

OHANA - The Family of DST-CPR, CUG

Minutes of the Meeting (MoM)

Host: Inika Bhattacharyya

Moderator: Inika Bhattacharyya and Kumar Gaurav

Report by: Abhinav Chaubey

Date: September 13, 2025

Attendees:

1. Bhattacharyya, Inika
2. Chaubey, Abhinav
3. Gaurav, Kumar
4. Yadav, Nandani

Absentee/-s:)

1. Dubey, Astha
2. Raj, Abhinav
3. Shivam, Sunny

Platform: Google Meet (<https://meet.google.com/bxa-ofid-qpr>)

Agenda-1: Policy for Promotions

Kumar shared that one of the donors has requested him to promote a YouTube channel—dealing with cooking recipes—of his sister; and he would continue supporting Ohana financially if that channel grows with its support in time. In this regard, Inika asserted that the association has to clarify whether its objective is to earn money or growth. However, Abhinav expressed that the links of videos of that channel can be attached while posting something about recipes and cuisines that Kumar had planned earlier. Similarly, Nandani also argued that there is nothing wrong in promoting something and generating income through that promotion.

Therefore, Kumar requested the members to take one week's time and come up with a policy framework regarding promotions, particularly about what can or cannot be promoted through Ohana, keeping the fundamental principles of the association in mind. He also asked the members to discuss this issue with the members who are absent in this meeting.

Agenda-2: Official Inauguration of Ohana

Kumar urged the members to come up with a common time slot when Ohana can be officially inaugurated. Nandani suggested that Sunny Nights can be organised with the inauguration, which is going to be the first event of this association.

Agenda-3: Art Forms' Gallery

Inika suggested Abhinav to create an 'Art Form Gallery' on the website where different sorts of artistic expressions could be posted, be it a film review, poetry, painting, etc. Abhinav nodded affirmatively.

Miscellaneous:

- Kumar urged Inika to write an email to the HoD of DST-CPR, Dr. Hemant, requesting the authorisation of this platform.
- Inika asked Abhinav whether he is planning something about the film screenings. His response was negative. Kumar also acknowledged the lack of progress with regard to his tasks of writing descriptions; and recommended setting deadlines in this regard.

The next meeting is supposed to be held on Saturday, September 20, 2025.

MoM reviewed by:

Inika Bhattacharyya