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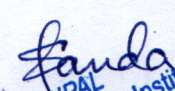


**DR. SUDHIR CHANDRA SUR INSTITUTE OF
TECHNOLOGY AND SPORTS COMPLEX**



**Disabled Friendly
Environment Policy
(W.E.F 05/07/2021)**

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Under Agenda No. 12

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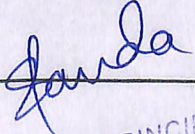
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Through structured Students with Disability (SwD) Policy and Procedures in compliance with UGC standards, Dr. Sudhir Chandra Sur Institute of Technology and Sports Complex is dedicated to supporting equal educational opportunities for students with disabilities by helping them realize their full potential. To provide a completely inclusive environment for students with disabilities, this policy aims to go above and beyond the legal standards, even though the college conforms with the Persons with Disabilities Act and other legal requirements.

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OBJECTIVES:

- Create an inclusive culture to prevent discrimination against students and staff in the workplace and educational setting based on disability.
- To create an appropriate regulatory body to offer active services to the institute's workers and students with disabilities.
- Verify that all regulations pertaining to people with disabilities are being implemented.


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- Verify the complete involvement of individuals with disabilities and offer them equal opportunities for growth.
- To be able to invest the necessary funds in order to meet the aforementioned goals.
- To offer equitable educational opportunities to students with disabilities pursuing higher education.
- To create and nurture an atmosphere that encourages understanding, compassion, and a positive attitude toward those with disabilities.
- To employ all appropriate and pertinent teaching strategies and techniques without sacrificing the course's core content or the mentor's capacity to demonstrate the requisite abilities.
- To furnish the institution with the necessary resources for the physical campus and facilities that students with disabilities need, and to make it easier for them to access educational materials online.
- To empower the institution's impaired students to advocate for themselves and assert their rights; additionally, to inform pertinent parties about the requirements and difficulties faced by students with disabilities via workshops and campaigns.
- To put into effect all laws and regulations, both present and future, relating to higher education for students with disabilities.

DISABILITY:

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QUALIFIED PERSON WITH DISABILITY

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- The institute will supply the necessary supporting staff considering the unit's diverse roles and activities.
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- Helping students with impairments with remedial coaching sessions on a regular basis.

ACCESSIBILITY POLICY:

This refers to ensuring that all programs, events, and associated advantages are completely accessible to eligible individuals with disabilities. Many materials should be provided by the institute to make the campus accessible to people with disabilities. It is the responsibility of the faculty and administration of the institute to make reasonable accommodation for all individuals with disabilities and to assist in resolving any issues related to access. We provide wheelchairs for students with disabilities.

Strict adherence to the following accessibility guidelines shall be ensured: Every UG and PG program and activity needs to be accessible.

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EXAM POLICY:

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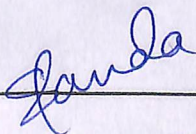
The following criteria may be used by the Controller of Examinations to select scribes, subject to the guidelines set forth by the Dr. Sudhir Chandra Sur Institute of Technology and Sports Complex for candidates who are qualified to use scribes:

- There are no distinct requirements for routine exams.
- A disability certificate issued by a licensed medical professional anywhere in the world is recognized.
- Students with disabilities (SwD) are welcome to use Scribe's facilities.
- The SwD may choose, at his discretion, to use his own Scribe if given advance notice.
- The scribe who is appointed may not hold a position with the college.
- He or she cannot be a relative of one of the applicants taking the test.
- The scribe's educational background needs to be less than the candidates.
- It is necessary to receive a proforma with a declaration from the scribe.
- The scribe's signed proforma needs to be sent to the Controller of Examination's office.
- Using the scribe service is easy to do; just fill out the form and make sure all the required information is included.
- Examinees might find comfortable sitting arrangements at the test center.
- The computer center is the location of the SwD examination, and SwDs have access to the examination centers.
- The Controller of the Examination will have the last say in all matters. • Those who are permitted to utilize a scribe under the concessions listed below will get compensatory time for the examination. Disabled candidates who appear for examination are granted accommodations such as scribes during the examination and extra time to finish the test, subject to the guidelines prescribed by Dr. Sudhir Chandra Sur Institute of Technology and Sports Complex, depending on the extent and type of the candidate's impairment.

ACCESSIBILITY AND ACCESS AUDIT FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES:

❖ Enabling Environment

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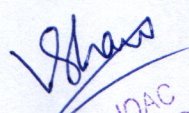



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❖ **For the SwDs, the following amenities are also provided:**

- Students can request auxiliary aids and services for course or program accessibility, such as readers, scribes, sign or oral interpreters, adapted equipment, and other pertinent services or equipment.
- The institution bears the responsibility of guaranteeing that no eligible student with a disability is left out of programs or refused access because auxiliary aids and services are not available.
- All activities, services, and programs would be provided in the most integrated environment feasible to accommodate the requirements of students with disabilities and to promote communication among all students, including SwDs.
- Reasonable educational accommodation will be granted to students with disabilities who have self-identified and complied with legal requirements by providing adequate documentation.
- Academic criteria should be changed as necessary and appropriate to guarantee that they do not discriminate against or have the appearance of discriminating against students with disabilities (SWDs).
- Modifications could involve adjusting the time allotted to fulfil degree requirements, substituting, or waiving certain courses that are necessary to fulfil requirements, or changing the way certain courses are taught.
- The College may oversee or help oversee the administration of fellowships, scholarships, or other forms of financial support established by management, trusts, or other organizations of a similar nature that call for awards to be given;
 - The Institution will guarantee to outside agencies, organizations, or individuals that placement opportunities for students are available to SwDs.
- Assistance with placement, guidance, and counselling for personal, academic, or professional goals would be given without regard to a person's impairment.

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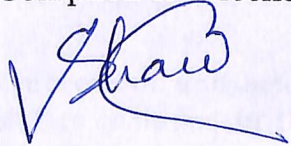

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