

A research project is an opportunity to learn more about a particular subject. Through this process one can enhance and demonstrate a wide range of skills that are applicable to our real life. As a researcher, it is important to use a wide variety of sources and to evaluate the quality and validity of those sources. The purpose of research is to add knowledge. Thus, the study should seek to contextualize its findings within the larger body of research. Research project should add knowledge that is applicable outside of the organization and society as whole. Above all, the results of the study should have implications for policy and project implementation.

Taking into considerations the importance, the University encourages its faculty members to carry out research projects in different subjects and provides financial assistance out of DEC Grant every year for their projects.

Ongoing DEC Sponsored Projects

1. Reading Indian Fiction in Bengali: Curriculum based Open & Distance Praxis

Tenure: 1 year

Principal Investigator: Dr Manan Kumar Mandal, Asst Professor in Bengali, H&SS, NSOU.

2. Cost Analysis of Academic Programmes under ODL System in India with special reference to Netaji Subhas Open University

Tenure: 1 year (2012-13)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Anirban Ghosh, Asst. Professor of Commerce, School of H&SS.

3. Assessment on the Reasons Responsible for Student Dropout from the Bachelor of Science Programme at Netaji Subhas Open University

Tenure: 1 year (2012-13)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Bibhas Guha, Asst. Professor of Zoology, School of Science.

Completed DEC Sponsored Projects

1. Title: Corporate Governance in Indian Banking Sector

Tenure: 1 year (2010-11)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Anirban Ghosh, Asst. Professor of Commerce, School of H&SS

2. Title: Screening of therapeutic agents against induced colon cancer in a mammalian model.

Tenure: 1 year (2010-11)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Bibhas Guha, Asst. Professor of Zoology

3. Title: An investigation of the effect of low voltage electric shock on cytogenetical and biochemical changes in some experimental fishes

Tenure: 1 year (2009-10)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Bibhas Guha, Asst. Professor of Zoology