KURUKSHETRA UNIVERSITY KURUKSHETRA

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NOTIFICATION

The Haryana State Higher Education Council, Panchkula has designed Guiding Principles with regard to Academic Leadership-Division of Work and Responsibility Consciousness for the academic leaders of the Universities. A copy of the office letter No.14/26-2022 Adv./HSHEC dated 28.12.2022 issued by the Advisor, Haryana State Higher Education Council alongwith a copy of the Guiding Principles is enclosed herewith for kind information (copies enclosed).

REGISTRAR Endst.No.ACR-I/23/ 2394-2473 Dated: A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for kind information: -

- 1. Dean Academic Affairs, KUK
- 2. Proctor/Deputy Proctor, KUK
- 3. Dean Students' Welfare, KUK
- 4. All Deans/Chairpersons/Directors of the Faculties/UTDs/Institutes, KUK
- 5. Director, IT Cell with the request to upload on the University Website.
- 6. Controllers of Examinations- I&II, KUK
- 7. Director, Directorate of Distance Education, KUK
- 8. Chief Wardens/ Wardens of all the Hostels, KUK
- 9. Director Public Relations, KUK
- 10. Principals, IIHS & ITTR & USSMS, KUK
- 11. Joint Director (Audit), KUK
- 12. Finance Officer, KUK
- 13. All the Heads of Non-Teaching Depts./Offices/Branches, KUK
- 14. O.S.D. to the Vice-Chancellor, KUK
- 15. P.A. to the Vice-Chancellor, KUK
- 16. Assistant Registrar O/o the Registrar, KUK

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Advisor

No. 14/26-2022 Adv./HSHEC Dated: 28.12.2022

Subject: Academic Leadership- Division of Work and Responsibility Consciousness: **Guiding Principles for the Academic Leaders of the Universities**

Respected Prof. Somnath ji,

Namaskar 🔔

Greetings from Haryana State Higher Education Council

As a follow-up of the above workshop, Council has designed guiding principles for the academic leaders of the Universities and is happy to share it with the University. Developing guiding principles is crucial for creating a high-performance University. These drive decision-making and as a consequence shape the University's work culture. These are only suggestive guidelines that you may share with your present team members and also with those who join your team in future. Your considered opinion and views are also welcome.

(Shai K.K Agnihotri)

Prof. Somnath Sachdeva Vice Chancellor

Kurukshetra University,

Kurukshetra.

Annexur-I

ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP – DIVISION OF WORK AND RESPONSIBILITY CONSCIOUSNESS – A DIALOGUE

Date: 26th and 27th November, 2022
Organizer: Haryana State Higher Education Council
Place: Red Bishop, Panchkula

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- Vice Chancellors, Registrars, Dean Academic Affairs, Deans, Directors, Controller of Examinations, Finance Officers and other higher officials of the State Universities are leaders of higher education in the State who influence the academic frameworks, environment, and progress of higher education institutions.
- 2. All of them should have clarity about their role in the University. Being a part of the University's team, he/she should constantly adapt according to what circumstances demand.
- 3. An academic leader should not have an individualistic thought process. He/she should possess spirit of working collectively as a team. It is a proven fact that team work enhances excellence.
- 4. There needs to be clarity about the tasks which one has to perform and which one is not entitled to perform when working individually and in team.
- 5. Collective consciousness should be transformed into a common vision.
- 6. After a thorough discussion, decisions taken through consensus or through majority while working in a team, a team member should avoid opposing the collective decision afterwards. All decisions should be in tune with the student-centric approach.
- 7. There should be continuous interaction and flow of ideas within and across Universities.

 Sharing of best practices amongst the Universities need to be encouraged.
- 8. Realization and clarity of role in the University need to be stressed upon.
- 9. An efficient division of work is a characteristic of a good academic leader.
- 10. The decisions of a University should be in tune with the vision of the University, State and Nation.
- 11. Periodic orientation and re-orientation of the academic leaders is necessary.