment that promotes interaction and, as a result, innovation. Students and faculty are being trained, students are being placed in reputed institutions, and the university is being promoted to be a leader in its field.

**I wish you the best of luck in your career and personal life!**

With Best Wishes,

**Jitender Joshi**  
Chancellor

## VICE CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE



**“We ignite the passion in students and churn them out as a brigade of change leaders”**

Prof. (Dr.) S.C. Joshi Uttaranchal University provides exceptionally congenial academic environment for incubation of future catalysts to outperform global benchmark. The University has carved out a niche among the comity of universities to provide a distinct platform to blossom students as diversified human assets. Embedded in the guidance of highly qualified faculty and rooted in the pursuit of intellectual excellence, it attempts to unlock inquisitiveness for experiential learning

fostering quality leadership and entrepreneurship.

We ignite the passion in students and churn them out as a brigade of change leaders. It has been observed that the gap between higher education and unemployment has been widening over the years. This points out to the challenges of functionality of output and maintaining the quality and standard in academia. The basic fabric of knowledge has to be capable of qualitative and effective capacity building as quality alone can drive the change. We have been meticulously redesigning our value delivery system through process of ongoing transformation. University not only provides a vibrant and positive ambience but state of the art Labs, well-equipped library, sports, various clubs and extracurricular facilities etc. to ensure their holistic development. We constantly update programs and course content to meet the challenge for grooming professionals and making them industry ready by equipping them with the required technical and soft skills.

We attract the best minds towards teaching and research so that our graduates are a force to reckon with in the new interconnected and borderless world of the new millennium. Our Faculty always guides and motivates the students to participate in research, scholarly and creative activities at all times.

I extend a hearty welcome to all the students to step in this temple of learning and fly on the wings of their career and fulfil their aspirations and dreams!

**Prof. (Dr.) S.C. Joshi**  
Vice Chancellor

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## **ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY**

Uttaranchal University is constituted with the merger of professional institutes of Sushila Devi Centre for Professional Studies & Research Society, namely Law College Dehradun, Uttaranchal Institute of Technology and Uttaranchal Institute of Management.

Uttaranchal University is one of the leading educational hubs of professional courses with innumerable students enrolled in different educational programs. It offers an array of multi-disciplinary courses making it a knowledge portal where excellence matters. In Uttaranchal University, we understand the potential of young minds and nurture them with passion.

Uttaranchal University can boast of being an institution par excellence. It is located in a fascinating geological setting. It is flanked by NH-72 on one side and a beautiful broad slithering river on the other side. The pine trees surrounding the area lend a pristine and wholesome ambience to the campus.

We offer a unique life, you will have access to comprehensive facilities, cultural activities, wide range of academic courses and industry interface.

Uttaranchal University offers multi-disciplinary study programs under its following institutes:

- ❖ Law College Dehradun (LCD)
- ❖ Uttaranchal Institute of Technology (UIT)
- ❖ Uttaranchal Institute of Management (UIM)
- ❖ Uttaranchal Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences (UIPS)
- ❖ School of Applied & Life Sciences (SALS)
- ❖ School of Agriculture (SOA)

Our institutes have created a niche in the field of professional education and benchmarked themselves with the best institutes in the field of Law, Engineering, Business Studies and Management, Information Technology, Pharmacy, Applied & Life Sciences, Agricultural Science, Journalism & Mass Communication and Hotel Management.

Our promoters have philanthropic orientation and the University is committed to social responsibility of awarding scholarships. It is committed to excellence in professional education and research.

Our top management team is led by men of great academic and social standing. Our intellectual asset; the faculty is drawn from the premier institutions of the country. The University has built up the world class learning resources which consist of the focused learning space in the form of lecture halls, series of computer centers, digital centralized

library, laboratories, residential accommodation on-campus for boys and girls, sports facilities, cafeteria, canteen and Wi-Fi campus with 24×7 internet facilities.

## **MANDATE OF UTTARANCHAL UNIVERSITY**

- ❖ To create centre of excellence for providing knowledge, education, training and research facilities of high order in the fields of science, engineering, professional education, law and legal studies, dental, medical, paramedical, nursing, physiotherapy, pharmacy, commerce, management, education, humanities, agriculture, forestry, horticulture, food technology, biotechnology, applied & life sciences, mass communications & multimedia, hospitality and other related professional education as per its current status and such other manner as may develop in future, including continuing education and distance learning.
- ❖ To impart knowledge and training in various fields at the diploma, undergraduate, post graduate and doctoral levels contributing to the development of the state and the nation besides facilitating the residents of Uttarakhand State by enhancing employability and skill development in the region so as to reduce flux of migration.
- ❖ To inculcate leadership in innovative and fundamental research, and function as leading teaching learning resource centre, support and facilitate faculty and other scholars in pursuing world-class research.

## **CHARTER OF UTTARANCHAL UNIVERSITY**

The Uttaranchal University is a rapidly evolving University established by the State Government of Uttarakhand, vide Uttaranchal University Act, 2012 (Uttarakhand Act No. 11 of 2013). Prior to establishment of Uttaranchal University, three independent institutions named (i) Law College Dehradun which was established in the year 2002, (ii) Uttaranchal Institute of Technology and (iii) Uttaranchal Institute of Management established in 2006 were functioning under the aegis of Sushila Devi Centre for Professional Studies & Research, the promoting Society of Uttaranchal University.

## VISION OF THE UNIVERSITY

- ❖ To be a world-class University through continuous innovation in education, research, creativity and entrepreneurship with an aim to have a transformative impact on society.

## MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY

- ❖ Provide an educational environment where students can realize their full potential in their chosen discipline and attain quality education to face the challenges of the future.
- ❖ Providing a variety of high-quality programmes at undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral levels for all specializations and disciplines.
- ❖ Provide a dynamic, challenging and ethical environment for pursuing high quality teaching, learning, research and service across all areas of University, where students, faculty and other key constituents can interact, collaborate and partner with the global community for creation and dissemination of knowledge and transform lives of people through innovation and excellence in higher education.
- ❖ Provide an effective outreach programme that accelerates the adoption of technology and extends educational opportunity for practicing professionals in Uttarakhand at national and the international arena.
- ❖ Serve the country and human community at large academically, technically, professionally and culturally with a sound human resource.

## OBJECTIVES OF THE UNIVERSITY

- ❖ Engage students in learning, partnerships with faculty and the community as well as engage faculty and students in professionally related service to the University, the community and the society at large.
- ❖ To prepare and assist students in improving their future prospects through career, placement counselling and support, on-the-job training, industrial visit, internship, presentations and group discussions.
- ❖ To bring education within the reach of the permanent residents of Uttarakhand by reserving 40% seats for the wards of the permanent residents of Uttarakhand for admission in all courses and providing them with a substantive rebate of 26% in tuition fee.
- ❖ Organizing extracurricular activities to develop sporting skills, promote literary and cultural interests, social service, national integration and discipline.

## CORE VALUES

### ❖ **Promoting Excellence**

Promoting excellence in education, research, innovation and entrepreneurship through continuous developments to transform the entire community.

### ❖ **Meeting challenges of life**

Ensure that our students develop the character, attitude, abilities and skills to face ups and downs with the realistic challenges of life.

### ❖ **Diversity**

Focused to meet the changing global needs with diversity of upcoming future generation Programmes across different disciplines of specialization.

### ❖ **Respect & Integrity**

We will facilitate the development and dissemination of knowledge in the global community by caring for the ideas, integrity and talent of each other through the exchange of ideas to live and work in harmony.

### ❖ **Community Service**

We will encourage a sense of belonging based on trust, symbiotic relationship and self-governance to serve the community as a true human being with high moral values.

### ❖ **Personal development**

In order to strengthen the community and self-development, the adoption of technology for effective outreach needs to be within human spirits.



## UTTARANCHAL UNIVERSITY STATUTORY AUTHORITIES

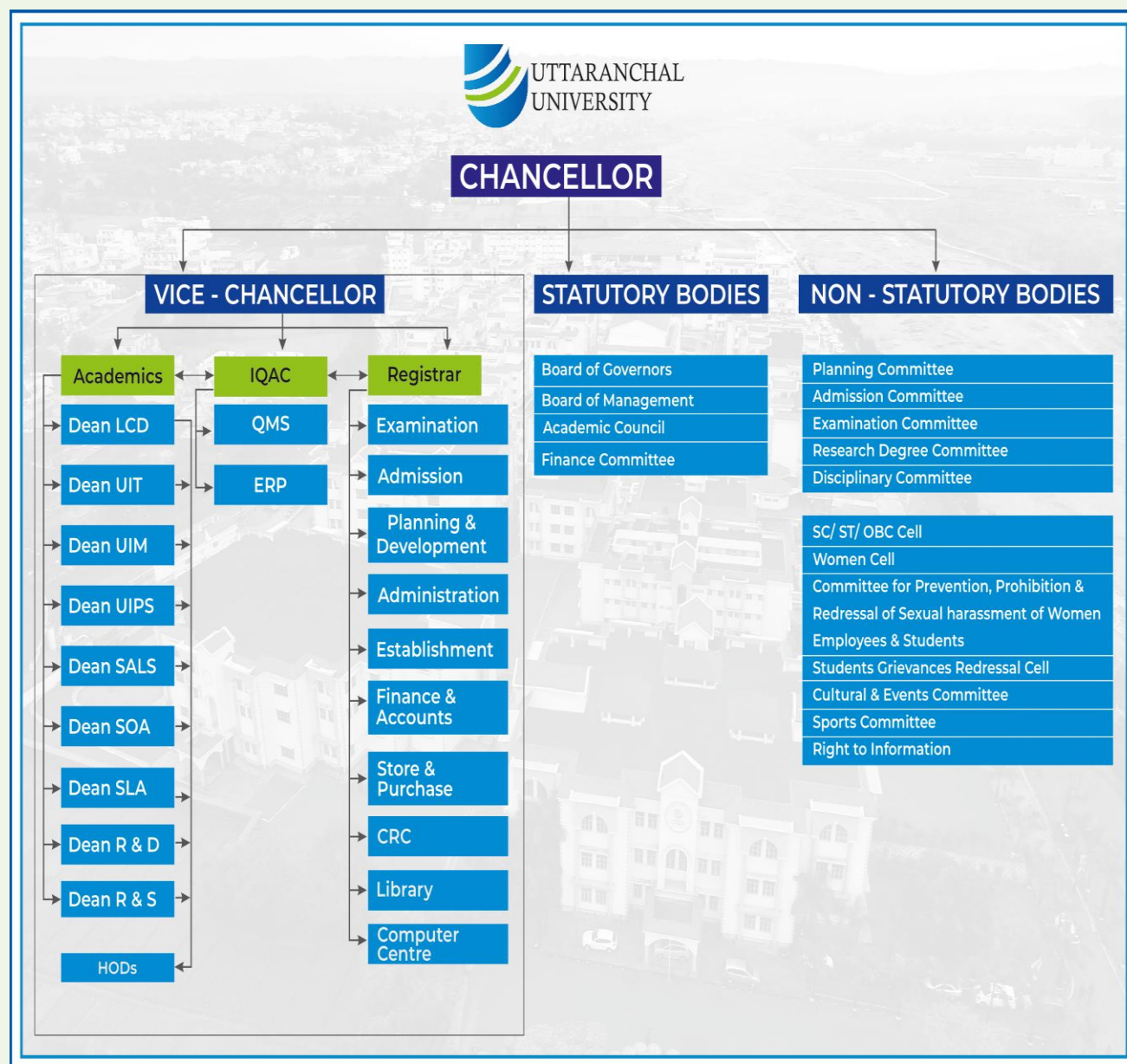
University in compliance of Chapter-V, Section 22 of the Uttaranchal University Act 2012 had constituted the under mentioned authorities for the smooth and efficient conduct of the University business.

<b>Board of Governors</b>	The apex governing and regulatory body to formulate, review, scrutinize and approve policies, draft and amend statutes and rules of the university.
<b>Board of Management</b>	Administrative, managerial and principal executive body of the university for decisions and adjudication of human resources recruitment process, infrastructure, procurement, contractual, obligations, selection of common seal and institutional grievance redressal.
<b>Academic Council</b>	Principal body to coordinate, supervise, direct, control and revise the academic processes including curriculum designing, admissions, examinations and recommendation for grant of fellowships, scholarships and free-ships.
<b>Finance Committee</b>	Principal body to coordinate and supervise the overall finance including annual budget estimates and audits.

## DETAILS OF MEETINGS OF THE STATUTORY AUTHORITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY

Statutory Authorities	Dates of Meetings
Board of Governors	29 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2015, 11 <sup>th</sup> Apr. 2016
Board of Management	28 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2015, 11 <sup>th</sup> Apr. 2016
Academic Council	27 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2015, 09 <sup>th</sup> Apr. 2016
Finance Committee	26 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2015, 10 <sup>th</sup> Apr. 2016

## UTTARANCHAL UNIVERSITY ORGANOGRAM



## **(1) BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

### **(i) Powers and Functions of the Board of Governors (Section- 23 (2))**

The Board of Governors is the Principal Governing Body of the University and is vested with the following powers: -

- (a) To formulate the policies for the smooth and efficient functioning of the University business.
- (b) To review, scrutinize and approve the policy, decisions taken by other authorities of the University.
- (c) To review and approve the provisions made in the Statutes and Rules of the University including amendments and introductions of new provisions in the Statutes and Rules.
- (d) Approve the budget and annual report of the University.
- (e) Approve the proposals to be submitted to the State/Central Government on behalf of the University.
- (f) To take decisions for voluntary winding of the University, if needed. etc., etc.

### **(ii) Meetings of the Board of Governors**

The Board of Governors of the University required to meet at least twice a year as per the provisions laid down in Section- 23 (3) of the Act.

As the academic session starts from July/August every year, for transacting all its activities, the accounting year of the University has been decided to be starting from 01<sup>st</sup> August and ending with 31<sup>st</sup> July every year.

Accordingly, the meetings of the Board of Governors for the year 2015-2016 were held on the following dates:

1. The first meeting of the Board of Governors was held on 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2015. In that meeting, the following business was inter-alia transacted.
  - (i) Balance Sheet and Annual Accounts of the University for the Year 2014-2015 as prepared by the Finance Committee of the University were approved.
  - (ii) The members were informed that there is no proposal to make new or additional Statutes or amend or repeal the earlier Statutes and Rules.
  - (iii) Members were also informed that there is no proposal for approval for submission to the State Government.

- (iv) The members were apprised with the outcome of the End Semesters Examinations results held during May/June, 2015. The members were apprised that the examinations were held as per schedule. No untoward incident has occurred during the courses of the examinations.
2. Members were also apprised with the status of the admissions in various courses offered by the University.

**The second meeting of the Board of Governors was held on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2016. In the meeting, the Board reviewed and approved:**

- (i) Fee structure of the courses proposed to be started from the academic session 2016-2017.
- (ii) Revision in the fee structure for the existing courses.
- (iii) New courses proposed to be started from the academic session 2016-2017. Members were informed that a new Faculty known as **“Uttaranchal Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences”** is being created to run the pharmaceutical courses i.e., B. Pharm for which approval from the Pharmacy Council of India has already been received.
- (iv) Member were also informed that M.Sc.-Agriculture is also to be started from the academic session 2016-2017 and for the smooth administrative function of the Agriculture a new Faculty known as **“Uttaranchal College of Agriculture & Life Sciences”** has been established.
- (v) Three new master's programmes in Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics are to be started from the academic session 2016-2017.
- (vi) The members also approved the proposed Logo of these newly proposed Faculties i.e., Uttaranchal Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences (UIPS), Uttaranchal College of Agriculture & Life Sciences (UCALS).
- (vii) The house was apprised with the facts that the University is adopting Grading System from the academic session 2016-2017 for the students to be admitted during this session and onward. The adoption is in conformity with the guidelines of the UGC Regulations in this regard. The University shall recourse to CBCS System in due course of time. Members were assured that the home work for implementing the grading system in substitution of Marks Based System has been completed. The Academic Ordinances based on

grading system have been prepared and the Academic Council as well as The Board of Management on being satisfied has accorded their approval to the implementation of the proposed system. Members sought some important clarifications about salient features of the grading system and on being satisfied approved the proposal for implementation.

- (viii) Members were also informed that the Bar Council of India (BCI) has kindly sanctioned the enhanced student intake in the BBA.LLB. (Hons.) programme from 120 to 180 students as requested by the University. The revised students intake in the courses offered by the Law College Dehradun are as under:

- (i) B.A.LLB.(Hons.) - 240
- (ii) BBA.LLB. (Hons.) - 180
- (iii) LL.B.(Hons.) - 120

The meetings were held at the University campus and were attended by all the members except the nominee of the State Govt. The members discussed the issues related to quality of teaching, introduction of research and innovative practices in the curriculum, extra curriculum activities, matters concerning to student interest and advancement including placement etc.

## **(2) BOARD OF MANAGEMENT**

### **(i) Powers and Functions of the Board of Management Section- 24 (2)**

The Board of Management of the University has been constituted as per the guidelines of Section- 24 of the Uttaranchal University Act. The Powers and Functions of the Board of Management are broadly enunciated in Section- 24 (2) of the said Act.

The Board of Management of the University has the powers of management and administration of the revenues and properties of the University and the conduct of all administrative and academic affairs of the University, namely:-

- (a) To create the posts and define the terms and conditions of the staff (teaching and non-teaching) appointed and to be appointed in the University.
- (b) To define the roles and responsibilities of the staff (teaching and non-teaching) of the University.
- (c) To define the terms and conditions of the staff appointed and to be appointed in the University on contractual, visiting, ad-hoc and part-time basis.



- (d) To entertain, adjudicate upon or redress the grievances of the employees and the students of the University.
- (e) Take decisions for acquiring and disposing of the University property. Creating additional infrastructure and development necessary for the extension and expansion of the University programmes.
- (f) To raise, borrow and invest money on bonds, mortgages, promissory notes or other obligations to execute instrument, transfer any business of the University.
- (g) To institute fellowships, scholarships, studentships, medals and prizes as per the provisions of the Act.
- (h) To manage the finances, accounts, investments, moveable properties, business and all other administrative and academic affairs of the University.
- (i) To select an emblem and to have a common seal for the University.
- (j) To appoint such committees for such purposes and with such powers as it may think fit and also to co-opt persons in such committees.
- (k) To issue appeals for raising funds to carry out the objectives of the University consistent with the provisions of the objectives of the University.
- (l) To review from time to time the progress made by different bodies in different spheres of activities of the University.
- (m) To publish the Annual Accounts and Annual Report of the University. etc., etc.

#### **(ii) Meetings of the Board of Management**

The Board of Management of the University is required to meet at least twice in a year as per the Chapter- II of the Statutes. Accordingly the meetings were held as under:

- (1) The Board of Management meeting was held on 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2015 to review and discuss the Annual Accounts/Balance Sheet of 2014-2015 of the University in addition to other items. The Annual Accounts/Balance Sheet for the year 2014-2015 was placed on the table for discussions and perusal by the members. The members sought clarifications on a number of details mentioned in the Annual Accounts and specially desired to know the expected date of the completion of the construction of Law Building, New Hostel, Guest House and Auditorium which were under construction for the last more than one year. On being satisfied with the clarifications given by the Chairman, the members kindly accorded approval of the Balance Sheet and the Annual Accounts of the University for the year 2014-15 for submission to the Board of Governors.

- (2) The members reviewed the minutes of the Academic Council meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2015 which was placed on the table for perusal and approval. The minutes of the Academic Council were approved on being satisfied with the clarifications given by the Chairman on points raised by the members and brought to the notice of the members, the strategies to boost the admission status for the next year particularly for B.Tech. course.
- (3) Members expressed their concern on the frequent exit of the faculty members. Chairman assured the house that every possible effort is being taken care of to retain the faculty members.
- (4) The next meeting of the Board of Management was held on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2016. In the meeting, the Board reviewed and approved:
  - (i) Fee structure of the courses proposed to be started from the academic session 2016-2017.
  - (ii) Revision in the fee structure for the existing courses.
  - (iii) New courses proposed to be started from the academic session 2016-2017. Members were informed that a new Faculty known as **“Uttaranchal Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences”** is being created to run the pharmacy courses i.e. B. Pharm for which approval from the PCI has already been received.
  - (iv) Member were apprised that M.Sc.-Agriculture is also to be started from the academic session 2016-2017 and for the smooth administrative function of the Agricultural and Forestry courses, a new Faculty known as **“Uttaranchal College of Agriculture & Life Sciences”** is created.
  - (v) Three new Masterprogrammes in Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics are to be started from the academic session 2016-2017.
  - (vi) The house was apprised of the fact that the University is adopting Grading System from the academic session 2016-2017 for the students to be admitted during this session and onward. The adoption is in conformity with the guidelines of the UGC Regulations in this regard. The University shall recourse to CBCS System in due course of time. Members on being satisfied with the clarifications and preparations for the implementation of grading system approved the agenda item. Members sought some further

clarifications about salient features of the grading system which were provided.

- (vii) Members were satisfied with the information, that the Bar Council of India (BCI) has kindly accorded its approval for increasing the intake in BBA.LL.B. (Hons.) by 60 more students for the academic session 2016-2017. With this increase, the revised student intake in the courses offered by the Law College are as under:

- (i) B.A.LL.B.(Hons.) - 240
- (ii) BBA.LL.B.(Hons.) - 180
- (iii) LL.B.(Hons.) - 120

The meetings were held at the University campus and were attended by all the members. The members discussed the affairs of the University related to quality of teaching, introduction of innovative research and inclusion of new trends in curriculum, extra curriculum activities, matters concerning to student interest and advancement including placement etc. Members also took the stock of initiatives taken by the University towards industry academia interface relationship.

### **(3) ACADEMIC COUNCIL**

#### **(i) Composition of the Academic Council**

The Academic Council of the University has been constituted as per the provisions contained in Section-25 (1) of the Uttaranchal University Act.

#### **(ii) Powers and Functions of the Academic Council [Section-25 (2)]**

Academic Council is the Principal Academic body of the University and is vested with the following powers and functions: -

- (a) To coordinate, supervise, direct, control, maintain standards of instructions, conduct of examinations and finalization of course curriculum of the various courses offered by the University.
- (b) To bring out inter-disciplinary, inter-faculty coordination within the University.
- (c) To make recommendations to the Board of Management for award of fellowships, free-ships, studentships etc.

- (d) To suggest ways and means to promote meaningful research in different fields of education, Social Sciences, Engineering, Management, Law & Legal Studies and other allied subjects.
- (e) To make recommendations for determining the experience, qualifications and conditions of service of the Teaching & Non-teaching staff.
- (f) To make recommendations to the Board of Management for the award of degrees and other academic distinctions to be awarded by the University. Suggest the duration of the courses of study and other essential features of such courses, type and nature of examination for award of such degrees, diplomas and other distinctions in conformity with UGC/AICTE/BCI/PCI/ICAR/UBTER guidelines.
- (g) Determining the eligibility for admission of the students in the various courses of the University, their enrolment, maintenance of discipline and conditions for allotment of residences to them.
- (h) To determine the quantum of remuneration to be paid to the paper setters, examiners, moderators and tabulators etc.
- (i) Creation, composition and functions of other bodies, committees or boards necessary or desirable for improving the academic profile of the University.
- (j) To recommend and provide guidelines for setting up of the Chairs, appointment of Visiting Professors, Emeritus Professor, Fellows, Artists and Writers and determine the terms and conditions of such appointment.
- (k) To recommend the names of the distinguished personalities in the fields of academics for the award of Honoris Causa (Honorary degree).
- (l) To frame guidelines for the conduct of the examinations including paper setting, evaluation, moderation and declaration of the results etc., etc.

### **(iii) Meetings of the Academic Council**

In terms of Section 1 (3)(C) of the Statutes read with Section 25(2) of the Uttaranchal University Act, the Academic Council of the University is required to meet at least twice a year. Accordingly, the meetings of the Academic Council were held as under:

- (1) The first meeting of the Academic Council during the academic session 2015-2016 was held on 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2015. Members sought information of the admission scenario in other Universities in the city. Chairman briefed the members with the input received from known sources.

- (i) In the meeting, the members analysed the examination results of the various courses. Sought the information of the debarred students, methodology for the conduct of the back paper examinations, possibility of reducing the number of the debarred candidates, opportunity to be given to them to save the loss of their academic year, cases of use of unfair means during the course of examinations, action taken in these cases in addition to other examination related information. Members showed their satisfaction towards the conduct and outcome of the examinations, specially adhering to the examinations schedule in the consecutive years.
  - (ii) Members appreciated the efforts of the University for conducting extra curriculum activities such as paying tribute to the departed soul of Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, conducting legal awareness programme, organizing Engineer's Day celebration, celebration of Vishwakarma Pooja, holding Entrepreneur Skill Generation Webinar, Oracle Workforce Development Programme and organizing of Constitution Day with Mega Blood Donation camp. Members also appreciated the practice of the University to facilitate its students on their achievement of some coveted positions.
- (2) The second meeting of the Academic Council during the academic session 2015-2016 was held on 09<sup>th</sup> April, 2016. Firstly, the members discussed and accorded approval to the new courses which were to be introduced from the academic session 2016-2017. Four new Master courses were introduced and B. Pharm as approved by PCI also got the approval of the members for their commencement from the session 2016-2017. B. Pharm had the sanction intake of 60 students in each course. The approval to discontinue the B.A.-Economic (Hons.) considering poor response from the students was also accorded.
  - (i) Members approved course-wise student intake for the session 2016-2017.
  - (ii) Members sought clarifications about the salient features of the grading system and the preparations for its implantation. On being satisfied with the clarifications, members approved the implementation of the grading system from the academic session 2016-2017.
  - (iii) Members were also informed that in D.Pharm programme, the annual examination system will be followed as per the guidelines of PCI Education Regulations.



- (iv) Members were also informed that the Academic Ordinances of the courses based on grading system have been prepared.
- (v) Members appreciated the efforts of the University for promoting extracurricular activities i.e. organizing of workshop on Quadcopter, celebration of National Youth Day on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2016, conferred Young Scientist Award to Ms. Preeti, Ph.D. Scholar, Celebration of Uttaranchal Yuva Fest from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016, organizing two days international conference on Innovative Trends in Engineering, Science & Technology on 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> March- 2016, felicitation of Icon Award from Times of India group to the Hon'ble Chancellor on 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2016. Members emphasized extra devotion to conducting such extracurricular student centric activities.

#### **(4) FINANCE COMMITTEE**

##### **(i) Composition of the Finance Committee**

The Finance Committee of the University has been constituted as per the provisions of Section-26 of the Uttaranchal University Act.

##### **(ii) Powers and Functions of the Finance Committee (Section- 26 (2))**

In terms of Section 1 (4)(C) of the Statutes read with Section 26 of the Uttaranchal University Act, the Finance Committee of the University is required to meet at least twice a year. Accordingly, the meetings of the Finance Committee were held as under:

- (a) To take care, coordinate and exercise general supervision over the financial matters of the University.
- (b) To fix limits for total recurring and non-recurring expenditure, having regard to the income, resources and expenditure of the University and to ensure the compliance of budget provisions.
- (c) Perusal and approval of the Income & Expenditure statement, Financial Statement and Balance Sheet of the University prepared by the Finance Officer and to submit to the Board of Management/Board of Governors for its final perusal and approval.
- (d) Advise the Chancellor, Board of Management/Board of Governors on all financial matters.

##### **(iii) Meetings of the Finance Committee**

- (a) The first meeting of the Finance Committee for the session 2015-2016 was held on 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2015 wherein the members deliberated and approved the Income &

Expenditure statement and Balance Sheet of the University for the financial year 2014-2015; as submitted to the Board of Management/Board of Governors for perusal and final approval. The Balance Sheet and Annual account got the approval from the members on their being satisfied with the clarifications given by the Member Secretary cum Sr. Accounts Officer.

- (b) The members scrutinized the details of the proposed fee structure to be implemented for the academic session 2016-2017 and also the revision in the fee structure of the old courses. The clarifications sought regarding the criteria taken into account for revision and increase in fee for the academic session 2016-2017. The members were satisfied with the increase keeping in mind the overall increase in the price index. The members approved the Balance Sheet and Annual Accounts of 2014-2015 for submission to the Board of Management/Board of Governors of the University.
- (c) The second meeting of the Finance Committee was held on 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2016, the members desired to know the flow of fee realization and the details of the revenue receipts and capital expenditure till the end of March, 2016 to have a tentative idea of the financial standing of the University. Member Secretary informed the house that the internal audit of the accounts of the University is in progress. The fee realization from the students (Law, UIT & UIM) is satisfactory.

### **OTHER AUTHORITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY (Section- 27)**

In addition to the above, some other Committees as per details given below were also constituted in compliance of Section- 27 of the Uttaranchal University Act; for smooth and efficient functioning of the University. The Committees so constituted and in position are as under:

- 1. PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**
- 2. ADMISSION COMMITTEE**
- 3. BOARD OF STUDIES**
- 4. RESEARCH DEGREE COMMITTEE**
- 5. RESEARCH PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**
- 6. RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE**
- 7. EXAMINATION COMMITTEE**
- 8. LIBRARY COMMITTEE**

The above Committees are fully functional and taking care of their specialized activities. The meetings of these committees are being held as per the provisions of the Uttaranchal University Act and Statutes and also as per requirement.

In addition to above said authorities, the following Committees are to maintain discipline and good conduct amongst the students on the campus. These Committees are functional and are discharging their duties and responsibilities as per their charter.

### **STUDENTS GRIEVANCE REDERESSAL COMMITTEE**

The primary function of the Students Grievance Redressal Committee is to look after the interest and need of the students of the deprived groups.

- ❖ The Centre identified need of such students and developed strategies to benefit them.
- ❖ Students belonging to SC/ST/Physical Challenged, Other Backward Classes and economically weaker sections come under this category.
- ❖ Besides above categories, students belonging to minority groups are also covered under this Centre.
- ❖ The Centre facilitates filling up of forms for various government scholarships along with necessary documents and processing of their application forms.
- ❖ Information about various types of available scholarships is disseminated for the benefit of the students at prominent places on the notice board as well as in the University premises.
- ❖ The Centre also organizes orientation programmes, motivational lectures and remedial classes for bringing students in the main stream.

The Centre is engaged in ensuring students discipline on the campus. The Centre has framed the student's disciplinary policies to control and regularize student conduct in the academic and residential halls on the campus. The Centre is headed by Dean-Student Welfare; assisted by adequate number of teaching and non-teaching staff members including female faculty members.

### **ANTI RAGGING COMMITTEE**

The Uttaranchal University campus is a ragging free campus. In order to avoid any mis happening, the University has constituted an Anti-Ragging Committee. The Committee/Squad consist of departmental heads, teaching and non-teaching staff, and

student representatives to have 24 hours close watch on student's movement on/off the campus namely; classrooms, laboratories, library, computer centre, cafeteria, hostels, vehicles parking(s), bus stops and University buses etc. The Committee has displayed leaflets, flyers and banners evidently at strategic points on the campus and hostels wherein the abuse of ragging has been sighted. Telephone numbers of important University functionaries, local police and district administration have also been displayed for the convenience of any aggrieved student and reporting the matter in case of any such happening. Due to safeguards, no such incidence of ragging has occurred/reported during the session 2015-2016.

### **INTERNAL COMPLAINT COMMITTEE (ICC)**

In compliance of the UGC Regulations 2016, the Uttaranchal University has framed rules for Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees and Students at work place effective from 01<sup>st</sup> August, 2016.

The provisions of these rules and regulations shall apply to all students, teaching/academic and non-teaching staff on the role of the Uttaranchal University, Dehradun and also to residents, service providers and those outsiders who may be within the Territory/Campus of Uttaranchal University at the time of commission of the act.

#### **FUNCTIONS OF THE ICC**

- ❖ Ensure the prominent publicity of its policy in all centres, hostels, offices of administration, as well as in all public places on the campus such as the library, health centre, residential areas, canteens, shopping centres etc.
- ❖ ICC will organize programmes for the gender sensitization of the University community through workshops, seminars, posters, film shows, debate and skits, etc. It may enlist the help of other campus bodies to carry out these programmes.
- ❖ ICC will conduct at least one major activity per semester involving large sections of the University community aimed at increasing the awareness regarding gender sensitization.
- ❖ Any student, resident, service provider, outsider, or a member of the academic or non-teaching staff may lodge a complaint of sexual harassment against a student, resident, service providers, outsider, or a member of the academic or

non-teaching staff within a period of 7 days unless on valid grounds for which reason for delay is to be furnished to ICC. Third party complaint and witness complaints shall be entertained subject to verification by ICC. The ICC is empowered to take *suo moto* notice or grave violations of the basic principles of gender sensitivity and justice on the campus.

- ❖ The complaint may be oral or in writing. If the complaint is oral, it shall be recorded in writing by the ICC Members receiving the complaint, and authenticated by the complainant under her/his dated signature or thumb impression as the case may be.
- ❖ Safeguard the complainant by not disclosing the person's identity and accord relief as required.
- ❖ Ensure that victims or witnesses are not victimized or discriminated against while dealing with complaints of sexual harassment.
- ❖ To complete the enquiry within a period of 7 days.
- ❖ The Chairman of the Committee is a Senior Professor of the University. The members include two faculty members, two non-teaching staff, two student representatives and more than half of the members of the committee are women.

The Committee meets regularly and takes stock of the measures provided for the safeguard of female faculty, staff and students. The Committee ensures that no act of sexual harassment of any nature is occurred on the campus and in case of occurrence, immediate redressal steps are taken. The Committee conducts small workshops, seminars etc., to educate the staff members of the University about the sensitivity of the issue and at the same time, the female staff, faculty and students are enlightened with the measures and the safeguards available to them.

## **PHYSICAL INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT**

The campus of the Uttaranchal University is picturesque and is spread over 70 acres of land on the NH 72. The campus is unitary in nature and is located at the heart of the city. The campus is easily accessible by public mode of transport from all strategic points of the city i.e., Railway Station, ISBT, Clock Tower, Rajpur Road, Raipur Road, Dakpathar and Vikasnagar etc. The whole campus is clean-green and eco-friendly. University buses are available for commuting the students and faculty from all parts of



the city on payment of a very reasonable amount. There are eleven hostels on the campus (7 for Boys and 4 for Girls). The hostels can accommodate approx. 2000 students and offer single, double, triple and a four-seater occupancy facility. The classrooms are with latest teaching aids and devices. The classrooms are well ventilated and adequately illuminated. Laboratories are equipped with advanced instruments and are capable of carrying out innovative research meeting industry needs.

**Computer Centre-** The University campus is a Wi-Fi enabled e-campus which remains 365x24x7 open and connected with 20 mbps fibre optic network that connects all the academic departments, hostels, libraries, administrative blocks and other facilities at the campus. It has a computer system with server (Linux server, domain server, database server, Thin Client server, backup server, ERP server and storage). In addition to the main Computer Centre, every faculty has a separate dedicated Computer Laboratory.

**Central Library-** The carpet area of the Central Library; the Information Resource Centre is 1500 Sqm. The Central Library is designed to meet the needs of the users with an aim of providing “**Anytime, Anywhere Access**” to information, the Central Library supports University in building an excellence in academics and research by establishing a knowledge hub.

The library holds a hybrid collection of printed as well electronic resources which include books, journals, databases, audio-visuals, CDs/DVDs, e-books, e-journals, reports, case studies, conference proceedings, training manuals, etc. on Applied Sciences, Engineering and Technology, Humanities, Management, Legal studies, Agriculture and Pharmacy etc.

The libraries are well automated with integrated software and have utilized Information Technology extensively to ensure that resources are accessible from anywhere at any time. Services such as Web OPAC for checking online availability and reserving online, remote access to e-resource and databases make the library more user friendly.

Besides conventional reading material; the library subscribes to 1500 + e-Journals of International societies and publishers of International repute viz. **IEEE, ASME, ASCE, Science Direct, Springer, Emerald and EBSCO etc.** The Library is also a member of

INFLIBNET to check plagiarism in academia and that too especially in the field of research work.

The Library has a Multimedia section to access NPTEL video lectures on various subjects and topics. It provides a conducive environment for intellectual enquiry by providing user-focused services to obtain and evaluate scholarly information and knowledge. The Central Library is supported with the departmental libraries in each Faculty.

## OTHER FACILITIES

- ❖ To meet the daily needs of the students, there are shops for stationery, confectionary and daily need items where students can buy the things of their requirement at a reasonable price. Saloon for male and female students is also available in addition to Beauty Parlour for female students and staff. Cafeteria, Canteen, Nescafe Kiosk and ATM facility exclusively for the University community is available on the campus. University owned Ambulance is at the disposal of students and staff, in case of any emergency and minor ailment. These facilities are exclusively meant for the students and staff of the University. University has tie-ups with leading hospitals in the city for major/minor treatment at concessional rates.
- ❖ Play grounds for outdoor and indoor games namely; Cricket, Football, Volleyball, Basketball Courts, Badminton, Table Tennis, Chess, Carom and Gymnasium etc., are there on the campus to meet the recreational needs of the students and staff.

## PROGRAMMES OFFERED

The University as per the expectations of the State Govt. and considering the needs of the demand of the students is offering the following for the academic year 2015-2016.

### **Faculty: Uttaranchal Institute of Technology**

S. No.	Course	Duration
1.	<b><u>B. Tech. in</u></b>	04 Years
	❖ Computer Science & Engineering ❖ Mechanical Engineering ❖ Civil Engineering ❖ <b>B. Tech. (Lateral Entry)</b> in all B.Tech. Programmes	03 Years

2.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)	04 Years
3.	B. Sc. (Hons.) - Food Technology	03 Years
4.	B.Sc. (Hons.) - Biotechnology	03 Years
5.	B.Sc. (Hons.) - Physics	03 Years
6.	B.Sc. (Hons.) - Chemistry	03 Years
7.	B.Sc. (Hons.) - Mathematics	03 Years
8.	<b><u>M. Tech. in</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Civil Engineering</li> <li>• ME (Thermal Engineering)</li> <li>• Computer Science &amp; Engineering</li> </ul>	02 Years
9.	M. Sc. (Industrial Chemistry)	02 Years

**Faculty: Uttaranchal Institute of Management**

S. No.	Course	Duration
1.	BBA	03 Years
2.	BCA	03 Years
3.	B.Sc. (IT)	03 Years
4.	B. Com. (Hons.)	03 Years
5.	B.A. (Hons.)-Economics	03 Years
6.	MBA	02 Years
7.	MCA (Lateral Entry)	02 Years

**Faculty: Law College Dehradun**

S. No.	Course	Duration
1.	B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) (Integrated)	05 Years
2.	BBA. LL.B. (Hons.) (Integrated)	05 Years
3.	LL.B. (Hons.)	03 Years
4.	LL.M.	01 Year

**Research**

Course/Stream	Eligibility Criteria
<u>Doctoral Programmes</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ph.D. in Law</b></li> <li>• <b>Ph.D. in Management</b></li> </ul>	<p>Candidate must have secured at least fifty five percent (55%) marks or a grade point average (GPA), equivalent to 55% marks at the Master's Degree examination. For SC/ST candidates, the minimum marks shall be 50%.</p> <p>Candidates with bachelor's degree in engineering /technology /any other professional discipline, with either 75% or more marks in aggregate and a minimum of three years or 60% or more marks in aggregate and a minimum of fifteen years, relevant experience in recognized institute /university/ industry/ government organization, may be considered eligible for admission, on the recommendation of SRC and approval by BOS.</p>
<u>Ph.D. in Engineering &amp; Technology</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Computer Science &amp; Engineering</b></li> </ul>	
<u>Ph.D. in Applied Sciences</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Physics</b></li> <li>• <b>Chemistry</b></li> <li>• <b>Mathematics</b></li> </ul>	
<u>Ph.D. in Humanities</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Economics</b></li> <li>• <b>English</b></li> </ul>	

**Note:**

1. One semester full time course work is mandatory for pursuing Ph. D. programme
2. Publications of two articles in international journal of repute are necessary for award of Ph. D. degree
3. All the courses offered by University are full time and regular. University is not offering any course through correspondence/distance mode

**COURSE CURRICULUM**

The University course curriculums are finalized by the Board of Studies of the respective Departments. Each course curriculum is structured keeping in view the UGC guidelines and the industry/corporate requirements. The curricula on being finalized by the respective departments are presented to the Academic Council of the University for perusal, review, additions, deletions adoption, if deemed fit. The course curricula

approved by the Academic Council are submitted to the Board of Management of the University for Final Approval and adoption. The Board of Studies of the various Departments meet before the start of every semester and submits the recommendation for the revision in the course curriculum in addition to designing course curriculums for the new courses. Subject Experts from other Institutions/Universities/Industries of repute; as an integral part of the Board of Studies are invited in the meetings.

## STUDENTS

The University has started its 2015-2016 academic session from August, 2015, as per details given below:

Year	Faculty: Law College Dehradun	Faculty: Uttaranchal Institute of Management	Faculty: Uttaranchal Institute of Technology
<b>I<sup>st</sup> Year</b>	16.08.2015	16.08.2015	16.08.2015
<b>II<sup>nd</sup> Year</b>	01.08.2015	01.08.2015	18.08.2015

The course wise details of the student's intake vis-a-vis students admitted in different programmes offered by the University during the academic session 2015-2016 are as under.

### **Faculty: Uttaranchal Institute of Technology**

S. No.	Course	Approved Intake	No. of Students admitted
		2015-16	2015-16
	<b><u>B. Tech</u></b>		
1.	CSE	120	77
2.	ME	60	60
3.	CE	60	60
	<b><u>M. Tech</u></b>		
4.	ME	15	04
5.	CE	15	06
	<b><u>Other Courses</u></b>		
6.	M.Sc. (Industrial Chemistry)	30	21
7.	B.Sc. (Ag.)	90	86
8.	B.Sc. (Forestry)	30	09



9.	B.Sc. (Hons.)-Food Technology	30	30
10.	B.Sc. (Hons.)-Biotechnology	30	22
11.	B.Sc. (Hons.)- Physics	30	07
12.	B.Sc. (Hons.)-Chemistry	15	15
13.	B.Sc. (Hons.)-Mathematics	30	17

### **Faculty: Uttaranchal Institute of Management**

S. No.	Course	Approved Intake	No. of Students admitted
		2015-16	2015-16
1.	MBA	120	119
2.	MCA (LE)	30	30
3.	BBA	160	122
4.	BCA	60	47
5.	B.Sc. (IT)	60	28
6.	B.Com (Hons.)	120	120

### **Faculty of Law & Legal Studies**

S.No.	Course	Intake Approved	No. of Students admitted
		2015-16	2015-16
1.	B.A.LL.B. (Hons.)	240	223
2.	BBA.LL.B. (Hons.)	180	124
3.	LL.B. (Hons.)	120	94
4.	LL.M.	30	23

### **Research Scholars (Ph.D.) Admitted**

S.No.	Course	Intake Approved	No. of Students admitted
		2015-16	2015-16

1	Ph.D. (Law)	10	3
2	Ph.D. (Management)	10	6
3	Ph.D. (CSE)	10	2
4	Ph.D. (Chemistry)	10	0
5	Ph.D. (Physics)	5	3
6	Ph.D. (English)	5	2

## EXAMINATIONS

University has adopted a fair and transparent examination system. University is following semester system i.e. Odd Semester commencing from July/August and the Even Semester commencing from January each year. At the culmination of the semester, the examinations are held which are called End Semester (Odd/Even Semesters Examinations) during the month of December/January and May/June each year. The system is in conformity with the UGC guidelines in this regard. The salient features of the student's evaluation/examinations system are as under:

- ❖ The performance of students in a semester is evaluated through continuous class assessment and end semester examination. The continuous assessment is based on class tests, assignments/tutorials, quizzes/viva-voce and attendance records or by means of any combination of these methods. The marks for continuous assessment (sessional marks) are being awarded at the end of the semester.
- ❖ The End Semester Examinations are comprised of written papers, practicals and viva-voce with adequate cognizance of certified course work done in the classes and laboratories.
- ❖ The University has adopted a centralized evaluation system at the campus. Provision for inviting External experts is also in place as per the requirements of the University. University has adopted mark based ranking system for most of the programmes but in some cases Letter Grade based ranking system has also been adopted including research programmes.
- ❖ The examinations are conducted as per the notified schedule well in advance providing ample opportunity to students for equipping them with necessary preparations.

- ❖ The results are announced within three weeks from the last day of the examinations. The result is communicated to students through uploading it on ERP and placing on the main Notice Boards prominently.
- ❖ The University has continuous evaluation system i.e., evaluation of student performance worked out by considering various components including theory, tutorials, practical, project, trainings, assignments, presentations, sessional marks, seminar and faculty(s) assessment etc.

### **SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS**

Year	Date of examinations
<b>2015-2016</b>	<b><u>Odd Semesters</u></b>
	11.12.2015 to 30.12.2015
	<b><u>Even Semesters</u></b>
	30.5.2016 to 17.06.2016

### **ANNOUNCEMENT OF RESULTS**

The results of the End Semester Examinations were announced within three weeks of the last examinations. The result analysis for the year 2015-2016 is as under:

S. No.	Program Name	Year	Program Code	Appeared	Passed
1	B.TECH. Mechanical Engg.	I	'01-06	60	59
2	B.TECH. Computer Science & Engg.	I	01-01	73	70
3	B.TECH. Civil Engg.	I	'01-07	60	55
4	B.TECH. Mechanical Engg.	II	'01-06	121	112
5	B.TECH. Computer Science	II	01-01	102	98

	& Engg.				
6	B.TECH. Civil Engg.	II	'01-07	89	85
7	B.TECH. Mechanical Engg.	III	'01-06	126	118
8	B.TECH. Computer Science & Engg.	III	01-01	67	67
9	B.TECH. Civil Engg.	III	'01-07	83	83
10	B.Sc. (Hons.)Agriculture	I	03	84	84
11	B.Sc. (Hons.)Agriculture	II	03	61	61
12	B.Sc. (Hons.)Agriculture	III	03	9	9
13	B.Sc. (Hons.) Food Technology	I	04	30	30
14	B.Sc. (Hons.) Food Technology	II	04	19	19
15	B.Sc. (Hons.)Physics	I	24	7	7
16	B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry	I	25	15	15
17	B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics	I	26	17	17
18	B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology	I	05	21	21
19	M.Sc. (Industrial Chemistry)	I	18	21	21
20	M.Sc. (Industrial Chemistry)	II	18	13	13
21	M.Tech. Thermal	I	17-23	4	4

	Engg.				
22	M.Tech. Environmental Engg.	I	17-24	6	6
23	M.Tech. Thermal Engg.	II	17-23	5	5
24	BBA	I	08	118	109
25	BBA	II	08	133	126
26	BBA	III	08	85	74
27	BCA	I	09	46	44
28	BCA	II	09	52	52
29	BCA	III	09	44	44
30	B.Sc.- (IT)	I	10	27	20
31	B.Sc.- (IT)	II	10	28	26
32	B.Sc.- (IT)	III	10	18	17
33	B.Com. (Hons.)	I	11	122	118
34	B.Com. (Hons.)	II	11	82	82
35	MBA	I	19	112	111
36	MBA	II	19	102	97
37	MCA	II	20	27	27
38	MCA	III	20	37	36
39	B.A.LL.B. (Hons.)	I	12	204	197
40	B.A.LL.B. (Hons.)	II	12	178	175
41	B.A.LL.B. (Hons.)	III	12	162	161
42	BBA.LL. B (Hons.)	I	13	112	106
43	BBA.LL. B (Hons.)	II	13	108	104
44	BBA.LL. B (Hons.)	III	13	94	94

45	LL. B (Hons.)	I	14	86	83
46	LL. B (Hons.)	II	14	86	85
47	LL. B (Hons.)	III	14	77	75
48	LL.M	I	15	23	23

## ACADEMIC ORDINANCES

University has a separate ordinance for each course. In the ordinances, schemes of the examination, student attendance requirement for appearing in the examinations, evaluation schemes of the examinations and the criteria for passing the examinations and alleviation to the next semester/class are outlined and explained in detail for the guidance of the students, teachers, evaluators, paper setters and all other stakeholders.

### GUIDELINES FOR QUESTION PAPER SETTING

A panel of experienced and impeccable faculty members has been drawn for paper setting purposes. The paper setting assignment is given to the members having adequate teaching experience coupled with experience of handling this incredible confidential assignment. **Each paper setter is further advised to keep the following aspects in mind while setting the question paper(s):**

- (i) The question paper must cover the whole syllabus.
- (ii) No question or part thereof should be outside the prescribed syllabus. Repetition of a question(s) must be avoided.
- (iii) Question paper must be very explicit in terms of minimum and maximum pass marks. The marks assigned to a particular question or to a part of a question must be specifically shown against that question/part of question.
- (iv) In case the students are required to use Electronic gadgets viz., simple/ scientific calculators or graph paper or something else, these instructions be written specifically at the end of the question paper i.e. **“Students are allowed to use only simple calculators during the course of examinations”**.
- (v) The question should not contain any objectionable/unlawful contents. No question paper should contain issues relating to religious and political sentiments of particular section of the society.
- (vi) Instructions to candidates should be clear and unambiguous.

(vii) The simplest language should be used and the length of the questions should be such that it can be completed within assigned time.

***Note:** To maintain secrecy and confidentiality of the question paper(s) is our top most priority. (Details of the instructions on the subject are available with Controller of Examinations for forwarding them to the question paper setters for guidance).*

## **SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR STUDENTS OF UTTARAKHAND DOMICILE**

Though the Uttaranchal University is an equal opportunity institution and welcome students for admission to any course of study corresponding to their qualifications without any discrimination to race, colour, sexual orientation, national origin, age, gender, veteran status, disability or religion, as enunciated in Section- 10 of the Uttaranchal University Act. However, to flux the students from Uttarakhand, special provisions in the Act have been made as under:

- (i) Section- 9 (17), 10 read with Section- 21 (1) enunciate, provision of 40% reservation in all its courses to the ward/student of Uttarakhand State domicile and
- (ii) Section-21 (2), Ward/Students of Uttarakhand State domiciles are also being granted 26% rebate in their tuition fee in all the courses. University is adhering to the guidelines provided in the Uttaranchal University Act.

## **STATUTORY COMPLIANCES**

University ensures compliance of all the provisions made in the Uttaranchal University Act as well the guidelines issued from time to time by the UGC and other statutory bodies vide their Act, Regulations and Ordinances etc.: -

- (i) University made provision for reservation of 40% of seats in all its courses for the students of Uttarakhand domicile as stipulated in Section 9 (17), 10 and 21 (1).
- (ii) University has provided 26% fee rebate to the students of Uttarakhand domicile in compliance of Section- 22 (2) of the Act.
- (iii) University has filled all its Group C & D posts by employing the permanent residents of Uttarakhand State.
- (iv) University is unitary in nature and has not set up any off-campus, off- shore campus, study centre or spilt campus till now as stipulated in UGC guidelines.



- (v) University has not started distance education programmes as yet as per the guidelines of UGC.
- (vi) University is maintaining its website with mandatory details; infrastructure, admission policy, courses offered including eligibility, fee details and fee refund policy etc., are also uploaded.
- (vii) University has also set up its Students Grievance Redressal Cell for sorting out student's grievances, the procedure adopted for dealing the grievance is fair and transparent.
- (viii) The admission system of the University is fair and transparent. For admissions, University has adopted- special entrance test-based admissions, interview-based admissions, academic merit-based admissions and admissions combining with all the above mechanism. No management quota has been provided for admissions and no admission is allotted under the management quota.
- (ix) University is adhering to the various provisions of the UGC (Establishment and Maintenance of Standards in Private Universities) Regulations 2003.
- (x) The University has appointed Internal/External Auditors (Chartered Accountants) for accurate and authentic maintenance of its accounts.
- (xi) The fee collection system of the University is transparent and student friendly. A proper receipt is provided to the students/parents for the fee received by the University. The Student/parents are also facilitated with an online facility to deposit the University fee. No capitation fee/charge or any hidden amount is collected from the students.
- (xii) University has also uploaded details for the years 2013-2014, 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 on AISHE Web Portal.
- (xiii) University has also uploaded necessary information on National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), MHRD portal for the year 2013-2014, 2014-2015 and 2015-2016.
- (xiv) University is adhering to the guidelines of the UGC for nomenclature and award of degree including duration of the course(s).
- (xv) University is also following model syllabus framed by the UGC for parity, wherever possible.

## FINANCIAL VIABILITY OF THE UNIVERSITY

The Balance Sheet and Income & Expenditure statement of the University for the period 2014-2015 ending with 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2015 is enclosed to have a complete financial view of the University affairs (**Appendix – 1**).

## ACCOLADES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

### 1. Best University in North India

The Uttaranchal University was conferred with the award of “**Best University in North India Award 2015**”. The Chancellor of Uttaranchal University had received the award presented by Mr. Ram Shankar Katheria, Minister of State in the Ministry of HRD, Govt. of India on 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2015 in New Delhi. The ceremony was organized by M/S Royal Brand.

### 2. Best Upcoming University in North India

Uttaranchal University is also recipient of “**Best Upcoming University in North India**” by ASSOCHAM India, New Delhi at its National Education Summit & Excellence Awards - 2014 on 19<sup>th</sup> February, 2014. The award was received by Mr. Jitender Joshi, Chancellor in a star-studded ceremony. This award is conferred to acknowledge the institutions, which have contributed significantly in improving the quality of education, innovation, research and development. Uttaranchal University made this distinction by achieving innovation in education, maintaining highest standards of quality parameters in higher education like running multi-disciplinary study programs, student enrolments, infrastructure and achievements through alumni placements and impact on skill and employment generation. The award was presented by the renowned statesman and educationist of India, **Padma Vibhushan, Dr. Karan Singh** in an impressive ceremony at New Delhi.

### 3. ICON Award

The Chancellor of the University was conferred with **ICON Award** from Times of India group. The award has been instituted to facilitate the great achievers from different fields. The award was conferred for his immense contribution in furthering the cause of quality higher education.

The award was presented by the Managing Director, Patanjali Ayurved and the General Secretary of Patanjali Yogpeeth, Acharya Balakrishna in a glittering ceremony attended by the distinguished people from various fields.

#### **4. Achievers Award**

Mr. Jitender Joshi, Hon'ble chancellor was felicitated by the **iNext**, newspaper of Jagran Group of Publications, with the Achievers' Award on 23rd March, 2016. The award is in recognition of Mr. Joshi's immense contribution in furthering the cause of professional education in the country. The award was presented by Mr. Anurag Gupta, the General Manager of Jagran Publication Ltd., Dehradun unit, in an impressive ceremony held in Doon.

5. Uttaranchal University Ranked No.5; Among Top 10 Universities of India in 2016 (By Sarvgyan India's leading education portal).

#### **6. Best Engineering College**

Uttaranchal Institute of Technology, a constituted faculty of the University was awarded Five Star Ranking by a leading magazine "**Career Connect**" in its April, 2014 issue.

#### **7. ISO Certification**

The University has got the ISO Certification 9001:2008 from BSI, Kitemark Count, Davy Avenue, Know hill, Milton Keynes MKS 8PP (Certificate No. FS534605), valid up to 2017.

### **UNIVERSITY TIE-UPS AND MOUs**

#### **1. Tie-ups with a leading Hospital of Dehradun**

University has a tie-up with a super specialty hospital named Shri Mahant Indires Hospital, Dehradun for providing indoor and outdoor medical facilities to its students, faculty and staff members at concessional rates.

#### **2. CII Membership**

University has got the Membership of Confederation of Indian Industries (CII) vide Certificate No. N37331.

#### **3. CRISIL SME Rating**

The University's accounting system is having the CRISIL SME Rating.

#### **4. DST Project Sanctioned**

One Research Project titled “Designing of nano-ferrite composites of Barium ferrite with Polyaniline embedded it with Graphene matrix for EMI shielding applications” has been approved by the Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India, New Delhi. This is a rare achievement for a new private University. The DST has released an amount of Rs. 20,00,000.00 lakh for the project.

#### **5. MNRE Project Sanctioned**

Ministry of New & Renewable Energy, Govt. of India, New Delhi vide its sanction order No. 02/27/2015-16/SC dated 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2016 has sanctioned Project titled “Developing the existing campus as Green Campus under MNRE Scheme on Development of Solar Cities”. An amount of Rs. 5,00,000.00 has been sanctioned for the accomplishments of the objects of the project.

#### **6. Foreign Universities Collaboration**

**The University holds certain foreign collaborations in Academia for the purpose of:**

- Exchange of scholars, students and postgraduate students
- Research and analysis
- Exchange of information
- Special courses for students of the University
- Academic Partnerships
- Research and Innovation Partnerships
- Community Outreach Partnerships
- Utility Partnerships

## MEMORABLE IMPORTANT EVENTS DURING THE PERIOD

The campus of the University remained live with the hustle-bustle of student's multi-dimensional activities of academics, extracurricular, sports, cultural meets, visits of distinguished personalities etc.

**Some of the events of such importance are as:**

**12<sup>th</sup> August, 2015-** The Legal Aid Centre of Law College, organized Legal Awareness Programme for the benefit of school students. The University has the target of bringing at least 40 schools under the ambit of these type of workshops. The inaugural session of the workshop was attended by class 12 students of Hopetown Girls School, Dehradun. The students were informed about the procedures of lodging FIR, provisions of Anti Ragging Law and Protection of Children from Sexual Offense Act. During the interactive session, students made number of queries and got replies from the legal experts. The original manuscript of the Indian Constitution including the reports on the trial of the soldiers of the war crimes of World War II was also shown to the students.





**11<sup>th</sup> September, 2015-** Second year students of Mechanical Engineering branch undertook a guided industry visit tour of 1 and 2 block of BHEL, Haridwar plant. During the tour students got acquainted with the process of Turbine Rotors for Low Pressure and Intermediate Pressure Turbines. The students also witnessed how high-Pressure Turbines were casted at CFPP plant of BHEL. They also visited Block-2; which manufactures castings and stators for electric generator which are then sent to Block-1; where the generators are finally assembled and tested. The visit was a good learning experience for the students.



**24<sup>th</sup> September, 2015-** A Webinar on developing entrepreneurial skills was organized in the University in collaboration with Growth Enabler, a Bengal based company. Students of Management, Law and Engineering attended the Webinar. The Webinar was conducted by Mr. Rajeev Badoni, Co-Founder of the Growth Enabler.



**26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2015-** Department of Mechanical Engineering organized a two days' workshop on Geometrical Dimensioning and Tolerance in association with CADD Centre for the third and final year students of B.Tech.-ME. The workshop was divided into 8 sessions. In the workshop an introduction session about Dimensions and Drawings was held and also discussed about size Tolerances. During the workshop, students were apprised with a clear understanding and working knowledge of the Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing which is used in engineering drawings and models for describing nominal geometry and its allowable tolerance in product design manufacturing, assemblies and inspections.





**28<sup>th</sup> October, 2015-** Ms. Parul Thapliyal, an alumnus of Law College qualified for the Uttarakhand State Judicial Services Civil Judge (Junior Division) Examination- 2014. Ms. Parul Thapliyal did her LL.M. from Uttaranchal University. The Chancellor of the University felicitated Ms. Parul Thapliyal by presenting a memento.



**06<sup>th</sup> & 07<sup>th</sup> November, 2015-** India's Biggest Civil Championship (IBCC 2016) Workshop on bridge designing was conducted by Uttaranchal Institute of Technology in collaboration with IIT- Madras, and ARK Techno solutions-Mumbai. Uttaranchal University is selected as one of the Zonal Centers in India. During the workshop the students were introduced to various types of bridges and moving loads. This training provided a unique opportunity to experience a hands-on feel of a Civil Engineering project. Participants designed and fabricated their own bridge and tested for the maximum load. The bridge model made by them was able to take up to 1000 times the self-weight.

By the end of the workshop the students learnt load calculation in various trusses using CAD model, fabrication of the bridge and testing for the maximum load taken to measure efficiency. During the practical session they came to know about the issues that arise while designing a bridge. The testing session was the most interesting part of this training where the participant's bridge was tested for maximum load to judge the efficiency of the bridge.



**26<sup>th</sup> November, 2015-** Uttaranchal University observed Constitution Day with great fervour and zeal. The hall mark of the event was the organization of Mega Blood Donation camp. This camp is organized every year on the National Law Day. Multitudes of students lined up to register themselves for donating blood and displayed great enthusiasm for blood donation. Keeping in view the enthusiasm of students for blood donation, adequate arrangements were made to ensure that fifty students could donate blood simultaneously. In total, 547 Units of Blood was donated.

The camp was organized in collaboration with the Indian Red Cross Society, the Blood Bank of Mahant Indresh Hospital, Blood Bank of I.M.A and Blood Bank of Doon Hospital for blood collection.

Hon'ble Minister of Law and Justice, Mr. Dinesh Aggarwal was the chief guest at this occasion and President of Uttarakhand Red Cross Society and Ex-M.L.A., Mr. Ranjit Singh Verma was the special guest. Hon'ble Chancellor of the University, Mr. Jitendra Joshi in his address emphasized that the organization of blood donation camps and legal awareness camps are aimed at motivating the students towards their social responsibilities.

**Uttaranchal University**

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*Occasion*  
**संविधान दिवस**  
**(National Law Day -26th November, 2015)**

**Chief Guest**  
**Hon'ble Shri Dinesh Agarwal, Law and Justice Minister of Uttarakhand**

**Guest of Honour**  
**Shri Ranjeet Singh Verma, Ex-MLA/ Chairman Managing Committee**  
**Indian Red Cross Society, Uttarakhand**

**Blood Banks**  
1. Shri Mahant Indresh Hospital 2. Doon Hospital Dehradun 3. I.M.A. Blood Bank

**Participants**  
**Law College Dehradun, Legal Aid Centre (LCD-LAC), Uttaranchal University**

**18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2015-** a two days' workshop on QUADCOPTER was organized by the department of Electronics & Communication Engineering in association with IIT, Kanpur. The workshop was conducted in two sessions; the first session consisted of the expert presentations on designing techniques of Quadcopter given by technical experts from IIT, Kanpur, Mr. Shiva Srivastava and Mr. Vagesh Saxena; representatives of IIT Kanpur. They explained to the students about the mechanical and electronic tools used for designing a Quadcopter, the fundamentals of multicopter, different types of multicopters, their working mechanism, constructional techniques, and applications. They were also introduced to basic components required to design a Quadcopter, about



sensors, motors, propellers and different types of frames, microcontrollers, and other related systems etc.

In the second session, a competition was organized on designing the Quad copter. A fair volume of students from different departments of engineering participated in the event. Eleven teams comprising five members each participated in the competition. They designed and propelled their quad copters.



**15<sup>th</sup> January, 2016-** National Youth Day was celebrated at Uttaranchal University on the occasion of Swami Vivekananda's 153<sup>rd</sup> Birth Anniversary. The objective of the celebrations was to inspire the youth of nation through the philosophy and ideals of Swami Ji. Swami Vivekananda was the key figure in introducing Indian philosophies of 'Vedanta' and 'Yoga' to the western world.



**25<sup>th</sup> February, 2016** - Ms. Preeti, a Research Scholar of the University was conferred the “Young Scientist Award” in 10<sup>th</sup> Uttarakhand State Science & Technology Congress 2015-16 for her research paper titled “Polyaniline - Expanded Graphite- Nano ferrite Composite for Shielding of Electromagnetic Pollution”.



**12<sup>th</sup> February, 2016-** Law College of the University organized a workshop on “**First Step Towards Your Dream Job**” in collaboration with Fusion School, Delhi. The workshop was divided into two sessions. The expert speaker Mr. Avinash Tirupati made presentation on how to file a case, how to get a trademark registered and a five-step process to achieve one’s dream job. He made the students understand that specialization, practical knowledge, undertaking structured internship, drafting an impressive CV, covering letter and making a proper preparation for an interview are of vital importance for students in getting their dream jobs. In the workshop an elaborative presentation was also made on to start of an internship and utilizing it to get a dream job.





**05<sup>th</sup> March, 2016-** The students of B.Sc. Agriculture and Forestry participated in “VASANTOTSAVA-2016” formally known as “**Flower Show of Uttarakhand**” at Raj Bhawan (Governor House), Dehradun. Here students observed several indigenous and exotic varieties of flowers cultivated in Uttarakhand and other parts of India. Hon’ble Governor of Uttarakhand, Dr. K. K. Paul had inaugurated this program and briefed audience about the importance of nature’s beauty and role of students in sustaining such beauty. He had appreciated the different horticulturist and floriculturist for maintaining such huge varieties of flower and wished bright future ahead for the students who were pursuing varied graduate and post graduate courses.





**10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016-** The most exciting time of the year in the University was when the students organized a three days Uttarakhand Yuva Fest 2016 celebration from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016 at the Campus. During the period various cultural and sports activities were organized. Students from all faculties of the University enthusiastically participated in the various activities such as quizzes, drama competitions, dancing, singing, ramp walking, antakshari, rangoli making, poster making, painting, and photography etc. In addition to these activities various games such as volleyball, football, table tennis, basketball and cricket competitions etc were also held. Mr. Mika Singh with his group and band gave live performance on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2016.





**15th May, 2016-** Students of Law College of the University organized a Legal Aid Camp at Babugarh Panchayat of Vikasnagar Block, Dehradun. The objective of the camp was to create legal awareness among the Panchayat representatives and the population of this block. The camp was attended by the Panchayat representatives from Vikasnagar, Kalsi, Chakrata and Sahaspur blocks. District and Sessions Judge, Mr. Mohammad Sultan was the Chief Guest and Mr. Kuldeep Sharma, Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, was a special invitee on the occasion. Student members of Legal Awareness Cell of Law College presented a skit “**Aadarsh Gram Ki Panchayat**” to explain the procedure followed in the Panchayat election and effective conduct of Panchayat functions. The students

also showed plight of victims of domestic violence and aspirants of Indira Awas. Expert lectures on selection of beneficiaries of various panchayat programmes, allocation and maintenance of Panchayat Lands, First Information Report, Right to Information, Legal Aid and Environment related Laws and Domestic Violence were also delivered. Addressing the students and the guests; the District and Sessions Judge, Justice Mohammad Sultan stated that, the biggest challenge to implement the laws made by Union and State Legislatures is delay, and their implementation in accordance with the basic precincts of the Constitution, so as to benefit the common masses. He said that in most of the cases, the benefits of the various welfare schemes do not reach the masses due to lack of awareness among them. He declared the programmes conducted by Legal Aid Centre of Law College as an excellent '**Revolutionary Step**' in this direction.



**09<sup>th</sup> June, 2016-** Ms. Suman Vij, Assistant Professor in the Faculty of Management of Uttaranchal University, has been conferred the prestigious '**Bharat Jyoti**' Award by India International Friendship Society for her meritorious service, outstanding performance and remarkable role in the field of education. The award was presented by Dr. Bhishma Narain Singh, the former Governor of Tamil Nadu and Assam in a Seminar on "Economic Growth and National Integration" at India International Center, New Delhi.

**09<sup>th</sup> June, 2016-** Uttaranchal University signed a Memorandum of Understanding with Central Pulp & Paper Research Institute (CPPRI), Saharanpur (UP) for collaboration and exchange programs in the field of Chemistry, Environment, & Biotechnology under the aegis of Department of

Applied Science. CPPRI is a national level institute established in 1980 as an autonomous body under the administrative control of Ministry of Industry, Govt. of India and having its registered office at Saharanpur, India.

The MOU was signed by Prof.S.C. Joshi, Vice Chancellor of Uttaranchal University and Dr. R. K. Jain, Director of CPPRI. The other dignitaries present on this occasion were in the witness of Dr.Ajay Singh, HOD- Chemistry, Biotech and Food Technology, and Dr.A.K. Dixit, a Senior Scientist of CPPRI.

## Epitome

Education and training are a lifelong learning process that involves skill upgradation or enhancement of skills and expertise through competency-based education to meet the needs of industry, business, and the community. Buildings, labs, instruments, facilities, infrastructure and other resources are put to use not just for students, but also for faculty, researchers, stakeholder groups, and the community at the University Campus. Industries are evolving at a rapid pace. Continuing education is essential for professionals to remain abreast on the latest trends, skills, and emerging technology in their fields. Uttaranchal University believes in and is committed to empowering individuals with life-enhancing skills and experiences through a range of educational opportunities.