

CHILDREN'S RESEARCH UNIVERSITY, GANDHINAGAR**47th Executive Council Online/Offline Meeting Date: 29/03/2025**
Minutes of Meeting

The 47th Meeting of the Executive Council of the Children's Research University was held on 29/03/2025 at 4:30 PM.

The following members of the Executive Council were present in the meeting.

Name of the Member	Designation
The Vice Chancellor, CRU	Chairperson
Dr. Bhadrayu Vachharajani Ex. Vice Chancellor, Lokbharati Uni. for Rural Innovation, Sanosara, Bhavnagar	Member
Prof. Jayna Joshi, Professor, IITE, Gandhinagar	Member
Finance and Accounts Officer (I/c), CRU	Member
Registrar (I/c), CRU	Member-Secretary

The following members of the Executive Council were not present in the meeting with the oral permission from the Chair.

Name of the Member	Designation
The Secretary to the Government of Gujarat, Higher Education	Member
The Secretary to the Government of Gujarat, Finance Department	Member
The Commissioner of Higher Education, Gujarat State	Member

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor has welcomed august Executive Council Members & thanked the Members for their presence.

The agenda of the Executive Council Meeting discussed and deliberated at length by the members and resolved as under:

Agenda 01: The matter of confirmation of Minutes of the 46th Executive Council Meeting held on 22nd March, 2025 is put for approval with ATR.

(Annexure-1) (Academic Branch)



Resolution 01: The Minutes of the 46th Executive Council Meeting held on 22nd March, 2025 was approved with ATR. **(Academic Branch)**

Agenda 02: Inauguration of the Online Extension Program on Garbhsamskar (Tapovan) and Counseling for Toddlers (Shishu Paramarshan) in collaboration with BISAG-N, launching on 31st March 2025, followed by a discussion on operational details, coordination, and logistics for program delivery across various centers in Gujarat for information and approval.

(Dept of Prenatal Care and Toddler Education)

Resolution 02: The matter was noted and approved with appreciation.

(Dept of Prenatal Care and Toddler Education)

Agenda 03: Dr. Mahesh Jariya, Associate Professor (Mathematics), who was appointed as Associate Professor at Saurashtra University, had requested to avail a lien on the post he was relieved from at the Children's Research University. This matter was previously considered by the Council in the EC meeting, and the Council suggested seeking guidance from the Education Department, GoG. The university has initiated the process accordingly. Recently, Dr. Jariya has informed the university to revoke his application for lien. As a result one post of Associate Professor is vacant. The matter is presented for information and approval.

(Annexure-2) (Establishment Branch)

Resolution 03: The matter was noted and approved. **(Establishment Branch)**

Agenda 04: The University has received final judgment of Hon. High Court dated 24/03/2025 to reinstate Dr. Swati Tripathi on the post of Assistant Professor (Performing Arts) for one year on probation. The matter is presented for information and approval.

(Annexure-3) (Establishment Branch)

Resolution 04: The matter was noted, approved and resolved to proceed further as per the decision of the Hon'ble Court. **(Establishment Branch)**

Agenda 05: As per the Hon. High Court order dated 24/03/2025, Dr. Swati Tripathi is to be reinstated to her position as Assistant Professor (Performing Arts), which is presently hold by Dr. Chirag Solanki under a conditional appointment. Dr. Solanki is required to be relieved from his duties with immediate effect due to this order. However, the University wishes to continue Dr. Solanki's services. To facilitate this, a detailed proposal needs to be submitted to the Government to accommodate Dr. Solanki in a post, either through a sanctioned position in the upcoming budget or a vacancy arising



from an existing post. Till that the university will not fill up the post of Associate Professor against the post of Assistant Professor (Performing Arts) on which Dr. Chirag Solanki is serving. The matter is put forth for discussion, consideration and approval.

(Annexure-4) (Establishment Branch)

Resolution 05: The matter was discussed, deliberated at length and approved the submitted detailed proposal by the University to the Education Department Government of Gujarat in order to sustain Dr. Chirag Solanki as Assistant Professor in Performing Arts. It was also approved that the proposal which seek permission from the Department of Education, Government of Gujarat to continue the service of Dr. Chirag Solanki Assistant Professor in Performing Arts till the new post of Assistant Professor is sanctioned in the budget as a new item or the vacancy of the same cadre arise from the existing staff. The post of Dr. Chirag Solanki shall be adjusted against such fresh or vacant post. Further, It was also resolved that if required the University shall not recruit the Post of Associate Professor which is vacated by Dr. Mahesh Jariya till such adjustment is completed.

(Establishment Branch)

Agenda 06: Dr. Rupam B. Upadhyaya, Associate Professor in Education has completed Two years of probation as per the condition mentioned in the appointment letter on 12th March, 2025 and she will be confirmed from 4th April, 2025 is put for the information.

(Establishment Branch)

Resolution 06: The matter was noted and approved.

(Establishment Branch)

Agenda from the Chair: Nil

Date: 29/03/2025

Place: Children's Research University, Gandhinagar


Registrar (I/c)

