

Activity Report**CUPB developed Open Education Resources in Teacher Education for National Council of Teacher Education (NCTE) in the times of COVID-19**

30th June, 2020 Bathinda: Under the guidance of honourable Vice-Chancellor Prof. R.K. Kohli, the faculty members of the Central University of Punjab's School of Education has developed Open Education Resources (OERs) of Teacher-Education Programme for National Council of Teacher-Education (NCTE) funded by MHRD in the times of COVID-19. Prof. S.K. Bawa, HoD Dept. of Education, is one of the five members of the core committee constituted by NCTE that has contributed more than 200 modules in 29 courses of teacher-education. Under her leadership the university has contributed 80 modules in four courses of Teacher Education

On this occasion, Vice-Chancellor Prof. R.K. Kohli congratulated Prof Bawa for getting this opportunity and conveyed best wishes for success in this assignment. He mentioned that our faculty is continuously working to develop online content in the form of MOOCs Courses and other MHRD eLearning platforms which will be beneficial for students and teachers.

Prof S.K. Bawa informed that NCTE has developed OERs in 29 courses of Teacher Education to support students and teachers in the teaching-learning process during COVID-19 pandemic. She added, the constituted committee under the chairperson Prof. Saroj Sharma started its journey by identifying core areas related to different teacher education programs. After identification of core courses, different OERs were developed & curated with the help of experts, as well as with the help of different educational institutions. She stated that CUPB has developed 80 modules in four courses of teacher education and the same are available online at www.ncte.gov.in. She specified that CUPB Education Dept. is also developing MOOCs Course in Teacher-Education with financial support from MHRD. She advised students, teachers, and educators to make use of these resources to enhance their knowledge and teaching skills with the help of OERs, available on NCTE portal.