



ACHARYA INSTITUTE OF GRADUATE STUDIES

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NOTIFICATION

ETHICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

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To ensure the highest standards of integrity, transparency, and ethical conduct in research involving human participants, animals, or sensitive data, the **Ethical Review Committee (ERC)** of the institution is hereby constituted for the academic year 2025-26.

The committee is mandated to review research proposals from faculty and students to ensure compliance with national and international ethical guidelines.

The members of the committee for the academic years 2025-26 & 2026-27 are as follows:

S.No	Name	Designation	Role in Committee
1.	Dr. Gurunath Rao Vaidya	Principal	Chairperson
2.	Dr. Balamurugan Mani	Associate Professor	Coordinator
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4.	Dr. Teju Kumar	Associate Professor	Internal Member
5.	Dr. N. Bhargava	Associate Professor	Internal Member
6.	Prof. Shashi Kiran Shetty	Assistant Professor	Internal Member
7.	Dr. P. Karthikeyan	Assoc. Prof. (RV University)	External Member
8.	Prof. Amshumali A. Anand	IPR, Head	Legal Advisor
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