

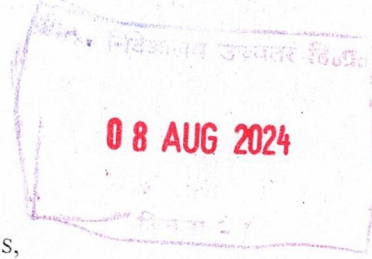
8

No. EDN-H(8)A(1)Misc-L(NEP-2020)  
Directorate of Higher Education  
Himachal Pradesh.  
Dated Shimla - 171001, the

06<sup>th</sup> Aug,  
July 2024

To

1. All the Registrar(s),  
HPU/SPU/ Private Universities  
Situating in Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the Principal(s),  
Govt. Degree/Skt/Pvt./GIA Colleges,  
Himachal Pradesh.



**Subject:-** Regarding to upload the data on portal of Academic Bank of Credit.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith D.O. No. 1-50/2021(ABC/NAD) dated 16.07.2024 of Secretary, University Grants Commission on the subject cited above, wherein, the authority has notified "The University Grants Commission (Established and Operation of Academic Bank of Credits in Higher Education) regulations, 2021" in the Gazette of India on 28th July 2021.

In view of the above, you are requested to follow the steps and on-board (if not on-boarded) with ABC and upload academic data with students' earned credit obtained during or after the academic year 2021-22 along with students' ABC ID.

Your faithfully,

(Dr. Amarjeet K. Sharma)  
Director of Higher Education,  
Himachal Pradesh  
July 2024

Endst No. the Shimla-171001 Dated

Copy to:-

1. The Secretary, UGC, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110002 w.r.t. above mentioned letter.
2. T.O. IT Cell (Internal) with the direction to upload the letter on the Departmental website.
3. Guard file.

Director of Higher Education  
Himachal Pradesh



Dy. no. 24/2673/  
Dated 20/07/2024



आचार्य मनिष र. जोशी  
सचिव

Prof. Manish R. Joshi  
Secretary



सत्यमेव जयते



विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग  
University Grants Commission  
(शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)  
(Ministry of Education, Govt. of India)

Do.No.1-50/2021(ABC/NAD)

16<sup>th</sup> July, 2024/25 आषाढ़, 1946

आदरणीय महोदया/महोदय,

As you know, the Government of India, under the New Education Policy, 2020, has launched the Academic Bank of Credits scheme. Accordingly, the University Grants Commission with the concurrence of Ministry of Education has notified "**The University Grants Commission (Established and Operation of Academic Bank of Credits in Higher Education) regulations, 2021**" in the Gazette of India on 28<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

The Academic Bank of Credits (ABC) allows students to learn at their convenience within the provisions of multiple entry and exit and pick it up again within seven years. The online credit accumulation, transfer and redemption is expected to enhance the Gross Enrolment Ratio also.

I am glad to share with you that till date the ABC has made significant progress in last few months in the number of registrations of learners and creation of ABC counts. However, the process of credit mapping with ABC accounts is quite slow and needs to pick up considerably to address the urgent issue of creditization of courses undertaken by the students.

UGC and Digi-locker are putting lot of efforts and hand-holding of institutions to make their experience on the ABC portal smooth and easy. The Institutions are requested to take the following steps and enhance the outreach of ABC portal at this time of the year when the academic session is about to start:

- Register your Institution on NAD/ABC portal (<https://nad.digilocker.gov.in/>) only.
- Designate Nodal Officer and set up a dedicated NAD/ABC Cell for implementation of NAD/ABC scheme and reflect their details i.e. (Name, Designation, Mobile number and Email id) on respective Institution's website.
- Advise the students to register on ABC through <https://www.abc.gov.in/>.
- The assistance of UGC-NEP SAARTHIs, nominated by the HEI and notified by UGC, may be sought in helping the students to create ABC-IDs within the premises of HEIs at the time of admissions.

Cont...



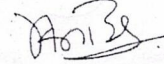
- ABC ID should be made a mandatory field in the **admission forms, examination forms** or if possible on Student's I-card also.
- Display the posters & templates and placing them on the canteen, library, notice board and around the playground or the place where there is maximum movement of Students.
- Organizing the seminar/workshop for information and publicity about ABC in Campus as well as respective affiliated colleges.

To attain the objectives of ABC, you are requested to on-board (if not on-boarded) with ABC and upload academic data with students' earned credit obtained during or after the academic year 2021-22 along with students' ABC ID.

It is informed that UGC shall be sharing the status of the HEI on the ABC portal with the State Governments on a regular basis to update them regarding the status of the on-boarding of the HEIs on the ABC Portal and motivate them to upload data with ABC accounts to operationalize the ABC portal completely.

सादर,

भवदीय,



(मनिष जोशी)

सेवा में

उच्च शिक्षा संस्थानों के सभी कुलपति/निदेशक और प्राचार्य।