

1. RESEARCH, TRAINING AND EXTENSION DIVISION:

- i) All the in house and outside research projects/activities, outsourcing, funding proposals, research collaborations, Grants and Funding etc. shall be dealt by and rooted through the research Divisions.
- ii) Setting up of RDC (Research Development Committee) for Research Projects and Research Degrees etc.
- iii) All the Conferences/Symposia/Workshops/Training and Extension activities shall be done by this Division
- iv) All the Lecture Series and Faculty Development Support shall be rooted through this Division

Division Coordinator: Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, Sr. Research Officer, IIHS.

BOTANICAL GARDEN:

Establishment of “**Botanical Garden**” under Research, Training & Extension Division in the IIHS peripheral campus. **Dr. Pankaj Gupta**, Sr. Research Officer and **Dr Pushpa Thakur**, Research Officer shall be Coordinator and Co-coordinator respectively and they shall initiate to establish the same. This garden shall be utilized for research and beautification purposes. The Coordinator, Research, Training and Extension Division shall overview the performance of the same.

Activities Research, Training And Extension Division: The various themes have been decided by the Institute for focused research and academic activities which are as follows:

I) **R&D THEMATIC AREAS**

All activities of the Institute are multidisciplinary in nature and resolves around Six Themes:

1. **EI** : Environmental Issues
2. **CHNRM** : Climate Change & Natural Resource Management
3. **BCITK** : Biodiversity Conservation and Indigenous (ITK) Technical Knowledge (ITK)
4. **CHFMLTD** : Culture, History, Folk Literature, Media Studies, Linguistic and Tourism Development
5. **EPD** : Economic & Political Development
6. **SPPSD** : Scio-Psychological issues, Mental Health, Folk Wisdom, Skill Development and Counseling

II) **THEME HEADS & THEME MEMBERS:**

(A) Group (EACH, CHNRM and BCITK)

Theme Head - EACH Dr. V. K. Santvan, -Assistant Professor	Theme Members 1 Mr. Sunil Jaswal, -Project Officer
Theme Head - CHNRM Dr. P.K. Attri, - Sr. Research Officer	1 Mr. Kuldeep Kumar, - Research Officer

Theme Head - BCITK Dr. Pankaj Gupta , -Sr. Research Officer.	Theme Members 1. Dr. Pushpa Thakur, - Research Officer.
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(B) Group (CHFMLTD & SPPSD)

Theme Head - CHFMLTD Dr. Rattan Singh , Sr. Research Officer	Theme Members 1. Dr. Bhawani Singh, - Research Officer. 2. Dr. Nitin Vayas -Project Officer
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Theme Head - SPPSDC Dr. Randhir Singh -Sr. Research Officer.	Theme Members 1. Vijay Kumar -Project Officer
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(C) Group Head (EPD)

Theme Head - EPD Dr. Sanjeev Kumar , -Sr. Research Officer	Theme Members 1. Dr. Baldev Negi -Project Officer 2. Dr. Lalit Kumar -Project Officer
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III) Ongoing Research Studies/projects/Survey

1. The Principal Investigator **Individual Research Assignment/Project/** are as Follows:

S	P.I.	Thematic Area	Title of the Study
1	Dr Baldev Negi	EPD (Economic & Political Development)	Implementation of National Health Mission in Himachal Pradesh.
2	Dr Nitin Vayas	CHFMLTD (Culture, History, Folk Literature, Media Studies, Linguistic and Tourism Development)	Dynamics of Tourism, Development, Growth and its Impact in Himachal Pradesh
3	Dr Bhawani Singh	CHFMLTD (Culture, History, Folk Literature, Media Studies, Linguistic and Tourism Development)	Himachal Pradesh Ke Dev Mandiron Ka Darshniya Pralekhan Avam Vibhinn Drishtikon Se Adhayayan
4	Sh. Kuldeep Kumar	CHNRM (Climate Change & Natural Resource Management)	Placing Culture: Regional Cultural Diversity in Mandi District
5	Dr Sanjeev Kumar	EPD (Economic & Political Development)	Foreign Policy Implications of Himalaya and India's National Security: Introspections of Geo-Strategic Importance of Western Himalaya
6	Dr Pawan Kumar Attri	CHNRM Climate Change & Natural Resource Management	Environmental Impact on Water Resource Scenario in Himachal Pradesh
7	Dr Rattan Singh Chauhan	CHFMLTD (Culture, History, Folk Literature, Media Studies, Linguistic and Tourism Development)	Hattees in Himachal Pradesh: A Study of Historical and Socio-Cultural Developments in Trans-Giri Area of District Sirmaur

2. Principal Investigator, **Mega Surveys/Baseline Surveys/Mega Studies** are as Follows:

S	P.I. & Co.P.I.	Thematic Area	Title of the Study
1	Dr Sanjeev Kumar , P.I./Thematic head Dr Bhawani Singh, Co.P.I Dr Baldev Negi, Co.P.I.	EPD (Economic & Political Development)	Baseline Survey of Villages in Himachal Pradesh: An Integrated Survey
2	Dr Pawan Kumar Attri P.I./Thematic Head-CHNRM Dr. V. K. Santvan P.I./Thematic Head-EI Sh. Kuldeep Singh-Co-P.I. Sh. Sunil Jaswal-Co-P.I.	CHNRM-Climate Change & Natural Resource Management And EI-Environmental Issues	Environmental Assessment of Bio-Geo-Physical Parameters of Ashwani Khad Catchment Area of Shimla District of Himachal Pradesh

3. The Contact Details of Principal Investigator **Status Report** are as Follows:

S	P.I.	Thematic Area	Status Report
1	Dr Sanjeev Kumar,	EPD (Economic & Political Development)	Dynamics of Panchayati Raj in Himachal Pradesh