



Ref: NAD/2022/650

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**Sub: Opening DigiLocker accounts and Creation of ABC Ids for all newly admitted students for Academic Bank of Credits (ABC)**

**Ref: UGC letter number: D.O.No.F.1-46/2020(NAD/Digilocker) Dated 30.06.2020**

Government of India has established a Digital Depository of academic awards called National Academic Depository (NAD) in July 2017 and our University has already implemented NAD to store academic awards of our students. NAD can be used for accessing academic awards online and verification seeking entities are also using NAD for verification of academic awards.

As per the referred letter, it has been communicated that UGC is now authorized to implement NAD as a permanent scheme in cooperation with DigiLocker. So all newly admitted students of session 2022-23 of UTDs and affiliated institutions are required to open the DigiLockers by 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2022.

**Students can open their Digilocker account from below link:**

<https://digilocker.meripchchaan.gov.in/signup/>

Now, as per National Education Policy 2020, the Academic Bank of Credits (ABC) has been envisaged to facilitate the academic mobility of students with the freedom to study across the Higher Education Institutions in the country with an appropriate "credit transfer" mechanism from one program to another, leading to attain a Degree/ Diploma/PG-diploma, etc.

**Newly admitted students of session 2022-23 can open their Academic Bank of Credits (ABC) account. Below steps given to open ABC account**

- First, insert given link in web browser: <https://abc.gov.in/>
- After that, go to top right corner and click on "My Account" which gives two options as shown below:

- Click on student



- Now, it will ask your DigiLocker credential which you open in previous step. Enter DigiLocker credentials to create your ABC id.
- After login, your ABC account is created and it will show your ABC id on your dashboard.

This process has to be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2022.

  
**Director  
(UCC & DA)**

All Director/Principal/Chairperson of affiliation institute/UTDs are requested to impress upon their respective students to open their both Digilocker and ABC account.

CC:

- PA to Hon'ble VC for kind information
- PA to Registrar for kind information
- Dean (Institutions/Colleges/Academics/FET/FIC/Management studies/Liberal Arts/Sciences)
- COE
- Sh. Ankit Pannu (with a request to upload on University Website/Affiliation Link)