

MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY ROHTAK

Copy of extract of Reso. No. 10(39) of Executive Council's meeting held on 29.09.2025

1. (39) Consideration of and approve the recommendations of the Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor to start Ph.D. Program in the Centre for Yogic Studies, M. D. University, Rohtak (Annexure A/128 page 782, already circulated).

On the request of the Director, Centre for Yogic Studies, M. D. University, Rohtak, the Vice-Chancellor constituted a Committee to start Ph.D. Program in the Centre for Yogic Studies, M. D. University, Rohtak. The meeting of the Committee was held on 25.08.2025. The Committee discussed the matter at length and to promote the Inter-Disciplinary Research in the University and for the development of holistic education in the light of the NEP 2020, and resolved as under:

1. The Centre for Yogic Studies may be allowed to start the Ph.D. Programme in Centre for Yogic Studies w.e.f. the session 2025-26.
2. The studies in Yogic Discipline are Inter-Disciplinary in nature and the Centre for Yogic Studies falls under the Faculty of Inter-Disciplinary Studies. Moreover, Dr. Sunita Saini, Professor in Sanskrit has specialization in Indian Philosophy including Yoga Philosophy. Keeping these in view, Dr. Sunita Saini may be allowed to supervise two Ph.D. Scholars in Yogic Studies in the Centre for Yogic Studies w.e.f. the session 2025-26 to promote the Inter-Disciplinary research in the University.

The recommendations of the Committee were submitted to the Vice-Chancellor and he has ordered to refer the matter to the Academic Council for consideration.

The Academic Council vide Reso. No. 68 in its meeting held on 02.09.2025 considered the above and passed the following resolution:

RESOLVED THAT THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE COMMITTEES ABOVE BE RECOMMENDED TO THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL FOR CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL.

The Executive Council considered the above; and

RESOLVED THAT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL AS ABOVE BE APPROVED.

[ACTION BY A.R. (ACAD.)]

Endst. No.AC-VI/2025/F-13/ 41 878-997

Dated: 13.11.2025

Copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. All the Deans of Faculties/Directors/Heads of the Departments/Institute/Colleges, Centres, M.D.University, Rohtak.
2. Advisor to V.C., M. D. University, Rohtak.
3. Dean (R&D)/Director (IQAC), M. D. University, Rohtak.
4. All Branch Officers, M.D.University, Rohtak.
5. Finance Officer, M.D.University, Rohtak.
6. Director (University Computer Centre), M.D.University, Rohtak with the request to upload the same on the University website.
7. AC-IV set, Academic Branch, M.D.University, Rohtak.
8. OSD/P.A. to Vice-Chancellor/Dean Academic Affairs/Registrar/Controller of Examinations (for kind information of Vice-Chancellor/Dean Academic Affairs/Registrar/COE), M.D.University, Rohtak.


Superintendent (Academic)
For Registrar



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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE CONSTITUTED BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR HELD ON 25.08.2025 IN THE O/O THE DEAN, ACADEMIC AFFAIRS, MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY, ROHTAK TO START PH.D. PROGRAMME IN THE CENTRE FOR YOGIC STUDIES, M. D. UNIVERSITY, ROHTAK.

The following were present:

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| 1. Prof. S. C. Malik, Dean Academic Affairs | - Convener |
| 2. Prof. Rajeev Kumar, Dean, Faculty of Inter-Disciplinary Studies | - Member |
| 3. Prof. Harish Dureja, Dean (Research & Development) | - Member |
| 4. Prof. Sunita Saini, Director, Centre for Yogic Studies | - Member |
| 5. Prof. Surender Kumar, Director, Centre for Maharshi Dayanand and Vedic Studies | - Member |

The committee considered the recommendations of Adhoc-PGBOS dated 16.07.2025 of the Centre for Yogic Studies regarding starting of Ph.D. programme in the Centre for Yogic Studies and permission to offer two additional seats for Ph.D. in Yogic Studies under the supervision of Prof. Sunita Saini.

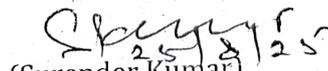
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(S.C. Malik)
25/8/25


(Sunita Saini)
25/8/25


(Rajeev Kumar)
25/8/25


(Surender Kumar)
25/8/25


(Harish Dureja)