



विश्वभारती / VISVA-BHARATI  
शांतिनिकेतन / SANTINIKETAN

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**NOTICE**

This is for information of all concerned that the competent authority has been pleased to constitute a committee “**Visva-Bharati Innovation Cell (VBIC)**” with the following members:

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| 1. Prof. S. Balachandran, Professor, Dept. of Environment Science                         | - <b>Chairperson</b> |
| 2. Prof. Dipankar Roy, Professor, Dept. of English                                        | - Member             |
| 3. Dr. Sanjoy Ghosh, Joint Registrar Academic & Research                                  | - Member             |
| 4. Dr. Rakesh Kundu, Associate Professor, Dept. of Zoology                                | - Member             |
| 5. Dr. Prithidipa Sahoo, Associate Professor, Dept. of Chemistr                           | - Member             |
| 6. Dr. Bholanath Mondal, Associate Professor, Dept. of Plant Pathology                    | - Member             |
| 7. Dr. Digvijaysingh Dhakre, Associate Professor, Dept. of Agril, Statistics              | - Member             |
| 8. Dr. Amarendra Kumar, Associate Professor, Dept. of History                             | - Member             |
| 9. Dr. Manjari Chakrabarty, Associate Professor, Dept. of Philosophy and Comp. Religion - | Member               |
| 10. Dr. Monojit Chowdhury, Asst. Professor, Agril. Engineering                            | - Member             |
| 11. Dr. Nawal Kishore Sharma, Asst. Professor, Dept. of HCM                               | - Member             |
| 12. Dr. Prashant Phirangi, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Graphic Art                          | - Member             |
| 13. Dr. Debaditya Barman, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Computer System Science               | - Member             |
| 14. Dr. Ashis Narayan Banerjee, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Silpa Sadana                    | - Member             |
| 15. Dr. Janapati Yellaiah, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Physics                              | - Member             |
| 16. Mr. Tapan Soren, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Santali                                    | - Member             |
| 17. Dr. Viswanath S, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Physical Education and Sports Science -    | <b>Member</b>        |
- Secretary**

The Visva-Bharati Innovation Cell (VBIC) will deal with three major issues relating to; a) Start-up Policy, b) Incubation Centre and c) Intellectual Property Rights (IPR). Committee will submit its report quarterly to the competent authority with a copy to coordinator, IQAC.

Committee is requested to start its work with immediate effect.

*[Signature]* 24/09/2026  
Registrar  
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**Copy to:**

1. The chairperson and the members of the committee
2. The Coordinator, IQAC, Visva- Bharati
3. The Joint Registrar-cum-CS to the Upacharya, Visva- Bharati
4. The P.A. to the Registrar, Visva-Bharati
5. In-charge, Computer Center, Visva-Bharati – With a request to upload the notice to the university website