Overview

Tezpur University is dedicated for promoting a continuing sustainable research culture among the deserving members of the University especially, Faculty and students. Research in higher educational institute is the keystone for continuing creation of knowledge. The outputs of such research activities directly contribute to social well-being, economic of the country and the progression of society. Thus, the objectives of Tezpur University research policy are to nurture and encourage scientific temperament and research talent of all its learners. It tries to comprehend the vision and mission of the University and to engage research in the fields of academic, practical and socially relevance, and thus contributing to societal development as a whole.

For this purpose, the university has established a Dean, Research and Development (R&D) office in the year 2008 and is entrusted with substantial autonomy to facilitate the smooth implementation of research and consultancy projects received from various Government and non-Government funding agencies. This office takes the responsibility from forwarding the research proposals for possible funding by the funding agencies to completion report including advertisement and appointment of project staff; permission of field trips/visits to the project staff and investigators; permission to attend workshops/seminars/symposiums/ conferences as well as to visit different research laboratories by using the project grant. In addition, this office also manages the Departmental and institutional research projects such as UGC-SAP, UGC-BSR start up grants, DST-FIST and DBT funded Biotech Hub. Dean R&D also helps in conducting the Tezpur University Ethical Committee, Tezpur University Animal Ethical Committee, Tezpur University Biosafety Committee, and Bioinformatics Infrastructure Facility meetings. This office has also been involved in implementation of projects approved by ONGC-CPBT, an example of Academy-Industry collaboration at Tezpur University.

In addition, the office also deals with various fellowships of scholars including UGC-NET JRF, NFOBC, NFST, RGNFST, MANF, DS Kothari, SVSGC, CSIR-JRF/SRF, CSIR, DST-INSPIRE, DBT-JRF etc.