

# NAVJEEVAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT

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## RESEARCH AND CONSULTANCY POLICY FOR NIOM

#### 1. Introduction:

• Navjeevan Institute of Management recognizes the importance of research and consultancy activities in enhancing academic excellence, fostering innovation, and contributing to the advancement of knowledge in the field of management.

# 2. Objectives:

- Promote a culture of research and consultancy among faculty members and students.
- Encourage interdisciplinary collaboration and knowledge exchange.
- Foster partnerships with industry, government, and non-profit organizations to address real-world challenges.
- Enhance the institute's reputation and visibility in the academic and professional communities.
- Provide opportunities for faculty and students to apply theoretical knowledge to practical contexts.

## 3. Research Activities:

- Encourage faculty members to engage in high-quality research that contributes to the body of knowledge in management theory and practice.
- Support research initiatives through funding, infrastructure, and administrative assistance.
- Facilitate collaboration with external research partners, including industry stakeholders and academic institutions.
- Encourage publication of research findings in reputable journals and participation in conferences and seminars.
- Rs 5000/teacher per year will be reimbursed to the faculty for research related activities.

## 4. Consultancy Services:

- Offer consultancy services to businesses, government agencies, and non-profit organizations in areas related to management, strategy, marketing, finance, operations, HR and organizational development.
- Establish a consultancy cell within the institute to coordinate consultancy projects, match expertise with client needs, and ensure quality deliverables.
- Provide faculty members with opportunities to participate in consultancy projects
  as experts or advisors, leveraging their academic knowledge and industry
  experience.

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# 5. Intellectual Property Rights (IPR):

- Ensure that intellectual property rights resulting from research and consultancy activities are protected and appropriately managed.
- Establish guidelines for faculty and students regarding ownership, disclosure, and commercialization of intellectual property generated through institute-affiliated projects.

#### 6. Ethical Considerations:

- Uphold ethical standards in all research and consultancy endeavors, ensuring compliance with relevant regulations and professional codes of conduct.
- Promote transparency, integrity, and accountability in data collection, analysis, and reporting.

## 7. Capacity Building:

- Provide training and mentorship opportunities for faculty members and students to enhance their research and consultancy skills.
- Support the development of research proposals, grant applications, and project management capabilities.
- Facilitate access to research resources, databases, and collaborative tools to support scholarly activities.

# 8. Evaluation and Recognition:

- Establish criteria for evaluating the quality and impact of research and consultancy outputs, including publications, reports, patents, and client feedback.
- Recognize and reward outstanding contributions to research and consultancy through awards, incentives, and professional development opportunities.

#### 9. Policy Review:

- Regularly review and update the Research and Consultancy Policy to align with evolving academic standards, industry trends, and institutional goals.
- Solicit feedback from faculty, students, industry partners, and other stakeholders to inform policy enhancements and improvements.

This Research and Consultancy Policy aims to create a conducive environment for scholarly inquiry, knowledge creation, and practical problem-solving at Navjeevan Institute of Management, thereby enriching the academic experience and contributing to societal development.

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