



DR. BHIMRAO AMBEDKAR UNIVERSITY, AGRA

(Formerly Agra University, Agra)

A+ Accredited by NAAC

Report on

Sustainable Development Goal 16



SDG 16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS

Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels

SDG 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions

“Sustainable Development Goal 16 aims to foster peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development; provide access to justice for all; and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels.”

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra (DBRAU) promotes peaceful and inclusive society, ensures equal access to justice, and fosters effective and accountable institutions. The university aims to promote integrity, inclusivity, and responsive government.

1. Accountable Governance

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra values transparent governance and encourages all stakeholders, including students and professors, to actively participate in decision-making.

- **Policy Framework:** The university has publicly available policies to ensure transparency in administration, such as admission, fee refunds, performance appraisal, and resource use.
- **Code of Ethics:** DBRAU, Agra enforces a strict Code of Ethics policy and holds regular awareness sessions to reinforce professional ethics, integrity, accountability, and mutual respect among students and staff (e.g., in the School of Science & Technology and Clinical Research Departments).
- **Anti-Corruption Policies:** Condemnation, unfair means inquiry, and revised purchase policy are in place to ensure ethical and transparent financial and administrative procedures, reducing the danger of corruption and misbehaviour.

2. Access to Justice and Grievance Redressal Mechanisms

The university has put in place strong multi-level systems to facilitate timely and proper redressal of grievances to promote access to justice.

- **Students' Grievance Redressal Committee (SGRC):** Specific SGRCs are formed to oversee grievances of students pertaining to academics, administration, and evaluations based on the principles of natural justice.
- **Ombudsperson:** As per the guidelines of the UGC, an independent Ombudsperson (a retired District Judge) is appointed who hears and decides on the appeal against the decision of the SGRC to provide the last resort of impartial justice.

- **Zero Tolerance Policies**
 - **Anti-Ragging Policy:** DBRAU follows a strict zero-tolerance policy to maintain a ragging free campus through a separate committee and squad along with an open toll-free helpline number. The policy burdens the perpetrator with the proof while imposing strong collective punishment wherever needed.
 - **Internal Complaints Committee (ICC):** The ICC is responsible to deal with complaints related to Sexual Harassment.
- **Prevention of Plagiarism:** The Policy on Prevention of Plagiarism requires plagiarism detection tool to be used and makes IAIP responsible to maintain the academic integrity in all submissions.

For more details, refer to [*DBRAU Policy and Guidelines*](#)

3. Inclusive Institutions and Community Outreach Programs

The justice ideology of DBRAU is also found in the community outreach programs that are undertaken by the institute for developing inclusive societies and strong institutions from the ground up.

- **Inclusive Education:** Ensures equal access to education through policy initiatives for students from diverse backgrounds, policies related to accessibility and inclusion of physically challenged students, and cells for SC/ST/OBC/Minority students.
- **Rural Development Institute (RDI):** RDI of DBRAU has social welfare and community health programs. While these programs focus on health and education, they help develop trust between the institution and marginalized sections of society, thereby strengthening the institution itself.
- **Health and Social Justice:** Program interventions related to social justice issues such as gender-based violence and disability and rehabilitation.

4. Encouraging Research Ethics and Human Values

DBRAU places emphasis on development of ethical competence, especially in critical sectors such as clinical and medical research and creating integrity outside the university.

- **Ethics Committees:** There exist specific committees in the university such as the Ethics Committee and the Institutional Animal Ethics Committee (IAEC) which govern and regulate the ethical conduct of all research and processes within the university. More info at: DBRAU Ethics Committee

- **Bioethics and GCP Training:** DBRAU in partnership with the Department of Health Research (MoHFW) and ICMR Bioethics Unit undertakes regular training workshops on Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Bioethics which improve ethical competencies of faculty members and Ethics Committee representatives of various medical colleges in the region.

More info at: workshops on Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Bioethics

- **Encouraging Human Values:** Sessions on “Human Values” are conducted to instill basic values of honesty, empathy, and integrity.

5. Curriculum Consistent with Goals of SDG 16

The curriculum consistency is geared towards fostering professionalism, respect for law, and good governance in:

- **Legal and ethical compliance:** Medical courses including forensic medicine & toxicology and allied health courses including medical physiotherapy law and ethics promote law and ethics in professional practice. Business courses also promote this through business laws, company law, and business ethics.
- **Good governance and accountability:** courses including Legal Implications in hospital administration, radiation safety & quality assurance, and various management subjects aim to create institutions that are transparent and effective in their actions.
- **Professional values and integrity:** various foundational and advanced courses cover topics such as professionalism and values and human values & professional ethics, providing students with fundamental principles needed for leadership in peaceful and just societies.
- **Safety and public order:** various courses such as the different radiation safety & quality assurance modules and Introduction to Forensic Nursing and Indian Laws help foster safety, security, and institutional strength for the protection of the public.

Curriculum Aligned with SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions

Courses/ Programme offered in DBRAU, Agra	Relevant Course / Curriculum Component	SDG 16 Focus Area (Inferred from Curriculum)
LL.M.	Constitutional Law, Jurisprudence, Legal Research, Legal Ethics	Promote Rule of Law, Access to Justice and Strong Institutions
LL.M. (Human Rights)	Human Rights Law, Constitutional Values, International Human Rights	Protect Human Rights and Promote Inclusive Justice
Master of Social Work (MSW)	Human Rights, Social Justice, Child Rights, Gender Studies, Community Development	Promote Peaceful, Inclusive and Equitable Societies
MBA / M.Com. (Business Administration)	Business Ethics, Corporate Governance, Organizational Ethics	Promote Accountable, Ethical and Transparent Institutions
B.Com. / Commerce Programmes	Business Law, Commercial Regulations, Corporate Governance	Promote Legal Compliance and Responsible Business Practices
Computer Science / BCA / PGDIT / Engineering (CSE)	Cyber Security, Information Security, Digital Governance, Professional Ethics	Develop Transparent, Secure and Digitally Enabled Institutions
Pharm.D. / Pharmacy Programmes	Pharmacy Law & Ethics, Human Rights, Professional Ethics	Strengthen Ethical Healthcare Systems and Public Accountability
Library & Information Science	Information Ethics, Intellectual Property Rights, Knowledge Management	Promote Access to Information and Institutional Transparency
Political Science / Public Administration*	Indian Constitution, Governance, Public Administration, Democratic Institutions	Strengthen Democratic Governance and Effective Public Institutions
Philosophy / Yoga / Human Values	Ethics, Moral Philosophy, Human Values and Professional Responsibility	Foster Ethical Leadership, Peace, and Responsible Citizenship

16.1 Research on Peace and Justice

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra is dedicated to the pursuit of research which fosters peace, justice, inclusiveness, and institutions as per SDG16. The university emphasizes research across various disciplines to address issues that arise in society today, such as governance, constitutional values, human rights, legal research, public policy, ethics, social justice, gender equality, public health, and institutional accountability. Research at DBRAU helps to foster democratic values, uphold the rule of law, protect vulnerable groups, and create efficient institutions.

The research conducted by the university also deals with important social problems like violence, discrimination, mental well-being, social inclusion, and community well-being. Through academic excellence, ethical research practices, and cooperation with government agencies, judiciary, health sector institutions, and communities, DBRAU endeavours to conduct research that contributes to public policy, welfare, and justice for all. The research efforts make a significant contribution towards building more safe, resilient, and inclusive communities and, at the same time, emphasize the commitment of the university towards peace, human dignity, and sustainable development.

Moreover, DBRAU fosters a culture of research integrity, ethical leadership, and community engagement through scholarly publication, collaboration, and interdisciplinary research. The research conducted at the university helps in evidence-based decision-making and development of institutions for better governance and social change. The research performance of the university related to SDG 16 is depicted through the scholarly publication, Cite Score, and Field-Weighted Citation Impact (FWCI) of the university.

[DBRAU Research Portal](#)

16.1.1 Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions: Cite Score

The Cite Scores of journals in which research conducted by Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU) on SDG 16 is published, signifies the level of recognition, scientific quality, and impact of the research work done by the university. Articles have been written on a variety of topics including peace, justice, governance, constitutional values, human rights, law, policy studies, ethics, inclusion, and institution-building, which have been published in various peer reviewed journals having Cite Scores. The higher Cite Score journals signify scientific recognition and dissemination of research, whereas publication in specialized journals help in

solving regional and social issues. Overall, the research work done by the university signifies their focus on producing quality research that adds to knowledge and helps in building strong institutions. (Refer to Table 2)

16.1.2 Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions: Field-Weighted Citation Impact (FWCI)

The Field Weighted Citation Impact (FWCI) is a standardized indicator of the global scientific influence of the research conducted by Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU) that measures how the citations received by its publications compare to the world average for similar publications. The SDG 16 related publications from the university are scholarly influential and cover several topics associated with peace, justice, good governance, human rights, ethics, public policies, and institution building. Publications that have high FWCI have high international visibility and reputation, while those having moderate citation impact make significant contributions to the regional and national problems based on the results of empirical research. FWCI demonstrates the quality and importance of DBRAU's research in the context of SDG 16. (Refer to Table 2)

16.1.3 Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions: Publications

The research portfolio of Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra demonstrates the university's sustained commitment to advancing the objectives of Sustainable Development Goal 16 through evidence-based, multidisciplinary scholarship. The publications presented in Table 2 collectively address diverse aspects of peace, justice, governance, constitutional values, human rights, public policy, ethics, gender equality, public health, legal studies, and institutional development. Together, these research outputs contribute to a deeper understanding of contemporary societal challenges while providing scientific evidence that supports transparent governance, inclusive decision-making, equitable access to justice, and the protection of vulnerable communities. The inclusion of bibliometric indicators such as Cite Score, Field-Weighted Citation Impact (FWCI), citation count, and persistent identifiers (DOI/URL) further demonstrates the quality, visibility, and scholarly influence of these publications. Collectively, this body of research reflects DBRAU's contribution to strengthening peaceful, inclusive, and accountable institutions at regional, national, and global levels in alignment with the objectives of SDG 16. (Refer to Table 2)

Table 2. List of Research Publication

S. No.	Publication Title	Journal	Authors	CiteScore	FWCI	DOI	Citations / Verified citation evidence
1	Understanding the Issue of Domestic Violence against Women in India: A Critical Analysis	<i>International Journal of Advanced Research in Multidisciplinary Sciences</i>	Ayush Kumar Shukla; Dr. Manoj Kumar Singh	N/A	N/A	Not found	2
2	Analysing Various Dimensions, Policies Related to Domestic Violence and Its Acknowledgement Globally	<i>Idealistic Journal of Advanced Research in Progressive Spectrums</i>	Namrata Tomar; Dr. Manoj Kumar Singh	N/A	N/A	Not found	0
3	Understanding Challenges and Resilience: An Analysis of LGBTQ Community Issues in India	<i>Journal of Interdisciplinary and Multidisciplinary Research</i>	Dr. Rajeev Verma	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located
4	Bharat Mein Bal Shram Ki Sthiti	<i>International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews</i>	Brajesh Kumari; Prof. Shanti Swarup	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located
5	Mahilaon Ka Sanvaidhanik Adhikar evam Mahila Sashaktikaran	<i>Research Journal of Social and Life Sciences</i>	Akanksha; Madhu Tyagi	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located

S. No.	Publication Title	Journal	Authors	CiteScore	FWCI	DOI	Citations / Verified citation evidence
6	Vulnerability of Child and Women Trafficking: Prevention is the Need of the Hour	<i>Anvesak</i> / publication details require further verification	Dr. Mohd. Husain	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located
7	Right to Education and Social Inclusion of Refugee Children: Social Work Intervention is the Need of the Hour	<i>Education and Society</i> , Vol. 46(3)	Dr. Mohd. Husain; Md. Shahid Raza	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located
8	Implementation of Labour Laws with Special Reference to Welfare of Working Women in the Industrial Setting in India	<i>Journal of Interdisciplinary and Multidisciplinary Research</i>	Prof. Ranvir Singh	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located
9	Social Work Research: Some Methodological and Ethical Concerns	<i>Journal of the Asiatic Society of Mumbai</i>	Dr. Mohd. Husain	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located
10	Plagiarism Detection Software Grammarly: Features, Components, and Its Limitations – An Overview	<i>Jigyasa</i>	Prof. U.C. Sharma	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located

S. No.	Publication Title	Journal	Authors	CiteScore	FWCI	DOI	Citations / Verified citation evidence
11	Plagiarism, Causes, Detection and Online Available Free Anti-Plagiarism Tools: A Review	<i>Madhya Bharti</i>	Prof. U.C. Sharma	N/A	N/A	Not found	No verifiable citation count located

of DBRAU aligned with SDG 16.

16.2 University Governance Measures

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, is governed in the framework of a participatory governance model through its statutory authorities, which guarantee transparency, accountability, and representation of stakeholders. The governance structure of the University is in line with the relevant provisions of the **Uttar Pradesh State Universities Act 1973**, the university Statutes, and related ordinances. The executive council, which is the main executive body of the university, works with the involvement of representatives from various stakeholders' groups, whereas the academic council is the highest academic body of the university, which maintains academic standards and formulates academic policies. DBRAU publishes notifications about the composition and members of these statutory bodies regularly, providing transparency within the organization. Besides these authorities, several statutory and advisory committees, including the Finance Committee, Court Committee, Student Council, Internal Complaints Committee, Anti-Ragging Committee, and other governing committees have been established by DBRAU to ensure participatory administration.

Table 3. List of different councils in the university.

S. No.	Evidence	Description	Official Link
1	Executive Council	Notifications and composition of the University's principal executive authority	Executive Council – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra
2	Academic Council	Notifications and composition of the University's highest academic body	https://dbrau.ac.in/academic-council-2/
3	List of Council/Committee Members	Official list of Executive Council, Academic Council, Finance Committee, Court Committee, Student Council, ICC, Anti-Ragging Committee, and other statutory bodies	UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra Executive Council – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra Academic Council – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra Court of the University – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra 6.1.1-List-of-Committee-Members-of-EC-COURT-DEAN-etc.pdf

16.2.1 Elected Representation

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, emphasizes the concept of democratic and participatory governance by providing representation through elections of important stakeholders in the highest governing bodies of the institution. The faculty, non-teaching staff, and students engage themselves in the process of governance by means of the representatives constituted in accordance with the statutes of the university. The participative governance structure facilitates stakeholders in contributing to decisions related to academics, administration, finances, and strategies, among other things. The concept of representation in the process of governance contributes to SDG 16.

Table 4. Elections policies of the university.

SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions					
Type	Metric/Indicator reference	Metric/Indicator	Yes/No	Evidence	Public (Yes/No)
Metric	16.2	University Governance Measures			
Indicator	16.2.1	Teaching staff representative (AUTA) Elections	YES	YES	YES
		Non-Teaching staff elections	YES	YES	YES

डॉ. भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय (पूर्ववर्ती आगरा विश्वविद्यालय)
शिक्षक संघ (औटा), आगरा (उ० प्र०)

डॉ. मुकेश भारद्वाज
अध्यक्ष
पिन: २११०६४७८०
मो: ९४१०६४७८०

डॉ. निशान्त चौहान
सहप्रधान
पिन: ९९२७०५६६६३
मो: ९९२७०५६६६३

पत्रांक: दि: 27.11.2020

सेवा में,
अध्यक्ष / सहप्रधान,
औटा से सम्बद्ध समस्त शिक्षक संघ इकाईयों।

विषय : डॉ. भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय शिक्षक संघ (औटा) के वार्षिक अधिवेशन / चुनाव की अधिसूचना।

महोदय,
हर्ष के साथ आपको सूचित करना है कि डॉ. भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय शिक्षक संघ (औटा) कार्यकारिणी की दि० 21.11.2020 को सम्पन्न हुई बैठक में सर्वसम्मति से निर्णय लिया गया कि औटा के वार्षिक अधिवेशन / चुनाव 19 एवं 20, दिसम्बर 2020 को बी० वी० आर० आई०, बिचपूरी, आगरा में सम्पन्न कराया जायेगा। चुनाव कार्यक्रम निम्नवत होगा:-

चुनाव-कार्यक्रम :

कार्यक्रम	तिथि	समय	स्थल
नामांकन	19.12.2020 (शुक्रवार)	प्रत: 10:00 बजे से अपराह्न 12:00 बजे तक	डी० वी० आर० आई०, बिचपूरी, आगरा
नामांकन की जाँच		अपराह्न 12:00 बजे से अपराह्न 01 बजे तक	
नामांकन वाली अंतिम सूची का प्रकाशन		अपराह्न 01 बजे से 02 बजे तक	
मतदान	20.12.2020 (शनिवार)	शुक्र 08:00 बजे से अपराह्न 02:00 बजे तक	
मतगणना		सां 04:00 बजे से समाप्ति तक	

आपसे अनुरोध है कि उक्त सूचना अपने महाविद्यालय के समस्त शिक्षक साथियों को प्रेषित करने की कृपा करें।

डॉ. भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय (पूर्ववर्ती आगरा विश्वविद्यालय)
शिक्षक संघ (औटा), आगरा (उ० प्र०)

डॉ. मुकेश भारद्वाज
अध्यक्ष
पिन: २११०६४७८०
मो: ९४१०६४७८०

डॉ. निशान्त चौहान
सहप्रधान
पिन: ९९२७०५६६६३
मो: ९९२७०५६६६३

पत्रांक: दि:

आपको सूचित करना है कि मतदान पंजीकरण हेतु दि० 19.12.2020 को बी० वी० आर० आई०, बिचपूरी, आगरा में प्रत: 09:00 बजे से 11:00 बजे तक आप अपने महाविद्यालय की मतदाता सूची (प्राचार्य द्वारा उपलब्ध) एवं शुल्क अवश्य जमा करावें। शुल्क का निराकरण निम्न प्रकार से है:-

शुल्क का नाम	शुल्क प्रति शिक्षक / मतदाता	कुल प्रभारिता
औटा शुल्क	रु० 80/- प्रति वर्ष	रु० 80/- x 03 वर्ष = रु० 240/-
पुस्तक शुल्क	रु० 60/- प्रति वर्ष	रु० 60/- x 03 वर्ष = रु० 180/-
एडमिनिस्ट्रेशन शुल्क	रु० 15/- प्रति वर्ष	रु० 15/- x 03 वर्ष = रु० 45/-
मतदाता शुल्क	रु० 150/-	रु० 150/-
कुल प्रभारिता प्रति शिक्षक		रु० 615/-

आपसे अनुरोध है कि औटा अधिवेशन / चुनाव को सफल एवं निष्पक्ष सम्पन्न कराने में अपना योगदान प्रदान करें।

अति आवश्यक: कोरोना महामारी के लिए दिशा-निर्देशों के अनुपालन में सभी सदस्यों से निवेदन है कि उक्त सभी कार्यक्रमों में अनिवार्य रूप से मास्क, सैनिटाइजर एवं सामाजिक दूरी (Social Distancing) का प्रयोग करें।

सहसचिव।

भवदीय,


(डॉ. मुकेश भारद्वाज)
अध्यक्ष


(डॉ. निशान्त चौहान)
सहप्रधान

Figure 1. Teaching staff (AUTA) elections no

Figure 2 (a)

Teaching staff (AUTA) Elections



डॉ० भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय, आगरा
(पूर्ववर्ती: आगरा विश्वविद्यालय, आगरा)

पत्रांक : प्रशा०/2113 /2023 दिनांक : 16/12/2023

कार्यालय आदेश

मा० कुलपति जी के आदेश दिनांक 16.12.2023 के अनुपालन में विश्वविद्यालय से सम्बद्ध अशासकीय सहायता प्राप्त महाविद्यालयों में औटा महामंत्री के अनुरोध पर औटा की नवीन कार्यकारणी के चुनाव हेतु दिनांक 21.12.2023 को मतदान में प्रतिभाग करने हेतु शिक्षकों के लिए विशेष अवकाश घोषित किया जाता है।

कुलसचिव

प्रतिलिपि:-निम्नलिखित को सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु प्रेषित :-

1. अध्यक्ष/महामंत्री, औटा।
2. प्राचार्य/प्राचार्या, समस्त सम्बद्ध अशासकीय सहायता प्राप्त महाविद्यालय, डॉ० भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय, आगरा।
3. अधीक्षक, कुलपति सचिवालय, मा० कुलपति जी के सूचनार्थ।
4. विश्वविद्यालय द्वारा अधिकृत एजेंसी को इस निर्देश के साथ प्रेषित कि समस्त सम्बद्ध महाविद्यालयों के लॉग-इन आईडी एवं विश्वविद्यालय वेबसाइट पर अपलोड करना सुनिश्चित करें।
5. गार्ड फाइल।

कुलसचिव

Figure 2 (b)

Non-teaching staff Elections



डॉ० भीमराव आंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय, आगरा
(पूर्ववर्ती आगरा विश्वविद्यालय, आगरा)

दिनांक : 05.09.2024

विश्वविद्यालय शिक्षणेत्तर कर्मचारी संघ चुनाव - 2024

सूचना

मा० कुलपति जी के आदेश दिनांक 27.08.2024 के अनुपालन में विश्वविद्यालय शिक्षणेत्तर कर्मचारी संघ वर्ष 2024 का चुनाव दिनांक 18 सितम्बर 2024 (दिन बुधवार) को कराया जाना निश्चित किया गया है। उक्त चुनाव अध्यक्ष, उपाध्यक्ष, महामंत्री, सहमंत्री, कोषाध्यक्ष के कुल पांच पदों पर कराये जायेंगे। चुनाव प्रक्रिया निम्न कार्यक्रमानुसार सम्पन्न होगी।

क्र०सं०	प्रक्रिया	दिनांक व दिन	समय	स्थान
1	नामांकन	06.09.2024 व 07.09.2024 (शुक्र० एवं शनि०)	प्रातः 11:30 बजे से अपराह्न 02:00 बजे तक	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर
2	नामांकन पत्रों की जाँच	08.09.2024 (रविवार)	अपराह्न 02:00 बजे	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर
3	नामांकन पत्रों की वापसी	08.09.2024 (रविवार)	सांय 03:00 बजे तक	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर
4	प्रत्याशियों की अंतिम सूची का प्रकाशन एवं चुनाव चिन्ह का आवंटन	08.09.2024 (रविवार)	सांय 04:00 बजे	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर
5	प्रचार की अवधि	17.09.2024 तक (मंगलवार)	सांय 05:00 बजे तक	
6	मतदान	18.09.2024 (बुधवार)	प्रातः 10:00 बजे से अपराह्न 02:00 बजे तक	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर
7	मतगणना	18.09.2024 (बुधवार)	मतदान समाप्ति के तुरंत बाद	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर
8	विजयी प्रत्याशियों की घोषणा तथा चुने गये पदाधिकारियों को प्रमाण पत्र का वितरण	18.09.2024 (बुधवार)	मतगणना उपरांत	जुबली हॉल पालीवाल पार्क परिसर

(प्र० ब्रजेश रावत)
चुनाव अधिकारी

प्रतिलिपि : निम्न को सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु प्रेषित:-

1. वित्त अधिकारी।
2. कुलसचिव
3. परीक्षा नियंत्रक
4. समस्त उप-कुलसचिव
5. अधीक्षक, कुलपति सचिवालय को कुलपति जी के सूचनार्थ
6. अध्यक्ष, महामंत्री विश्वविद्यालय शिक्षणेत्तर कर्मचारी संघ।
7. जन सम्पर्क अधिकारी
8. समस्त कर्मचारोगण
9. अभिलेख खण्ड

चुनाव अधिकारी

16.2.2 Student Union

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University acknowledges that there is a need for student representation as an important part of participatory governance in institutions. DBRAU encourages a “Student's Union” which is a forum representing the students where they can share their views, issues, and aspirations. The student’s union works towards the benefit of the students by way of participation in activities like welfare of students, academics and extracurricular activities, culture, and many more through interaction with the administration of the university. These platforms encourage accountability, openness, and peaceful engagement by giving students the ability to express their thoughts, support institutional growth, and participate positively in campus governance.

Table 5. Student union policies and procedures.

SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions					
Type	Metric/Indicator reference	Metric/Indicator	Yes/No	Evidence	Public (Yes/No)
Metric	16.2	University Governance Measures			
Indicator	16.2.2	List of Student union/council	YES	YES	YES

 <p>Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University, Agra (U.P.) (Formerly Agra University, Agra)</p> <p>Prof. Md. Arshad Dean of Students Welfare (DSW)</p> <p>Mob. No.: 9897815991 & 9027904306 Email ID: arshad.socio@gmail.com</p> <p>Date: 04.12.2023</p>			
LIST OF STUDENTS NOMINATED FOR STUDENT COUNCIL			
S. No.	Name of Students	Department	E-mail ID
1	Vanshika Singh	Institute of Home Science (Food & Nutrition)	Vanshika170801@gmail.com
2	Jyoti Kumari	Institute of Home Science	Jk015403@gmail.com
3	Seema Thakur	Institute of Home Science	thakursimmi797@gmail.com
4	Bidhi Sharma	Institute of Home Science	bidhishastri@gmail.com
5	Anushka Bhadauriya	Library, Information & Science	Anushkabhadauriya89@gmail.com
6	Himanshu Gautam	School of Life Science (Botany)	Hgautam1122@gmail.com
7	Pratiksha Pachauri	Department of Social Work	Pratikshapachauri2110@gmail.com
8	Divya Sharmista Sharma	Ph.D (Statistics)	Divyasharma7999@gmail.com
9	Vishva Singh	Institute of Basic Science (Chemistry)	Sharmisthasharma940@gmail.com
10	Vishva Vivek Singh	Institute of Basic Science (Mathematics)	Vishvavivek186@gmail.com
11	Sushen Sharma	KMI (Hindi)	sushenbks@gmail.com
12	Manav Agrawal	Institute of Tourism & Hotel Management	Manavagrawal267@gmail.com
13	Hariom Kanak Tomar	Lalit Kala Sansthan Deen Dayal Institute of Rural Development	Thakurhariom383@gmail.com
14	Pooja Yadav	Sociology	kanaktomar@gmail.com
15	Somya Mishra	Physical Education & Sports	poojayadavpgd@gmail.com
16			Somyamis123@gmail.com

17	Tushi Dixit	SPCJ Management	7618227408	Tushidixit024@gmail.com
18	Gaurav Prajapati	Dau Dayal Institute of Vocational Education	8923226004	Gp0318668@gmail.com
19	Kana Mudgal	History & Culture	8979717965	Kunalmudgal124xyz@gmail.com
20	Vinay Singh	Mechanical Engineering	9651478858	vs5992680@gmail.com
21	Satyam Singh	Civil Engineering	8572994464	as535418@gmail.com
22	Diya Agarwal	Computer Science E	7668341506	diyaagarwal705@gmail.com
23	Abhishek Kumar	Electrical Engineering	8528800733	Ak8004145@gmail.com
24	Divya Bhalla	Environmental Studies	8859449414	divyabhalla2005@gmail.com
25	Parichay Kumar	Electronic & Communication Engineering	8707625919	Parichayjaiswal.2000@gmail.com
26	Bhoomi Verma	Biochemistry	9412373177	bhoomiv21@gmail.com
27	Riya Khandelwal	Biotechnology	7302504266	Khandelwalriya067@gmail.com
28	Anshika	Microbiology	9627479498	Anshikasingh5062@gmail.com
29	Varsha Singh	Zoology	9456404603	Varsha20vvt@gmail.com
30	Harsh Tiwari	Computer Centre	7500518868	h175012@gmail.com
31	Priyanka Sharma	Department of Pharmacy	8218864692	Sharnapri1403@gmail.com
32	Tanishq Singh Bhinderwal	Foreign Languages	807732041	tanishqbhinderwal@gmail.com
33	Satyam	Department of Linguistics	9410832893	

W. Arshad
Prof. Md. Arshad
Dean Students Welfare
04-12-20
Dean Student Welfare
Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University
Agra

Figure 3. Student Union details

16.2.3 Identify and Engage with Local Stakeholders

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, follows an effective and well-defined Stakeholder Engagement Policy for developing meaningful collaborations with the stakeholders present in the surrounding environment. The university seeks out and collaborates with local governments, local institutions of education, industries, health institutions, civil societies, the alumni, and other community representatives in order to enhance academic excellence, research and innovations, extension, and regional development efforts. Through continuous consultations and outreach programs, the views of the stakeholders help in the planning and decision-making process at the university level. This inclusive approach strengthens the principles of transparency and shared accountability, thereby achieving the goals of Sustainable Development Goal 16.

Table 6. Policies and initiatives regarding Local stakeholders.

S. No.	Policy / Initiative	Description	Supporting Evidence
1	Stakeholder Engagement Policy	Policy for identification and engagement of local stakeholders	Approved Policy Document
2	MoUs with Local Organisations	Collaboration with government departments, industries, NGOs, hospitals, and schools	List of MoUs (National and International)
3	Extension & Outreach Activities	NSS, NCC, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, legal awareness, health camps, village adoption, etc.	Activity Report
4	Industry & Community Interaction	Expert lectures, skill development programmes, community radio, etc.	Community radio Events
5	Stakeholder Consultation	Meetings, feedback mechanisms, and consultation records	Reports

16.2.4 Participatory Bodies for Stakeholder Engagement

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, is determined to enhance participatory governance by creating such institutional processes through which the participation of local stakeholders becomes possible in the planning and decision-making processes of the University. By involving different statutory bodies, advisory committees, Boards of Studies, industry-academia interaction groups, alumni associations, extension committees, and collaborations with the local governmental and non-governmental organizations, industries, and community members, the university is able to bring the outside stakeholder perspective into its academic, research, outreach, and developmental programs. The participation processes ensure transparency, cooperation, and joint accountability of the process, promoting evidence-based institutional development.

Table 7. Participatory bodies.

S. No.	Participatory Body / Mechanism	Stakeholders Involved	Supporting Evidence
1	Board of Studies	Industry experts, external academicians, subject experts	BoS Policy
2	IQAC / Advisory Committees	Alumni, employers, community representatives	IQAC Cell
3	Industry Academia Advisory Board	Industry representatives and employers	VIF - Home
6	Stakeholder Consultation Meetings	Alumni, employers, local institutions, community representatives	Stakeholder Policies

16.2.5 University Principles on Corruption and Bribery

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, is committed to upholding the highest standards of integrity, transparency, and ethical governance through its institutional policies and regulatory framework. The university has adopted principles that promote zero tolerance towards corruption, bribery, financial misconduct, and unethical practices in all academic,

administrative, financial, and procurement processes. These principles are implemented through statutory rules, codes of conduct, transparent procedures, vigilance mechanisms, and grievance redressal systems to ensure fairness, accountability, and responsible institutional governance. By fostering a culture of honesty, ethical behaviour, and institutional integrity, the university strengthens public trust and reinforces its commitment to the principles of **Sustainable Development Goal 16**.

Table 8. List of policies regarding corruption and bribery.

S. No.	Policy / Initiative	Description	Supporting Evidence
1	Code of Conduct	Ethical standards for employees and students	Policy Document
2	Anti-Corruption & Anti-Bribery Principles	Institutional commitment towards integrity and transparency	Policy / Ordinance
3	Vigilance / Complaint Mechanism	Reporting and redressal of unethical practices	Helpdesk Webpage
4	Transparent Procurement System	Procurement and financial procedures ensuring fairness	Purchase Policy & Financial Rules
5	Grievance Redressal Mechanism	Mechanism for reporting misconduct and grievances	Grievance Policy Grievance Cell
6	Awareness & Compliance Activities	Ethics, integrity, vigilance, and anti-corruption awareness programmes	Activity Photographs

16.2.6 Academic Freedom Policy

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, is dedicated to ensuring the protection of academic freedom as an essential foundation for academic excellence in teaching, research, and innovation. The university creates an open academic climate in which its teaching faculty, researchers, and students are free to engage in independent teaching, research, publication, and intellectual pursuit, without any undue interference, maintaining the highest standards of

academic integrity and professionalism. The “Academic Freedom Policy” encourages collaborative work between disciplines, supports innovative and evidence-based research, and facilitates free exchange of scholarly ideas in an open academic climate. Through the implementation of this policy, the university helps create an atmosphere of responsible scholarly practice, critical thinking, and ethical research, thus contributing to academic excellence and achieving sustainable development goal 16.

Important Policy Provisions:

Academic Freedom for Teaching and Research: The university will ensure academic freedom to its teaching faculty for conducting research and teaching.

Interdisciplinary Research: The university supports interdisciplinary and collaborative research to solve problems related to society, science, technology, and environment.

Principles of Research and Publication Ethics: All academic and research activities at the university will comply with the principles of research ethics, responsible conduct of research, prevention of plagiarism, and publication ethics.

Scholarly Discussion: Teachers and researchers are encouraged to conduct critical discussion and dialogue on research-based issues and topics.

Equal Academic Freedom: Equality in terms of academic freedom and research will be provided to senior and junior faculty members and researchers.

Knowledge Generation and Dissemination: The university encourages innovation, intellectual property creation, academic cooperation, conferences, and publications.

Table 9. List of various major policies of the university.

S. No.	Policy / Initiative	Supporting Evidence
1	Academic Freedom Policy	Approved Policy Document
2	Research & Development Policy	Policy Document
3	Research Ethics Policy	Institutional Ethics Policy
4	Anti-Plagiarism Policy	Anti-Plagiarism Regulations
5	Research & Ethics Committee	Committee Notifications

6	Academic Council Approval	Academic council webpage
---	---------------------------	--

16.2.7 Publish Financial Data

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, is dedicated to ensuring transparency and accountability in financial governance by publishing financial statements and statutory financial reports on a consistent basis. University makes it a point to ensure that financial information is made available as per the relevant guidelines set by the Government. Public availability of financial information is an indication of the university's dedication to good governance and transparency in compliance with SDG 16.

Table 10. List of major reports of the university.

S. No.	Financial Disclosure	Supporting Evidence
1	Audited Financial Statements	Audited Annual Accounts

16.3 Working with government.

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, is committed to strengthening partnerships with government agencies to support academic excellence, institutional development, and sustainable societal progress. It is noteworthy that the university works very effectively with the local, state, and central governments in terms of academics, research, extension, and outreach work that benefits the public and the region. In addition, such collaboration helps not only in sharing knowledge and strengthening institutions but also builds a sense of commitment towards responsible public services. The involvement of the university in collaboration with government organizations helps DBRAU adhere to the goals of SDG 16.

Important Initiatives

- Government funded research initiatives and collaborative programs.
- MoU's with government agencies and public institutions.
- Involvement in higher education initiatives like PM-USHA, NEP 2020, etc., initiated by the government.
- Implementation of NSS, NCC and extension services through collaboration with government departments.

- Community outreach through Community Radio "Agra Ki Aawaz".
- Academic assistance to government initiatives related to capacity building, policy dialogues, etc.

16.3.1 Provide Expert Advice to Government

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, actively contributes to evidence-based governance by extending its academic expertise and professional knowledge to government agencies and public institutions. The university encourages faculty members, researchers, and subject experts to participate in advisory committees, technical consultations, expert panels, policy discussions, and other government-led initiatives relevant to their domains of expertise. Such engagements strengthen collaboration between academia and government, facilitate informed decision-making, and support the development of effective public policies and institutional practices. Through these initiatives, DBRAU reinforces its commitment to responsible public engagement and contributes to the objectives of SDG 16.

Table 11. List of various projects of the university.

S. No.	Evidence	Description	Supporting Document(s)
1	Government Consultancy & Advisory Projects	Consultancy assignments and social audit projects undertaken for Government of India and Government of Uttar Pradesh departments, demonstrating faculty expertise in public policy implementation and programme evaluation.	Consultancy Project Reports, details University Webpage
2	Government-Funded Research Projects	Research projects funded by Central and State Government agencies addressing public policy, socio-economic development, health, education, environment, and other national priorities.	Sanctioned research projects data
3	Government Collaboration	Public awareness campaigns and extension activities conducted in	

	through Community Outreach	collaboration with government departments through Community Radio, NSS, and outreach programmes.	NSS Reports , Photographs , News Reports , Community Radio
4	Institutional MoUs with Government Organizations	Memorandum of understanding with government departments and public institutions to facilitate academic cooperation, knowledge exchange, and capacity-building initiatives.	Signed MoUs

16.3.2 Policy and Lawmakers Outreach and Education

DBRAU, Agra, emphasizes the exchange of knowledge and building capabilities through the conduct of workshops, expert talks, awareness campaigns, and joint activities with government departments. This builds organizational capability, promotes evidence-based governance, and aids in sound decision making, resulting in effective and responsive public institutions as per SDG 16.

Table 12. Evidence Summary of Educational and Outreach Initiatives for Public Authorities and Policymakers.

S.No.	Evidence	Description	Supporting Documents
1	Sustainable Development Goals	DBRAU is integrating the UN SDGs into its policies, academics, research, and outreach, pursuing the 2030 Agenda to become a model sustainable HEI.	SDG Initiative - Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University
2	NEP Capacity Building	Participation in Government of India initiatives supporting institutional strengthening and higher education reforms.	RUSA – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra

16.3.3 Participation in Government Research

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, actively participates in research initiatives supported by central and state government agencies to address national and regional development priorities. Through government-funded research projects and collaborative studies, the university contributes scientific knowledge and evidence-based solutions to public policy, sustainable development, and societal challenges. These research partnerships strengthen the link between academia and government while promoting innovation, informed decision-making, and public welfare in alignment with **Sustainable Development Goal 16**.

Table 13. Summary of Government-Supported Research and Collaborative Research Initiatives.

S. No.	Evidence	Description	Supporting Document(s)
1	Government-Funded Research Projects	Research projects sponsored by Central and State Government agencies addressing public and developmental priorities.	Research Projects – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra
2	Collaborative Research with Government Agencies	Research undertaken in collaboration with government departments and public institutions to address sector-specific challenges.	Collaboration Documents Partnerships
3	Public Policy and Societal Research	Research outputs supporting evidence-based policymaking in areas such as health, education, environment, agriculture, and social development.	Research Publications, Annual Report

16.3.4 Neutral Platform to discuss Issues.

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, provides an inclusive academic platform for dialogue on issues of public importance by bringing together government agencies, academicians, industry experts, civil society organizations, and community stakeholders. Through conferences, seminars, workshops, panel discussions, and extension activities, the

university promotes constructive dialogue, knowledge exchange, and collaborative approaches to addressing regional and national challenges. These initiatives encourage informed public discourse and strengthen partnerships for sustainable and inclusive development in alignment with Sustainable Development Goal 16.

Table 14. Summary of Multi-Stakeholder Dialogues and Public Engagement Platforms

S. No.	Evidence	Description	Supporting Documents
1	National & International Conferences	Conferences and seminars addressing contemporary public issues with participation from government, academia, and industry.	University Research Webpage
2	Workshops & Public Dialogue Forums	Workshops, panel discussions, and stakeholder consultations on education, health, environment, governance, and social development.	Event Reports Photographs

16.4 Proportion of Graduates in Law and Civil Enforcement

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University (DBRAU), Agra, promotes justice, rule of law, and good governance through its postgraduate legal studies programs of the Department of Law. The university provides Master of Laws (LL.M.) and LL.M. (Human Rights) programs that facilitate high-quality research, learning, ethical reasoning, and professionalism. The focus of the academic programs is on constitutional values, human rights, legal research, and critical analysis to equip the learners to pursue careers as judges, lawyers, academics, administrators, and other public services. With academic excellence and research-based learning coupled with community activities like the legal aid clinic, the university trains socially conscious legal professionals who can work toward building good and inclusive institutions as per SDG 16.

Table 15. List of law programmes in the university.

S. No.	Academic Programme	Academic Level	Key Focus Areas	Graduate Career Pathways	Supporting Evidence
1	Master of Laws (LL.M.)	Postgraduate	Constitutional Law, Legal Research, Judicial Studies, Governance, Legal Ethics	Judiciary, Legal Practice, Higher Education, Public Administration, Civil Services	Webpage Syllabus/ Curriculum
2	LL.M. (Human Rights)	Postgraduate	Human Rights, Constitutional Values, Social Justice, Public Policy, International Human Rights Law	Human Rights Organizations, Legal Services, Government Departments, NGOs, Research & Academia	Ordinances

For more information visit: [Department of Law DBRAU](#)

16.4.1 Proportion of graduates in law

Data Collected	DBRAU Data (2025-26)	Source of Data
Total Number of Graduates	7485	Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra – Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra
Graduates from Law & Civil Enforcement-related Programmes	710	

Activities & Events



Figure 4. Awareness Lecture on Army Recruitment conducted by Army Recruiting Office (ARO), Agra, held on 23 March 2026 at the AI-Lab, University Computer Centre, Institute of Basic Science, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra.



Figure 5. Social Awareness Pledge Programme promoting “Padhe Vishwavidyalaya – Badhe Vishwavidyalaya,” Dowry-Free India, and Drug-Free India, held on 7 March 2025 at Community Radio, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra.



Figure 6. NSS Orientation and My Bharat Outreach Programme held on 9 January 2025 at Diamond Jubilee Hall, DDUIRD, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra, promoting civic awareness, community service, youth participation, leadership, and nation-building.



Figure 7. Wall painting outreach activity held on 1 November 2025 at District Jail, Agra, by students of Lalit kala sansthan, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra promoting civic awareness.



Figure 8. Inaugural programme of NCC 1 UP Girls BN held on 6 September 2025 at Diamond Jubilee Hall, DDUIRD, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Agra.



Figure 9. Awareness program on “Handling of Emergency Situation by Self Defence under Mission Shakti Ph. 5” held on 15 December 2025 at Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Campus, DBRAU, Agra.



Figure 9. Banner and prop making competition held on 24 November 2025 on the occasion of Sardar Vallabhai Patel Birth Anniversary at Lalit Kala Sansthan, DBRAU, Agra.



Figure 10. International Conference on Future of Computer Science with AI, Theory, Practice and Impact held from 25th -27th September 2025 at Swami Vivekananda Campus, DBRAU, Agra.