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Annual Report of the Research Cell

(Academic Year 2025–2026)

The Research Cell successfully organized a series of academic and research-oriented activities during the academic year 2025–2026 with the objective of promoting research aptitude, enhancing research skills, and encouraging scholarly contributions among students and faculty members.

1. Orientation Programme on Research

The Research Cell organized an Orientation Programme on Research Methodology on 12th August 2025 in Room No. 208 for undergraduate and postgraduate students.

The programme was conducted by Dr. Jigna Sadhu, Dr. Vaishali Trivedi, Dr. Prachi Shah, Dr. Tejaswini Parab, Dr. Archana Dhawde, and Dr. Iqbal Baig.

The resource persons introduced students to the fundamentals of research and guided them through the essential stages of conducting a research study. The topics covered included:

Meaning and importance of research, Selection of a research topic, Formulation of research objectives and hypotheses, Review of literature Research methodology, Data collection and data analysis, Interpretation of findings, Writing conclusions and recommendations, Ethical practices in research. The programme provided students with a strong foundation in research methodology and prepared them for undertaking research projects effectively.

2. Workshop on Preparation of the Black Book

A workshop titled "How to Prepare the Black Book" was organized on 3rd November 2025 in Room No. 103 for the Final Year Self-Finance students. The session was conducted by Dr. Anuya Warty, who explained the proper format, structure, documentation style, referencing techniques, and presentation of the research project (Black Book). Students also received practical guidance on report writing, formatting, plagiarism awareness, and the submission process. The workshop helped students gain clarity and confidence in preparing their final research project.

3. One-Day National Conference for Faculty

The Research Cell organized a One-Day National Conference for Faculty on 20th February 2026 in collaboration with St. Rocks College and Ghanshyamdas Jalan College. The conference witnessed the enthusiastic participation of 100 faculty members from various institutions. A total of 76 research papers were presented and subsequently published in the conference journal/proceedings book. The conference provided an excellent platform for academicians and researchers to present their scholarly work, exchange innovative ideas, and discuss emerging trends in multidisciplinary research. The collaborative effort of the three institutions contributed significantly to the success of the conference.

4. One-Day National Conference for Students

The Research Cell organized a One-Day National Conference for Students on 16th March 2026 to encourage young researchers to present their academic work and develop research and

presentation skills. The conference received an enthusiastic response, with 51 students participating from various institutions. The event offered students an opportunity to showcase their research, interact with experts, and gain valuable academic exposure.

Conclusion

Throughout the academic year 2025–2026, the Research Cell successfully conducted four major academic activities aimed at strengthening the research culture within the institution. These programmes and conferences enhanced research awareness, improved methodological understanding, encouraged scholarly publication, and provided valuable opportunities for academic interaction among students and faculty. The Research Cell remains committed to promoting excellence in research and fostering innovation through future academic initiatives.



