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PG / Ph.D Programme— Regulations 2015										
Common To All Branches										
		Hours /Weeks			Credits	Maximum Marks				
Course Code	Course Title	L	Т	P	C	CA	EA	Total		
115PCGE01	RESEARCH METHODOLOGY	3	0	0	3	40	60	100		

OBJECTIVE(S):

To impart knowledge and skills required for research methodology:

- Problem formulation, analysis and solutions.
- Technical paper writing / presentation without violating professional ethics
- Patent drafting and filing patents.

UNIT - I RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:

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Objectives and motivation of research - Types of research - Research approaches - Significance of research - Research methods verses methodology - Research and scientific method - Importance of research methodology - Research process - Approaches of investigation of solutions for research problem, data collection, analysis, interpretation, necessary instrumentations- Criteria of good research. Defining the research problem: Definition of research problem - Problem formulation - Necessity of defining the problem - Technique involved in defining a problem.

UNIT-II LITERATURE SURVEY AND DATA COLLECTION:

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Importance of literature survey - Sources of information - Assessment of quality of journals and articles - Information through internet. Effective literature studies approaches, analysis, plagiarism, and research ethics. Data - Preparing, Exploring, examining and displaying.

UNIT – III RESEARCH DESIGN AND ANALYSIS

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Meaning of research design - Need of research design - Different research designs - Basic principles of experimental design - Developing a research plan - Design of experimental set-up - Use of standards and codes. Overview of Multivariate analysis, Hypotheses testing and Measures of Association. Presenting Insights and findings using written reports and oral presentation.

UNIT - IV INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS (IPR)

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Nature of Intellectual Property: Patents, Designs, Trade and Copyright. Process of Patenting and Development: technological research, innovation, patenting, development. Role of WIPO and WTO in IPR establishments, Right of Property, Common rules of IPR practices, Types and Features of IPR Agreement, Trademark, Functions

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of UNESCO in IPR maintenance.

UNIT - V PATENT RIGHTS (PR)

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Patent Rights: Scope of Patent Rights. Licensing and transfer of technology. Patent information and databases. Geographical Indications. New Developments in IPR: Administration of Patent System, IPR of Biological Systems, Computer Software etc. Traditional knowledge Case Studies, IPR and IITs. Licenses, Licensing of related patents, patent agents, Registration of patent agents.

TOTAL: 45 Hours

COURSEOUTCOMES:

CO1: Ability to formulate research problem CO2: Ability to carry out research analysis

CO3: Ability to follow research ethics

CO4: Ability to understand that today's world is controlled by Computer, Information Technology,

but tomorrow world will be ruled by ideas, concept, and creativity

CO5: Ability to understand about IPR and filing patents in R & D.

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	CO-PO MAPPING												
Course Name	co's	Program outcomes(Washington Accord Attributes)											
		PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12
RESEARCH METHODOLO GY	CO1	_	3	1	2	3	-		-	-	_	-	1
	CO2	-	1	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	CO3	_	1	1	2	1	_	_	_	_	-	-	1
	CO4	-	1	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	CO5	-	1	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
AVERAGE		-	1.4	1.00	2.00	2.60	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.00

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