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MINUTES OF THE INTERNAL MEETING OF THE CENTRE FOR INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE REGARDING MEETING ON '**RESEARCH & PUBLICATION ETHICS (RPE)**' HELD ON21st& 22nd MAY, 2026 AT 10:30 AM SCHOOL OF ZOOM MEETING HALL.

The meeting on 'Research & Publication Ethics (RPE) was held on 21st& 22nd May 2025. The following points were taken for discussion

Agenda

1. Opening Remarks and Review of the Previous Meeting
2. Review of the Revised RPE Course Material
3. Verification of Incorporation of Suggestions and Recommendations of the Second Meeting
4. Final Review of Course Content with Reference to UGC Norms and Research & Publication Ethics
5. Review of Module-wise Learning Outcomes and Alignment with Course Objectives
6. Review of Student-Centric Content, Practical Examples and Case Studies
7. Review of Teaching-Learning Material and Self-Learning Activities for ODL Mode
8. Review of Assessment, Assignments and Evaluation Methodology
9. Language, Presentation, Editing and Academic Quality Review of the Course Material
10. Finalization of the Complete RPE Course Material and Action Plan for Further Processing
11. Vote of Thanks

Opening Remarks and Review of Previous Meeting

Dr. Madhukar Shewale, Director, CIQA, welcomed all the members. The decisions and suggestions of the previous meeting were briefly reviewed. The progress of the RPE 2-Credit course material was discussed.

2. Review of Revised RPE Course Material

The revised course material was reviewed by the members. Suggestions were given to improve the clarity, quality and relevance of the content for Course. material

3. Review of UGC Norms and Research Ethics

The course content was reviewed with reference to UGC norms and research ethics. Important topics such as research integrity, plagiarism, authorship, citation, and research misconduct and publication ethics were discussed.

4. Review of Student-Centric Content and Practical Examples

The members reviewed the inclusion of student-centric content, practical examples and case studies**.** It was suggested that the examples should help Ph.D. students understand ethical issues in research and publication.

5. Review of Teaching-Learning Material and Self-Learning Activities

The teaching-learning material and self-learning activities were reviewed. The members suggested that the material should be simple, learner-friendly and suitable for the ODL mode**.**

6. Review of Assessment and Assignments

The proposed assignments and assessment methods were discussed. It was suggested that the assessment should test both knowledge and practical understanding of research and publication ethics.

7. Final Review and Editing

The members reviewed the overall presentation, language and consistency of the course material. The concerned members were advised to incorporate the suggestions and complete the final editing.

8. Finalization and Further Action

It was decided to incorporate the suggestions and complete the final version of the RPE 2-Credit course material**.** The finalized material would be submitted to the competent authority for further necessary action.

9. Vote of Thanks

Dr. Madhukar Shewale, Director, CIQA, thanked all the members for their valuable suggestions and active participation. The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks.

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The following members were present at the above meeting.

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Time: 10.30 AM **Date:** 21/05/2026

Sr.No.	*Name*	*Signature 21/05/2026*	*Signature 22/05/2026*
1.	Prof. Sanjivanee Mahale		
2.	Dr. Rajendra Kumbhar		
3.	Dr. Mohan Kherde		
4.	Dr. Nandkumar Dahibhate		
5.	Dr. Subhash Chavan		
6.	Dr. Dattatraya Kalbande		
7.	Dr. Madhukar Shewale		
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