



**OFFICE OF DEAN RESEARCH STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU**

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE INSTITUTIONAL ETHICAL COMMITTEE HELD ON 21.11.2025 AT 2.30 PM IN THE SEMINAR HALL OF THE SCHOOL OF BIOTECHNOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU, JAMMU.

PRESENT

1. Prof. Neelu Rohmetra
(Dean Research Studies) (Chairperson)
2. Principal/Dean, Govt Dental College, Jammu
3. Prof. Arvind Jasrotia, Department of Law
4. Prof. Vishav Raksha, Department of Sociology
5. Prof. Jeevan Jyoti, Department of Commerce
6. Prof. Bijender Kumar, School of Biotechnology (Member Secretary)
7. Assistant Registrar (Research & Awards)

At the outset, Dean Research Studies welcomed the members and then the cases were presented by concerned applicants as per agenda items.

ITEM NO. 1:

To consider the application submitted by **Dr. Sarita Sood**, Department of Psychology, University of Jammu for ethical approval of her research papers entitled as below:-

1. "A study of correlates and impact of existential Nihilism in the Indian context".
2. "Determinants of academic engagement and perceived stress among students in higher education: An empirical study".

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the research papers proposed as mentioned below are approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate:

1. "A study of correlates and impact of existential Nihilism in the Indian context"
2. "Determinants of academic engagement and perceived stress among students in higher education. An empirical study"

ITEM NO. 2:

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Shamsha Qmar**, Ph.D. Scholar, Department of Psychology for ethical approval of her Synopsis entitled "Role of perceived work place incivility, workplace spirituality, and employee well being in job performance of teachers in Jammu district".

Resolution:

On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled "Role of perceived work place incivility, workplace spirituality, and employee well being in job performance of teachers in Jammu district" is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance.

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Dr. Neelu Rohmetra

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Prof. Arvind Jasrotia

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Dr. Jeevan Jyoti

ITEM NO. 3:

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Anuradha**, Ph.D. Scholar, Department of Zoology, University of Jammu for ethical approval of her Synopsis entitled **"Building a Psychological Model of Youth Anxiety and Depression: Evidence from Jammu"**

Resolution:

On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled **"Building a Psychological Model of Youth Anxiety and Depression: Evidence from Jammu"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 4:

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Ritumbhira Rajput**, Ph.D. Scholar, Department of Zoology, University of Jammu for ethical approval of her Synopsis titled **"Ethnoveterinary Activities of some medicinal plants against bacterial strains for Mastitis disease"**

Resolution:

On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled **"Ethnoveterinary Activities of some medicinal plants against bacterial strains for Mastitis disease"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 5:

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Diksha Sharma**, Ph.D. Research Scholar, Department of Library and Information Science, University of Jammu for approval of her research paper entitled **"Library 3.0 Competencies of Importance: Assessing the Impact of Variables on Users' Readiness in University Library Settings"**

Resolution:

On the basis of presentation, the research work entitled **"Library 3.0 Competencies of Importance: Assessing the Impact of Variables on Users' Readiness in University Library Settings"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 6:

To consider the application submitted by **Prof. Komal Nagar**, The Business School, University of Jammu for approval of her research papers as below:

1. **"Examining the effect of emojis on students' perception of message importance and intention to comply"**
2. **"Investigating the Role of TV Celebrity Chefs in Promoting Culinary Tourism"**
3. **Turning tables on the traditional menu card: An investigation of menu type on diners' attitude toward the Restaurant.**
4. **Know Your Calories (KYC): Examining the Effect of Menu Labeling on Diners' Attitude towards the Restaurant.**

Resolution:

On the basis of presentation, the research papers proposed as mentioned below are approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate:

1. **"Examining the effect of emojis on students' perception of message importance and intention to comply"**
2. **"Investigating the Role of TV Celebrity Chefs in Promoting Culinary Tourism"**
3. **Turning tables on the traditional menu card: An investigation of menu type on diners' attitude toward the restaurant**

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4. **Know Your Calories (KYC): Examining the Effect of Menu Labeling on Diners' Attitude towards the Restaurant.**

ITEM NO. 7:

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Parmjit Kour**, Ph.D scholar, Computer Science & IT, University of Jammu for approval of her Synopsis entitled **"Study and Performance analysis of deep learning techniques for the detection of Bone Cancer"**

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled **"Study and Performance analysis of deep learning techniques for the detection of Bone Cancer"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 8:

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Ayushi Kotwal**, Ph.D scholar, Computer Science & IT, University of Jammu for approval of her Synopsis entitled **"Deep Learning based human detection for cognitive state assessment using EEG signals classification"**

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled **"Deep Learning based human detection for cognitive state assessment using EEG signals classification"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 9:

To consider the application submitted by **Mr. Sachin Kumar**, Ph.D scholar, Computer Science & IT, University of Jammu for approval of his research work entitled **"Implementation and performance analysis of artificial intelligence based techniques to study neurological disorders"**

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the research work entitled **"Implementation and performance analysis of artificial intelligence based techniques to study neurological disorders"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 10

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Shweta Sharma**, Ph.D scholar, Computer Science & IT, University of Jammu for approval of her Synopsis entitled **"To design and develop and optimized Artificial Intelligence framework for cognitive state classification based on EEG signals"**.

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled **"To design and develop an optimized Artificial Intelligence framework for cognitive state classification based on EEG signals"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

ITEM NO. 11

To consider the application submitted by **Ms. Eram Khan**, Ph.D Scholar, Department of Psychology, University of Jammu for approval of her Synopsis entitled **"Adverse Childhood Experiences and Social Support as Predictors of Mental Health among Young Adults in Jammu District"**.

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the Synopsis entitled **"Adverse Childhood Experiences and Social Support as Predictors of Mental Health among Young Adults in Jammu District"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

Dr. B. S. Bhatia
Dr. P. S. Bhatia
Dr. J. S. Bhatia

Dr. S. S. Bhatia

Dr. M. S. Bhatia

Dr. H. S. Bhatia

ITEM NO. 12

To consider the application submitted by **Mr. Jankar Ali**, Ph. D. Scholar, registered 2023 Department of Psychology, University of Jammu for approval of his research work entitled **"Self-esteem and Resilience as Predictors of Happiness amongst Adolescents"**

Resolution: On the basis of presentation, the research work entitled **"Self-esteem and Resilience as Predictors of Happiness amongst Adolescents"** is approved for issuance of Ethical Clearance Certificate.

The Committee further resolved that in all the above cases, necessary administrative approvals prior to data collection from respondents be sought mandatorily from concerned authorities/ institutions/hospitals and / or any other concerned.

Meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the chair.

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