Unacademy Grievance Redressal Council (UGRC) is a first-of-its kind initiative in the Indian EdTech sector to create a mechanism for Learners, Educators and other stakeholders to highlight their grievances and seek redressal.

UGRC operates with a three-tier redressal system with external independent oversight and is open to everyone, irrespective of whether the complainant is a paid subscriber, studies via Unacademy’s free content or is a general user.

The initiative is in line with the Government of India’s advisories and guidelines. Further, it also includes non-customers in its scope.

“To create robust systems and processes to ensure effective and timely solutions to grievances with an impartial approach to set higher benchmarks towards effective stakeholder engagement.”
A skilled centralised team is dedicated to addressing each grievance with fairness, following a robust communication channel and appropriate CRM support. Our policy also empowers the complaints redressal desk, in order to remove influences and promote objectivity and consistency in resolution.

Each complaint is responded to and assigned with a unique identity for tracking. We have a well-defined turnaround timeline for resolutions which are strictly adhered to. Written acknowledgement is sent to the complainant with details of the officer handling the particular case and expected turnaround time for resolution.

We constantly review our processes to identify areas of improvement and ways to prevent future grievances. There is regular analysis of the frequency, patterns and cause of grievances. Review of strategies and processes used for grievance resolution. Check on the effectiveness of those strategies and processes. Improvement plans are implemented on a regular basis.
PROCESS

**LEVEL 1**
- Social Media
  - Chat Support
  - Educator Support
  - Widgets On App/Web
  - E-Mail

**First Time Complaint**
- Directed To Concerned SPOC
- Dept SPOC Develops Resolution And The Team Shares It With The Complainant

**LEVEL 2**
- A Written Complaint To Be Sent To Grievance Officer

**LEVEL 3**
- Acknowledgment Of The Grievance And Same Is Responded Via Mail
- A Written Complaint To Be Sent To UGRC Via Website Form
- Outcome Confirmed With The Chief Grievance Officer And Signed Off By The Chair, UGRC
- UGRC Meets And Decides The Outcome

**LEVEL 4**
- Grievance Upheld
- Grievance Partially Upheld
- Grievance Not Upheld

**Right To Appeal**
- Complainant Is Directed To India Edtech Consortium

**YES**
- Resolution Accepted
- Complaint Closed

**NO**
- Notify Complainant Of Resolution
- Provided Solution Accepted
- Right To Appeal

**LEVEL 4**
- Complainant Is Directed To India Edtech Consortium
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RESPONSIBILITY

UGRC shall be responsible to ensure that grievances are dealt with effectively in accordance with the ‘Grievance Procedures’.

In doing so, the council shall adhere to these principles:

1. Take each grievance with utmost sincerity and address key questions on why the complainant feels aggrieved, unhappy or dissatisfied

2. Investigate the facts and surrounding circumstances

3. Communicate to the complainant about revert timelines

4. Provide feedback to the complainant about what can/cannot be done to resolve the grievance

5. Take necessary follow-up action
The UGRC shall be functional from Monday to Friday during working hours (10:00 AM - 7 PM) only. Any grievance filed after working hours or on any holiday or weekends (Saturday & Sunday) shall be treated to have been filed on the next working day. UGRC mandates and processes are subject to revision based on the evolving guidelines and best practices.

**LEVELS OF GRIEVANCE**

**LEVEL 1**

Level 1 includes social media/email/chat/Educator supporter widgets. Unacademy will acknowledge the issue and capture it in the appropriate system. Unacademy has a defined turnaround time of 3 days for a resolution. If the complainant is not satisfied with the response offered, then the complainant may choose to refer the matter to Level 2.

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**LEVEL 2**

Written Grievance will be acknowledged and recorded in the system. Unacademy has a defined turnaround time of 10 days for a response. If the complainant is not satisfied with the response offered, then the complainant may choose to refer the matter to Level 3.

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**LEVEL 3**

Written Grievance duly mentioning the unresolved grievance ticket number will be acknowledged and captured in the appropriate system. Unacademy has a turnaround time of 10 days for a response at this level. Contact via Website form.

**LEVEL 4**

If your issue remains unresolved after approaching Level 1/Level 2/Level 3, you may choose to refer the matter to the IGRB, an independent grievance redressal body set up under the India Edtech Consortium. (www.indiatech.in)

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STRUCTURE & KEY PEOPLE

Chair, UGRC

Chief Grievance Officer, UGRC

UGRC Representative

Legal Representative

HR Representative

CHAIR, UGRC

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Ex NMIMS Vice Chancellor,
Ex Director IIM Indore | SPJIMR | IBS G,
Author,
External Member, UGRC

CHIEF GRIEVANCE OFFICER, UGRC

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Associate Vice President, Product Operations
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**COMPREHENSIVE CONSUMER GRIEVANCE STATISTICS - SEPT 22**

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**KEY HIGHLIGHTS**

- All fifteen grievances registered with UGRC were resolved within the stipulated TAT
- Grievances with UGRC are documented in detail

**Payments & Refunds Related (06 tickets):**

Four refund-related tickets were raised, all of which were addressed as per organisation's norms and standards. Learners' concerns were addressed and solutions provided.

Two learners contacted us stating that they upgraded their subscription from Plus to Iconic. However, the subscription's validity was decreased and wanted to restore the initial validity of the subscription. All requests were addressed as per Unacademy's norms and standards.

**General Queries (10 tickets):**

- A learner from Relevel contacted us. The complaint was communicated to the Relevel team
- Two tickets were raised by the same learner stating that they have not received the video recording of their mock interview. We checked and highlighted the issue with the offline team and the issue was resolved
● A learner contacted us stating they want to check their learning history on our Platform. We checked and helped the learner about the number of classes she viewed/attended

● A Learner contacted us stating that despite opting for our Lite Subscription, he/she is receiving a 60 minute limit notification while watching Special sessions. We addressed and closed this issue

● A learner raised six tickets requesting verification of an individual who has approached him regarding as a Unacademy Personnel for office space collaboration. The legal team intervened and shared a response with the learner

● **Gibberish (17 tickets):**
  We received 17 Gibberish tickets for the month of August. All tickets were Closed as per process

● **Unresolved Complaints:**
  * The one unresolved complaint is being processed at the Unacademy Legal team

End of Report