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MINUTES OF 15TH MEETING OF THE UATEC

Date: 03.10.2018 Time: 03:00 P.M.

Venue: Conference Hall, Administrative Building, CUSB, Permanent Campus, Gaya.

Members Present in the meeting		
1	Prof. O.P. Rai, Pro Vice-Chancellor	Chairperson
2	Prof. Rekha Agrawal, Dean, School of Education	Member
3	Prof. Shyama Nand Singh, Dean, School of Social Sciences & Policy	Member
4	Prof. Ravindranath Singh Rathore, Dean, School of Earth, Biological & Environmental Sciences	Member
5	Prof. Sanjay Prakash Srivastav, Dean, School of Law & Governance	Member
6	Prof. Arun Kumar Sinha, Dean(I/c), School of Mathematics, Statistics & Computer Science	Member
7	Prof. Tej Bahadur Singh, Dean(I/c), School of Human Sciences	Member
8	Dr. Atish Prashar, Dean (I/c), School of Media, Arts & Aesthetics	Member
9	Dr. Rizwanul Haque, Head, Department of Biotechnology	Member
10	Dr. Rabindra Kumar Pathak, Head, Department of Hindi	Member
11	Dr. Pawan Kumar Mishra, Associate Professor, Department of Law & Governance	Member
12	Dr. Anil Kumar Singh Jha, Associate Professor, Department of Sociological Studies	Member
13	Dr. Gayathri V. Patil, Registrar	Member
14	Mrs. Rashmi Tripathi, Controller of Examinations	Member Secretary
Special Invitee		
15	Prof. S. K. Bhaumik, Head, Department of Economic Studies and Policy	
16	Prof. Kaushal Kishore, Chief Proctor	
17	Dr. Ram Kumar, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Environmental Science	
18	Dr. Sanat Kumar Sharma, Dean of Student Welfare	
19	Dr. H. K. Nigam, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Mathematics	
20	Dr. Samapika Mahapatra, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Development Studies	
21	Dr. Prabhat Ranjan, Assistant Professor & Head (I/c Department of Computer Science	
22	Dr. Gautam Kumar, Assistant Professor & Head (I/c Department of Life Science	
23	Dr. Suresh Kurapati, Assistant Professor & Head (I/c), Department of English	
Members not present in the meeting		
1	Dr. Lokendra Kumar Sharma UGC-Asstt. Professor, Centre for Biological Sciences and Co-ordinator International Students Centre	Member

At the outset the Chairperson welcomed all the members of the University Admission, Teaching and Evaluation Committee (UATEC) and briefed about the agenda of the meeting.

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He said that subsequent to the declaration of result of CUCET -2018 the admission process of different postgraduate and undergraduate programmes have been completed and classes are being run, while the admissions in Ph.D. programme are yet to be done.

The Hon'ble Vice -Chancellor also attended the meeting and interacted with the members. While addressing the members and Head of the Departments, the Vice-Chancellor said that so far the intake in Ph.D. Programmes were restricted due to space constraints in the temporary premises of the University and only limited number of Ph.D. scholars were admitted in various Departments. He said that as the permanent campus of the University has become fully functional from July 2018 and there is adequate space and state of the art lab facilities are available, hence it is high time to increase the number of Ph.D. scholars and boost the research environment in the campus. The Vice-Chancellor requested the UATEC to take necessary steps with regard to admissions keeping in view of the faculty strength of the Departments and as per the quota for eligible supervisors / guides as prescribed in the UGC Regulation and accordingly the amendment made in CUSB Ph.D. Ordinance in the 16th meeting of the Academic Council.

After the opening remarks of the Vice-Chancellor, the agenda of the meeting was taken up seriatim.

Agenda No. 01/UATEC-15/18

To finalise the Category-wise seats of Ph.D Programme offered by different Departments.

Resolution No. 01/UATEC-15/18

The category-wise allocation of seats for Ph.D. programmes offered by different Departments placed before the UATEC was withdrawn and it was resolved to draw a fresh reservation roster of each programme keeping in view the total available Ph.D. seats in a particular Department as per the available faculty members eligible to act as supervisors. It was further resolved that category-wise reservation roster of Ph.D. Programmes shall be circulated to respective Departments and admissions shall be made against the vacant seats on the basis of CUCET-2018 score / result including the NET/JRF candidates exempted from the written test of CUCET- 2018.

Agenda No. 02/UATEC-15/18

To prepare the Department-wise merit list for admission in Ph.D. Programme on the basis of CUCET-2018.

Resolution No. 02/UATEC-15/18

The UATEC resolved to approve the Department wise cut-off marks of interview / viva - voce for admission in Ph.D. Programmes of various Departments as under-

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Sl. No	Date of Interview / Viva - Voce	Name of the Programme	Cut off Marks as per CUCET 2018	Venue	Schedule of Events
1.	23.10.2018 (Tuesday)	Biotechnology	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks	School of Earth & Biological Science	Reporting Time – 9.00 AM Attendance, Certificate Verification & Eligibility Check – 9.30 AM to 10.30 AM. 10.30 AM Onwards – Interview / Viva – Voce
		Bioinformatics	SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer)/ Divyang – 25 marks		
		Life Science	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) – 35 marks	School of Social Science	
2.	24.10.2018 (Wednesday)	Environmental Science	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) – 35 marks	School of Social Science	Reporting Time – 9.00 AM Attendance, Certificate Verification & Eligibility Check – 9.30 AM to 10.30 AM. 10.30 AM Onwards – Interview / Viva – Voce
		Development Studies	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 45 marks		
		Political Science, Sociology,	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 45 marks		
3.	25.10.2018 (Thursday)	Economics,	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 30 marks	School of Social Science	Reporting Time – 9.00 AM Attendance, Certificate Verification & Eligibility Check – 9.30 AM to 10.30 AM. 10.30 AM Onwards – Interview / Viva – Voce
		Education	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 45 marks		
		Hindi,	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer)/ Divyang – 45 marks		
		English,	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 30 marks	School of Social Science	Reporting Time – 9.00 AM Attendance, Certificate Verification & Eligibility Check – 9.30 AM to 10.30 AM. 10.30 AM Onwards – Interview / Viva – Voce
		Law	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 45 marks		
		Psychology / Clinical Psychology	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 35 marks		

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4.	26.10.2018 (Friday)	Mathematics	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks	School of Earth & Biological Science
		Computer Science	SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 35 marks	
		Statistics	Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks	School of Social Science
Mass Communication & Media Studies	SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 30 marks			
			Gen/OBC(Creamy Layer) – 50 marks	
			SC/ST/OBC(Non Creamy Layer) / Divyang – 35 marks	

Agenda No. 03/UATEC-15/18

To consider the UGC Notification dated 27.08.2018 regarding UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedures for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degrees) (1st Amendment) Regulation, 2018 notified vide F.No. 1-1/2002 (PS)/Exempt (Pt. Fl. III) Vol-II dated 28.08.2018.

Resolution No. 03/UATEC-15/18

It was resolved to adopt UGC Notification UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedures for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degrees) (1st Amendment) Regulation, 2018 dated 27th August, 2018 regarding the relaxation of Marks in entrance test conducted by the University for the candidates belonging to SC/ST/ OBC (non-creamy layer) / differently abled category and to device the University's own admission procedures alongwith eligibility conditions to ensure that most of the seats under these categories are filled. It was further resolved that the Ph.D. Ordinance be amended accordingly and reported to the Academic Council in its next meeting.

Since the Ph.D. admissions have been delayed, hence it was resolved that in case of unavailability of candidates belonging to SC/ST/ OBC (non-creamy layer) / differently abled category in the CUCET-2018 result, the Departments may consider the students of the said category having less than 45 percent marks in place of launching a special drive for that particular category only for this year.

Agenda No. 04/UATEC-15/18

To consider the provision for re-examination of backlog courses of Ph.D. Course-Work.

Resolution No. 04/UATEC-15/18

It was resolved to conduct the re- examination of backlog courses of Ph.D. Course work for those Ph.D. Scholars who have failed or fail in future to qualify the same in their first attempt. In case a student fails to clear the backlog, s/he will have to repeat the course work.

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Agenda No. 05/UATEC-15/18

To consider the extension of date for submission of certificates/documents for the students admitted in Academic Year 2018 from 30th September, 2018 to 30th November, 2018.

Resolution No. 05/UATEC-15/18

It was decided to extend the date of submission of mandatory certificates / documents initially up to 30th October, 2018 and notify the same to the students, failing which the admission of such students may be cancelled. However, the date of submission may be further extended upto November 30, 2018 at the request of the students after which no more extensions should be granted and the admission of such students be cancelled. On cancellation of admission, only the security deposit will be refunded.

Agenda No. 06/UATEC-15/18

Any other item with the permission of the Chair.

Agenda No. 06(i)/UATEC-15/18

To consider the amendment in Clause no. XI.1 of the Ph.D. Ordinance.

Resolution No. 06(i)/UATEC-15/18

The UATEC resolved to recommend the amendment in the Clause no. XI.1 of the Ph.D. ordinance as follows and referred it to the Academic Council for approval-

“A candidate, admitted to the Ph.D. Programme in any of the subjects, shall be required to undertake Course Work as approved by the Academic Council during the initial one or two semesters for a minimum period of one semester. The candidates shall have to qualify as per the criteria prescribed by the Course Work Ordinances of the concerned Centre / Department. The Course Work shall include a course on Research Methodology (which may contain quantitative methods and computer applications) and Reviewing of Published Research work in the relevant field.”

Agenda No. 06(ii)/UATEC-15/18

To consider the modality for re-checking of the evaluated answerscript of backlog examinations on request of the student(s).

Resolution No. 06(ii)/UATEC-15/18

The members discussed about the request received from the students for re-evaluation of their answer sheets of the examination(s) of backlog courses. It was decided that the University may conduct the special meeting of Board of Examinations on the request for the students and declare the result within ten days of the request.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.


(Rashmi Tripathi)
Member Secretary
20.10.2018


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(Om Prakash Rai)
Chairman