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Socio-Economically Disadvantaged Groups (SEDGs)

The Socio-Economically Disadvantaged Groups Cell (SEDG) at Symbiosis University of Applied Sciences has been established in accordance with UGC Public Notice No. F.No. 6-2/2022(SCT) dated 17th April, 2023. The SEDG Cell is dedicated to safeguarding the constitutional rights of socio-economically disadvantaged students, ensuring an inclusive, safe, and supportive academic environment, and facilitating access to scholarships, counseling, and grievance redressal mechanisms. University has established an Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC) for Socio-Economically Disadvantaged Groups.

Composition of Socio-Economically Disadvantaged Groups Cell (SEDG)

Sr. No.	Name	Member
1	Dr. Arpita Basak, Director, SR, SUAS	Chairperson
2	Dr. Neha Gupta, Dy. Director, SCSIT, SUAS	Member
3	Dr. Vaishali Joshi, Associate Professor, SCSIT, SUAS	Member
4	Dr. Ram Singh, Director, IQAC, SUAS	Member
5	Mr. Ashish Shekokar, Assistant Librarian, SUAS	Member
6	Dr. Brajesh Kumar Shrivastava, Assistant Professor, SDSC, SUAS	Member
7	Mr. Neeraj Goyal, B.Tech CSIT (SC)	Member
8	Ms. Alisha Soni, B. Tech CSIT (OBC)	Member
9	Mr. Pankaj Kumar Roy, Assistant Registrar, SUAS	Member Secretary

Objectives of SEDGs Cell:

1. To protect all the constitutional rights of the SEDGs students.
2. To ensure that the HEIs are inclusive, safe, and secure for the SEDGs students.
3. To provide socio-emotional and academic support and mentoring for the students belonging to the SEDGs through proper counselling and monitoring programme.
4. To ensure proper implementation and monitoring of orientation and bridge courses designed by the HEIs to benefit SEDGs students.
5. To ensure implementation of all such programme designed and developed by HEIs to increase the participation of SEDGs students in academic activities.
6. To ensure implementation of Government's policies, including reservation policies and various schemes, programme, facilities and guidelines for SEDGs students.
7. To ensure proper implementation of preventive measures and Laws against discrimination and atrocities, and for safeguards of students belonging to respective categories under SEDGs.
8. To circulate, publicize, facilitate, and monitor the implementation of all UGC and Government guidelines and instructions issued from time to time in reference to SEDGs.
9. To redress the grievances and complaints of the SEDGs students within 15 days through a Grievances Redressal Committee (GRC) without compromising the safety, privacy and dignity of the complainant.


(Dr. Manish)
Registrar

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1. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor – for kind information please.
2. All Committee members – for information.

