

## ACTIVITY REPORT OF MOU



# Rajiv Gandhi University

(A Central University)  
Rono Hills, Doimukh  
Arunachal Pradesh, India



युवा कार्यक्रम  
एवं खेल मंत्रालय  
MINISTRY OF  
YOUTH AFFAIRS  
AND SPORTS

सत्यमेव जयते

# Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports

(Government of India)  
New Delhi, India

## 1. Introduction

Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh Arunachal Pradesh signed a Memorandum of Understanding for setting of Sports Science Departments on 29/06/2022 for a period of 3 years. It is a part of GoI initiative under National Centre for Sport Science Research (NCSSR) for producing sports scientist to provide scientific support to Indian Athletes in high sports performance.

## 2. About the Institutions

### 2.1 Rajiv Gandhi University

Rajiv Gandhi University (formerly Arunachal University), the premier institute of higher learning in Arunachal Pradesh, has completed thirty-seven years of its existence. Smt. Indira Gandhi, the then Prime Minister of India, laid the foundation stone of the University on February 4, 1984. Subsequently, it started postgraduate courses from the Academic session 1988-89 in the sprawling and picturesque Rono Hills. The University was converted into a Central University on April 9, 2007 by a notification of Ministry of Human Resource Development (now Ministry of Education), Government of India. The RGU was ranked as 2<sup>nd</sup> in the country amongst the other central universities of India by the UGC (Ministry of Education), New Delhi based on the performances in 17 parameters. The only affiliating University in the state, has, its jurisdiction encompassing whole of the state. In total, there are 45 colleges affiliated to this university. The University offers academic programmes from certificate to doctoral degree through its different departments with its motto "*Vidhyaamritshnute*" i.e. "Excellence and Immortality through nectar of Education". In a span of around four decades, the Rajiv Gandhi University has grown into an institution with proven academic excellence, social commitment and cultural interest with a clear vision for its future growth.

## **2.2 The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports**

The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports functioned under the overall guidance of the Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Youth Affairs & Sports during the year. In April, 2008, two separate Departments, namely, Department of Youth Affairs and Department of Sports, were created under the Ministry, each Department under the charge of a Secretary to the Government of India.

## **3. Programmes and Activities**

The following activities are undertaken as per the mutually agreed provisions of the MoU:

### **1. Funds Received:**

The Ministry through its MOU as on 31.03.2023 sanctioned an amount of Rs. 1.65 Crore under Capital Head and Rs. 26, 82,756/- lakhs under Salary Head.

### **2. Courses:**

Total of 6 Sports Science courses are being run under the Faculty of Physical Education and Sports Science i.e., (1) M. A. Sports Psychology, (2) M. Sc. Sports Biomechanics, (3) M. Sc. Sports Physiology, (4) M. Sc. Sports Strength Training & Conditioning, (5) 3 Months Certificate Course in Strength Training & Conditioning (6) 3 Months Certificate Course in Sports Anthropometry.

### **3. Training & Internship:**

The students are sent for Internship Programmes to various Sports Authority of India Centres and Sports High Performance Centre by Tata Steel Jamshedpur for first hand training and experience with reputed sports scientists and experts. The students are also provided scholarship by SAI and Tata Steel to bear their expenses during Internship programmes.

**4. Placement:**

Former students from the department have been absorbed in various organizations as indicated hereunder:

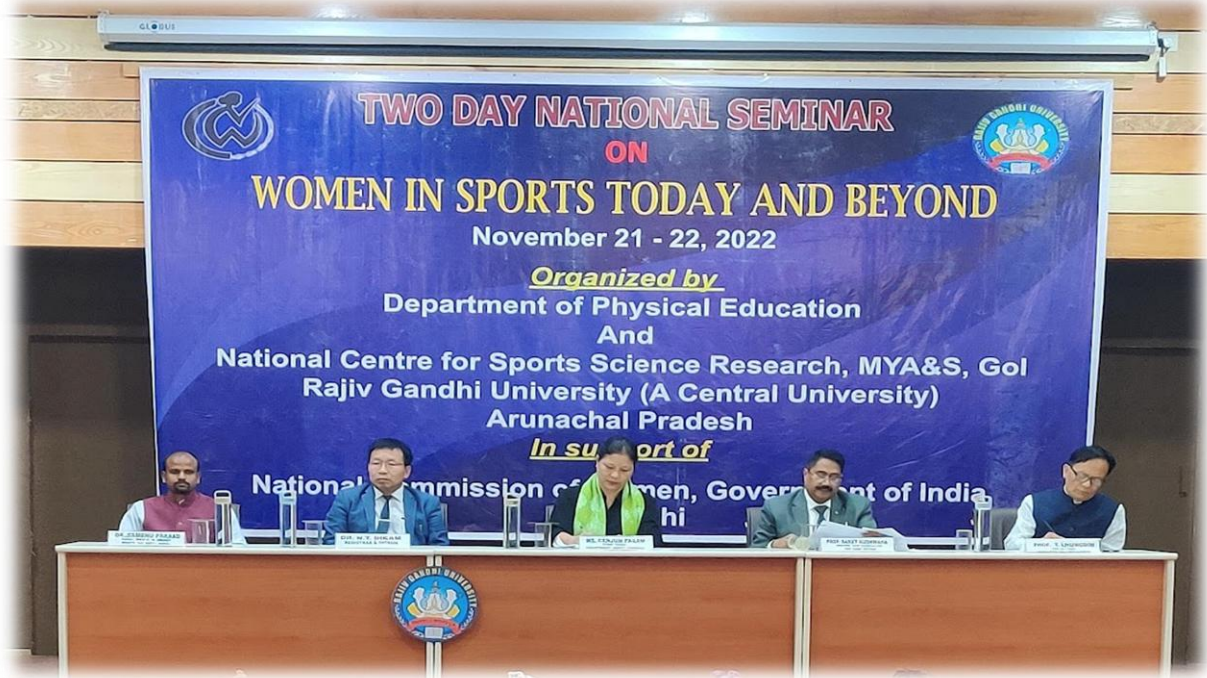
- a. Ms. Taru Sunia appointed as Sports Bio-mechanist Expert at SAI Imphal.
- b. Mr. Nabam Gautam, Assistant Trainer Strength Training & Conditioning Arunachal Cricket Association.
- c. Mr. Jitendra Sharma, Strength Training & Conditioning Expert SAI Bhopal

**5. Research and Extension Services:**

- a. The Ph.D Scholars under the Faculty of Physical Education and Sports Science are able to use the high end sports science equipment and majority of them have selected research problems which are more relevant and measurable using the sports science laboratory.
- b. As a part of extension services, RGU through the Faculty of Sports Science & Physical Education signed MOU with Arunachal Olympic Association and is providing scientific backup to the high performing sports persons of the state.
- c. Faculty members are engaged in interactive sessions with Secretary Sports, Director Department of Sports and other officials of Government of Arunachal Pradesh on regular basis.

**6. Workshop and Seminars:**

Keeping in view of the objectives of the courses the NCSSR, MYA&S RGU till date conducted One (1) International and Two (2) National Level Seminar and 2(two) Workshops as part of academic discourse and innovative ideas.



**2 Day National Seminar on Women in Sports Today and Beyond**



**Er. Taba Tedir, the President Olympic Association of Arunachal Pradesh on Vienna Test System**





**Anaerobic Ergo-meter Testing of a Player**



**Signing of MOU Between AOA and NCSSR RGU**



**Inauguration of 10 M Air Rifle and 10 Mtr Pistol**



**EMG Testing of Badminton Player**





**Research Scholar placing EMG Electrodes on a Badminton Player**