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The Principal  
Vignan's Institute of Information Technology  
Besides VSEZ Vadlapudi Duvvada, Gajuwaka,  
Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh 530049

Subject: Selection for Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) under STRIDE - (Duration – 3 Years).

Sir/Madam,

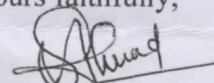
1. This is with reference to the proposal submitted by Vignan's Institute of Information Technology for recognition as a UGC-STRIDE Centre for Research Capacity Building on a Self-finance mode under Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) of the Scheme for Trans-disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy (STRIDE) of the University Grants Commission (UGC).
2. On the basis of the recommendations of the Expert Committee at its Interface Meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2019, I am directed to convey approval of the UGC for recognizing as UGC-STRIDE Centre for Research Capacity Building under Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) under the STRIDE (duration of 3 years) with the following identified approaches:
  - a) Curriculum
  - b) Critical Thinking
  - c) Faculty Resources
  - d) Training Strategies
  - e) Training Methods
  - f) Implementation Process (time-frame)

The Coordinator of the Project shall be responsible for implementation of the Project as per the identified approaches under the overall supervision of the Principal. He may continue till the end of the project or till his/her superannuation.

3. The College shall immediately constitute a Mentoring and Monitoring Committee (MMC) as per the STRIDE guidelines which can be downloaded from UGC's website [www.ugc.ac.in](http://www.ugc.ac.in) and follow the terms of reference of the Mentoring and Monitoring Committee (MMC) to ensure effective implementation and monitoring of the Project.
4. No request for any change in the effective date of the implementation of the Project will be considered.

5. The Institution shall spend full amount as per the commitment of the Management on the approaches identified by the Expert Committee
6. The annual progress report shall be submitted as per the Guidelines of STRIDE.
7. The College shall strictly follow the STRIDE Guidelines posted on UGC website.
8. The recognition will be withdrawn at any point of time if it is found that the institution is ineligible or UGC rules have not been followed.

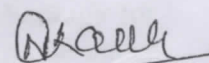
Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Shakeel Ahmad)  
Joint Secretary (STRIDE)

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1. The Coordinator of the Project, Vignan's Institute of Information Technology, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh 530049
2. The Registrar, JNTU, Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh.
3. The Secretary (Higher Education), Amravati, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Joint Secretary (Regional Office), SERO, Hyderabad-500001 (A.P).
5. Guard File.



(Nirmal Kaur)  
Under Secretary