

ANTI-RAGGING POLICY

We are proud of the fact that our University aims at maintaining a healthy and congenial academic environment that shall be free from the menace of ragging. University maintains that: Ragging is Unsocial, Illegal, Punishable and has been completely banned in any form whatsoever by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

Ragging defined as "Any act causing, inducing, compelling or forcing a student, whether by way of practical joke or otherwise, to do any act which detracts from human dignity or violates his person or exposes him to ridicule or forebears from doing any lawful act, by intimidating, wrongfully restraining, wrongfully confining, or injuring him by using criminal force towards him or by holding out to him any threat of such intimidation, wrongful restraint, wrongful confinement, injury or the use of criminal force."

Further some of the acts that would be construed as Ragging are listed below:

- (a) Compelling a student to address the seniors as "Sir" or "Madam".
- (b) To perform mass drill.
- (c) To copy class notes for seniors.
- (d) To serve various errands.
- (e) To do menial jobs for the seniors.
- (f) To ask/answer vulgar questions.
- (g) To look at pornographic material "to shock the freshers out of their innocence".
- (h) To force to drink alcohol or scalding tea etc.
- (i) To force to do acts with sexual overtones including homosexual acts.
- (j) To force to do acts that can lead to physical injury/mental torture or death.
- (k) To strip or kiss etc.
- (l) To do other obscenities.
- (m) To force the students to do any act which amounts to ridicule or degradation of human dignity.
- (o) To use physical force/assault of any nature.
- (p) Abusing.

The above list is by no means exhaustive. Any act that the authorities consider falling within the ambit of Ragging given in the definition above would invite severe punishment.

Any student found indulging in Ragging would be fined Rs. 50,000/- and expelled from the University. In addition, an FIR would also be lodged against the defaulters.

Students are further advised to desist from indulging in Ragging. Defaulters would be dealt with severely. Any compromise reached with the victim later would not be tenable as a plea for lenient punishment. If the individuals committing or abetting ragging are not/cannot be identified, collective punishment can be awarded to act as a deterrent.

To deal with the menace of ragging an anti-ragging cell has been established at the University. All cases of ragging will be referred to this cell for prompt action.

Note :

Smoking in an around the University is prohibited consuming/carrying of Alcohol/Narcotics and weapons is strictly prohibited.



Applicability of Regulations in Force

Notwithstanding the nature of the program spread over more than one academic year, the regulations in force at the time a student joins a program shall hold good only for the examinations held during or at the end of that semester. Nothing in these regulations shall be deemed to debar the University from amending the regulations subsequently and the amended regulations, if any, shall apply to all students, old or new, as specified therein.

Disclaimer

The statements made in this prospectus and all other information, contained herein are believed to be correct at the time of publication. However, the University reserves the right to make, at any time, without notice, changes in and/or additions to the regulations of the University and conditions governing the conduct of students, requirements for degree, fee and any other information, or statements contained in this prospectus either on its own or under any rules or regulations imposed by State Government/UGC/MHRD. No responsibility will be accepted by the University for inconvenience or expense encountered by its student or any other person for such changes, additions, omissions or errors, no matter how they are caused.

Settlement of Disputes

In case any student seeking admission/admitted to any disciplines available in Chitkara University, raises any dispute with regard to any order passed by the Admission Committee and/or enforcement, interpretation of the terms of the admission or any other matter covered by the Regulations of the University and/or the terms given in the Prospectus, the same shall be settled by the Registrar of the University or his nominee, whose decision shall be final subject to the condition that the dispute, if any, is referred to the Registrar within 15 days from the date of arising of the dispute.

Jurisdiction

All disputes will be subject to jurisdiction of the Courts at Chandigarh City only.



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