**3.5.1 Institution has a policy on IPR and consultancy including revenue sharing between the Institution and the individual, besides a training cum capacity building programme for teachers, students and staff for undertaking consultancy**

**Response:**

Being a health education university, the SGT University (SGTU) strives on quality in education, research, IPR and consultancy. For attaining the aim of excellence of academics, research, innovations and consultancy, the university has dedicated policies & procedures and implemented in their true sense.

**Policy on IPR and Consultancy**

The dedicated policies for IPR and Consultancy are approved through statutory bodies and implemented in the University with the intention to bring excellence in the IPR, Research and Consultancy. These policies are updated time to time and well-publicized through notices, circulars, websites and social media. The website links of both policies are given hereunder:

1. **IPR Policy & Perspective:** <https://sgtuniversity.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/IPR-Policy.pdf>
2. **Consultancy Policy:** <https://sgtuniversity.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/Consultancy-Policy-14102021.pdf>

The para ***“6. Intellectual Property Rights”*** of the Consultancy Policy connects IPR policy with the consultancy policy which clearly states that *“The consultancy assignment must contain the treatment of Intellectual Property Rights to avoid any dispute later on as per the University IPR Policy”.*

**Revenue Sharing between SGTU and Principal Consultants & Team**

The Consultancy Policy of the SGTU has well-defined provisions for revenue sharing between SGTU and Principal Consultants & Team. Detailed information on the revenue-sharing model is depicted in Consultancy Policy para ***“8. Fund Utilization”.*** The total amount of more than 1.7 Cr. Lakhs have been generated through consultancy by our student/faculty/staff members in the last five years i.e., 2017-18 to 2021-22.

**Training Programmes for Student, Staff and Faculty Members for Undertaking Consultancy**

The training for students, staff and faculty members for undertaking consultancy projects is a mandatory element of the complete journey of research, innovation and consultancy.

To make our students, staff and faculty members equipped with time-to-time updated skill set & strategies, the university conducts a number of programs on research proposal writing, consultancy techniques, IPR filing process, IPR procedure, etc. These programme not only keep them updated with skill-set but also help them in capacity building.