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ICFAI UNIVERSITY JHARKHAND LAUNCHES PART TIME Ph.D. PROGRAM IN MANAGEMENT

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ICFAI University Jharkhand (IUJ), today released the Prospectus for its Ph.D. program (Part Time) in Management , during its first Research Advisory Committee meeting today at Faculty of Management Studies, Ashok Nagar campus, Ranchi. Speaking on the occasion, Prof. ORS Rao, Vice- Chancellor of the University, highlighted that this program will be beneficial for the working professionals in industry, government and academics, who are keen to take up research but are unable to pursue the full time Ph.D. Programs. “ In order to provide the needed advice with regard to the conduct of the Ph.D. program, the University constituted a Research Advisory Committee, drawing on the distinguished Academicians and Researchers from the leading Institutions in Jharkhand , who include Dr. K K Nag (Former VC, Ranchi University), Prof. M J Xavier (Director, IIM, Ranchi), Dr. S K Bose (HOD, Dept. of Management, BIT, Mesra), Dr K K Bhagat (XISS, Ranchi) and , Prof. I S F Irudayaraj (XLRI, Jamshedpur)”, added Prof Rao.

Talking about the Program Structure, Dr BM Singh, Dean, FMS said “This Program is for a period of four years from the date of provisional admission into the Ph.D. Program. However, in exceptional cases, permission may be given for thesis submission even before the completion of four years, provided the candidate has completed minimum three years from the date of provisional admission into the Ph.D. Program”. “The students have to appear for contact sessions for 2 weeks during the first semester at IUJ ,wherein Course Work is covered. After successful completion of the same, the students can work on the Research Thesis at their own pace” , added Dr Singh. .

Highlighting the admission modalities of the program, Brig SK Deb, Registrar mentioned that working professionals ,with Post Graduation in management or allied subjects or professional qualifications like CA/CFA/ICWA/CS etc, with a minimum of 3 years of experience ,are eligible to apply for the program. Last date for submission of filled up applications is November 3, 2011 . Selection of applicants into the Ph.D will be made through a Research Aptitude Test ,followed by interview. Candidates domiciled in Jharkhand are eligible for fee concession.

Candidates ,interested in joining the Program, may contact the University or visit their website at www.iujharkhand.edu.in

About the ICFAI University Jharkhand:

The ICFAI University, Jharkhand (IUJ) belongs to the ICFAI Universities Group (IUG), which pioneered Professional Education in India. IUJ was established under ICFAI University Act, 2006 (Jharkhand Act 08, 2007), which was passed by the State Legislature of Jharkhand and was notified by Government of Jharkhand on 17th June 2008. The University was empowered by UGC vide its letter dated 1st Dec2009 to award degrees under Section 22 of UGC Act, 1956.

IUJ offers a range of vocation oriented Under Graduate and Post Graduate programmes, which include B Tech, BBA, BCA & MBA. Besides excellent infrastructure like well furnished class rooms, laboratories, workshops and library, IUJ has well qualified and experienced faculty members. More details on IUJ can be found by visiting its website at www.iujharkhand.edu.in.