PATNA WOMEN'S COLLEGE

Autonomous PATNA UNIVERSITY

3rd Cycle NAAC Accredited at 'A' Grade with CGPA 3.58/4 'College with Potential for Excellence' (CPE) status accorded by UGC

POLICY ON RESEARCH ETHICS

In compliance with the University Grants Commission (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations, 2018, Patna Women's College is committed to develop a mechanism for the conduction of research with integrity and ethical processes. All research activities in the institution shall be undertaken with the following broad principles and procedures:

- Every researcher of Patna Women's College (PWC) will proactively promote intellectual honesty and integrity. They will desist from activities that infringe the copyright or any other misconduct in any aspect of research.
- All the teachers will work to enhance awareness about the responsible conduct of research and academic activities and to prevent plagiarism.
- The basic principles of academic integrity, the elements of responsible conduct of research and publication ethics will be included in curricula of academic programmes run at Patna Women's College.
- PWC will arrange for training of students, faculty, researcher and staff in using plagiarism detection tools and reference management tools.
- PWC will establish and maintain a facility equipped with modern technologies
 for the detection of plagiarism and ensure that each publication/thesis/
 dissertation by the student, faculty, researcher or staff of PWC is checked for
 plagiarism at the time of forwarding/submission.
- All the research guides will ensure that research articles, theses, dissertations
 or any other such documents are free of plagiarism at the time of their
 submission.

- Every student submitting a thesis, dissertation, or any other such documents
 to PWC shall submit an undertaking indicating that the document has been
 prepared by him/her and that the document is his/her original work and free of
 any plagiarism. The undertaking shall include the fact that the document has
 been duly checked through a Plagiarism detection tool approved by PWC
 Research Committee.
- Each supervisor shall submit a certificate indicating that the work done by the researcher under him/her is plagiarism-free.
- PWC will work to enhance the awareness about Intellectual Property Right through regular awareness programmes.

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