

UTTARANCHAL UNIVERSITY

(Established vide Uttaranchal University Act, 2012) (Uttarakhand Act No. 11 of 2013) Arcadia Grant, P.O. Chandanwari, Premnagar, Dehradun, Uttarakhand

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IMPLEMENTATION OF CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM

To strengthen and broad base the existing academic dispensation, The University Grants Commission (UGC) has framed guidelines for adoption of Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS) for all undergraduate and postgraduate level degree, diploma and certificate programs under the credit system awarded by Central, State and Deemed to be Universities. The details of the guidelines are given in the Annexure. The CBCS will enable students to take courses of their choice, learn at their own pace, undergo additional courses and acquire more than the required credits, and adopt an interdisciplinary approach to learning. The CBCS guidelines also provide for standardized Letter Grades, corresponding Grade Points, uniform method for calculation of Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA) and Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) and a consolidated Transcript Format to indicate a student's performance in each semester. The grading system is considered to be better than the conventional marks system and hence it has been followed in the top institutions in India and abroad. Adoption of grading system will facilitate seamless mobility of students across the institutions within and across countries and also enable employers to assess the performance of students.

In view of the foregoing all the Deans/Directors/In-Charges are advised to go through the guidelines carefully and explain to the students the benefits of CBCS and motivate them to opt for courses of their choice from amongst the basket of courses. The syllabus for important and relevant course should be prepared and be put up to the next meeting of BOS of 2015-16 and got them recommended for onward approval of AC BOM etc.

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(Prof. S. C. Joshi)
Vice Chancellor

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