

UNFAIR MEANS COMMITTEE

An Unfair Means Committee typically refers to a group established by educational institutions to investigate cases of academic misconduct, such as cheating or plagiarism. The committee reviews evidence, hears testimonies, and decides on appropriate actions, which may include disciplinary measures like warnings, suspension, or expulsion. The goal is to uphold academic integrity and ensure a fair learning environment for all students.

Mission

To uphold academic integrity by investigating and addressing instances of unfair means in a fair, transparent, and unbiased manner, thereby fostering a culture of honesty and ethical behavior among students.

Vision

To create an educational environment where academic integrity is valued and upheld, leading to a community of learners who are committed to ethical practices and genuine scholarship.

Objectives

1. **Promote Awareness:** Educate students and faculty about academic integrity policies and the consequences of misconduct.

2. **Investigate Allegations:** Conduct thorough and impartial investigations into reported cases of unfair means.
3. **Ensure Fairness:** Provide a fair hearing process for all parties involved in an investigation.
4. **Impose Appropriate Sanctions:** Recommend disciplinary actions that reflect the severity of the misconduct while considering the circumstances.
5. **Review Policies:** Regularly assess and update academic integrity policies to adapt to evolving educational standards.

Functions

1. **Case Review:** Examine reports of academic misconduct and determine the validity of claims.
2. **Hearings:** Conduct hearings to allow involved parties to present their cases and evidence.
3. **Recommendation of Sanctions:** Decide on appropriate disciplinary actions based on findings.
4. **Policy Development:** Contribute to the formulation and revision of academic integrity policies.
5. **Educational Initiatives:** Organize workshops and seminars to promote understanding of academic integrity among students and staff.

Composition

Sr No	Name of the Member	Designation	Nature
1.	Mr. Updesh Kumar Sharma	General Secretary - Management	General Secretary
2.	Dr. Prerna Sharma	Incharge Principal	Chairperson

3.	Ms. Jyoti Pota	Institute Secretary	Member
4.	Mr. Indresh Parmar	Faculty	Coordinator
5.	Ms. Isha More	Non Teaching	Member