

Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust's
Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering (PCCoE)
(An Autonomous Institute)
Affiliated to Savitribai Phule Pune University (SPPU)
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**MINUTES OF MEETING
GOVERNING BODY (GB) – 16 JULY 2025**

Governing Body (GB) of Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust's (PCET's) Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering (PCCoE) has been constituted as per 'The Gazette of India Extraordinary (Part III – Sec. 4) for a Term of Five Years commencing from Academic Year 2023 – 24 to 2027 – 28 as per Guidelines for Autonomous Colleges.

Governing Body (GB) Meeting (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) was held on Wednesday, 16 July 2025 at 12:00 PM in the PCET Conference Hall and following Members were present –

SN	Name / Role in GB / Designation
1	Shri D.P. Landge Chairman (Chairman PCET)
2	Shri V.S. Kalbhor Member (Secretary PCET)
3	Smt. Padmatai Bhosale Member (Vice Chairperson PCET)
4	Shri S.D. Garade Member (Treasurer PCET)
5	Dr. G.M. Desai Member (Executive Director PCET)
6	Mr. Narandra D. Landge * Special Invitee (PCET Representative)
7	Mr. Ajinkya V. Kalbhor * Special Invitee (PCET Representative)
8	Dr. Nilkanth B. Chopade Member Deputy Director PCCoE Teachers of the College, (Senior Teaching Faculty) Nominated by Director
9	Dr. Shitalkumar A. Rawandale Member Dean Industry Institute Interaction PCCoE Teachers of the College, (Senior Teaching Faculty) Nominated by Director
10	Mr. Sanjeev U. Aboti Member Registrar PCCoE Administrative Officer / Senior Administrative Staff
11	Prof. (Dr.) Nitin R. Karmalkar Member Former Vice Chancellor Savitribai Phule Pune University (SPPU) Academician Nominated by PCET Management
12	Dr. Dattatray V. Jadhav Member, State Government Nominee (Ex-officio) # Joint Director, DTE, Pune
13	Dr. Devidas Waydande Member, University Nominee # Mukutrao Sahebrao Kakade College, Someshwar, Baramati, Pune
14	Dr. Govind N. Kulkarni Member Secretary Director PCCoE
15	Dr. N. Vivekanandan ** Associate Member Secretary Associate Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering PCCoE

Over and above than mentioned in the Gazette –

* Special Invitee – PCET Representative

** 01 Permanent Invitee (Ref. – Office Order dated 24 Dec 2024)

- Attended Online

Other Members attended the Meeting in physical Offline Mode.

Leave of Absence – Dr. Shireesh B Kedare @

Special Invitee –

Dr. Dinesh Amalnerkar 'Advisor – Research and International Academics' PCCoE

Chairman confirmed from all whether proceedings being transacted, were audible and visible, and after their conformation Meeting was called to order. At the outset Chairman warmly welcomed all Members.

@ Update –

In view of Dr. Shireesh B. Kedare appointed as 'Director' IIT Bombay, he has requested to be excused from Governing Body (GB) of PCCoE and has deputed Dr. Vikram Gadre (Professor in Electrical Engineering, IIT Bombay) to represent as a Special Invitee on Governing Body (GB) of PCCoE.

Members noted and approved this update, and welcomed Dr. Vikram Gadre who joined the Meeting in Online Mode.

Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25

Item No.	Description
	Statutory Matters –
	A. To confirm Minutes of last GB Meeting dated 20 Dec 2024 (Annexure 1 – A) Minutes were read, confirmed and approved R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 01 (A): Governing Body RESOLVED to CONFIRM AND APPROVE Minutes of Meeting of Governing Body (First Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 20 Dec 2024.
1	B. To consider Action Taken Report <u>GB – 20/12/24 – 2A :</u> Administrative Matters – Proposal – Regarding Relocation of Server Room to Classroom 6101 on First Floor of Building No. 06 This new Server Room Facility will be upgraded from Tier I to Tier II with Data Centre, Security Certification, Smart Rack System, CCTV, NOVAC and other aspects Action taken – I. Project of establishing Data Center (DC) completed, now PCET has a setup of Tier II approaching to Tier III Data Center Infrastructure II. Class Room 6101 upgraded to establish the said Facility with required Infrastructure and Facilities

- III. DC is equipped with Component Level redundancy to ensure round the clock Mandatory Services
- IV. Upgraded DC is equipped with Smart Solution capable of sending Mandatory Alerts with respect to Temperature and Humidity. Additionally other aspects are also covered such as Two Tier Access Control and Surveillance
- V. Upgraded Infrastructure is capable of hosting and maintaining of Next Generation Technological Requirements

GB – 20/12/24 – 4A :

Academic Matters –

Implementation Status of NEP – Status of Third Year B.Tech Structure : Proposed MDM Courses – Sanskrit, Public Administration and Local Governance

Action taken –

- I. Sanskrit and two new MDM Courses i) Upyojit Marathi and ii) Indian Music will be made available for Second Year Students for Academic Year 2025 – 26
- II. Public Administration and Local Governance – deferred in view of unavailability of Resource Faculty, it will be made available in Academic Year 2026 – 27

GB – 20/12/24 – 4C :

Proceedings of Academic Council (AC) Meeting – Regarding suspension of provision for Summer Term and to continue only with Summer Examination

Action taken –

- I. As per Suggestion and Approval of Academic Council (AC), provision for Summer Term is plummeted and Summer Examination is being conducted

GB – 20/12/24 – 4D :

Closure of B.VOC Program

Action taken –

- I. SPPU Process Commencement awaited
- II. Application will be submitted once the Process commences

GB – 20/12/24 – 5A :

Updates on Research and Development (R & D) –

- i. Status of Publication and IPR
- ii. Consulting and Conferences

Action taken –

- I. PCCoE is organizing two International Conferences as follows –
ICCUBEA 2025: Ninth (9th) International Conference and i – MACE 2025: Fourth (4th) International Conference, on 22 and 23 August 2025
- II. These dates were declared on the Concluding Day of earlier Conference on 24 Aug 2024
- III. In view of Suggestions received in last CDC and GB Meeting, the decision will be taken based on the proposed discussion on organizing the Conferences in two separate Timelines
- IV. We will consider Schedule of some of the well-recognized Conferences in respective domain and then decide the Conference Dates accordingly

	<p>V. Industry participation by Capgemini and Henkel India – are in discussion VI. Young Researchers' Conference were conducted by Departments. Details with Dean R & D</p> <p><u>GB – 20/12/24 – 5B :</u> SPPU Committee Visit for Approval of Ph.D. Research Centre in Civil Engineering</p> <p>Action taken – <u>GB – 20/12/24 – 4A :</u> Received Affiliation on 23 April 2025</p> <p><u>GB – 20/12/24 – 6B :</u> Quality Assurance (QA) –</p> <p>NBA Experts Committee Visit for PG Mechanical, E & TC, Computer and Civil Engineering</p> <p>Action taken – NBA Experts Committee visited during 17 to 19 Jan 2025. Accreditation granted and Letter received on 19 Feb 2025 <u>GB – 20/12/24 – 4C :</u></p> <p><u>GB – 20/12/24 – 7A :</u> Incentives / Fellowship i) For Research Paper Publications – Dean R & D to review and study Policies of other Institutes and put up a detailed Proposal</p> <p>Action taken – Proposal ready and put up in this Meeting for Consideration and Approval <u>GB – 20/12/24 – 4D :</u></p> <p>(Annexure 1 – B)</p> <p>Action Taken Report was read, discussed, confirmed and approved.</p> <p><u>R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 01 (B):</u> Governing Body RESOLVED to CONFIRM AND APPROVE Action Taken Report (ATR) of Governing Body (First Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 20 Dec 2024.</p>
<p>2</p>	<p>Administrative Matters –</p> <p>A. <u>Institute Strategic Development Plan –</u></p> <p>Director shared details regarding Institute Strategic Development Plan (SDP) with respect to –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timeline – from Academic Year 2025 – 26 to 2029 – 30 • Need and Thought Process • SWOC Analysis • Focus: Target NIRF Ranking < 100 by Academic Year 2029 – 30

- SDP Sections – Infrastructure, Administration, Finance, Human Resource, Academics, Research, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Students Placement, Quality Assurance, Peer Perception
- Strategy and Actions
- Approval received from PCET Management

Details of SDP Sections and Features include –

- Pragmatic approach
- Finance – Increase in Revenue (FRA has approved Fees INR 1,76,000/- for B.Tech. from Academic Year 2025 – 26), proposed increase in Spending per Student
- Human Resources – Current Faculty (252), Ph.D. Qualified (119)
- Intake from 4056 to 5136 with Targeted SFR 1:15
- Infrastructure – Sharing and Optimum Utilization of Resources
Provision of Space for Additional Intake, New UG / PG Programs in emerging Areas, Offices for Deans, Office for Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Art Circle Activities
- Strengthening of Section 8 Company

SDP also talked about –

- Academics –
 - Total Credits for UG – 160 and PG – 80
 - Curriculum – Theory 50 % + Laboratory 50 %
 - Multi – Disciplinary Minors (MDM): improvement in Variety and Number every Year
 - Curriculum Design will be based on Relevance, Contemporariness, Global Level Content, Flexibility and Uniqueness and Market Demand
 - Difficulty Level of Question Papers – choice of Departments
 - Suggestion – thorough consideration to be given to fundamental aspects, requirements, employability
- Research –
 - Paper Publications – proposed total growth
 - Sponsored Projects, Funded Projects and Consultancy Projects
 - Patents – Published, Granted and Commercialized
 - Startup – Registered and Planned
- Industry Institute Interaction –
 - Platinum Placement Project – proposed investment and expected number of Students to be placed above 10 LPA Salary Package
 - Proposed Increase in Percentage Placement
 - Median Salary / Year

(Annexure 2 – A)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 02 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** Institute Strategic Development Plan after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

B. Code of Conduct – For i) Students ii) Faculty and Staff iii) Research Ethics

- I. Code of Conduct for Students with nineteen (19) Codes published on the Institute Website under SDW
- II. Code of Conduct for Faculty and Staff with twenty five (25) Codes published on the Institute Website under FDW
- III. Research Ethics – to be strictly used as a Guiding Document, available on the Institute Website under R & D

(Annexure 2 – B)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 02 (B):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE Code of Conduct – For i) Students ii) Faculty and Staff iii) Research Ethics** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

C. Revised Policy Framework (for Academic and Administrative Staff) –

- i. Vacation Policy
- ii. Leaves Applicable

Point for discussion – Is Vacation a prerogative? Policy for Leaves (for Faculty and Staff) in Autonomous Environment.

Members discussed and suggested that –

- Basic mandatory provisions for Vacation and Leave must be extended
- PCCoE being a Private Institute, anything over and above is discretion of the Management

Accordingly Revised Policy Framework (for Academic and Administrative Staff) for Vacation and Leaves Applicable is as mentioned below (execution with immediate effect) –

- Total Vacation (Summer + Winter) – 45 Days
- Detention – to be converted to Earned Leaves (total number of EL accumulated per year – 30)
- Proportion of accumulation of EL 3:2 (instead of earlier proportion 3:1)
- Technical Supporting Staff – Vacation as per Eligibility and prevailing Guidelines
- Completion of One Year – No Vacation
- Administrative Staff – No Vacation

(Annexure 2 – C)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 02 (C):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE Code of Research Policy Framework (for Academic and Administrative Staff)** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

D. Infrastructure Update –**Shifting / Relocation to Building No. 11 : Status**

Information shared –

- Total Area available – 1.75 lac Sq. Ft.
- Enhancement of Infrastructure with Utilization Plan of Building No. 11
- Departments / Section in Building No. 11 –
 - Computer Engineering
 - Computer Engineering (Regional Language)
 - Central Library
 - Examinations
- Infrastructure Capacity Enhancement – utilization of Space created in Building No. 6 and Building No. 09
- Addition in Infrastructure with respect to Classrooms, Laboratories, Tutorial Rooms, Seminar Halls, Conference Rooms, HOD Offices

Data Centre (अगस्त्य) –

Details shared regarding –

- Computing and Storage
- Network and Security
- Virtiv Racks
- Other Features, Firewall, Services

Efforts of Prof. Ramkrishna S. Vadali (Head Systems and IT Support) with his Team in effective execution of this Project are acknowledged and appreciated.

(Annexure 2 – D)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 02 (D):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE Infrastructure Update – Shifting / Relocation to Building No. 11: Status** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

E. Human Resources Scenario –

- Present Actual SFR 1:19.8, Targeted SFR 1:15 as per SDP
- Roaster sanctioned (for PCCoE and PCCoE & R) – Recruitment in process
- Current Faculty 252, as per SDP in five years 342
- Ph.D. Qualified – 119
- Roster and Advertisement

(Annexure 2 – E)

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE Human Resources Scenario** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

F. Academic Program Enhancements (from Academic Year 2026 – 27) –

- i. Mechanical – New UG Program in Robotics and Artificial Intelligence
- ii. Civil – New PG Program in Environmental Engineering
- iii. Civil – Additional Intake for UG Program (from 60 to 120)

About i and ii:

Members discussed and after considering Market Trends, Resources, and Preparedness; unanimously agreed to defer it for now.

About iii:

Civil – Additional Intake for UG Program (from 60 to 120) – following Suggestions received from PCET Management –

- Considering the Admissions scenario increase in Intake for UG Civil Engineering can be for 30 Seats for now
- Option of Lateral Entry to be explored
- Possibility of offering UG Civil Engineering in Regional Language to be explored which will surely attract local aspirants

Addition –

- New Under Graduate Program under Electronics Engineering – Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology) with 60 Intake – proposed from Academic Year 2026 – 27
- Program Head shared related details
- Members discussed and positively recommended

(Annexure 2 – F)

Governing Body **RESOLVED to APPROVE Academic Program Enhancements (from Academic Year 2026 – 27)** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

Finance (Proceedings of Finance Committee Meeting) –

A. Budget for Financial Year 2025 – 26

- Budget Provision included for Sustainable Development (20 Lakhs) and, Innovation and Entrepreneurship 'IEN' (15 Lakhs)
- Total Budget – Approximately 74 Cr

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(Annexure 3 – A)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 03 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED to APPROVE Budget for Financial Year 2025 – 26** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

B. Budget of Examinations and Evaluation Cell for FY 2025 – 26

- Total Budget Approximately 02 Cr

(Annexure 3 – B)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 03 (B):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** Budget of Examinations and Evaluation Cell for FY 2025 – 26 after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

C. Expenses from Dec 2024 to Mar 2025 and April 2025 to May 2025

Expenses are within predefined Budget.

(Annexure 3 – C)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 03 (C):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** Expenses from Dec 2024 to Mar 2025 and April 2025 to May 2025 after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

D. Examinations and Evaluation Cell Expenses from April 2024 to March 2025

Expenses are within predefined Budget.

(Annexure 3 – D)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 03 (D):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** Examinations and Evaluation Cell Expenses from April 2024 to Mar 2025 after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

Academic Matters –

A. Proceedings of Academic Council (AC) Meeting

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Highlights of the 12th Academic Council Meeting dated 12 June 2025 –

- **Honors with Research –**

➤ Dean R & D proposed and elaborated 'Honors with Research' Course providing a direct Research Experience to Students during Third Year and Final Year of UG Program

- This 18 Credit Course will focus on engaging Students in direct Research Work
- UG Students will work as Dedicated Research Interns for Two Years
- Provision of Individual Mentor throughout the Honors Program
- Evaluation will be done by Mentor Faculty based on Outcomes of the Research
- No Classroom Engagement needed for this Course
- Regular Academics – Responsibility of Individual Students
- Repository of Research Titles will be created
- Multidisciplinary approach – Students from all Disciplines can join
- **Multi – Disciplinary Minor (MDM) introduced –**
- Additional 14 Credits
- Registrations – Sanskrit (02), Upayojit Marathi (07), Indian Music (10)
- MoU with Gandharva Mahavidyalaya

• **Incentives to Faculty for MOOC Development –**

- Proposal to be submitted
- Provision for equipment, video recording, editing and hosting facilities – to be pre-sanctioned from Department Budget
- Suggestion – Professional Approach is crucial for expected effective outcomes

• **Green Channel and Red Channel System –**

- Green Channel System –
- for All Students with Standard Closed Book Exam
- Standard Evaluation Process

➤ Red Channel System –

- for addressing Critical Detention Cases / Specific Approved Courses in Academic Year 2025 – 26
- Critical Cases identified for Red Channel – 15
- Provision of Open Book Exam / Open Ended Questions
- Outcome = Pass / Fail Grade with Standard Evaluation
- Option can be used only once in Four Years

Members appreciated this novel approach in the interest of Students.

(Annexure 4 – A)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 04 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** Proceedings of Academic Council (AC) Meeting after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

B. Findings of Academic Audit –

- Audit is scheduled in end of July 2025 hence Findings will be shared in the next Meeting
- Modification in Audit Formats discussed and approved in the Meeting of Academic Council (AC)

(Annexure 4 – B)**R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 04 (B):**

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE Findings of Academic Audit** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

C. Ashwamedh – Provisional Passing Certificate Awarding Ceremony for First Batch of Computer Engineering (Regional Language) –

Success Story –

- One of the foci of the NEP 2020 has been to promote Higher Education in Regional Languages
- In line with the Guidelines of National Education Policy – NEP 2020 – PCCoE started B.Tech. Computer Engineering Program in Regional Language: Marathi since Academic Year 2021 – 22
- The Program is approved by AICTE
- PCCoE has become the First and the only Institute in Maharashtra to offer B.Tech. Program in Regional Language
- Successful completion of this Batch can be a trail blazer initiative aimed at transforming the Educational Landscape of India

Highlights –

- Provisional Passing Certificate Awarding Ceremony for First Batch of B.Tech Computer Engineering (Regional Language) conducted on 31 May 2025
- Ceremony effectively executed in the auspicious presence of Dr. Anil Sahasrabudhe {Chairman National Educational Technology Forum (NETF), Chairman EC National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and Chairman NBA} as 'Chief Guest'
- Media acknowledgements including Doordarshan Video (of 07 minute duration) Titled 'Good News Maharashtra' recorded and aired
- 67 out of 68 Students Passed
- Quality Placements received – 65%

Members delightedly noted this remarkable achievement, acknowledged and appreciated the efforts of Team Computer Engineering (Regional Language) with all Members of 'Team PCCoE' for –

- Establishing faith of Students community that Mother Tongue is the best way to gaining knowledge and learning everything including Engineering
- Students need not feel inferior for not possessing through knowledge of English as a Language and English not being their best of strengths
- Creating competent Engineering Graduates using Regional Language who are at par with fellow comrades

(Annexure 4 – C)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 04 (C):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **APPROVE Ashwamedh – Provisional Passing Certificate Awarding Ceremony for First Batch of Computer Engineering (Regional Language)** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Approval (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

Research and Development (R & D) –

A. – Approval received for Ph.D. Research Centre in Civil Engineering (2024 – 25) –

- Received Affiliation on 23 April 2025

Highlights –

- Consultancy work funded by Pimpri Chinchwad Science Park to develop AI Training Module for School Students. Revenue generation with 35% share of PCCoE
- Corporate Training Project from Anand Group (worth INR 21 L)
- A Proposal of CSE (AI & ML) Department is sanctioned under AICTE – WAANI Scheme for conducting a workshop on 'Advanced Computing for Industry 4.0' (with a Grant of INR 2 L)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 05 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE information shared under Approval received for Ph.D. Research Centre in Civil Engineering (2024 – 25)** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

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B. KSHITIJ 'क्षितिज' 2025 Report –

- PCCoE's Flagship Event Innovative Project Showcase Conference exclusively for UG Students
- Kshitij 2025 marks the fourth edition conducted on Saturday, May 24, 2025
- Kshitij 2025 showcased –
 - Total 28 Patents
 - Theme aligned Innovation with SDGs
 - ✓ VLSI and Embedded systems
 - ✓ Construction Management
 - ✓ Artificial intelligence and Data Science
 - ✓ Manufacturing technology
- Total 162 Industry Delegates visited to witness these Innovations
- Chief Guest: Mr. Sagar Babar – President & Chief AI Officer at Comsense, Chairman – AI & IT, MEDC, and Co-founder of Driving AI-First Growth
- Guest of Honor: Mr. Mukul Kumar, Co-Founder and President, Engineering at PubMatic

(Annexure 5 – B)**R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 05 (B):**

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under KSHITIJ 'क्षितिज' **2025 Report** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

C. Publication Status and Faculty Achievements –

Information was shared regarding –

- Publications – 135 till 30 June 2025 and Incentives to Faculty INR 7 Lakhs
- Sponsored Projects
- Funded Projects
- Consultancy Projects
- Startups

Achievement –

PCCoE honoured with National Intellectual Property Award by Union Minister for Commerce and Industry, Shri Piyush Goyal, at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. The Award, organized by Office of the Controller General of Patents, Designs and Trademarks, recognized PCCoE's Excellence in IP Development and Commercialization.

PCCoE is the only Private Institution in Maharashtra to receive this honour in 2023.

Efforts of Faculty concerned and Patents Facilitation Cell of PCCoE are acknowledged and Appreciated.

(Annexure 5 – C)

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Publication Status and Faculty Achievements** after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.

D. Research Symposium and Young Researchers' Conference –

- Research Symposium conducted on 12 April 2025 for Ph.D. Research Scholars (39) and M.Tech. Students (139) –
- Chief Guest – Prof. Dr. Parag Kalkar (Pro-Vice Chancellor, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune)
- Objective – to provide a platform for Scholars to showcase their Research Work, receive valuable Feedback, and explore opportunities for Networking and Collaboration with Research Organizations and Industry Experts
- contribution towards Patentable Projects

- Young Researchers Conference (formerly Baby Conference) –
- Exclusively for UG Students
- Department wise separate Budget Provision
- Total Number of Participants – 1509
- Conducted Department wise during Academic Year 2024 – 25

(Annexure 5 – D)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 05 (D):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Research Symposium and Young Researchers' Conference** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

E. ICCUBEA and IMACE Updates –

- Conference Dates – 22 and 23 Aug 2025
- General Chairs
 - ICCUBEA – Dr. J.V. Katti
 - i-MACE – Dr. N.R. Deore
- Preparations are in progress

(Annexure 5 – E)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 05 (E):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **ICCUBEA and IMACE Updates** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

F. Ph.D. Scholar Status –

- Departments having Ph.D. Research Center – 04
- Ph.D. Research Scholars – 52
- Ph.D. Research Scholars admitted in Academic Year 2024 – 25: 15
- Ph.D. Research Scholars completed Ph.D. in Academic Year 2024 – 25: 08

(Annexure 5 – F)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 05 (F):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Ph.D. Scholar Status** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

G. Innovation and Entrepreneurship (IEN) – Aptitude Test Initiative –

Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) established at PCCoE is Awarded with Four (04) Star Rating for undertaking various activities prescribed by Innovation Cell, Ministry of Education, Government of India to promote Innovation and Start-up in Campus during IIC Calendar Year 2023 – 24

Members acknowledged and appreciated the achievement of Team IEN under Research and Development (R & D)

(Annexure 5 – G)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 05 (G):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Innovation and Entrepreneurship (IEN) – Aptitude Test Initiative** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

Quality Assurance (QA) –

A. NBA Accreditation for PG Programs –

• NBA Accreditation received for following PG Programs till June 2028 –

- I. Mechanical (Design)
- II. VLSI and Embedded Systems
- III. Computer Engineering
- IV. Civil – Construction Management

- Information Technology – AI & DS – Eligible in 2027 – 28
- Mechanical – Computational Mechanics – Eligible in 2027 – 28
- MCA – to become Eligible as per Guidelines

Information was shared about –

- I. NBA for UG Programs (Mechanical, E & TC, Computer, IT and Civil) – valid till June 2025 – Application for next Cycle submitted, Experts Committee Visit awaited
 - CSE (AI & ML) – Eligible in 2027 – 28
 - Computer (Regional Language) – Eligible in 2027 – 28
- II. Peer Perception – proposed Improvement Plan

Suggestion – Members suggested creating 'Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) Center' which will aid in enhancing Peer Perception

(Annexure 6 – A)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 06 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **NBA Accreditation for PG Programs** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

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	<p>B. National Rankings –</p> <p>I. NAAC – Extension till Dec 2025</p> <p>II. NIRF – Current Rank : Beyond 300, Target as per SDP <100 by Academic Year 2029 – 30</p> <p>III. Times All India Engineering Institutes Ranking Survey 2025 – PCCoE Ranked 14th in All India Level and 3rd in Western Region</p> <p>IV. The week – All India Ranking 94 and Western Zone Ranking 12</p> <p>(Annexure 6 – B)</p> <p><u>R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 06 (B):</u></p> <p>Governing Body RESOLVED to NOTE information shared under National Rankings after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.</p>
	<p>C. ISO Certification –</p> <p>I. ISO 21001:2018 – valid till June 2027</p> <p><u>R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 06 (C):</u></p> <p>Governing Body RESOLVED to NOTE information shared under ISO Certification after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.</p>
<p>7</p>	<p>Student Development and Welfare (SDW) –</p> <p>A. Recognition of Exemplary Achievements –</p> <p>Art Circle –</p> <p>Achievements of Cultural Cell in Events such as YIN Kalamahostav 2024, DLF Music Competition, MIT Arohan Dance Competition, State Level Natyageet Competition, Indian Idol Mega Auditions, Sangeet Bharati & Breathing Heaven Music Foundation</p> <p>Sports and Physical Education –</p> <p>Student selected in SPPU Basketball Team for Krida Mahostav Inter University Competition organized by Government of Maharashtra</p> <p>Social Clubs –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Social Services (NSS) – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Durvavedh 2.0 Institute Social Responsibility (ISR) –

- Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC) –
- Higher Study Cell (HSC) –
- Study Circle (SC) –
 - वाचन संकल्प महाराष्ट्राचा उपक्रम
 - Expert Session on "UPSC/MPSC Success Roadmap"
- Students Welfare, Anti Ragging and Discipline –
 - Non-Government Scholarships (monetary and non-monetary eg. Laptop) – 138 Students benefited, Amount received INR 64 Lakhs

Team Red Baron –

Team Red Baron designed and developed an Electric All-Terrain Vehicle participating in eBaja SAE India. Previously designing and manufacturing combustion ATVs, the Team has participated in Baja SAE India, Enduro Student India, Mega ATV Championship, and Baja SAE International.

- All India Rank 3 Overall in eBAJA 2025 event by SAE India
- Top Ranks in Key Events with –
- AIR 1 in Statics
- AIR 2 in both CAE and Cost and
- AIR 3 in Sled Pull

Team Kratos Racing –

- Team Kratos Racing Electric participated in Formula Bharat 2025 the National Event of Formula Student Community
- This Year Team secured the National Championship for the Seventh time, Winning the National Championship Title
- Team won all the Dynamic Event Awards and in the Static Events Team kept on winning Awards by Securing –

1. AIR 1 – Overall Winners
2. Rank 1 – Skid Pad Event
3. Rank 1 – Acceleration Event
4. Rank 1 – Autocross Event
5. Rank 1 – Endurance Event
6. Rank 1 – Efficiency Event
7. Overall Dynamics Award
8. Rank 2 – Cost and Manufacturing
9. Rank 3 – Business Plan
10. Rank 5 – Engineering Design Presentation
11. Overall Statics Award
12. Cleanest Pit Award
13. Best Driver Award

Team Solarium –

Team Solarium is India's Premier Student-led Solar Electric Vehicle Team, dedicated to Sustainable Innovation, with all its Vehicles designed and manufactured in-house.

- Secured Overall Rank 1 at ESVC3000 Asia's largest Solar Car Event
- Won many other Awards like –
 1. Best Innovation
 2. Best Vehicle Electrical System
 3. People's Choice
 4. Best Endurance
 5. Durability and Lightest Weight

Team Maverick India –

- Team designs, innovates, fabricates and tests fixed Wing UAVs
- Objective – To allow passionate Students from Interdisciplinary Domains to transcend themselves and sharpen their skills in the Aero domain
- Team is enriching this learning experience by participating in a hands-on Engineering Challenge at the Aero Design Series at the National and International levels
- Aero Design is an Engineering Competition that challenges Teams to design, build, and fly a radio-controlled Aircraft to meet Specific Mission Requirements

Achievements –

- SAE INTL AERO DESIGN WEST, California, USA 2025 –
 - World Rank 6 – Overall Performance
 - World Rank 2 – Design
- Conducted successful Workshop RotorX with more than 70 Students from all over Maharashtra

(Annexure 7 – A)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 07 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Recognition of Exemplary Achievements** after **review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

B. Students Clubs – Formation of New Clubs

New Clubs introduced from Academic Year 2025 – 26 :

Team Anantam (Rocketry and Space Research) –

- A vibrant collective of over 40 passionate, multidisciplinary Undergraduate Innovators united by a bold Mission – to push the boundaries of Experimental Rocketry and Space Exploration
- Through cutting edge Projects and fearless creativity, this Team will be contributing in redefining the future of Aerospace, one groundbreaking initiative at a time

- Team is aiming to participate in Model Rocketry India Students Competition and CANSAT India Students Competition 2025 – 26 organized by ISRO, IN-SPAcE, and Astronautical Society of India

Coding Club –

- A club of over 20 enthusiastic Coders dedicated to mastering the art of Competitive Programming, Open Source Contribution, and Cyber Security
- Whether it's gearing up for GSoC, battling it out in CTFs, solving real-world challenges in ICPC, or pushing limits in IEEE Xtreme – the Team trains, collaborates, and grows together
- With a focus on hands-on learning, Peer Mentorship, and a passion for Innovation, the Club is shaping the Tech Leaders of tomorrow

Achievement –

Won Third place at PICT's Flagship Event 'Techfiesta'

(Annexure 7 – B)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 07 (B):

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Faculty Development and Welfare (FDW) –

A. Recognition of PhD Completions –

- Number of Faculty completing Ph.D. (119 in Academic Year 2024 – 25)
- Members congratulated Faculty concerned

FDW Initiative –

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- Shrimad Bhagawadgeeta Pathan from 24 March 2025
- The Class room Venue used is now named as Meditation Hall
- Efforts and contribution of all Participants and Team FDW acknowledged and appreciated

Special thanks conveyed to PCET Management for support and guidance.

(Annexure 8 – A)

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 08 (A):

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Recognition of PhD Completions** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

	<p>B. <u>Patent Grants –</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patents – Filed (84) Published (57) and Granted (26) • Information noted and acknowledged <p>(Annexure 8 – B)</p> <p><u>R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 08 (B):</u></p> <p>Governing Body RESOLVED to NOTE information shared under Patent Grants after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.</p>
	<p>Industry Institute Interaction (III) –</p> <p>A. <u>Continued Collaboration and Updates –</u></p> <p>Information was shared regarding –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Platinum Placement Project (PPP) • Companies visited till date – 268 • Percentage Placement • Quality Placements, Branch wise details • Offers, Packages, Highest Internship Package • Median Salary – 10 L <p>9</p> <p><u>R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 09 (A):</u></p> <p>A. Governing Body RESOLVED to NOTE information shared under Continued Collaboration and Updates after review, discussion and recommendation of College Development Committee (CDC), then subsequently put up in Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25) held on 16 July 2025.</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>Any other Point with permission of the Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy of Awarding Higher AGP – <p>In line with a request received from Teaching Faculty Representative regarding Awarding Higher AGP important aspects to be noted –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ A detailed structured Proposal to be submitted to Director ➤ Draft Proposal to be prepared considering Top 10% Faculty Members on the basis of – ➤ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Eligibility as per 7th Pay b) 360° Feedback Score c) Annual Cumulative Performance Appraisal Score d) Final discretion of PCET in implementation as well as in methodology <p>(Annexure 10)</p>

R : 2024 – 25 / 02 / 10 :

Governing Body **RESOLVED** to **NOTE** information shared under **Any Other Point – Policy of Awarding Higher AGP** after review, discussion and recommendation of **College Development Committee (CDC)**, then subsequently put up in **Governing Body for Information (Second Meeting of Academic Year 2024 – 25)** held on **16 July 2025**.

Concluding Remarks –


PCET –

Trustee Members acknowledged and appreciated the focused and steady growth of PCCoE as an Institute and expressed expectations of similar commitment from all Members of 'Team PCCoE' in the Journey ahead.

PCCoE –

Director thanked the PCET Management on behalf of 'Team PCCoE' for vigilant and motivating guidance always and assured of justifiably standing up to the expectations.

Meeting concluded with a vote of thanks.


Dr. Govind N. Kulkarni
Member Secretary

