

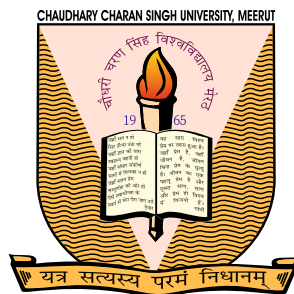


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MESSAGE



In the present time of globalisation and changing global economic perspectives, there is a heightened need for University's International Cooperation to internationalise activities, increase the horizon of knowledge, career and experiential learning. I am pleased to mention here that our university has launched an International Cooperation Program and formulated a Policy which will provide clear vision, guidance and a qualitative administrative support services for mutual transfer of knowledge in the interest of humanity.

Our university believes and constantly works towards raising the academic standards for building competence in the areas of research and technology. This type of cooperation will not only expose faculty members to new areas of research and new collaborators but will also create opportunities for students by creating exchange and internship possibilities. It is the demand of the time and also our learning from COVID 19 crises that the knowledge transfer in science, social sciences and culture should not face boundary restrictions. Further, the National Education Policy - 2020 also focusses on collaborative education providing the international exposure, exchange of knowledge and opportunity to both faculty and students. I am sure that this policy will be helpful in bringing quality of education and research and taking University to new heights.

It is pertinent to mention here that Centre for International Cooperation of our university has already signed MOU with reputed international institutions. This policy will give a boost to the international cooperation. I extend my best wishes to all students, teachers and members of the administration of the University, who intend to join us in our endeavour to liberate the humanity with the help of the powerful tool of knowledge through an established Centre for International affairs.

(Sangeeta Shukla)

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MESSAGE



Ch. Charan Singh University is a premiere institution of learning and has been constantly making a rapid progress in the field of academics, sports, cultural pursuits, research and technology, patents, innovations to gain international identity.

The university offers programmes and courses in various subjects and disciplines, which provide the potential for cross-disciplinary collaborations that would be necessary to meet global challenges. Realising the importance of international exposure to students and to get new ideas and perspectives, our university has framed an International Cooperation Policy. Our university has already established Centre for International Cooperation and has collaborated with many reputed international organizations in academia and industry.

It is my sincere hope that partnerships with international universities will make our university a knowledge leader in providing high value education and will encourage students to expose themselves to new challenges of the real world.

(Y. Vimala)

PREFACE

Ch Charan Singh University, Meerut is one of the premier educational universities situated in the Western part of Uttar Pradesh and is very near to the Capital of India i.e. New Delhi. CCSU is committed to provide high value education & knowledge to its students equipped with skills. Our university recognizes the importance of international exposure to students. It has long participated in a wide variety of cooperative relationships with foreign universities. To further excel the quality of learning and research and to strengthen the links of our University with the International Institutions all over the world, our university has formulated an International Cooperation Policy.

The first draft of International Cooperation policy is prepared keeping NEP 2020 in view to achieve use of maximum resources to keep students and faculty members most updated in knowledge. The main focus is to overcome the conditions of boundary for flow and exploitation of knowledge both ways so that the development of the mankind with social justice could be meet out in time.

The drafted International Cooperation Policy will provide guidelines with support to both universities and the individual members of universities when setting up partnership with international university. It will help in transfer of knowledge and expertise through student and faculty exchange, joint researches, training programmes, conferences and many more. It will facilitate academic collaborations through agreements and MoUs with other Universities and Institutions. The policy will:

- Provide knowledge and encourage students to obtain international scholarship and financial support.
- Encourage and manage student and faculty exchange with foreign Universities.
- Guide and provide details to the faculty about the international cooperation programs and teacher exchange policies.

- Hold sessions to counsel and guide students about all the procedure and the paperwork required for research, training programs and exchange visits in foreign Universities.
- Provide support for visa travel, accommodation etc.
- Draft and execute International Cooperation MOUs.
- Properly execute existing MOUs for the welfare of the academic world.
- Arrange signing and execution of MOUs.
- Provide a platform for promotion of international communication.
- Participate in international meetings and forum for exposure of university at international level.
- Promote cultural activities among different countries.

This policy will definitely benefit students to diversify and enhance their careers and will make our university an international brand.

(Sangeeta Shukla)



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PREAMBLE

International cooperation is necessary for bringing social, cultural and scientific benefits to humanity. The International Cooperation Policy (InCoP) for higher education and research would have the potential to address several challenges/limitations and pave the path of diverse perceptions for the costs/benefits of the collective action. The Memorandum Of Understanding (MOU) remains the primary national/international forum for any exchange program of academic/R&D and negotiations. The InCoP would have full rights at institutional levels and emerge at global, regional, national, local, as well as public-private initiatives or start-ups networks. The institutional diversity arises in part/full for growing the academic/R&D/innovation programs and make policies arenas, for example, the sustainable development, international trade, and human rights. The InCoP is a link to create opportunities, potential co-benefits, or harms that have not yet been thoroughly examined. This forum creates the possibility of nurturing new brain and increased negotiation of collaboration, which could open new avenues for the performance of international cooperation toward sustainable development goals (SDGs).

The centralized formalization spans would have the strong multilateral agreements (cultural, commercial, academic, R&D) to be harmonized national/international and coordinated policies. The mutual and potential agreements vary in their degree of legal bindingness for design elements of international agreements for particular relevance: goals and targets, flexible mechanisms, and equitable methods for effort sharing. Efforts continues to develop institutions and systems for governance/coalitions of private businesses of international cooperation on innovation. These forums and coalitions address issues including technology transfer, adaptation, and sustainable systems.

VISION

“To become an internationally recognized centre of research and education for national and international community”

MISSION

- ***To achieve excellence in pursuit of academics, knowledge, research and innovation and its compliance with international standards.***
- ***To enhance the international profile of the institution.***
- ***To leverage institutional strengths through strategic partnerships.***
- ***To mobilise internal intellectual resources.***
- ***To be a knowledge leader at the international level.***

ARTICLE 1: INTRODUCTION & OBJECTIVE(S)

Universities provide education that builds skills across many fields needed to build a well-functioning economy and society. The final draft of National Education Policy (NEP 2020) laid down the objective of Internationalisation with the objective to offer students study at abroad, in part or full. The credit gained by the students can be transferred to university or vice-versa. It aims to promote facilities to the foreign students to take up courses in Indian Universities. It read as “India will be promoted as a global study destination providing premium education at affordable cost thereby helping to restore its role as a Vishva Guru” (NEP 2020, 12.8, p29).

The international cooperation is necessary to significantly alleviate the cooperation impacts for the next generation of the society. The executive committee will critically examine and evaluate the ways of agreements for international cooperation/collaboration and address for the implementation upon the evidence and insights in the scholarly literature. The reflective analysis for the international cooperation will be quantified (type of the cooperation or collaboration in terms of exchange programs for students of their innovative learning).

The major objectives are outlined as:

- 1) Visits and informal exchanges of faculty, scholars and administrators in specific areas of education, research and outreach.
- 2) Explore ways to cooperate in postgraduate education and training.
- 3) Organize joint conferences, symposia, or other scientific meetings on subjects of mutual interest.
- 4) Exchange and access of academic information and materials.
- 5) Pursue avenues for graduate and professional student exchange during the academic year or summer terms.
- 6) Pursue avenues for undergraduate student exchange during the academic year or summer terms.
- 7) Explore the possibilities for developing joint research programs and collaborations.
- 8) Establish modules of the research enterprise (i.e. centre of excellence, international student cell, international campus, etc.)
- 9) Other exchange and cooperation programs to which both parties agree.

ARTICLE 2: BACKGROUND

India is a country with a fine knowledge legacy and a place that has truly world-class university spaces which attracts the best in the world. Chaudhary Charan Singh University, Meerut, located in western Uttar Pradesh, is one such premier educational institutions of the country. The Chaudhary Charan Singh (CCS) University was established in 1965 that needs to cater the higher education in Uttar Pradesh, India. This premier State Government institute sprawls over 222 acres area of beautiful and pollution-free green campus fully covered with wi-fi facility, power back-up facility for 24x7 with solar power (green energy), botanical garden, gymnasium, playground, indoor stadium, well equipped library, hostels for both girls and boys, administrative block, spacious auditorium, community centre, medical centre, residential quarters for faculty members and employees, canteen, post office & bank facility, and Indian railway reservation counter. There are 36 departments including Natural & Agriculture Sciences, IT & Engineering, Linguistics & Management, Humanities & Mass Communication, Physical Education & Fine Arts, Legal Philosophical studies, and well-equipped laboratories & advanced facilities for more over 500,000 students. The university is offering a large number of new and innovative post-graduate & undergraduate Degrees, diploma, advanced diploma and postgraduate diploma and Doctoral degrees. The academic program exposes the students to practical aspects through computer labs, seminars, group discussions and lectures of experts invited from National/International recognised Institutes/Universities/Industries all over the world. The recognition of the university is due to efforts of well-qualified and committed faculty members who have been providing quality education to postgraduate, and Ph.D. Scholars. The University has also made a mark in the field of sports, where the trained students have participated in Asian/Commonwealth/Olympiad games. The research activities in various departments are supported by grants in the form of research projects sanctioned by the R&D agencies and from own sources.

The University has launched International Cooperation Program wherein students of diverse backgrounds from all over the world can take admissions in the courses of their choice, offered by the university.

a) MOU

A Centre for International Cooperation has already been established in the University wherein several MOU with other International reputed universities and institutions have been signed.

The following MOU are still active:

S.No.	Date of entering & signing MOU	Name of the University	Existing areas of Cooperation
1	16/04/2016 – 16/04/2021 Further revised from 16/04/2021- 16/04/2026	Tokyo University of Science, Japan	Faculty & Student Exchange
2	20/03/2019 – 20/03/2024	Central Connecticut State University, New Britain, Connecticut, USA	Faculty and Student Exchange
3	12/03/2019- 16/04/2024	Advance Materials Research Laboratory, University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR (USA)	Faculty & Student Exchange
4	12/03/2019 – 20/03/2022	Ana G. Méndez University at Cupey, San Juan, Puerto Rico (USA)	Faculty & Student Exchange
5	31/07/2019- 31/07/2022	Food & Drug Administration, USA	Faculty Exchange

These MOUs are focussed on joint conduct of research work with faculty and student exchange options. Such ongoing MOU will continue in force till completion of such MOUs. Now, the draft of International Cooperation Policy has been formulated keeping National Education Policy 2020 in view and as well as to have an International indelible mark on the world education.

b) Promotion of books and research papers publication: The faculty members have already published joint research papers either in collaboration through MOUs or through themselves. Hence, this policy will further strengthen the joint publications.

c) Exchange of resources: Some of the faculty members are already utilising the laboratory facilities of reputed organisations by either sending samples for testing or analysis of results etc. The faculty from abroad has visited our university under various schemes such as – Indo-US, Indo-German, Indo-Canada. The different faculty members have already visited reputed organisations as an exchange under different categories of MOU, Common Wealth, Raman Fellowship, DAAD fellowship, NSERC fellowship etc.

d) Exchange of students: Some of the students have been sent to reputed International Research Organisations for conduct of their research work, fellowships etc.

e) Collaborative research: The faculty members are already conducting joint research in collaboration with different organisations and the output includes patents, research papers, seminars, workshops. A research project was also sanctioned by Tokyo University of Science, Japan to Department of Chemistry. Invited lectures were organised at both the places and a joint workshop was also organised.

ARTICLE 3: ESTABLISHMENT OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CELL

In order to promote the International Educational hub for welcoming students from foreign nations, an ‘International Student cell’ is to be established. The purpose of the cell is to lay down guidelines for admission and to facilitate required facilities to the foreign students such as hostel, visa, eligibility, admission procedure, verification of documents, transfer of credits etc. The International Cell will provide transcript of degree, marksheet to the students who aim to take up courses in the foreign universities. Every effort will be made to make degree/Marksheet available in the Digi-locker for immediate help of the students. This Digi-locker will be used for verification of the document also.

Our university has international reputed faculty members and offer courses with curriculum matching with the courses offered by international organisations. We have State-of-Art laboratories which can be used in conducting short term and long-term curriculum program for faculty.

Promotion of Indian knowledge System: India has multiple linguistic culture related to food, dance, music, language, health, knowledge. Our university can offer short term and long-term

courses related to cooking, textile, dance, music, vedic maths, architecture, hindi language and sanskrit language.

ARTICLE 4: CREDIT TRANSFER & AWARD OF DEGREE

The NEP 2020 has provision for establishment of academic bank of credit. The students will be credited their credit against their account. These credits can be gained for students taking courses in the foreign University and similarly the students who shall visit our University or affiliated colleges can also be credited to his/her account. Such students can use their credits at their convenience for the award of the degree. Every student has provision for award of certificate/diploma/ degree on gaining minimum number of required credits. So, students are free to opt for certificate/diploma/degree or transfer of degree as per their credits.

ARTICLE 5: FINANCIAL & INFRASTRUCTURAL SUPPORT

The university will provide the required infrastructure and financial support for promotion of all the activities of international collaboration. It is expected to establish a foreign student-teacher hostel (with kitchen) and infrastructural facilities. The foreign students can make use of laboratory and research facilities at par to our students.

The foreign students can be offered scholarship/ financial support as per the discretion of the International Student Advisor. The financial support can also be given in kind such as books, study material etc.

Our university faculty members and students can be provided financial assistance for attending lectures, conferences, workshops. The provision can also be made for supporting Joint Research Projects in form of instruments, faculty & student exchange, joint publications, Patents etc. The provision may be made in university annual budget for allocation of certain funds for promoting international collaborations.

ARTICLE 6: CONDUCTING AWARENESS PROGRAMS

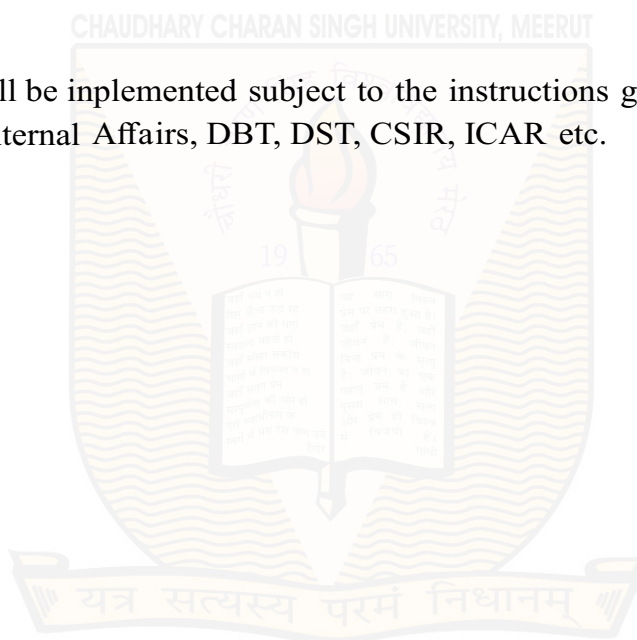
It is essentially required to promote awareness of the academic and research program offered by our university. It is suggested to hold and participate in education fair in India and

abroad. A very interactive website needs to be developed wherein all the information related to curriculum, admission procedure, facilities, environment, interaction procedure, etc. will be provided.

ARTICLE 7: ESTABLISHMENT OF RESEARCH & ACADEMIC CAMPUS ABROAD

Different foreign universities are opening their campus in Indian Universities and in Asia region. It will be appropriate and well required to establish our research and academic campus in foreign countries. The preference may be given to MOU signing research organisations and institutions.

Note- This policy will be implemented subject to the instructions given by UGC, AICTE, Ministry of External Affairs, DBT, DST, CSIR, ICAR etc.



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