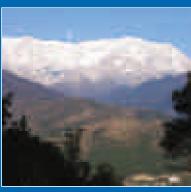
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VICE-CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE

I am happy to present the Annual Report of the University for the year 2010-11 with great deal of satisfaction. It was indeed a year of great challenge and ample opportunities. The Central University of Himachal Pradesh (CUHP) became functional with the assumption of charge by the first Vice-Chancellor on 20th January 2010. In a short-span, the University has made significant progress. The University has already developed its Vision Document & Strategic Plan. The academic architecture and curricular framework have been developed and are being translated into action through Statutes and Ordinances.



The land for the campuses of the University have already been identified but it may still take time before the same are transferred to the University,

since it requires obtaining clearance under the Forest Conservation Act and also from the Environmental angles. Notwithstanding the constraint, the University commenced its operation and administrative activities were started from the Camp Office which was set up in the building called Writers' Home (Sanskriti Sadan) in Dharamshala. The Academic activities of the University were launched from its Temporary Academic Block - a newly constructed building of a Government College that was graciously allotted by the State Government to the University. The Temporary Academic Block is located in Shahpur at a distance of approximately 30 Kms from the Camp Office. Despite limitations of intellectual and human resources, the University focused its attention to the drafting of necessary Statutes, Ordinances and Bye-laws. Within a few months of its existence, the University was able to launch its academic programmes and published its Prospectus. The Budget, Annual Accounts and Balance Sheets for the years 2009-10 were prepared on priority and got audited by the CAG, in accordance with the requirements of the Act and Statutes.

The University embarked upon innovative curricular framework based on modular courses, admission based on single common entrance examination, semester system, continuous internal assessment, grading system, choice based credit system and grading. The curricular framework of the University is comparable to the best practices found in some of the best universities of the world. It is our belief that it was the innovative academic architecture and innovative curricular framework that attracted overwhelming response from the potential students and in the very first year of the launch of the academic programmes, a large number of applicants applied for admission and took the Entrance Examination.

The University initially began its operation with thirteen core staff sanctioned by the UGC. Such staff were taken either on deputation or on short-term contract basis. Gradually, the University was able to advertise, process and fill up the statutory positions of the Registrar and the Finance Officer. To run the University at initial stage, the University Grants Commission provided a few posts. The University created 48 teaching positions and a similar number of non-teaching positions with the concurrence of the University Grants Commission. Efforts are on to appoint the best available people to these position - a challenge not easy to surmount.

The University received all the support and facilitation from all the officers and staff of the University Grants Commission and the Ministry of Human Resource Development, but for which the progress would have been seriously constrained. I am equally thankful to the State Leadership and District Administration at Dharamshala and Dehra, for their help and support in the identification of land for the campuses of the University and for allotting the buildings for the camp office and also for the temporary academic block. But for the whole hearted cooperation of the Chief Minister, the Education Minister, the Chief Secretary, the Principal



Secretary Education and the DC and other District Officials, the University would not have made the kind of strides that it was able to.

I would like to place on record my appreciation and thanks to my smaller team of three officers viz. Prof. Yoginder Verma, Prof. Arvind Agrawal and Shri B.R. Dhiman, who contributed their might by taking many responsibilities right from the initial stages and shared serious hardships. Assistance rendered by Mr. Vivek Sood, the Liaison Officer to the Vice-Chancellor were remarkable. I also acknowledge the efforts of all officers and staff of the University and hope that each one of those associated with the University shall continue to contribute towards the development of this University.

In a country like ours that has a long and cherished history of higher education and has many large and well established universities and institutions of national importance, we have made a humble beginning. We are just in our infancy and are fully aware of the challenges that lie ahead. What gives me hope and confidence is the realisation that I know no man who was not a child before and I know no tree that was not a sapling once. The sapling has been planted and due care are being taken to nurture and protect it from the vagaries of all kind of weathers and I hope that the soil would be conducive to its growth.

Place: Dharamshala (HP) Dated: May 25, 2011 (Prof. Furqan Qamar)
Vice-Chancellor

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ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY



GENESIS AND ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY:

The Prime Minister in his address to the nation on August 15, 2007, announced the establishment of a Central University in each of the states that which so far did not have a central university. Subsequently, the Central Universities Act 2009 (No. 25 of 2009) which received Presidential assent on 20th March 2009 was enacted to establish these Universities and it was under this legislation that the Central University of Himachal Pradesh was established and came into existence in 2009.

COMENCEMENT OF OPERATION:

The University became functional with the assumption of charge by the first Vice-Chancellor on 20th January 2010. While development of own infrastructure of the University may take a while, the University has an ambitious Vision Document evolved in consultation with eminent experts in the field of education. The Vision Document and Strategic Plan of the University as approved by the statutory authorities of the University are available at the website of the University (www.cuhimachal.ac.in). Accordingly, in due course of time, the University will grow to have purpose built, state of the art 150 Acres campus in Dharamshala and 900 Acres campus in Dehra and will have seventeen Schools of Studies with nearly 90 Departments of Studies and about 50 Centres of Studies.

OBJECTIVES OF THE UNIVERSITY:

The Objectives of the University as given in the Central Universities Act 2009 are as under:

- To disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional and research facilities in such branches of learning as it may deem fit;
- To make special provisions for integrated courses in humanities, social sciences, sciences and technology in its educational programmes;
- To take appropriate measures for promoting innovations in teaching-learning process and inter-disciplinary studies and research;
- To educate and train manpower for the development of the country;
- To establish linkages with industries for the promotion of science and technology;
- To pay special attention to the improvement of social and economic conditions and welfare of the people, their intellectual, academic and cultural development

SALIENT FEATURES OF THE UNIVERSITY:

The Central Universities Act 2009 mandates the following salient features of the University:

The University shall be open to persons of either sex and of whatever caste, creed, race, or class and it shall not be lawful for the University to impose on any person, any test whatsoever of religious belief or profession in order to entitle him to be appointed as a teacher of the University or to hold any other office therein or to be admitted as a student in the University or to graduate thereat or to enjoy or exercise any privilege thereof;



- It may make special provisions for the employment or admission of women, persons with disabilities or of persons belonging to the weaker sections of the society, and, in particular, of the Scheduled Caste, the Scheduled Tribe and the other socially and educationally backward classes of citizens. Provided further that no such special provision shall be made on the ground of domicile;
- It shall be the endeavour of the University to maintain an all-India character and high standards of teaching and research, and the University shall, among other measures which may be necessary for the said purpose, take, in particular, the following measures:
- Admission of students shall be made on all-India basis strictly on merit adjudged either through Common Entrance Tests conducted individually by the University or in combination with other Universities, or on the basis of marks obtained in the qualifying examination in such courses where the intake of students is small;
- Recruitment of faculty shall be made on all-India basis and Inter-university mobility of faculty, with portable pensions and protection of seniority, shall be encouraged;
- Semester system, continuous evaluation and choice-based credit system shall be introduced and the university shall enter into

- agreement with other universities and academic institutions for credit transfer and joint degree programmes.
- Innovative Courses and programme of studies shall be introduced with provision for periodic review and restructuring;
- Active participation of students shall be ensured in all academic activities of the university including evaluation of teachers;
- Accreditation shall be obtained from the National Assessment and Accreditation Council or any other accrediting agency at the national level;
- E-governance shall be introduced with an effective management information system;

LOCATION OF THE UNIVERSITY

Headquarters of the University:

The Headquarter of the University is located in Dharamshala, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh. Dharamshala is a place with profile and is known worldwide. Serene location, pleasant climatic condition, spiritual atmosphere of the location provides an attractive ambience conducive to academic pursuits.

Permanent Campuses:

It has been decided at the highest level that the University will have twin campuses:

 Beas Campus which shall be located in Dehra and will have bulk of the infrastructure accommodating about 70 percent of the academic activities and infrastructure.





 Dhauladhar Campus which shall be located in Dharamshala and will house about 30 percent of the academic activities and infrastructure.

Temporary Campus:

- Camp Office: The Camp Office of the University is presently located in the Sanskriti Sadan (Writers' Home) at Dharamshala (Near International Cricket Stadium).
- Temporary Academic Block (TAB): The Temporary Academic Block of the University

is located in a newly constructed College Building at Shahpur, District Kangra. Purpose-built, it is an eye-catching spacious three-storeyed building located amidst picturesque surroundings. Adequate to cater the present needs of classrooms, labs, faculty and students, it may provide inspiring space for academics. Large open space surrounding the building could provide facilities for outdoor games and sports facilities.



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THE VISITOR OF THE UNIVERSITY



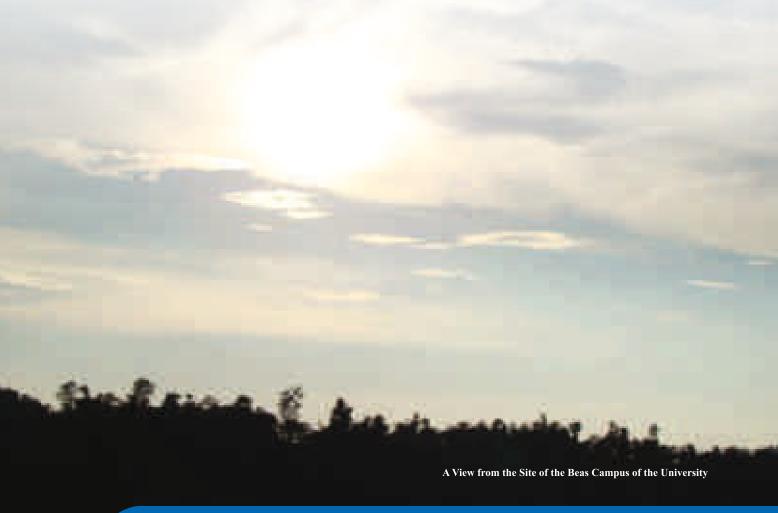
President of India Smt. Pratibha Devisingh Patil

As per the Central Universities Act 2009, the President of India is the Visitor of the University.

Smt. Pratibha Devisingh Patil was born on December 19, 1934 in Nadgaon village of Jalgaon District, Maharashtra. Smt. Patil assumed office as the 12th President of India on July 25, 2007. She is the first woman to have been elected to this august office. Immediately prior to election as the President of India, Smt. Patil was the Governor of Rajasthan from November 8, 2004 till June 21, 2007.

Education: Smt. Patil received her early education from RR Vidyalaya, Jalgaon and later obtained her Master's degree in Political Science and Economics from the Mooljee Jetha College, Jalgaon. Later, she obtained the degree of Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.) from Government Law College, Bombay (Mumbai). While in college, she took active part in sports, excelled in table tennis and won several shields at various Inter-collegiate tournaments. Even as an MLA, she pursued her studies as a law student.

Professional Career: Smt. Patil started her professional career as a practicing lawyer at the Jalgaon District Court and simultaneously devoted herself to various social activities, especially, for the upliftment of poor women.



UNIVERSITY AUTHORITIES

THE COURT

The Court of the University is under constitution.

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The Executive Council is the principal executive body of the University. With the Vice-Chancellor as Chairperson, it has eminent academicians, administrators, scholars and scientists as its members. The first Executive Council has been constituted by the Visitor in exercise of the powers vested in her vide Section 44 of the Central Universities Act 2009. It consists of the following members:

1.	Prof. Furqan Qamar, Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Himachal Pradesh	Chairman		
2.	The Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001			
3.	Secretary In Charge of Higher Education, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla (Represented by Dr. Shrikant Baldi, Principal Secretary, Education)	Member		
4.	Professor D. T. Khathing, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jharkhand, CTI Campus, Brambe, Lohar Daga Road, Ranchi - 835205	Member		
5.	Professor Pritam Singh, Former Director IIM Lucknow, Emeritus Professor Management Development Institute (MDI), Sukhrali, Gurgaon (Haryana)	Member		
6.	Professor A. N. Rai, Vice Chancellor, Mizoram University PO Box 190, Aizawl - 796009 (Mizoram)	Member		
7.	Professor N. Satyamurthy, Director, Indian Institute of Science Education & Research (IISER), Mohali, MGSIPAP Complex, Sector 26, Chandigarh - 160019	Member		
8.	Professor V.S. Vyas, Former Chairman IDS, Deputy Chairman, State Planning Board Rajasthan 396 - Vasundhra Colony, Goplapura Bypass, Tonk Road, Jaipur - 302018	Member		
9.	Professor S.P. Thyagarajan, Former Vice Chancellor, Madras University, 1st Main Road, Nehru Nagar, Adyar, Chennai - 600020	Member		
10.	Professor D.S. Rathore, Former Vice Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh Krishi Viswavidyalaya 15/15 Indira Nagar, Lucknow – 226016	Member		
11.	Professor S.P. Singh, Former Vice Chancellor, HNB Garhwal University Advisor Planning Commission, Institute of Technology and Science, SGRR Nagar – Education Mission, Patel Nagar, Dehradun	Member		

The Registrar of the University is the Secretary of the Executive Council but he is not a member. Two meetings of the Executive Council i.e. on 24.7.2010 and 13.2.2011 were held during the year.

THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

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1.	Prof. Furqan Qamar, Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Himachal Pradesh	Chairman		
2.	Professor M. Shamim Jairajpuri, Former Vice-Chancellor, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad			
3.	Professor Devi Singh, Director, IIM Lucknow, Prabandh Nagar Off Sitapur Road, Lucknow			
4.	Professor Peter Ronald deSouza, Director, Indian Institute of Advanced Studies (IIAS), Rashtrapati Niwas, Shimla	Member		
5.	Professor Dr. (Miss) Kamal Singh, Former Vice Chancellor, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati	Member		
6.	Professor Sudhanshu Bhushan, Head, Higher Education, NUEPA, New Delhi	Member		
7.	Professor Mohd. Miyan, Vice-Chancellor, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Gachibowli, Hyderabad	Member		
8.	Professor Pulin B Nayak, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University, Delhi	Member		
9.	Professor Shyam Menon, Vice Chancellor, Ambedkar University, Sector 9, Dwarka, New Delhi	Member		
10.	Professor Faizan Ahmad, Director, Centre for Multi-disciplinary Research in Basic Sciences, JMI, New Delhi	Member		
11.	Professor Tapati Basu, Professor, Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, University of Calcutta, Senate House, College Street Campus, Kolkata	Member		
12.	Professor Anil Kumar Singh, Vice-Chancellor, Allahabad University, Allahabad	Member		
13.	Professor V.C. Pande, Head, Department of Medieval & Modern History, University of Allahabad, Allahabad	Member		
14.	Professor B. B. Dhar, Former Professor of Mining, IIT BHU D-20, Pamposh Enclave, New Delhi	Member		
15.	Professor Y Narsimhulu, Professor of Mathematics & Director, Academic Staff College, University of Hyderabad	Member		
16.	Prof. R.S. Dubey, (Former Vice Chancellor, GGU, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh) Professor & Head, Department of Biochemistry, Faculty of Sciences, BHU, Varanasi (UP)	Member		
17.	Professor M.D. Tiwari, Director, IIIT Allahabad	Member		
18.	Professor Ramesh C Sharma, Professor & Head, Department of Environmental Sciences, HNB Garhwal University	Member		
19.	Professor Vibha Chaturvedi, Department of Philosophy, University of Delhi, Delhi	Member		
20.	Professor Deepak Pental, Former Vice Chancellor, Delhi University, Delhi	Member		
21.	Shri Saurabh Srivastava, Head, Education Initiative, NASSCOM, New Delhi 110024	Member		

The Registrar of the University is the ex-officio Secretary of the Academic Council but not a member. Two meetings of the Academic Council i.e. on 24.7.2010 and 13.2.2011 were held during the year.













THE BOARD OF STUDIES

The Boards of Studies are under constitution.

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee of the University has been constituted in terms of Section 24 read with Statute 17 of the 1st Statutes contained in the Second Schedule to the Central Universities Act 2009, and further authorization given by the Executive Council of the University vide Item No.1.21 of its 1st meeting held on 24.7.2010. It consists of the following members:

1.	Prof. Furqan Qamar, Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Himachal Pradesh	Chairman
2.	Prof. N. Satyamurthy, Director Indian Institute of Education & Research (IISER), Mohali, (Representative of the EC)	Member
3.	Shri Sayed Shahid Mahdi, (Former VC JMI), New Delhi (Nominee of the EC)	Member
4.	Dr.B.S. Gill, (Retired Deputy Comptroller & Auditor General of India), Panchkula (Nominee of the EC)	Member
5.	Shri R. D. Sahay, Director, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi – 110001. (Nominee of the Visitor)	Member
6.	Shri Naveen Soi, Director (Finance), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi – 110001. (Nominee of the Visitor)	Member
7.	Dr. S.C. Chadha , Deputy Secretary (CU), University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi –110001. (Nominee of the Visitor)	Member

The Finance Officer of the University is the ex-officio Secretary of the Finance Committee but not a Member. One meeting of the Finance Committee i.e. on 13.2.2011 was held during the year.



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MAJOR DEVELOPMENTAL ACTIVITIES DURING THE YEAR

IDENTIFICATION OF LAND FOR THE CAMPUSES OF THE UNIVERSITY:

The Central Site Selection Committee comprising Prof. D.P. Singh (Vice Chancellor, BHU), Shri Sunil Kumar (Additional Secretary, MHRD), Dr. Renu Batra (Joint Secretary, UGC) and Professor Furqan Qamar (Vice Chancellor, CUHP), inspected the land proposed by the State Government. Recommendations of Committee have already been accepted by the Government of India and the sites for the campuses of the University have already been identified.

Accordingly, the MHRD vide letter No.F.42-24/2009-Desk (U), dated 23rd April, 2010, "approved the establishment of Central University of Himachal Pradesh with its headquarters and temporary campus at Dharamshala and two distinct campuses on the sites offered by the Government of Himachal Pradesh in Dehra and Dharmashala in Kangra District. While the main campus of the University will be located at Dehra, the other campus at Dharmashala will have such of the Schools/ Departments which do not require massive infrastructure as recommended by the Committee. The State Government would ensure immediate handing over of the lands, free of any encumbrances, for the two campuses simultaneously after obtaining all approvals/ clearances from environmental angle. The temporary campus of the University would be started at Dharamshala from the building of the Regional Centre of Himachal Pradesh University (Law College) under construction or other suitable accommodation to be identified by the State Government in consultation with the Vice-Chancellor" and the State Government was requested to take immediate necessary action accordingly.



During the year, steps were taken for preparation of papers by the District Administration for the diversion and transfer of land to the Central University of Himachal Pradesh.

PROGRESS WITH REGARD TO THE TRANSFER OF LAND AND FCA CLEARANCE

The State Government of Himachal Pradesh has allotted 62-54-26 hectares of land at Dharamshala and 317-97-97 hectares of land at Dehra for the establishment of two campuses of the University.



The issues relating to the transfer of land were taken up with the State Government and were sorted out. The papers required for getting the clearance under the Forest Conservation Act (FCA clearance) were prepared and the Master Plan is also likely to be finalized very soon.

The Revenue Department has completed necessary paper work/documentation for the transfer of land for both the campuses. Boundary Pillars on the land allotted for Dharamshala site have already been got erected through the state PWD. As regards boundary pillars for the Dehra site, the matter is being pursued with the District administration. The Forest Department has completed the enumeration of trees and identification of land for compensatory afforestation for both the campuses. In order to facilitate and expedite the work, the University has engaged the services of a Consultant and had given sanction for the expenditure to be incurred on the enumeration of trees and preparation of proposals/documents for FCA clearance. Since the proposal for FCA clearance also required the Site Plan, Master Plan and geo-technical investigation and contour survey etc, the University has engaged EdCIL India Limited as consultant and the work has been completed.





The major bottleneck as to who shall sign the proposal for FCA clearance as the User Agency and consequently bear the expenses (amounting to approximately Rs. 60 Crores) with regard to FCA clearance (NPV of trees and cost of compensatory afforestation) have also been sorted out with the State Government. A few other critical issues regarding the land such as ensuring contiguity of land and ensuring that the land transferred is free



from any encumbrance have also been taken up with the State Government and are likely to be resolved shortly.

In view of the above, it is hoped that the Proposal for FCA Clearance, a pre-requisite for the transfer of land to the University for both the campuses, is likely to be done shortly. Hopeful that the FCA clearance would be received and the land would effectually be transferred, the University is proposing to appoint Project Management Consultant (PMC) and, thus, be ready with Plans for construction and development of the permanent campuses.

PROVIDING AND FIXING BOUNDARY PILLARS

The land so allotted was got demarcated from the Revenue and Forest Department authorities and cemented boundary pillars have been provided around the boundary of land at Dharamshala while the said work in respect of Dehra site is to be taken up later.

IDENTIFICATION OF EdCIL FOR UNDERTAKING GEO TECHNICAL SURVEY AND MASTER PLAN

The proposal for the FCA clearance required the University to submit its Master Plan for the two campuses. In order to get the Master Plan of the University prepared, the work regarding survey of the identified sites, geotechnical investigation, mapping of the vegetation and contour survey etc, zoning of the campuses and preparation of the Master Plan was assigned to the EdCIL India Limited, a Govt. of India undertaking. The Master Plan of the University is likely to be ready soon.

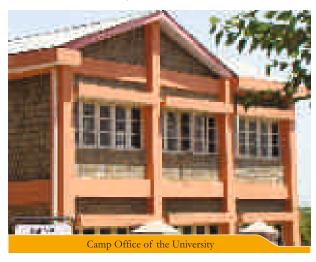
IDENTIFICATION OF RITES AS PROJECT MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT

The RITES Ltd. have been identified as the Project Management Consultants with Architect to be appointed by the RITES with University approval. The actual construction and development work of the University shall however be commenced only after the land has been transferred to the University after obtaining necessary Environmental and Forest Clearance.

PROGRESS WITH RESPECT TO TEMPORARY CAMPUS:

Camp Office of the University at Dharamshala:

Sanskriti Sadan, (Writers' Home) belonging to the Department of Art & Culture of the Government of Himachal Pradesh, was allotted, on rent basis, by the State Government to the Central University of Himachal Pradesh for the residence-cum-office of the Vice-Chancellor. As no other building could be made available for setting up office of the university in Dharamshala, the University has set up its camp office in this building.

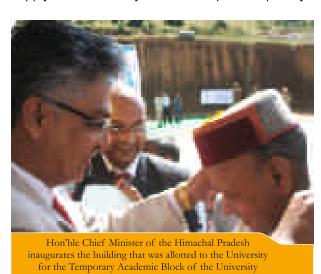




The University has developed a fully functional Camp Office in Dharamshala, District Kangra in the building temporarily allotted by the State Government. The Camp Office is fully functional with modular furniture and has such facilities as office of the Vice Chancellor, four chambers for senior officers of the University, fully-equipped Board Room for meetings etc, eight cubicles for office staff, store room, pantry and reception, 24 lines EPBAX, Multimedia Projector, Photocopier, 17 PCs, 10 MBPS Network connectivity with Local Area Network (LAN) and Wifi.

Temporary Academic Block at Shahpur:

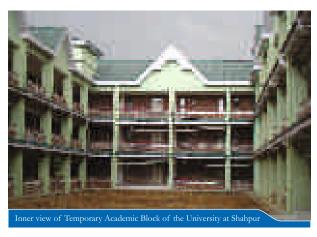
An institutional building (a new government college building at Shahpur, near Dharamshala) was allotted by the State Government for establishing temporary campus of the University. The notification in this regard was received and the University took over possession during the year. District Administration arranged for the water supply and electricity to the campus on priority



basis. Though located at a distance of 30 Kms or about 45 minutes from Dharamshala, the building is adequate and suitable for the programmes of studies proposed to be started from the academic session 2010-11. The University has setup a fully furnished teaching block at Shahpur District Kangra (approximately 30 Kms from the Camp Office of the University) in a newly constructed Government College Building temporarily allotted by the State Government. With a built-up area of over 80000 sq ft, the Temporary Academic Block has been furnished with modular furniture and has the following facilities:

Classrooms/Lecture Theatre

· six state of the art Classrooms with the



seating capacity of 45 each

- six state of the art Lecture Theatres with the seating capacity of 90 each
- One Room for Group Discussion, Projects, workshops etc with the seating capacity of 20 persons

Seminar Room/Conference Hall:

- One Conference Hall with the seating capacity of 200 persons
- One Seminar Hall with the seating capacity of 70 persons

Laboratories:

- Three Labs ready with basic civil infrastructure for Programmes of Studies in Sciences
- Information Technology Lab with provision for 41 consoles
- Digital Language Lab with the provision of 41 consoles

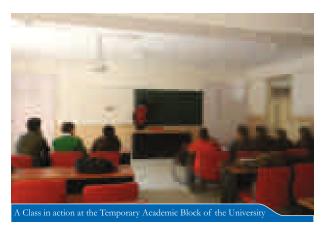
Office Space/Workstations/Counters:

- Three chambers and offices for the senior officers of the University
- Central office for the Temporary Academic Block comprising reception, cash



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counters, one cabin and six workstations for the staff

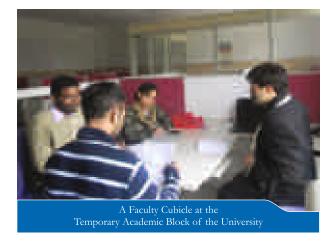
Strong Room for examination and other confidential records

Faculty Rooms/ Cubicles/ Workstation:

- Eight fully furnished cabins for Professor/ Head/ Deans
- Eight Workstations for Offices of the Schools/Departments
- Seventy two Workstations for Associate Professors/Assistant Professor

Library & Information Resource Centre (LIRC) with provisions for:

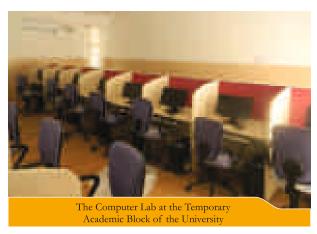
- 16 Terminals for electronic access to catalogue and e-resources
- Stacks for about 15000 Books
- Racks for periodicals/iournals
- Reading Room with seating capacity of about 40 persons at a time
- Lockers for about 100 persons
- Chamber for the Librarian
- Store Room
- Photocopying facility



- The University has already placed orders for the Software of University Libraries (SOUL) from the INFLIBNET;
- Also the INFLIBNET has been approached for e-resources/journals

Other Facilities:

- Facilities for purified drinking water
- Common photocopying facility for students and staff has been arranged by the University on outsource basis through a vendor on payment basis
- University is in the process of setting up a mini gym/activity rooms/playground with skeleton facilities for such games as badminton, volleyball and basketball
- University is also in the process of providing canteen facility through Nescafe outlet



• ICT Infrastructure:

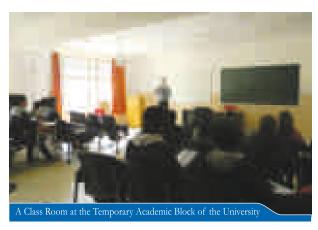
Internet Connectivity

- The Camp Office has 10 MBPS connectivity through Optical Fibre Cable (OFC) arranged through the INFLIBNET;
- The Temporary Academic Block (TAB) presently has Broadband connectivity taken through BSNL
- The University has been sanctioned 1 GBPS connectivity under the National Knowledge Network (NKN) - the Optic Fibre Cable (OFC) has already been laid down and the facility may become operational soon

LAN/Wifi

 The work for Local Area Network (LAN) and wifi connectivity throughout the





Temporary Academic Block is in progress - the University has constituted the Technical Infrastructure Committee to advise for best possible technical support

Communication Facility

- · Five landline telephone connection;
- 64 line EPBAX system is at the advanced stage of implementation

Computing Facility

 The University is in the process of acquiring 70 PCs for IT Lab, Teachers and office of the Temporary Academic Block -Of these 26 have already been received and the rest are likely to be received in a week. Installation is expected to be completed shortly.

Language Lab

 The University is in the process of issuing Expression of Interest (EOI) for setting up of a Digital Language Lab with 41 Consoles on turnkey basis.

◆ E-Governance Initiative

Online Receipt of Application form for Recruitment & Admission

 The University has already finalised arrangements for online receipt of application forms for recruitment and admissions.

ERP Initiative

 The University is presently actively working in the direction of implementation of total solution for Enterprise-wide Resource Planning for complete office automation and e-governance.

Temporary Residential Buildings:

The University will have to take on rent/hire/lease on short-term basis buildings for the residence of faculty, students and staff, including those for the statutory officers. The process for inviting Expression of Interest is to commence soon.

- Temporary Residence of the Vice-Chancellor: a residential building hired on rent as assessed by the state PWD and has been functionally furnished for the residence of the Vice-Chancellor.
- Temporary Hostels for Boys and Girls: The University had issued Expression of Interest for taking suitable buildings on rent to be used as hostels for boys and girls students of the University; the University is in the process of finalising the same.

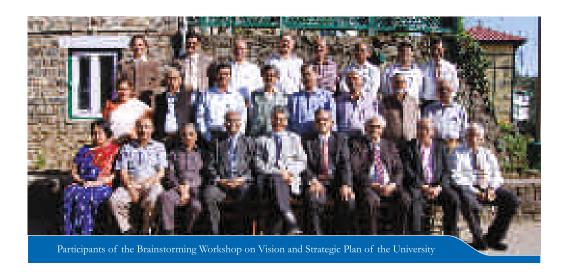


UNIVERSITY LOGO

In pursuance of the authorization given by the Academic Council vide item No.1. 14(iii) of its first meeting held on 10.07.2010 and the Executive Council of the University vide item No. 1.33 of its first meeting held on 24.07.2010, a competition was organised for designing the logo of the CUHP. Consequently, in all 120 entries, a committee was constituted to adjudge the entries and make recommendations for the selection of the logo of the university to the AC & EC. All the 120 entries were presented before this Committee both in multimedia presentation and printed form. Finally the Committee recommended unanimously that the Logo contributed by Mr. Akshay Khatri be selected but the contributor be asked to prepare modified multiple versions, incorporating symbol of glow, light or illumination in multiple copies in different colours, for different formats. He should also put the name of CUHP in Hindi Font on the logo. Accordingly the Log was modified.



VISION DOCUMENT AND STRATEGIC PLAN



University is ready with its Vision document detailing academic architecture, curricular framework, programme of studies, admission & fee policy, governance & administration, faculty & manpower requirements, campus layout, physical architecture, phasing and roll out plan. The vision document was thoroughly discussed in two-day

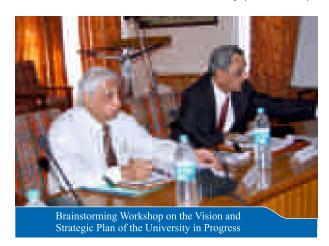
brainstorming session organised in Shimla with eminent educationists, educational planners & administrators and institution-builders as participants. The following persons of eminence participated and made their valuable contribution in the development of the Vision Document and Strategic Plan of the University:

Distinguished Participants of the Brainstorming Sessions on Vision of the University held on on 15-16th April 2010:

- 1. **Dr. B.S. Baswan**, Former Secretary, MHRD & Director, Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA)
- 2. Mr. Amitabha Bhattachary, Sr Consultant, Planning Commission
- 3. **Professor M. Anandakrishnan**, Former Vice Chancellor, Anna University; Chairman, IIT Kanpur; Chairman, Madras Institute of Development Studies (MIDS);
- 4. **Professor S. P. Thygarajan**, Former Vice Chancellor, Madras University
- 5. **Professor V. R. Mehta**, Former Vice Chancellor, Delhi University
- 6. **Professor K. B. Powar**, Former Vice Chancellor, Kolhapur University, Former Secretary General, Association of Indian Universities (AIU)
- 7. Mr. Syed Shahid Mahdi, Former Vice Chancellor, JMI and Vice Chairman, ICCR
- 8. **Professor G. D. Sharma**, Former Secretary, UGC, Former Professor NIEPA, Ex-Director, Consortium of Educational Communication (CEC)
- 9. **Professor A. M. Pathan**, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga, Karnataka
- 10. **Professor Jagdeep S Chhokar**, Former Professor, IIM Ahmedabad
- 11. Professor Pulin B. Nayak, Director, Delhi School of Economics, Delhi University
- 12. **Professor Aruna R. Grover**, Professor, School of Planning & Architecture
- 13. **Professor Syed Marghob Asharaf**, Former Professor, JMI
- 14. **Professor Sudhanshu Bhushan**, Professor, Department of Higher Education, NUEPA
- 15. **Professor Zahid H Khan**, Director Centre for Information Technology, JMI
- 16. **Professor Raju Chandrashekhar**, Former Professor & Advisor NITHM, Bangalore
- 17. **Professor Apoorvanand**, Department of Hindi, Delhi University, Consultant, Yashpal Committee on Renovation and Rejuvenation of Higher Education



- 18. **Professor Akhtarul Wasey**, Director, ZHIIS, JMI,
- 19. **Professor Tej Pratap**, Vice Chancellor, CSKV, Palampur
- 20. Professor Yogender S. Verma, HP University, Shimla
- 21. Professor Shashi K Dhiman, HP University, Shimla
- 22. Professor P. K. Ahluwalia, HP University, Shimla
- 23. **Dr. Renu Batra**, Joint Secretary, University Grants Commission (UGC)
- 24. Dr. Shrikant Baldi, Pr Secretary (Education), Himachal Govt.



Based on the suggestions and comments received during the brainstorming session, the document is being revised. The revised document as approved by the Academic Council and Executive Council of the University was submitted to the UGC/ MHRD. The Vision Document and Strategic Plan as developed and approved by the University encompassed the following aspects of the University:

- Vision, Mission, Objectives & SWOT Analysis (Genesis, Location, Territorial jurisdiction, Vision, Mission, Objectives, Salient Features, Action Plan and SWOT Analysis)
- 2. Academic Architecture of the CUHP (Academic Organisation, Schools, Departments and Centres of Studies)
- 3. Curricular Framework & Programme of Studies (Curricular Framework comprising Guiding Principles, Learner-Centred Approach, Holistic Approach to Higher Education, Focus on In-depth-Learning, Linked to Research & Scholarship, Based on Feedback, Evaluation & Review, Choice-Based-Credit System, Based on Total Learning Outcome (TLO), Evaluation based on Total Students Efforts (TSE), Assignment of Credits, Course Catalogue, Detailed Course Outline; Programme of Studies comprising Standard UG/PG/RD Programmes,

Innovative Multidisciplinary, Modular Programmes, Innovative UG Programme, Innovative PG Programme, Innovative RD Programme, Computation of Credits for Publication Works, Computation of Credits for Teaching Assistantships, Examination, Assessment & Evaluation, Grading System, Award of Degrees

- General Policies Pertaining to Admission, Fee, Governance & Administration (Admission Policy- Talent Search, Full-time and Part-time Programmes, Fee Policy & Fee Structure, Governance & Administration, ICT, IT Integration & ERP, Outreach Programme & Community Networking)
- Faculty & Manpower Planning (Faculty Requirements, Strategies for attracting Quality Faculty, Administrative, Non-teaching and Support Staff)
- Physical Architecture (Guiding Principles, Zoning & Campus Layout, Physical Infrastructure)
- 7. Financial Implications, Phasing & Roll Out Plan (Gross Financial Requirements for Capital Investment, Phasing & Roll Out Plan, Possibility of PPP in Infrastructure Development, Gross Annual Recurring Expenses, Annual Outflow of Recurring Expenses, Cost Recovery & Other Sources of Income, Strategies for Development)



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FRAMING OF STATUTES AND ORDINANCES

ADDITION OF THE STATUTES

The University took painstaking steps of framing the required Statutes for the smooth functioning of the University. It is long-drawn process and requires meticulous work. However, during the year, the University was able to draft several Statutes and obtain approval of the Visitor. So far, the following Statutes were added to the Statutes of the University, with the approval of the Academic Council and Executive Council and after getting the assent of the Visitor of the University:

- I. Statutes 16(4) regarding appointments of Heads of Departments
- ii. Statutes 16(5) regarding appointments of Directors of Centres
- iii. Statutes 40 regarding Establishment of Schools, Departments and Centres of Studies
- iv. Statutes 41 regarding Constitution of Planning and Monitoring Board
- v. Statutes 42 regarding Appointment of Dean of Students' Welfare as an Officer of the University

PREPARATION OF ORDINANCES

The Central Universities Act 2009 read with the first Statutes requires the University to draft its first Ordinances for all matters for which the Act and the Statutes mandate framing of the Ordinances. Framing of the Ordinances was an arduous task, particularly because the University had envisioned to become innovative in its academic programmes, curricular framework, examination system etc. However, in a short span of time, the following Ordinances were framed and notified with the approval of the Academic Council and Executive Council:

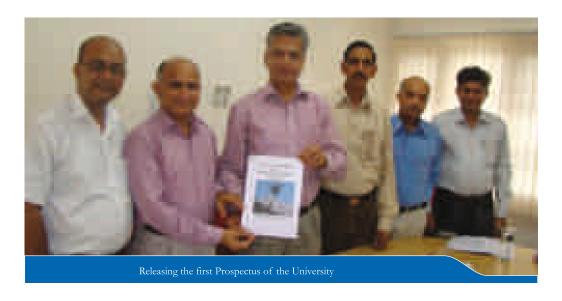
Ordinance No.	Title
1	Assignment of Departments and Centres to Schools of Studies
2	Admission of students to the University
3	Appointment, Functions, Duties and Responsibilities of the Dean
4	Constitution of the Board of Studies, Terms of Office of its Members and its Powers and Functions
5	Functions & Duties of the Heads of the Departments
6	Functions & Duties of the Directors of the Centres
7	Functions and Responsibilities of the Dean Students' Welfare (DSW)
8	Emoluments, Terms and Conditions of Service of the Vice- Chancellor
9	Emoluments and Terms and Conditions of Service of the Pro-Vice-Chancellor
10	Emoluments, Terms & Conditions of Service, Functions, Responsibilities of the Registrar
11	Emoluments and Terms & Conditions of Service of The Finance Officer
12	Emoluments and Terms & Conditions of Service of The Controller of Examinations



Ordinance No.	Title				
13	Emoluments and Terms & Conditions of Service of the Librarian				
14	Terms and Conditions of Service and Code of Conduct for Teachers and other Academic Staff				
15	Leave Rules for the Teaching Staff				
16	Procedure/Norms to be followed by The Selection Committee for Appointment to the Posts of Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor and other Academic Staff				
17	Conditions of Residence of the Students and Functions, Duties, Responsibilities and Procedure of Appointment of Provost & Wardens of the University				
18	Maintenance of Discipline and Procedure for Appointment, Functions, Duties and Responsibilities of the Proctor of the University				
19	University Building Committee				
20	University Library Committee				
21	Sensitization, Prevention and Redressal of Sexual Harassment (SPARSH)				
22	Constitution, Powers and Functions of the School Board				
23	Traveling and Halting Allowance Rules				
24	Cadre Recruitment Rules including Manner of Appointment and Emoluments of Employees other than Teachers and other Academic Staff				
25	The Alumni Association				
26	Games and Sports Committee				
27	Procedure for Co-operation and Collaboration with other Universities, Institution and other Agencies including Learned Bodies or Associations				
28	Employees and Students' Grievances Redressal Committee				
29	Standing Committee on Equivalence for Recognition of Examinations/Degrees				
30	Medium of Instruction, Examination, Evaluation and Grading System for Programmes of Studies other than the Research Degree Programme				
31	Curricular Framework, Programme of Studies and Conditions for Award of Degrees, Diplomas and Certificates				
32	Fees and other charges payable by students of the University				
33	Transfer of Credit				



CURRICULAR FRAMEWORK



ADMISSION BASED ON SINGLE COMMON ENTRANCETEST

The University has introduced aptitude-based common entrance examination for admission in all its Programmes of Studies. Candidates seeking admission in the University are required to fill up only a single admission form indicating their preference of Programmes of Studies and are required to take only one entrance examination. Accordingly, the University has introduced:

- a. HEAT (Higher Education Aptitude Test)
 as a single common entrance test for admission in undergraduate programmes across all disciplines;
- FEAT (Further Education Aptitude Test)
 as a single common entrance test for admission in postgraduate programmes across all disciplines;
- TREAT (The Research Entrance Aptitude Test) as a single common entrance test for admission to MPhil/PhD programmes across all disciplines;

INNOVATIVE PROGRAMMES & CURRICULAR FRAMEWORK

Guided by the reforms agenda in higher education and learning from the experiences of the best universities of the world, the University has introduced a number of innovations, as detailed below:

Semester-based Academic Calendar in all academic programmes of the University –

Undergraduate (UG), Post Graduate (PG) and MPhil/PhD i.e. Research Degrees (RD) - are based on semester system, designed at par with global practices in terms of effective number of teaching days and teaching-learning inputs.

Programmes based on Comprehensive Choice Based Credit System: The University has introduced Comprehensive Choice Based Credit System (CCBCS) largely on the lines of the best universities of the world.

Programmes of Studies are defined in terms of Credits: As opposed to papers/courses in the conventional system), a student is required to accumulate:

- a. 120 UG Credits to earn a UG degree
- b. 80 PG Credits to earn a PG degree
- c. 60 RD Credits to earn an MPhil degree
- d. 120 RD Credits to earn a PhD degree.

Students Mobility and Credit Transfer: The University has designed a framework to facilitate credit accumulation by its students from other recognised universities of India and abroad. The university has developed a structured mechanism to work out the equivalence and accept the transfer of credits earned by its students from other universities as per the relevant Ordinance of the Central University of Himachal Pradesh.

Students to accumulate required number of credits from across disciplines: The interdisciplinary approach in the selection of courses is followed with 70 per cent courses from the department and 30 per cent from other



schools/departments of the university. In case of School of Business and Management Sciences, students would offer 30 percent courses University wide; 40 percent School wide and 30 percent department wide.

Innovative approach in designing Programmes of Studies: Department of Studies would not design Programmes of Studies as such. Instead, they would just (a) design and offer courses, based on the expertise and specialisation of their faculty members; (b) specify pre-requisite and corequisites for each course offered; and (c) guide the students to make their own basket of courses to accumulate the required credits to complete their Programme of Studies. Thus, the focus is on 'learner-centred approach (as opposed to the conventional 'teacher-centred approach') to accommodate learner's needs and expectations to have wider choices in content, mode and pace of learning.

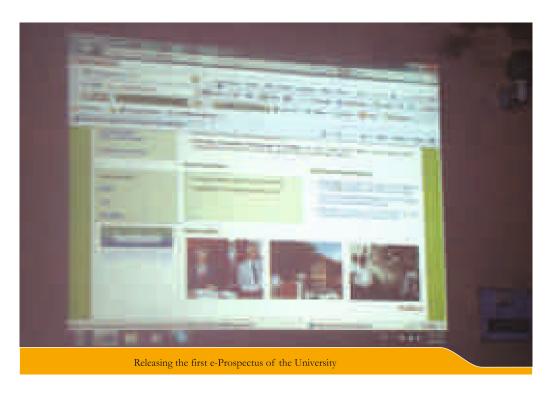
Computation of Credits based on a Holistic Approach to Learning: In the Central University of Himachal Pradesh, one credit is defined as equivalent to the Total Student's Efforts (TSE) of 30 Hours comprising: (a) 10 hours of lectures/ organised classroom activity/contact hours; (b) 5 hours of laboratory work/ practical/field work/tutorials/teacher-led activities; and (c) 15 hours of other workload such as independent individual/ group work; obligatory/ optional work placement; literature survey/ library work; data

collection/ field work; writing of papers/ projects/dissertation/thesis; seminars, etc. Thus, the focus is on in-depth learning driven by intrinsic curiosity and mastery of the subject by balancing the taught content with independently self-directed learning.

All Programmes of Studies to be Modular: All Programmes of Studies in the university are designed as modular with exit and lateral entry option. While most students may want to complete their UG/PG/RD without any break, some may opt out of the Programme of Studies mid way due to their own personal compelling reasons. The University, therefore, provides a structured framework for students to opt out mid-programme, whereby, depending on the extent of time spent on campus and credits accumulated by them, they will be awarded certificate/diploma/advanced diploma. For instance, if any student wants to guit studies after two semesters, he/she can do so and would be awarded an appropriate Certificate/ Diploma/ Advanced Diploma and can rejoin his/her studies from this point within two years again. Thus:

A student admitted to UG Programme may get:

- a. Certificate (if opts out after 2 Semesters with 40 UG Credits);
- b. Diploma (if opts out after 4 Semesters with 80 UG Credits); or
- c. Bachelor's Degree (if stays on to complete full 6 semesters with 120 UG Credits).





A student admitted to PG Programme may be conferred:

- a. Advanced Diploma (if opts out after 2 semesters with 40 PG credits); or
- b. Master Degree (if stays on for full 4 semesters with 80 PG credits).

Those who, thus opt out, would be eligible to join laterally to complete and earn their degree, if they return to the university within the next two years.

All Programmes of Studies to be Multi-disciplinary/Inter-disciplinary: While Departments of Studies of the University are designed around basic disciplines (to enable faculty members to continue to focus on their specialised areas of research) each Programme of Studies of the university is multi-disciplinary as the student is empowered to accumulate required number of credits from a wide variety of courses offered though out the university (e.g. a student will be entitled to learn mathematics with music, physics with philosophy, technical courses with humanities and so on). Accordingly:

- a. At PG level, a student would be required to accumulate:
 - 70% Credits through Department wide courses
 - 30% Credits through University wide courses
- b. In case of PG Programmes offered by the School of Business and Management Sciences, a student would be required to accumulate:
 - 30% Credits through Department wide courses
 - 40% Credits through School wide courses,
 - 30% Credits through University wide courses

All Programmes to be based on Comprehensive Continuous Internal Assessment: Students in all Programmes of Studies across disciplines and at all levels shall be assessed through comprehensive continuous internal assessment based on quizzes, assignments, independent works, group works, mid-terms and end-semester examination. As a general principle, the Comprehensive Continuous Internal Assessment shall comprise the following components:

b. Mid Term Examination 25%

c. End – Semester Examination 50%

All Programmes of Studies to have Grading System: The University shall have grading system based on Six (6) point scale of evaluation of the performances of students in terms of marks, grade points, letter grade and class. The total performance of a student within a semester and continuous performance from the second semester onwards shall be indicated by the (a) Grade Point Average (GPA); (b) Weighted Average Marks (WAM); (c) Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA); and (d) Overall Weighted Percentage Marks (OWPM).

Innovative Research Degree Programmes: The University has rigorous full time Research Degree (RD) Programmes that aim at honing the research skills, grooming teaching abilities, producing quality research publications and proactive participation in seminars and conferences. Accordingly, the award of RD requires a student to accumulate credits through course work, teaching assistantship, published work and dissertation/thesis. The duration and credit requirements for MPhil and PhD Programmes are as under:

a) For MPhil: For successful completion of the RD Programme leading to the award of the MPhil degree, a student shall be required to accumulate a total of 60 RD Credits as under:

i) Course Work: 20 Credits
 ii) Dissertation: 20 Credits
 iii) Publications: 10 Credits
 iv) Teaching Assistantships: 10 Credits

b) For PhD: For successful completion of the RD Programme leading to the award of the PhD degree, a student shall be required to accumulate a total of 120 RD Credits as under:

i) Course Work: 20 Creditsii) Dissertation: 60 Credits

iii) Publications: 20 Credits

iv) Teaching Assistantships: 20 Credits

c) A candidate admitted to the Research Degree (RD) Programme is required to complete the prescribed course work in the first two Semesters of his/her admission. Notwithstanding the maximum prescribed duration of the Research Degree Programme, if a candidate fails to complete the prescribed course work in two semesters, his/her admission shall be cancelled and his/her name shall be removed from the rolls of the University. Provided further that no candidate admitted to the Research



- Degree Programme shall be permitted to proceed with the Dissertation work till such time he/she completes the prescribed course work.
- d) Immediately upon the completion of formalities for admission in the Research Degree Programme, each candidate is required to submit in writing, on the prescribed format, as to whether he/she wishes to pursue for the MPhil or the PhD Degree.
- e) In case a candidate admitted to the Research Degree Programme holds MPhil degree from this University or other Universities, the Credit requirements for course work, publication and teaching assistantship may be adjusted accordingly. Such candidates will, however, be required to complete the full 60 RD Credits for dissertation work along with the balance of the credits for the course work, publication work and teaching assistantship.
- f) Computation of Credits for Publication Work: Computation of Credits for Published Work for MPhil and PhD degree is to be made as under:
 - i) 2 credits for each popular article published/ paper presented in national seminars/ conferences/ workshops

- ii) 4 credits for each paper presented in international seminars/ conferences/ workshops
- iii) 5 credits for each Paper in approved refereed national journal
- iv) 10 credits for each Paper in approved refereed international journal
- v) Each Department/Centre registering candidates for RD Programme shall be required to maintain an updated list of approved journals for publication
- g) Computation of Credits for Teaching Assistantships: Computation of credits for Teaching Assistantships for the MPhil and PhD degree is to be made as under:
 - i) 10 credits for Independent Teaching of a one-semester course of two credits;
 - 5 credits for working for shared teaching of a one-semester course of two credits;
 - iii) 1 credit for every 3 Hours of involvement in assessment, evaluation, examination, course development, development of reading lists etc. (supervisor concerned to audit the workload claimed under this category and certify)





PROGRAMMES OF STUDIES, STUDENTS INTAKE AND PROFILE OF STUDENTS

PROGRAMMES LAUNCHED

During the Academic Year 2010-11, the University launched the following academic Programmes:

Name of the School/Academic Programmes		
Sch	ool of Business and Management Sciences	
l)	MBA	30
ii)	MBA (Insurance & Financial Services)	30
iii)	MBA (Entrepreneurship Development)	30
iv)	MPhil/PhD	30
School of Mathematics, Computer & Information Science		
i)	MLib(Integrated dual degree programme)	30
ii)	MPhil/PhD in Library Science	10
iii)	MPhil/PhD in Mathematics	10
Sch	ool of Social Sciences	
l)	MSW	30
ii)	MPhil/PhD in Social Work	10
iii)	MA in Economics	30
iv)	MPhil/PhD in Economics	10
School of Humanities & Languages		
	MPhil/PhD in English	10

Note:

- 1. Admission to all PG Programmes were completed and the teaching for 1st Semester commenced on 18th October, 2010.
- 2. Admission to Research Degree (RD) Programmes i.e. MPhil/PhD was completed by 12th February and Teaching for Course Work commenced w.e.f 14th February 2011.
- 3. In order to make up for the lost time, the University curtailed the winter and summer vacations so that the academic session could be completed by 15th July 2011

RESPONSE OF THE APPLICANTS:

Against the 180 seats in PG programme, a total of 1741 candidates applied out of which 140 were admitted. For Research Degree Programme the University received more than 450 application for the 80 advertised seats, which were later restricted to 56 seats keeping in view the availability of faculty.

Name of the School / Department (Course)		Approved Intake	Number Applied@	Number Admitted
School of Business & Management Sciences				
a.	MBA	30	385	30
b.	MBA (Entrepreneurship Development)	30	338	30
c.	MBA (Insurance & Financial Services)	30	353	30
d.	MPhil/PhD	30	219 [#]	12*



School o	School of Social Sciences				
Department of Social Work					
a.	MSW	30	237	24	
b.	MPhil/PhD	10	29#	01*	
<u>Departme</u>	ent of Economics				
a.	MA (Economics)	30	205	11	
b.	MPhil/PhD	10	22#	02*	
School o	School of Mathematics, Computer & Information Sciences				
Department of Library Science					
a.	M.Lib. Sc. (Integrated Dual Degree Programme)	30	223	15	
b.	MPhil/PhD	10	46#	00*	
Department of Mathematics					
a.	MPhil/PhD	10	66 [#]	3*	
School of Humanities & Languages					
Departme	Department of English & Foreign Languages				
a.	MPhil/PhD	10	73#	5*	

- @ Details of Applications for the PG Programmes: The University had designed a single application form for admission in all Programmes of Studies at a particular level, thereby saving the applicants trouble of filling up multiple application forms. The candidates were required to indicate their choices in order of preference.
- In PG Programmes, 431 candidates applied, of which 422 called for GD/PI and 328 appeared for the GD/PI;
- In Research Degree (RD) Programmes, 455 candidates applied, of which 264 candidates took TREAT and 78 appeared for Personal Interview.

Details of applications for RD programme:

- Business & Management Sciences: 134 appeared in TREAT; 46 appeared for Personal interview
- English & Foreign Languages: 46 appeared in TREAT; 13 appeared for Personal interview
- Social Work: 12 appeared in TREAT; 02 appeared for Personal interview
- Economics: 11 appeared in TREAT; 5 appeared for Personal interview
- Library Sciences: 19 appeared in TREAT; 01 appeared for Personal interview
- Mathematics: 42 appeared in TREAT; 11 appeared for Personal interview

- Business & Management Sciences: 16; English & Foreign Languages: 8; Social Work: 8
- Economics: 8; Library Sciences: Nil; Mathematics: 16

^{*} Details of Admission in RD Programme: Number indicates candidates short-listed for admission on the basis of composite scores based on past academic performance, merit in The Research Entrance Aptitude Test (TREAT) and Personal Interview. Programme commencing from 14th February 2011. The intake has been restricted to the following in view of the number of faculty qualified to supervise Research Programme available as on date.



PROFILE OF THE STUDENTS ADMITTED TO THE PG PROGRAMME:

	OVERALL ANALYSIS					
SI No	Name of the Programmes	Annual Intake	Applicants	Applicants per seat	Number Admitted	
1	MA (Economics)	30	205	7	11	
2	MBA	30	385	13	30	
3	MBA (Entrepreneurship Development)	30	338	11	30	
4	MBA (Insurance & Financial Services)	30	353	12	30	
5	M. Lib. I. Sc.	30	223	7	15	
6	MSW	30	237	8	24	
	Total	180	1741	10	140	

STATE WISE DISTRIBUTION OF APPLICATIONS AND ADMISSION												
State	MA	A(E)	М	ВА	MB	A(ED)	МВ	A(IFS)	M	ILIB	М	SW
	Applied	Admitted										
Andhra	3		4	1	3		3		2		5	
Assam			1		1							
Bihar	4		12	1	9	1	11		4		3	
Delhi	9	1	13		13		13	1	10	1	9	1
Haryana	1		2	1	2		1		1		2	1
Himachal	165	7	316	24	278	26	288	25	184	14	196	22
Jammu & Kashmir	5	1	4		4		4	1	4		3	
Jharkhand	1	1	2		2		2		1		1	
Kerala	1		1				1		1		1	
MP			2		2		1					
Punjab	2		3	1	2		3	1	1		1	
Rajasthan	2		4		2		3		2		2	
UP	11	1	20	2	19	3	22		12		13	
Uttarakhand	1		1		1		1	2	1		1	
Total	205	11	385	30	338	30	353	30	223	15	237	24



PROGRAMME WISE ANALYSIS

MA (ECONOMICS)									
	Intake Number Applied	Seat to Application	Number Admitted	Composite Score					
			Ratio		Maximum	Minimum			
By Category:	By Category:								
General	15	149	10	10	66.85	49.28			
OBC	8	27	3	1	52.00	52.00			
SC	5	13	3						
ST	2	16	8						
Total	30	205	7	11	66.85	49.28			
By Gender	•								
Female		66		5	53.29	49.28			
Male		139		6	66.85	52.46			
By Region									
From Himachal		165		7	61.40	49.28			
Outside Himachal		40		4	66.85	52.46			

MBA								
	Intake	Number		Number	Composite Score			
		Applied	Application Ratio	Admitted	Maximum	Minimum		
By Category								
General	15	267	18	17	78.33	71.04		
OBC	8	55	7	6	71.45	61.42		
SC	5	42	8	5	72.12	57.27		
ST	2	21	11	2	64.44	63.39		
Total	30	385	13	30	78.33	57.27		
By Gender								
Female		113		10	77.14	64.44		
Male		272		20	78.33	57.27		
By Region								
From Himachal		316		24	77.40	57.27		
Outside Himachal		69		6	78.33	61.42		



PROGRAMME WISE ANALYSIS

MBA (ED)								
	Intake	Number	Seat to	Number	Composite Score			
		Applied	Application Ratio	Admitted	Maximum	Minimum		
By Category:	•							
General	15	236	16	15	74.68	65.74		
OBC	8	48	6	8	60.62	53.10		
PH	1	1	1					
SC	5	35	7	5	61.54	51.00		
ST	2	18	9	2	59.85	56.50		
Total	31	338	11	30	74.68	51.00		
By Gender								
Female		97		11	70.50	52.40		
Male		241		19	74.68	51.00		
By Region								
From Himachal		278		26	74.68	51.00		
Outside Himachal		60		4	66.88	55.58		

MBA (IFS)								
	Intake Numbe		Seat to	Number	Composite Score			
		Applied	Application Ratio	Admitted	Maximum	Minimum		
By Category:								
General	15	249	17	18	79.60	52.34		
OBC	8	47	6	4	60.35	54.06		
SC	5	38	8	6	70.93	53.40		
ST	2	19	10	2	59.38	58.80		
Total	30	353	12	30	79.60	52.34		
By Gender								
Female		100		12	79.60	52.34		
Male		253		18	76.42	53.40		
By Region								
From Himachal		288		25	79.60	52.34		
Outside Himachal		65		5	76.42	54.53		



PROGRAMME WISE ANALYSIS

M. LIB. I. SC.								
	Intake		Seat to	Number	Composite Score			
		Applied	Application Ratio	Admitted	Maximum	Minimum		
By Category:								
General	15	158	11	11	63.20	51.83		
OBC	8	29	4	1	48.28	48.28		
SC	5	20	4	1	49.88	49.88		
ST	2	16	8	2	56.82	44.40		
Total	30	223	7	15	63.20	44.40		
By Gender								
Female		70		6	60.78	51.83		
Male		153		9	63.20	44.40		
By Region								
From Himachal		184		14	63.20	44.40		
Outside Himachal		39		1	60.24	60.24		

MSW								
	Intake	Number	Seat to Application Ratio	Number	Composite Score			
		Applied		Admitted	Maximum	Minimum		
By Category:								
General	15	166	11	20	72.08	51.88		
OBC	8	32	4	2	60.50	51.00		
sc	5	22	4	1	50.40	50.40		
ST	2	17	9	1	52.77	52.77		
Total	30	237	8	24	72.08	50.40		
By Gender								
Female		69		11	72.08	58.14		
Male		168		13	65.04	50.40		
By Region								
From Himachal		196		22	72.08	50.40		
Outside Himachal		41		2	68.20	64.08		



RECRUITMENTS AND APPOINTMENTS

STATUTORY OFFICERS

The positions of first Registrar and first Finance Officer were advertised, interviews held and selections were made. Since then these positions have been filled up. Besides three Professors were appointed on deputation who have been designated as the Deans of the Schools.

TEACHING FACULTY

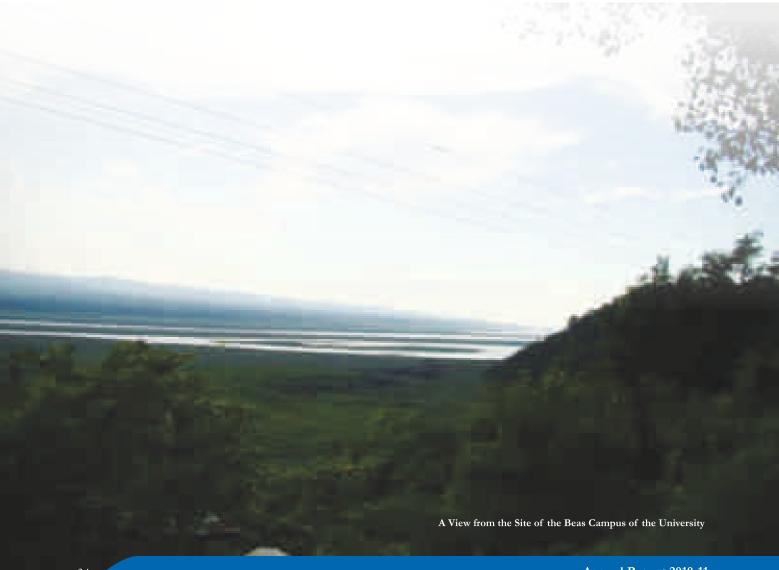
48 faculty positions were created with the approval of the Academic Council and Executive Council and with the concurrence of the University Grants Commission. Besides making appointments of four Professors on deputation, 13 faculty members were appointed on contract basis. All the created posts have since been advertised.

ACADEMIC AND NON-TEACHING STAFF

51 positions of academic and non-teaching were created with the approval of the Academic Council and Executive Council and concurrence of the University Grants Commission, besides the Registrar, Finance Officer and Controller of Examination, which are the statutory positions. Besides making appointments of first Registrar and Finance Officer, 11 non-teaching appointments were made on deputation and short term contract basis. All the created posts were advertised.

OUTSOURCING OF SERVICES

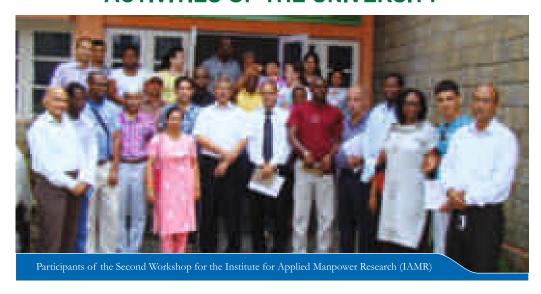
The University Grants Commission approved up to 50 persons for support service through outsourcing against which 35 persons were engaged during the year.



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CURRICULAR AND CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY



- The University organized 5-day Management Development Programme from June, 16-20 June, 2010 in collaboration with Society for Education and Economic Development (SEED), and Institute of Manpower Planning and Research, New Delhi. In this programme, 50 participants from 28 nationalities participated. Professor Furgan Qamar, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Himachal Pradesh inaugurated this programme. Other eminent experts like Prof. G.D. Sharma, former Secretary, UGC; Prof. M. M. Pant, former PVC, IGNOU; Dr. T. S. Shaikh, former Executive Director, National Institute of Aviation Management and Research and Prof. Yoginder Verma, Officer on Special Duty (OSD), Central University of Himachal Pradesh interacted with the participants.
- Central University of Himachal Pradesh in collaboration with the Society for Education and Economic Development, New Delhi organized a 3-day (4-8 August, 2010) Workshop on Strategic Human Resources Management and Development in a Globally Competitive World for participants from 18 nationalities undergoing Diploma programme in Human Resource Planning and Management at Institute of Applied Manpower Research, New Delhi - a Planning Commission of India's autonomous body. Professor Furgan Qamar, Vice Chancellor, Himachal Pradesh Central University interacted and gave valedictory address in the programme. Shri R.S. Gupta,

- Dy. Commissioner, Kangra inaugurated the programme. Dr. Yoginder Verma, OSD with the support of Ms. K. Vijaylakshmi from SEED conducted this programme and delivered lectures to participants. Dr. Arvind Agrawal, OSD (Academic) also delivered a lecture & interacted with the participants.
- On 18th October 2010, the University held Orientation Programme for the the first session of CUHP. The Orientation Programme was addressed by Prof. Arvind Agrawal, Dean & OSD (Academic) & Prof. Y. S. Verma, Dean & OSD (Administration). On 20th October 2010, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor addressed the students and the faculty. Mr. Akshai Runchal, CEO, Analytic & Computational Research, Inc. was the Guest of Honour.
- On 19th December 2010, the candidates from different parts of country appeared in the TREAT (The Research Entrance Aptitude Test). A total of 264 candidates appeared in this preliminary test for admission in M.Phil and PhD programmes.
- The Central University of Himachal Pradesh organized its First Foundation Day Celebrations from 15th January to 20th January 2011, under the banner of "NUQOOSH". Competitions like Essay Writing, Declamation, Quiz, Dream Project, Face Painting, Skit, Rangoli and various cultural events were held. Mr A. G. Gururajamurthy (GM, Canara Bank) was the Guest of Honour for the Finale on 20th January, 2011. A tour to Indrunag was





organized on 15th January 2011 to inaugurate the first Foundation Day Celebrations "NUQOOSH-2011" of the University.

- Republic day was celebrated at the camp office in Dharamshala on 26th January 2011. The event was initiated with the flag hoisting ceremony by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, followed by National Anthem. The Vice Chancellor delivered an inspiring speech on the occasion.
- Prof. Harbhajan Singh Soch, former Vice-Chancellor of Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar visited the campus on 31st January 2011. Prof. Soch interacted with students and highlighted the value of education.
- From 3rd March to 9th March 2011, Prof. Harish Narang from JNU delivered special lectures to all the students of CUHP and held a workshop on 'Academic Writing'. He discussed

preparation and organization of a proposal/concept note for organizing seminars/conferences. He delivered lectures on 'Post-colonialism and Literary Studies in India'; sketching a mind-map; preparing an abstract for a scholarly paper; report writing; and preparing a synopsis of a research article.

- A Team from Art of Living held a workshop on Youth Empowerment, Personality Development & Importance of Yoga on 10th March 2011. The guests talked about the benefits of meditation.
- A workshop on Stress Management was organised by the students of the University on 22nd March 2011.



 The University organised meetings of the Curriculum Development Committees to frame the Curricula and syllabi of various programmes of studies of the University.









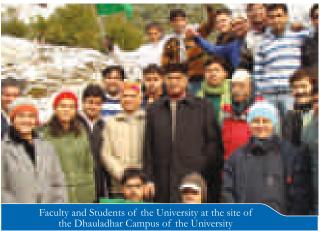


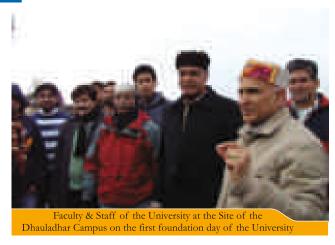












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ACTIVITIES OF THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

The School of Business and Management Sciences runs two Programmes of Studies i.e., Masters of Business Administration and Research Degree (M.Phil./PhD) Programme. The School offers three Post Graduate Management Programmes of Studies viz. MBA, MBA (Insurance & Financial Services) and MBA (Entrepreneurial Development) and Research Degree Programme in Management. Currently, the School has three departments working; Accounting & Finance, HRM & Organisational Behaviour, and Marketing & Supply Chain Management; and Centre for Entrepreneurship development.

PARTICIPATION OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS IN THE SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, SPECIAL LECTURES, RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & AWARD:

- 1) Professor Yoginder S. Verma:
- a) Coordinated 5-day Management Development Programme from June, 16-20 June, 2010 in collaboration with Society for Education and Economic Development (SEED), and Institute of Manpower Planning and Research, New Delhi. In this programme, 50 participants from 28 nationalities participated. Delivered two talks on global human resource management and leadership.
- b) Acted as coordinator in a training programme organised by Society for Education and Economic Development, New Delhi in collaboration with Central University of Himachal Pradesh in organizing 3-day (4-8 August, 2010) Workshop on Strategic Human Resources Management and Development in a Globally Competitive World. 18 nationalities participated in this programme.
- c) Delivered lecture on Stress Management to the students of Government College of Teacher Education, September 2010.
- d) was bestowed Management Excellence Award-2010 on 5th September, 2010 by the Punjab Commerce and Management Association recognized Academic and Research contribution in the field of Management by bestowing.
- e) was conferred by DAV Institutions the Life Time

- Achievement Award 2011 for contribution in the field of Teacher Development and Research, February 2011.
- f) Delivered keynote address in training programme on 15th to 17th December, 2010 on the theme of Administrative and Academic Initiatives for senior faculty members organized by Academic Staff College of Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.
- g) was the Key speaker in UGC sponsored National Conference on Corporate Social Responsibility- Transforming business to corporate citizen organized by Hindu Kanya College, Kapurthala on 5th & 6th February, 2011.
- h) was Chief Guest at UGC sponsored International Conference on India in the emerging order organized by DAV College Malout on 26th February, 2011.
- Served as a Member of UGC-Expert Committee which assessed the competence of Vellore Institution of Technology University, Tamil Nadu to start off-campus on 9th & 10th September, 2010.
- j) Served as UGC nominee on e-Management Advisory Committee of Devi Ahilya Vishavidyalya Indore 2010 onward.
- k) Served as UGC nominee on Advisory Committee of SAP (DRS-II) of Haryana School of Business, Guru Jambeshwar University of Science and Technology, Hisar.
- Acted as Resource Person in three UGCorientation programmes organized by Academic Staff College, Punjabi University Patiala on 09.02.2010 & 10.01.2011.
- m) Delivered lecture on Excellence in Teaching in Orientation Programme organized by Academic Staff College, Guru Nanak Dev University Amritsar on 5th March, 2011.
- n) Participated in workshop organized by Nation Knowledge Network New Delhi on 25.03.2011.
- o) Published a paper entitled Ethical Dimension of Corporate Governance in Neoliberal Era "In Amity Global Business Review" Vol-VI No. 1, February, 2011.
- p) Served as Member of NAAC Peer Team which



assessed and accredited, Jamia Hamdard University, New Delhi, 20th October to 23rd October 2010.

2) Ashish Nag:

- a) published a paper entitled "Role of tax planning in banks with special reference to ICICI bank", Journal of SDCC Chandigarh, 2010.
- b) Presented paper in National seminar entitled "Internet Services of BSNL-A Study of Capital of Himachal Pradesh" UGC Sponsored, School of Management Studies, Punjabi University Patiala, 2010.

EVENTS/ ACTIVITIES ORGANISED BY THE SCHOOL:

- On 15th November 2010, Prof. D. K. Agrawal from IIM, Shillong delivered a lecture to the students of the university on the different marketing techniques that are prevailing in present corporate world.
- On 7th December 2010, Prof. Geeta Shah and Prof. Nishar Sheikh from USA, delivered a lecture on 'Value Based Education in Indian Universities.' They also planted saplings in the university campus.
- On 25th February 2011, Ms. Ellora Rath, Asstt.

- Manager (HR) and Mr. Sanjeev Ganju, Chief Manager (Operation Department) from the Escort Ltd- Agri Machinery Group based at Faridabad, interacted with the students. Ms. Rath focused on the work culture of the corporate world.
- Mr G.C Sharma, Head, Financial Education, Schools and Universities, N.S.E India, delivered a lecture on "Career in Financial Market" on 28 February 2011. He explained how the NSE works and how one can invest. He gave a brief idea about the course which the NSE may offer in the University.
- A collage show was organized on 22nd November 2010. Topics for collage were Time Management, Human Values and Ethics and Leadership. Students successfully depicted different social problems like corruption and female feticide, inequality and injustice.
- The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor delivered a lecture on 29th November 2010 on "Employability Skills". Prof. Qamar emphasized on the need to develop skills such as flexibility, creativity, empathy, reliability, integrity, which are the essential qualities any employer is looking forward to in his potential employees.

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ACTIVITIES OF THE SCHOOL OF COMPUTERS, MATHEMATICS & INFORMATION SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

The Department of Mathematics and Operational Research, Department of Industrial and Applied Mathematics and Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science are part of School of Mathematics, Computers and Information Sciences. The Department of Mathematics and Operational Research became active in October, 2010 with the start of first session of Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Department is actively engaged in Academics as well as Research activities. At present, Department has two faculty members on contract at Assistant Professor's level and three Research Scholars engaged in high quality research. Department offers Research in such fields as: Approximation of Entire and Analytic Functions, Complex Analysis, Ferrohydrodynamics, Growth and Approximation of Entire Monogenic Functions, Hydrodynamics and Magnetohydrodynamics, Nanofluids, Non -Newtonian Liquids, Numerical Methods and Porous Media Flows

PARTICIPATION OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS IN THE SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, SPECIAL LECTURES, RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & AWARD:

1. Dr. Amit Mahajan:

- Published a book on "Stability of Ferrofluids: Linear and Nonlinear" published by LAP Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany, December 2010. (ISBN: 978-3-8433-8440-7)
- b. as Member & Research Reviewers to Manuscripts from high quality journals: Journal

- of Porous Media (Begell House), Special Topics and Reviews in Porous Media (Begell House), Heat Transfer Research (Begell House), International Journal of Engineering Science (Elsevier), International Communications in Heat and Mass Transfer (Elsevier).
- c. Published as paper in International Journal: P.N. Kaloni, Amit Mahajan: "Stability and uniqueness of ferrofluids", "International Journal of Engineering Science" (Netherlands), 48(11), 1350-1356. Impact Factor: 1.194
- d. Published a paper in International Journal: Sunil, Amit Mahajan: "Thermoconvective magnetized ferrofluid with internal angular momentum: A nonlinear stability analysis", "International Journal of Applied Mechanics and Engineering", 16(2), 557-580.
- e. Published a paper in Conference Proceeding: Sunil, P. Sharma, Amit Mahajan: "Onset of Darcy-Brinkman double diffusive convection in a magnetized ferrofluid layer using a thermal non-equilibrium model: A nonlinear stability analysis", "55th Congress [An International Meet] of ISTAM", National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh (INDIA) 18.12.2010 to 21.12.2010.

2. Dr. Susheel Kumar:

a. Published a paper in international journal: Susheel Kumar and G.S. Srivastava, Maximum term and Lower Order Entire Functions of Several Complex Variables, in Bulletin of Mathematical Analysis and Applications, 3(1), 2011, pp 155-164



ACTIVITIES OF THE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

The Department of Social Work runs two Programmes of Studies i.e., Masters of Social Work and Research (MPhil/PhD) Degree Programme, to prepare students to integrate advanced professional knowledge, values, and skills and to practice competently and effectively with systems, to assist diverse client systems on issues of social and economic justice, and to provide leadership in the development of service delivery systems. The Programme at Post Graduate level of social work provides an educational experience that prepares students to understand and assess the contexts of professional practice and the behavior of individuals, organizations, and communities, and to apply strategies of change that advance social and economic justice. The social work students are prepared to use critical thinking skills, personal and institutional resources, theoretical frameworks, and research to meet the needs of client systems of various types and sizes. The Department has started to work with various national and corporate houses, NGOs, public sector and autonomous organizations, various ministries of the government, different consultancy organizations and reputed academic institutions.

PARTICIPATION OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS IN THE SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, SPECIAL LECTURES, RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & AWARD:

1) **Prof. Arvind Agrawal**:

- a) was invited to the Lund University, Sweden as a Guest Professor.
- b) was Co-opted as an Executive Member of International Board of Research Committee on Sociology of Law of International Sociological Association for a term of four years (2010-2014).
- c) was entrusted with the hosting of the Mid Term International Conference of INTERNATIONAL SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION- Research Committee 12 (Research Committee on Sociology of Law) at Dharamshala to be held in September 2011 under the joint aegis of CUHP & the

- Research Committee on Sociology of Law (RCSL) of International Sociological Association (ISA) in its Meeting in July 2010 in Gothenburg.
- d) Chaired a session in the World Congress of Sociology at Gothenburg, Sweden in July 2010 organized by the International Sociological Association.
- e) Chaired a session in the International Conference in Bonn University, Bonn in July 2010 organized by the European Association for Modern South Asian Studies.
- f) was invited Visiting Professor to teach a course on Theory of Sociology of Law in Nov.-Dec. 2010 at The International Institute for Sociology of Law at Onati, Spain.
- g) Prof. Arvind Agrawal's abstract of the paper titled as 'QUO VADIS? Teaching and Research in Sociology in India', was accepted in March 2011 by the organizers for the National Seminar on "Teaching and Research in Social Sciences: Emerging Crisis, Challenges and the Alternatives" organized by Indian Institute of Advanced Studies in joint collaboration with ICSSR and the Department of Sociology, H. P. University, Shimla.
- h) was nominated as UGC Nominee for Annual Assessment of SAP of Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, Mumbai. He visited the SAP of Department of Sociology, Mumbai University, Mumbai in March, 2011 for Annual Assessment.

2) Upmesh Kumar Talwar:

 a) published a paper entitled "Role of Yogic Exercises in Bipolar Affective Disorder and Schizophrenia in Delhi Psychiatric Journal, Vol.13 (1), 117-122, 2010. Shabab Ahmad, Paper Presented in "National Seminar on Integrating Persons with Disability: Education, Training and Rehabilitation, March 18-19, 2011. Organised by Punjabi University; Patiala (Punjab).



b) Shabab Ahmad presented a paper entitled "Minority Status – A Saga of Dispute: A Critical Review" in International Conference on Peace Justice and Law which was held in Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala on 10-13th September, 2011 by ISA&RSCL.

EVENTS/ ACTIVITIES ORGANISED BY THE DEPARTMENT:

- On 26th November, 2010, the students and the faculty of CUHP held a gathering to mourn the dead and observe the attack in the year 2008 in Mumbai. The students debated on the futility of war and terror and resolved to spread peace and happiness around. The students held a candle march.
- 1st December 2010 was celebrated as the World AIDS Day to create awareness among the people against the deadly virus. The students of the Dept. of Social Work performed an awareness skit to spread the message of sympathy and empathy for the infected victims.
- 3. On 11th November, 2010, the 3rd National Education Day was celebrated to commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad. An inter-class quiz competition was organized in the Seminar Hall of TAB.
- 4. A week long campaign for the awareness on HIV/AIDS on World AIDS Day (01.12.2010).
- 5. MSW Students participated in Cultural activities and won the prizes in Singing, Rangoli, and Dancing competition in "NUQOOSH-2011" Cultural Fest of CUHP in January, 2011.
- 6. Department organized its own workshop on Qualitative Research conducted by

Prof. M.Z. Khan, Former Prof. of Social Work, Jamia Millia, New Delhi & eminent Social Scientist & Prof. Arvind Agrawal, Dean, School of Social Science, CUHP.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND PUBLIC POLICY

PARTICIPATION OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS IN THE SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, SPECIAL LECTURES, RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & AWARD:

1. Professor HR Sharma:

- a. Published a Paper: Sharma, H. R. (2011), 'Crop Diversification in Himachal Pradesh: Patterns, Determinants and Challenges', Indian Journal of Agricultural Economics, Vol. 66, No. 1, pp. 97-114.
- b. Presented a paper on 'Mountain Agriculture in Transition: Processes, Challenges and Lessons' in a conference on Mountain Agriculture in Transition –Challenges and Way Forward, organized by Shere Kashmir Agricultural University of Science and Technology (SKAUST), Srinagar.
- c. Was elected as member to the Editorial Board of Indian Journal of Agricultural Economics, published by the Indian Society of Agricultural Economics, Mumbai.

EVENTS/ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT:

 Professor K N Nair, an eminent development economist and former Director Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum delivered a lecture to the faculty and students on "Reforming Indian Agriculture Under Liberalization and Globalization: Issues and Challenges".



ACTIVITIES OF THE SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES & LANGUAGES

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH & EUROPEAN LANGUAGES

The Department of English and European Languages runs two Programmes of Studies i.e., Masters of English and Research Degree Programme (M. Phil/PhD), to enable students to compete in the academic world. The Programme at Post Graduate level of English provides an educational experience that enables the students to know about the evolution & growth of literature, and recent trends in English Studies. The Research Degree students are prepared to use critical thinking skills, theoretical framework, research, and contemporary literary theories to enable them to pursue research at the highest level. Besides these Programme of Studies, the Department is also offering three university wide courses for enhancing the proficiency level of linguistic skills in English for the post graduate courses so as to keep the students in sync with the globalizing world.

EVENTS/ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT:

- Organised a five day workshop from 3rd March to 9th March, 2011 by Prof. Harish Narang (JNU) for all the students of CUHP on 'Academic Writing'
- Organised a special lectures for research scholar on: 'How to prepare and organize a proposal /concept note for organizing seminars/ conferences'; 'Post-colonialism and Literary Studies in India'; sketching a mind-map; preparing an abstract for a scholarly paper; report writing; and preparing a synopsis of a research article.
- Organised guest lectures on 24th January, 2011, on "Importance of English Language Learning" by Prof. Harish Narang, former Professor and Chairman of the Centre of English Studies, JNU.
- 4. Conducted classroom activities for grooming students and inculcating confidence in them, like storytelling, role playing, word formation, flash cards, pictorial descriptions, quiz, extempore, and group discussions.
- 5. Launched Dhauladhar Express- Wall Paper of CUHP on 20th October, 2010.

- 6. In the NUQOOSH-2011, the students of the Department participated in:
 - a. Stage coordination of students for compering and delivering speech.
 - b. Conducted Inter-class Essay Writing Competition, Quiz, and Declamation as part of NUQOOSH-2011.
 - c. Delivered vote of Thanks to the Hon'ble VC and honoured guests during NUQOOSH and during guest lectures, seminars and workshops organized in CUHP.
- 7. Formation of Literary Vignette Society
- 8. Faculty of the Department is actively engaged in University Activities in -reparation of press notes & reports of all activities, seminars, guest lectures and workshops held in the University, Formation of Sports Society, Arrangement of Seminars, workshops, and guest lecturers held in the university. Dr. Khem Raj is assisting conduct of University Examinations.

PARTICIPATION OF THE FACULTY MEMBERS IN THE SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, SPECIAL LECTURES, RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & AWARD:

1) Dr. Khem Raj Sharma

- a) Paper entitled Postcolonial Themes of Place and Voice in Naipaul's Magic Seeds has been published in 'NEW HORIZONS: An Interdisciplinary Journal' in Dec., 2010.
- b) Paper entitled Beauty as Metaphor of Violence in Toni Morrison's Love has been accepted for publication in March 2012 issue of REMARKINGS (ISSN 0972-611X).
- c) Paper entitled Creating Alternatives in Enigma: A study of Toni Morrison's Paradise and V. S. Naipaul's Half a Life has been accepted for publication in The Bede Athenaeum, an Interdisciplinary Research Journal.
- d) Paper entitled Maturation of Diasporic Consciousness in V. S. Naipaul's Magic Seeds has been accepted for publication in 'Diaspora and Historiographic Fiction', an edited book.
- e) Research paper entitled Possibility of Finding a Voice in Alternative Experiences: A



Study of Naipaul's Half a Life has been communicated for publication in 'Indian Diasporic Literature in English' an edited book.

2) Ms. Shruti Sharma

- a) Abstract accepted in a French journal Geography of Cultures.
- b) Presented a paper in the UGC sponsored National Seminar on Human Rights Awareness, titled Migration and Human Rights Violation: A Critical Perspective, at DAV CC, Faridabad on 25-26th March, 2011.
- c) Research paper entitled Identity and Feminism in Jhumpa Lahiri's Works has been accepted for publication.
- d) Research paper entitled Portrayal of Alienation and Feministic Concerns by Indian Women Writers has been accepted for publication.
- e) Research paper entitled The Problem of Identity in the General Perspective of Literature on Diaspora has been accepted for publication.





UNIVERSITY FINANCE

BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR THE YEARS 2009-10, 2010-11 AND 2011-12

The Budget Estimates for the years 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 were prepared and approved by the authorities of the University. The year 2010-11 started with unspent balance of the previous year amounting to ₹292.55 lakh and a sum of ₹15 crores was provided by the University Grants Commission as Development Grant during the year. The Revised Budget Estimates for the year 2010-11 and Budget Estimates for the year 2011-12, showing the grants, university income and expenditure were as under:

Rupees in lakhs					
Head		Actuals for 2009-10	Budget Estimates for 2010-11	Revised Estimates 2010-11	Budget Estimates for 2011-12
REC	EIPTS				
(I)	UGC Plan Development Grant-in-aid				
	(i) Opening Balance	-	292.55	292.55	774.03
	(ii) Grant-In-Aid from UGC	300.00	4950.00	1500.00	4478.00
	(iii) Income of University	-	3.45	31.48	47.97
	TOTAL (I)		5246.00	1824.03	5300.00
(II)	UGC Sponsored Research Project (s)				
	(i) Opening Balance	-	-	-	0.70
	(ii) Financial Assistance	-	-	2.30	2.30
	(iii) Total (II)	-	-	2.30	3.00
	TOTAL RECEIPTS	300.00	5246.00	1826.33	5303.00
EXPENDITURE (I) UGC PLAN DEVELOPMENT GRANT-IN-AID					
Non	-Recurring				
(I)	Campus development	-	600.00	50.00	600.00
(II)	Construction of buildings	-	1000.00	-	2000.00
(III)	Central facilities	-	1000.00	-	550.00
(IV)	Recurring	7.452	350.00	1000.00	2150.00
(II)	UGC Sponsored Research Project (s)	-	-	1.60	3.00
	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	7.45	4950.00	1051.60	5303.00

ANNUAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR 2009-10

The annual accounts and balance sheet of the University for the year 2009-10 were prepared and were approved by the authorities of the University, which were further got audited from the Comptroller and Accountant General of India.

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