

# **“Research Mentoring Initiative”**

## **Research & Development Cell**

### **Government Meera Girls College, Udaipur**

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The Research and Development Cell of Government Meera Girls College, Udaipur introduced “Research Mentoring” initiative to foster creativity, and nurturing new ideas in research. Experienced and dedicated resource persons are associated with this programme for continuous interaction and guidance to the participants. Research Mentoring will provide ample opportunities to young teachers and researchers not only to gain practical experience but also to interact with their senior members, discuss issues, share experiences and learn more.

The Research Mentoring has been envisaged with objectives:

1. To educate and train the young educators/ researchers of tomorrow in the field of research and
2. To create institutional infrastructure to have research-intensive programmes and workshops.
3. The Research Mentoring initiative will provide support on following:
4. Writing a paper & understanding reviews from conferences/journals.
5. Connecting with right people, other researchers and students working in the domain.
6. Enhancing Presentation skills.
7. Informing about internship/training/summer programs.
8. Choosing an appropriate conference and journal to submit.

#### **Expected Outcome of Program**

- Better understanding of research.
- Familiarity of methods and methodologies.
- Enhancement of the writing skills/writing article.
- Enhancement of Presentation Skills.
- To come with publishable quality research article.

Following is expected from the mentors and Mentee:

#### **Mentors**

- are broadly interested in helping the students and fellow faculty members.
- are NOT interested in becoming co-authors of the papers.

#### **Students (Mentee)**

- No responsibility will be taken by the Mentors for students not following the guidelines/consent.
- A service where students can get their work done e.g., defending reviewers’ comments on the research paper.
- It is not a one-stop-place which will solve all your Ph.D. roadblocks.
- Focussed only on Work and not general grievances in Ph.D. life, etc.
- Mentee are expected to use this opportunity judiciously, respect Mentors’ time and skills

Since, Mentoring is a special partnership between two people based on common goals and expectations, focus, and mutual trust and respect thus this will show success in cultivating mentoring relationships for a future generation of researchers.