



CHAUDHARY DEVI LAL UNIVERSITY, SIRSA
(Established by the State Legislature Act 9 of 2003)

(Through E-Mail)

NOTIFICATION

It is notified for information of all the concerned that the Executive Council in its 70th meeting held on 14.02.2023 vide resolution No. 70.21 has approved the recommendations of the Academic Council in its 34th meeting held on 23.01.2023 vide Resolution No. 34.11 regarding the Ordinance of Value Added Courses (VACs) (**Annexure-I, Pages-01 to 02**).

[Handwritten Signature]
21/2/23

REGISTRAR

Endst./Acad./AC-II/2023/ 8075-8114 Dated: 21/2/23

A copy of the above forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. All Deans of Faculties and Chairpersons of UTD(s), CDLU, Sirsa.
2. The Dean Academic Affairs, CDLU, Sirsa.
3. The Dean, USGS, CDLU, Sirsa.
4. The Dean of Colleges, CDLU, Sirsa.
5. The Controller of Examinations, CDLU, Sirsa.
6. The Director, UITDC, CDLU, Sirsa to upload the above notification on the University Website.
7. P.S. to V.C (for information of the Vice Chancellor), CDLU, Sirsa.
8. P.A. to Registrar (for information of the Registrar), CDLU, Sirsa.

[Handwritten Signature]
21/02/2023
Deputy Registrar (Acad.)

Ordinance for Value-Added Courses (VACs)

1. Context

The Value Added Courses are targeted to fulfil the demands of NEP-2020 and are in consonance with Curriculum and Credit Framework. Value-based education will include the development of humanistic, ethical, Constitutional, and universal human values of truth, righteous conduct, peace, love, nonviolence, scientific temper, citizenship values, and life skills.

The University shall offer two types of courses focusing on Human & Ethical values and Skill enhancement. These courses will provide necessary life skills and increase the employability quotient to the students to be better humans and succeed in life.

2. Objectives

Objectives of the VACs are:

- To develop well rounded personalities and inculcate humane virtues among the students.
- To provide overall growth to the human side among the students.
- To make students aware of Indian Knowledge System (IKS).
- To provide students an understanding of the expectations of industry.
- To bridge the skill gaps and make students industry ready.
- To provide an opportunity to students develop their inter-disciplinary skills.

3. Designing the courses

- Any VAC developed by a teacher shall be placed before the Faculty by the respective Dean and approved by the Academic Council.
- The course may include material of Audio Visual nature, online classes, Open Educational Resources (OER) and may include interaction of informal nature.
- The course offered should not be the same as any course listed in the curriculum of the respective program/or any other program offered in University Departments.
- Any VAC developed by a teacher in consultation with the Director, UCOPE shall be placed before the Academic Council for approval, directly.
- A unique course code is to be allotted for each course.

4. Guidelines for conducting VAC

- Minimum one VAC in each year for every student of UG/PG is mandatory to qualify for any program.
- It is a teacher assisted learning course open to all students without any additional fee.
- Classes for VACs will be conducted beyond the regular class hours to be notified from time to time. In case of need VACs may also be conducted during weekends/vacation period.



- 1 -



- A student will be permitted to register only one VAC in a semester.
- The students may be allowed to take value added courses offered by other departments after obtaining permission from Chairperson of the Department offering the course.

5. Duration and Venue

Each Value Added course will be of two credits having 30 hours.

The Dean of the respective faculty/Director, UCOPE shall arrange class rooms based on the number of students/batches.

6. Procedure for Registration

The list of VACs shall be displayed on the University Website along with the syllabus. A student shall register for a VAC offered during the semester by submitting the duly filled in registration form. The office of the Chairperson of the concerned Department shall segregate the forms according to the choice opted by the students and send the list to the quarter concerned offering the particular VACs.

7. Attendance

Each faculty handling a course shall maintain the Attendance and Assessment Record for candidates who have registered for the course.

- The record shall contain details of the students' attendance/interaction, marks obtained in the Internal Assessment Tests (written/oral).
- Assignments, Seminars, etc. conducted.
- At the end of the semester, the record shall be duly signed by the Teacher/course Instructor and the Chairperson of the Department and placed in safe custody for any future verification.
- The attendance norms applicable on VACs will be as per University rules.

8. Requirement for passing and grading

- The grades for VACs will be awarded as per respective ordinance of the University.
- The duly verified result/grade obtained by the students in VACs may be supplied by the concerned teacher or course Instructor to the Controller of Examinations through respective Dean/Director.
- The grades obtained in VACs may be counted for calculating the CGPA as per respective ordinance and the same will be reflected in the Detailed Marks Card (DMC) of the student.
- The students may enroll in more than 4 courses in the whole tenure and courses passed over and above 4 will not be counted towards the award of the degree, however, the same will be reflected in the detailed marks card of the students.






06/01/23

