



# ERODE SENGUNTHAR

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### IQAC - RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL

Ref.: ESEC/IQAC/RAC-01/2025-26

Date : 07.07.2025

#### CIRCULAR

All the members of Research Advisory Committee members of the college are hereby informed that, the First Research Advisory Committee meeting for the academic year 2025-26 is scheduled on 30.07.2025 & the venue will be conference hall at 03.00 p.m. All the Research Advisory Committee members are requested to attend the meeting without fail.

#### Agenda

1. Welcome the Research Advisory committee members
2. To discuss about Roles and Responsibilities of the committee
3. Discussion on various events to be organized in the academic year
4. Discussion on R&D calendar plan for research proposals, publications and innovative ideas.
5. Discussion on various policies and its approval
6. Any other matter



**Director-R&D**

  
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### OFFICE ORDER

In order to strengthen the activities undertaken under **Research and Development Cell** it has been decided to revise the Research Promotion policy along with the following updated members. The senior faculty members and HoDs will acts as coordinators and they will monitor the research and development works. The institute Academic Council has approved the committee members to implement the same for the academic year 2025-26.

List of Research Advisory Committee Members are as follows:

IQAC-Research Advisory Committee Members for the year 2025-2026			
S No	Name	Designation	Role
1	Dr. V. Venkatachalam	Principal	Chairman
2	Dr. R. Kalaivani	Director-R&D	Member Secretary & Convener
3	Dr. P. Selvan	Professor/EEE	Member
4	Dr. G. Sivakumar	Director/CSE	Member
5	Dr. G. Saravanan	HOD/AIDS	Member
6	Dr. S. Bharathidasan	Professor/ECE	Member
7	Dr. B. Saritha	HOD/BME	Member
8	Dr. Y. Robinson	Professor/Mechanical	Member
9	Dr. P. Akilamudhan	Professor/Chemical	Member
10	Dr. K. M. Gopalakrishnan	Professor/Civil	Member
11	Dr. M. Thangavel	Professor/CA	Member
12	Dr. R. Ravishankar	HOD/DoMS	Member
13	Dr. P. Ramesh	Dean/S&H	Member

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### Research and Development Cell:

The Institute has a number of high-end research centers to strengthen the research activities, teaching-learning facilities, and employability for UG and PG students. All the R&D Centers of the institute is recognized by Anna University, Chennai and these centers amplify the learning outcomes of the students and faculty members. The establishment of new centers also enhances the research among the faculty members and students on various recent technology domains and improve the Industry-Institute interaction.

### Roles and Responsibilities of the Committee.

- To identify and inform faculty and students about the suitable funded/sponsored research opportunities notified by different research, academic, industry or government and non-government organizations.
- To provide support to the faculty research efforts and to encourage students research as part of curriculum.
- To promote multidisciplinary research and set up methodologies for undertaking and preparing collaborative research projects covering different domains of knowledge as well as policies or involving external experts/agencies in such research projects.
- To encourage and promote faculty and student research publications of their research work/projects in ostensible academic Scopus Index Journals (National/International).
- To conduct various innovation and entrepreneurship related activities described by the IIC in time bounded fashion.
- Establish function ecosystem for scouting ideas and Pre-Incubation of ideas.
- To develop better cognitive ability amongst technology students.
- Organize periodic Ideation day/Workshops/Seminars/Interactions with Entrepreneurs, Investors, Professionals and create a mentor pool for student innovators.
- To create awareness about Intellectual Property Rights and Patents, encourage Innovation and motivate them to apply for IPR/Patents.





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## Frequency of committee meeting:

- Twice in every Academic Year. Preferably one meeting at starting and other attending of academic year.
- Committee may conduct meeting as and when required.

  
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### Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

IQAC Research Advisory Committee Meeting	
Ref. No: ESEC / IQAC / RAC/MoM / 2025-26	Date: 30.07.2025
Venue: Conference Hall	Timing: 03.00 pm to 04.00 pm

#### Members Present

S No.	Name	Designation	Role	Signature
1	Dr. V. Venkatachalam	Principal	Chairman	
2	Dr. R. Kalaivani	Director-R&D	Convener	
3	Dr. P. Selvan	Professor/EEE	Member	
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### Minutes of the Meeting

1. The Research Advisory Committee (RAC) meeting was held on 30th July 2025 from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM in the conference hall, with all members present to discuss key research agendas.
2. Dr. V. Venkatachalam, Principal, welcomed the members and expressed gratitude for their continued support.
3. He appreciated the faculty's active involvement in research and their contributions to institutional growth.
4. Discussions covered ongoing research activities of faculty members.
5. The committee emphasized enhancing the quality and number of project proposals for external funding.
6. The status of Utilization Certificates (UCs) for sanctioned projects was reviewed.
7. Progress and timelines of ongoing funded projects and financial grants were evaluated.
8. The Director-R&D highlighted the significant R&D activities of the previous academic year and congratulated the staff and students for receiving ₹51,55,000 under the MSME Champions Scheme.
9. The Director of R&D presented new project proposals submitted to various funding agencies. She elaborated on the scope, objectives, and relevance of the proposed projects.
10. Updates were provided on the status of project proposals and journal manuscripts.
11. Faculty were encouraged to publish in reputed, high-impact journals.
12. The Principal urged faculty members yet to register for Ph.D. programs to do so within the year.



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13. The importance of patent filing, innovation registration under Startup-TN, and entrepreneurship was highlighted.
14. The committee encouraged faculty to guide students in publishing outcomes from their project and innovation work.

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**Director-R&D**

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**Principal**

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