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Memo No. Reg/ 099

Date : 02.02.2018

NOTICE

The undersigned is directed to inform all concerned that the 36th meeting of the Academic Council of the Netaji Subhas Open University will be held on **16.02.2018 (Friday)** at **11.00 AM** in the Board Room (3rd Floor) of the University Head Quarters, DD – 26, Sector – I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700 064.

Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor will Chair the meeting.

Kindly make it convenient to attend the aforesaid meeting.

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Date: 13.02.2018

Agenda for the 36th meeting of the Academic Council of Netaji Subhas Open University to be held on 16th February (Friday) 2018 at 11.30 A.M in the Board Room (3rd Floor) of the University Head Quarters, DD – 26, Sector – I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700 064.

AGENDA:

1. Confirmation of the minutes: To confirm the minutes of the 35th meeting of the Academic Council held on 10th February, 2016 (Annexure – A).
2. Action Taken Report (Annexure – B).
3. To consider the issues arising out of the recent UGC Notification F. No. 2-4/2015 (DEB-III), Dtd. 6th Feb., 2018 (Annexure – C).
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(xii) To report the renewal of MoU with the following vocational centres (with the same terms and conditions:

(a) Nari Siksha Samiti, (b) Suri Mahila Samity, (c) Girindra Sekhar Institute of Psychological Counselling and Research, (d) Anjali Social Welfare Research Foundation (Anjali Institute of Management & Technology).



(xiii) To report the opening of new vocational centres:

Centre	Existing Course
Bengal Bratachari Society, (V-57) Joka, Thakurpukur, Kolkata-700104	i) Tailoring and Dress Designing (Basic, Advance Certificate and Advance Diploma) ii) Pre-Primary Teachers' Education - Montessori
Vivekananda Educational Institute Maynaguri Road, Ulladabri, Jalpaiguri	i) Diploma in Pre-Primary Teachers' Education- Montessori ii) Tailoring & Dress Designing (Basic, Advance Certificate and Advanced Diploma) iii) Certificate in Organic Agriculture and Horticulture iv) Post Graduate Diploma in Disaster Risk Management v) Fire safety Skills and Security Management

(xiv) To report the activities of Centre for Lifelong Learning (CLL) under the aegis of School of Vocational Studies.

Note : The Centre for Lifelong Learning launched short-term training programme w.e.f. 2016-17 session through its partner institutions. This list of training programmes with name of the partner institutes vide (Annexure – I).

(xv) To report about JOB FAIR for the vocational students organized as part of the joint project with Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia (CEMCA), New Delhi. The title of the project is *Increase Access and Improve Institutional Capacity for Sustainable Development through Vocational Education and Training*.

(xvi) To report on the outreach programme organized /to be organized by the School of Vocational Studies (Bolpur, Basanti, Siliguri) in respect of the above project.

Note : The objective of the Outreach Programmes are:

- To publicize different kinds of vocational/professional courses of the university and their employment opportunities
- To increase enrolment in all vocational and professional courses
- To make aware about the facilities provided by the University;

(xvii) To report the launching of multidisciplinary online journal "NSOU OPEN JOURNAL" by the School of Professional Studies.

Note: 'NSOU-Open Journal' publishes reviewed refereed academic research papers. It publishes thoughtful contribution that offer insights and perspectives extending knowledge and understanding of multidisciplinary research in the area of management, commerce, economics, education, library and information science, social work, education technology etc. The objective of the Journal is to share and disseminate knowledge of different subject domain.

(xviii) To report about the Short Term Certificate Programme on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education, introduced in the month of November, 2017 and completed in January, 2018.

Note : After analyzing the emerging needs of Teacher Education in promotion of Inclusive Education, it has been felt that conditions for optimizing learning in the classroom and outside have to receive special attention. With this backdrop, CEMCA & SoE, NSOU came together to develop a blended SLM which is a compendium of print



materials and Audio-visual lectures for transforming a Certificate Programme on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education. It is an eight (8) credit course equally divided on theoretical and practical components.

Duration of the course is 3 months. The course fee is 3,200/- only. Print SLMs/E-materials and AV lectures have been provided to the learners. PCPs and Practicals conducted on Sundays and holidays only at SoE, NSOU, Kalyani Campus. The medium of instruction is English only. Intake capacity of the programme is 40 only (1st Batch : 21 candidates enrolled for the November 2017 – January 2018 of the certificate programme). The result of the 1st batch will be published shortly.

5. To consider the proposal of converting the self learning materials (SLMs) of different courses offered by the University into Open Educational Resources (OER) and upload them in the University website.

Note : The University has already adopted the OER Policy with effect from 2016-17 session having the licensing policy of CC-BY-NC-SA for the University publications in respect of *ICT enabled courses*. This was approved in the 72nd Executive Council meeting held on 18.08.2017 (Agenda No.33). The said policy may now be extended to other courses by converting the relevant SLMs into OERs, as and when required, following necessary formalities for the benefit of distant learners of the University.

6. To consider introduction and approval of the Centre of Disability Studies and Educational Research (CDER) under the School of Education, NSOU.

Note : Proposed academic programs to be carried out under the aegis of Centre for Disability Studies and Educational Research, SoE, NSOU:

Financial nature: **Self-financed**

Certificate Courses on Special Education :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Courses	Eligibility Criteria
1.	Management of children with Learning Disability	GRADUATION
2.	Intervention strategies of Autism Spectrum Disorders	-Do-
3.	Certificate Course in Rehabilitation of Children with Special Needs	-Do-
4.	Certificate Course in Counselling & Family Therapy	-Do-
5.	Certificate Course in Clinical Psychology	-Do-

Certificate Courses on Education :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Courses	Eligibility Criteria
1.	Soft skills and methods in Action Research	POST GRADUATION
2.	Research Studies and Research Ethos	-Do-
3.	Practices of Statistical Packages in Research: Behavioural & Social Sciences	-Do-
4.	Usages of ICT in Research & Research Methodology	-Do-

7. Proposal for Creation of Centre under the ambit of School of Social Sciences, NSOU

Name of the Centre: **NSOU Centre for Social Studies**

Financial Nature: **Self-financed**



Area of Interest: Researches will be conducted in the areas of social and cultural changes, women question, Dalit studies, impact of education and policy making etc. Seminar, symposium, conferences, workshops may be conducted under the banner of the proposed Centre. Publications will be made from the proposed centre.

Operational Guidelines: May be adopted with the approval of the competent authority in keeping with the guidelines of other existing Centres of NSOU.

8. To consider Opening of New Centre under the aegis of the School of Sciences:

Name of the Centre: "Centre for Computational Intelligence"

Financial nature: Self-financed

Objectives: To study and develop theoretical and practical solutions of the real world problems using variety of computational intelligence paradigms. These paradigms include mathematical and statistical programming, artificial intelligence, Soft computing, Fuzzy logic etc.

Operational Guidelines: May be adopted with the approval of the competent authority in keeping with the guidelines of other existing Centres of NSOU.

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Table Agenda

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Now it is proposed that the same process of allowing a maximum of 5 (five) - Grace marks only (altogether) may be extended to the candidates who have taken admission beyond 2010-11 till 2017-18 session so that they may obtain the (a) pass marks, (b) 50%, (c) 55% and (d) 60% in aggregate only once in the final stage of their BDP and PG Degree and Diploma Examinations.

2. To consider the continuation of the benefits extended in terms of Resolution taken against Agenda Item No 7 (b) and (c) of 31st AC meeting held on 16/11/2011 to the candidates who have taken admission beyond 2010-11 till 2017-18 session so that they may secure pass mark in their BDP and PG Degree and Diploma Examinations.
3. To report the approval of UGC to offer MOOC on Corporate tax planning -4 credit (M.Com), Course Coordinator : Dr. Anirban Ghosh. Final proposal submitted to UGC to host the program on SWAYAM platform.



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Proceedings and Resolutions of the said meeting are as follows :

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Stands Confirmed.
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Reported, deliberated at length and confirmed.

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Reported and Confirmed with the suggestion that the list of Supervisors (along with his area of interest) should be made available in the university website stating the capacity/ intake of students per Guide/ Supervisor.

- (xii) To report the renewal of MoU with the following vocational centres with the same terms and conditions:
- (a) Nari Siksha Samiti, (b) Suri Mahila Samity, (c) Girindra Sekhar Institute of Psychological Counselling and Research, (d) Anjali Social Welfare Research Foundation (Anjali Institute of Management & Technology).

Reported and Confirmed

- (xiii) To report the opening of new vocational centres:

Centre	Existing Course
Bengal Bratachari Society, (V-57) Joka, Thakurpukur, Kolkata-700104	i) Tailoring and Dress Designing (Basic, Advance Certificate and Advance Diploma) ii) Pre-Primary Teachers' Education - Montessori
Vivekananda Educational Institute Maynaguri Road, Ulladabri, Jalpaiguri	i) Diploma in Pre-Primary Teachers' Education Montessori ii) Tailoring & Dress Designing (Basic, Advance Certificate and Advanced Diploma) iii) Certificate in Organic Agriculture and Horticulture iv) Post Graduate Diploma in Disaster Risk Management v) Fire safety Skills and Security Management

Reported and Confirmed

- (xiv) To report the activities of Centre for Lifelong Learning (CLL) under the aegis of School of Vocational Studies.

Note : The Centre for Lifelong Learning launched short-term training programme w.e.f. 2016-17 session through its partner institutions. This list of training programmes with name of the partner institutes vide (Annexure – I).

Reported and Confirmed with the suggestion that henceforth such report should include the total number of participants in these courses, how these programmes are run and the categories of students who participate in these courses.

- (xv) To report about JOB FAIR for the vocational students organized as part of the joint project with Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia (CEMCA), New Delhi. The title of the project is Increase Access and Improve Institutional Capacity for Sustainable Development through Vocational Education and Training.

It is noted that the above agenda should be treated as a proposal by School of Vocational Studies, and it stands approved.

- (xvi) To report on the outreach programme organized /to be organized by the School of Vocational Studies (Bolpur, Basanti, Siliguri) in respect of the above project.



Note : The objective of the Outreach Programmes are:

- To publicize different kinds of vocational/professional courses of the university and their employment opportunities
- To increase enrolment in all vocational and professional courses
- To make aware about the facilities provided by the University;

Reported and confirmed.

To report the launching of multidisciplinary online journal “NSOU OPEN JOURNAL” by the School of Professional Studies.

Note: ‘NSOU-Open Journal’ publishes reviewed refereed academic research papers. It publishes thoughtful contribution that offer insights and perspectives extending knowledge and understanding of multidisciplinary research in the area of management, commerce, economics, education, library and information science, social work, education technology etc. The objective of the Journal is to share and disseminate knowledge of different subject domain.

Reported and Noted.

- (xvii) To report about the Short Term Certificate Programme on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education, introduced in the month of November, 2017 and completed in January, 2018.

Note : After analysing the emerging needs of Teacher Education in promotion of Inclusive Education, it has been felt that conditions for optimizing learning in the classroom and outside have to receive special attention. With this backdrop, CEMCA & SoE, NSOU came together to develop a blended SLM which is a compendium of print materials and Audio-visual lectures for transforming a Certificate Programme on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education. It is an eight (8) credit course equally divided on theoretical and practical components.

Duration of the course is 3 months. The course fee is 3,200/- only. Print SLMs/Ematerials and AV lectures have been provided to the learners. PCPs and Practicals conducted on Sundays and holidays only at SoE, NSOU, Kalyani Campus. The medium of instruction is English only. Intake capacity of the programme is 40 only (1st Batch : 21 candidates enrolled for the November 2017 – January 2018 of the certificate programme). The result of the 1st batch will be published shortly.

Reported and confirmed.

5. To consider the proposal of converting the self-learning materials (SLMs) of different courses offered by the University into Open Educational Resources (OER) and upload them in the University website.

Note : The University has already adopted the OER Policy with effect from 2016-17 session having the licensing policy of CC-BY-NC-SA for the University publications in respect of *ICT enabled courses*. This was approved in the 72nd Executive Council meeting held on 18.08.2017 (Agenda No.33).

The matter was considered and discussed thoroughly; it was resolved that the said policy may now be extended to other courses by converting the relevant SLMs into OERs for the benefit of distant learners of the University, as and when required, following necessary formalities.



6. To consider introduction and approval of the Centre of Disability Studies and Educational Research (CDER) under the School of Education, NSOU.
Note : Proposed academic programs to be carried out under the aegis of Centre for Disability Studies and Educational Research, SoE, NSOU:
Financial nature: Self-financed

Certificate Courses on Special Education :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Courses	Eligibility Criteria
1.	Management of children with Learning Disability	GRADUATION
2.	Intervention strategies of Autism Spectrum Disorders	-Do-
3.	Certificate Course in Rehabilitation of Children with Special Needs	-Do-
4.	Certificate Course in Counselling & Family Therapy	-Do-
5.	Certificate Course in Clinical Psychology	-Do-

Certificate Courses on Education :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Courses	Eligibility Criteria
1.	Soft skills and methods in Action Research	POST GRADUATION
2.	Research Studies and Research Ethos	-Do-
3.	Practices of Statistical Packages in Research: Behavioural & Social Sciences	-Do-
4.	Usages of ICT in Research & Research Methodology	-Do-

Discussed the proposal and this was approved in principle with the note that the course on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education should be included in the above list of certificate courses on Special Education under the proposed Centre of Disability Studies and Educational Research under the School of Education. It was further suggested that the progress made in the matter be reported in the next meeting of the Academic Council.

7. Proposal for Creation of Centre under the ambit of School of Social Sciences, NSOU
Name of the Centre: NSOU Centre for Social Studies
Financial Nature: Self-financed

Area of Interest: Researches will be conducted in the areas of social and cultural changes, women question, Dalit studies, impact of education and policy making etc. Seminar, symposium, conferences, workshops may be conducted under the banner of the proposed Centre. Publications will be made from the proposed centre.

Operational Guidelines: May be adopted with the approval of the competent authority in keeping with the guidelines of other existing Centres of NSOU.

Proposal was considered, discussed thoroughly and stands approved.



8. To consider Opening of New Centre under the aegis of the School of Sciences: Name of the Centre: "Centre for Computational Intelligence".

Financial nature: Self-financed

Objectives: To study and develop theoretical and practical solutions of the real world problems using variety of computational intelligence paradigms. These paradigms include mathematical and statistical programming, artificial intelligence, Soft computing, Fuzzy logic etc.

Operational Guidelines: May be adopted with the approval of the competent authority in keeping with the guidelines of other existing Centres of NSOU.

Proposal was considered, discussed thoroughly and stands approved.

Table Agenda

1. To consider continuation of the process of "awarding Grace Marks upto a maximum of 5-marks (altogether) in one or more subject(s)/ Papers and/ or aggregate to roundup the percentage of Marks to the nearest higher grade/ division/ class/ pass-marks insofar as..." their final results of BDP and PG or equivalent degree courses are concerned. Such Grace Marks have so far been awarded for candidates enrolled during 2005-2010 session in BDP and PG courses to qualify for SSC and/or NET/ SET examinations (vide Resolution against Agenda no. 7 of 31st AC meeting held on 16/11/2011).

Now it is proposed that the same process of allowing a maximum of 5 (five) - Grace marks only (altogether) may be extended to the candidates who have taken admission beyond 2010-11 till 2017-18 session so that they may obtain the (a) pass marks, (b) 50%, (c) 55% and (d) 60% in aggregate only once in the final stage of their BDP and PG Degree and Diploma Examinations.

This was considered and stands approved.

2. To consider the continuation of the benefits extended in terms of Resolution taken against Agenda Item No 7 (b) and (c) of 31st AC meeting held on 16/11/2011 to the candidates who have taken admission beyond 2010-11 till 2017-18 session so that they may secure pass mark in their BDP and PG Degree and Diploma Examinations.

This was considered and stands approved.

- ③ To report the approval of UGC to offer MOOC on Corporate tax planning -4 credit (M.Com), Course Coordinator : Dr. Anirban Ghosh. Final proposal submitted to UGC to host the program on SWAYAM platform.

Stands Confirmed.

4. To report implementation of a revised course structure/syllabus of BDP-EMT as recommended by the respective UG BoS & subsequently approved by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor from the academic session 2018-19.

Considered and stands ratified.

Sd/-
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Member Secretary
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Annexure - "A"

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The 35th meeting of the Academic Council of Netaji Subhas Open University was held on 10th February (Wednesday) 2016 at 11.30 AM in the Board Room (3rd Floor) of the University Head Quarters, DD – 26, Sector – I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700 064. Proceedings and Resolutions of the said A.C meeting are as follows-

1. To confirm the proceedings and resolutions of the 34th Meeting of Academic Council held on 20.12.2013.

Stands Confirmed.

2. Action taken report (ATR) in respect of Items 11, 13, 17, 19, 22 of the 34th Academic Council Meeting Resolution placed before the 70th EC held on 01.02.14.

Reported, deliberated and confirmed.

3. i. To note the list of the candidates who got eligible for award of Ph.D. degree since the 34th meeting of the Academic Council.(vide Annexure C)

Reported and accepted; and the note of empowering the Vice Chancellor to include the name(s) of any other recipient(s) of Ph.D Degree from NSOU in the aforesaid list prior to its placement before the next meeting of the Executive Council(EC) stands resolved in the affirmative.

- ii. To report the trifurcation of the School of Humanities & Social Sciences as per NSOU Revised Statues (2014) and consequent formation of new Schools of Studies.

[Agenda Note: The Schools of Studies were reconstituted within the provision of First Statute (Revised), 2014, u/s 15(1) as well as consequent to the fact that a good number of newly recruited teachers (total=twenty two, till date, in the capacity of Associate Professors & Assistant Professors) have joined the different Schools and two members of the teaching faculty have got promotion as Associate Professors under CAS. Accordingly, the erstwhile School of Humanities and Social Sciences (H&SS) with nearly 23 courses at BDP, PG, Second Degree, P.G Diploma and Certificate levels and total students of over 2 lakh or more, has been ramified into 1.i)School of Humanities, ii) School of Social Sciences, iii) School of Professional



Studies. The other Schools of Studies of the University continue in their present name, i.e. 2.iv) School of Sciences, v) School of Education & vi) School of Vocational Studies.]

Reported and noted.

- iii. To report the initiatives already taken relating to the extension of academic activities at the Kalyani Campus of the University.

[Agenda Note: All the Schools of Studies have been allotted adequate space in the Kalyani Campus to conduct their diverse academic programmes. Most of the Schools have been provided financial assistance to develop infrastructural facilities to set up smart classes, laboratories, PCP(Personal Contact Program) arrangements with full ICT support in addition to SLMs (Self Learning materials). An audio visual (AV) studio is also to be set up soon to cater to the needs of the students.]

Reported and noted.

- iv. To report the initiative towards the development of Central Library at the Kalyani Campus of the University.

[Agenda Note: Space has been allotted for organising activities of the Central Library of the University at Kalyani campus, under the control of Deputy Librarian. Total area measuring about 2194sqft(approx) on the second floor of the newly constructed three storied warehouse building at Kalyani Campus has been allotted for this purpose. Initiative has been taken to shift books from erstwhile library of the campus to the new central library. A Library Committee has been formed as per Statutes(Revised),2014,u/s 21.(1), and a meeting of the same was held by on 5th January,2016, and activities are being initiated as per proceedings/Minutes of the said Meeting.]

Reported and noted.

- v. To report the matter related to the present status of the upcoming regional centres at Durgapur and Jalpaiguri.



[Agenda Note: Overall physical progress of about 50 percent of the work with regard to the upcoming Regional Centre at Durgapur has been achieved as on November,2015, as assessed by members of the building Committee who inspected the site then. Similarly, overall physical progress of about 20 percent of the work with regard to the upcoming Regional Centre at Jalpaiguri appears done, as on November,2015 as assessed by the members of the Building Committee who visited the site then.]

Reported and noted.

- vi. To report the matter related to the integrated campus at Newtown, Rajarhat, Kolkata.

[Agenda Note: A piece and parcel of land at New Town, Kolkata was received by the university measuring three(3) acres, from HIDCO for establishing a regional centre and open campus of NSOU under the principal use "education". The agreement of deed was signed on 14.10.2015. Recently it has been informed by the Higher Education (HE) Deptt that the stamp duty and Registration fees chargeable on the execution of Lease Deed in respect to this land has been remitted.]

Reported and noted.

- vii. To report about the renewal of MoU valid through 07.12.2019 with the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) in respect of B.Ed.-Spl(MR/HI/VI)-ODL. As per the latest stipulation of RCI the course structure has been thoroughly revised and the duration of the course has now become two and half years (2 Years 6 Months).

Reported and noted.

- viii. To report on locating a Study Centre of B.Ed.-Spl(MR/HI/VI)-ODL as approved by RCI with 20 intake capacity at Kalyani Campus as per clause 24(3)-Chapter IV of NSOU First Statues(Revised), 2014.

Reported and noted.

- ix. To report that NSOU has entered into a service agreement (to cater to nearly 8935 enrolled learner for academic session 2015-2016) on 21 August, 2015 for academic



support services for ICT enabled courses with Schoolguru Eduserve Pvt. Ltd. on resource sharing basis. In this agreement, in the first phase 3 Schools of Studies namely School of Education (SoE), School of Vocational Studies (SVS) and School of Professional Studies (SPS) have been incorporated. The academic support services (LMS) of the ICT enabled courses of said schools will include.

- ✓ Video/ Audio lectures.
- ✓ PowerPoint Presentation.
- ✓ Electronic course material and Study Notes
- ✓ Feedback mechanism for Students (via mail, SMS alerts/ mobile phone, telephone).
- ✓ Continuous assessment for Students
- ✓ Question Bank consisting varieties of questions and
- ✓ Setting up of Studios in different campus of University.

Reported that nearly 9000 students have been brought within the ambit of this service in the first phase and resolved in the affirmative.

- x. To report on the successful completion of the Teacher Education Programme of B.Ed.-ODL assigned by the Govt. of West Bengal and duly approved by the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE).

[Agenda Note: The University was entrusted with the duty of training up the untrained in-service upper primary school teachers by GoWB under the mandate of RTE Act. The School of Education completed the task of training nearly 29,000 such untrained teachers as mentioned above during the academic sessions of 2013-14 & 2014-15 through 184 (all NCTE recognized) Study Centres across the state and completed successfully within the stipulated date, i.e 31.03.2015. The program has been duly approved by NCTE.]

Reported and noted.

- xi. To report that the NSOU has applied to NCTE with intimation to DEB-UGC and Govt. of West Bengal for approval of introducing B.Ed. programme of its own in ODL mode.

Reported and noted .



- xii. To report that NSOU has applied to RCI with intimation to DEB-UGC for introducing M.Ed. in Special Education Programme from 2016-17 session.

Reported and noted.

- xiii. To report about the Pilot project on Extension of Student Support Service through Google Chat and Facebook to the Post Graduate learners enrolled (7500 Aprox) in Post Graduate Bengali (PGBG), Post Graduate English (PGEG) & Post Graduate English Language Teaching (PGELT) under School of Humanities course free of cost.

Reported and noted.

- xiv. To report about the preparation of SLM (Paper I to IV) of newly framed Under Graduate Syllabus of English under School of Humanities.

Reported and resolved that BDP-EEG syllabus has been revised in FEB, 2014 and the new syllabus has been introduced for learners from July, 2015 batch. It was further reported that the new SLM is being prepared by the course writer duly assigned by the UG Board of Studies of the subject concerned.

- xv. To report about the revision of EBG SLM Paper I to VIII under School of Humanities.

Reported and resolved that existing EBG SLM (Paper I to VIII) has been revised and re-edited by the faculty members of the School of Humanities. Further reported that this revision work has been done in consultation with the UG board of Studies in Bengali and printing of revised SLM is in progress.

- xvi. To report about the action taken towards adaptation of the Institutional OER policy (CC-BY-NC-ND) for the courses under ICT support, i.e. courses of School of Professional Studies and School of Vocational Studies. Beside this the School of Education has entered into a collaborative partnership with TESS India, Google webrangers free of cost.

Reported and accepted.

- xvii. To report about the discontinuation of admissions in 2015-16 Academic session in New Alipore College Study Centre and Raiganj University Collège Study Centre.



[Agenda Note: Admissions in New Alipore College Study Centre and Raiganj University College Study Centre were not allowed during the July 2015-2016 admission session as the Governing Body of the former college decided not to continue the Study Centre at the college any longer while the later college has been upgraded to a University. However, the Centres will continue to provide student support services to the existing students till they complete their studentship. Maintenance Grants are being sent to the Centres as per their current requirement.]

Reported and noted.

xviii. To report the revisions made in the following courses w.e.f. July 2015

Sl. No.	Course	Present Nomenclature
1	Diploma in Travel & Tourism (10+2)	Post Graduate Diploma in Travel & Tourism (10+2+3)
2	Diploma in Sports and Competitive Yoga(10+2)	Post Graduate Diploma Sports and Competitive Yoga(10+2+3)
3	MA in Human Values, Ethics and Indian Culture (10+2+3)	Post Graduate Diploma in Values, Ethics & Leadership (10+2+3)

Reported and accepted.

xix. To report the renewal of MoU with the following Vocational Centres with the existing terms and conditions:

- i. Anindya Yoga Society,
- ii. Arabindanagar Youth Society,
- iii. Rabindranath Tagore Centre for Human Values,
- iv. Anjali Welfare Society & Research Foundation,
- v. Bangiya Bijnan Parishad,
- vi. Shivananda Health Society,
- vii. Pranabananda Institute of Management & Technology (a unit of Bhata Seva Shram Sangha)

Reported and accepted.

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xx. To report the opening of new vocational centres (w.e.f 2015-16 session) with existing courses-

Sl. No.	Centre	Existing Course
1	Nabadwip Bakultala School of Education, Nabadwip, Bakultala Praktan Chhatra Sammilanee, Nadia	DPTTE-M, DTP & Networking, DMLT
2	Joygopalpur Gram Vikash Kendra, Basanti, 24Parganas(S)	DTP & Networking, Organic Agriculture & Horticulture, Tailoring & Dress Designing
3	Sri Aurobinda Engineering Institute at i)Kasba, ii) Barasat and iii)Kalyani	Automobile Repairing & Maintenance, Refrigerator & Air Conditioning and Electrical Technician
4	Nazirpur Rainbow Educational Institute, Murshidabad	Needlework, DTP, Travel & Tourism, Modern Office Management, Safety & Security, DPTT-M
5	Ruby General Hospital, Kolkata	PG Diploma in Front Office Management
6	Sri Aurobinda Engineering Institute at Siliguri & Burdwan	Automobile Repairing & Maintenance, Refrigerator & Air Conditioning and Electrical Technician New training programme
7	Asutosh College	Training Course Export Import Management, Travel and Truims and Disaster Risk Management

Reported and accepted.

xxi. To report about opening of following eleven new study centres with existing UG and PG courses in general degree by the University in Govt. and Govt. aided colleges:

SL. No.	Name of the Study Centre	Year of inception
1	Ramananda College, Bishnupur, Bankura	2014
2	Jhargram Raj College (Girl's Wing), Jhargram, Paschim Medinipur:	2014
3	Savitri College, Kolkata	2014
4	Maharaja Nandakumar Mahavidyalaya, Kalyanchak, Purba Medinipur	2014
5	Nani Bhattacharya Smarak Smriti Mahavidyalaya, Jaigaon, Alipurduar	2015
6	Alipurduar Mahila Mahavidyalaya, New Town , Alipurduar	2015
7	Ramananda Centenary College, Laulara, Purulia	2015
8	Birpara College, Alipurduar	2015
9	Nakshalbari College, Nakshalbari, Darjeeling	2015



10	APC Roy Govt. College, Matigara, Siliguri	2015
11	S. R. Fatepuria College, Beldanga, Murshidabad	2016

Reported and accepted.

4. To consider the matter related to obtaining recognition under section 12(b) of the UGC act 1956(as it is now impending in connection with the DEB-UGC grants).

[Agenda Note: Regarding obtaining recognition under section 12B of the UGC Act, 1956, NSOU like most other State Open Universities (SoUs) have taken measures to gain eligibility to seek recognition from UGC under 12B in the light of the fact that UGC-DEB has discontinued financial assistance to the university w.e.f 2015-16 F/Y due to lack of 12B recognition. Furthermore like most other State Open Universities (SoUs) NSOU, has appealed to UGC/MHRD for relaxation of the norms therein. Formal applications have already been made to the GoWB to sanction some additional posts for teachers, officers & Non Teaching staff, as well as infrastructural augmentation at the Kalyani Regional centre campus. This has been done to enable us to comply with the UGC guidelines/mandate on minimum requirements to obtain 12-B status. With regard to financial support, some of the needs, i.e in infrastructural matters, grants have been received from the State Government. We have already initiated infrastructural development in the Kalyani campus with setting up of smart classrooms, laboratories and AV studio with ICT support. Now, we are awaiting the sanction of the HE Deptt, GoWB, for the additional posts in the different categories. Meanwhile, we have already started the process of completing the proforma/application to UGC for 12-B recognition, along with necessary backup papers and the same would be sent to UGC as soon as feasible.]

Reported and accepted. It was further resolved that the initiative taken in this matter may be pursued further.

5. Proposal for setting up general guidelines for engagement of counselors at BDP and PG level for different courses.

Resolved that existing eligibility criteria for engagement of counselors at BDP level for all courses may continue. It is further resolved that the criteria for engagement of councilors at PG level for all courses maybe set separately. (Refer details vide Annexure-D)



6. To consider the renaming of the papers of PGGR as proposed by the PG BOS in Geography (Instead of 10 papers, viz. IA, IB, IIA, IIB,.....XA, XB, it should be individual 20 papers I, II, III,.....XX of 50 marks each).

Accepted in principle. Resolved that final decision in this would be taken only after Hon'ble Vice Chancellor deliberated on the matter with the Director of School of Science and all concerned.

7. Introduction of Programmes/Courses through contact mode:

- i. To consider introduction of different courses through contact mode from the 2016-17 academic session.
- ii. To consider resuming the Ph.D. programme in different Schools as per UGC 2009 regulations.

Insofar as the aforesaid two agenda items (viz 7i. & 7ii.) are concerned, resolved that Vice Chancellor would take up the legal aspect of the matter with the competent authority/authorities as deemed fit.

8. To consider introduction of the following short-term training programmes (upto six month duration) under different School of Studies

Sl. No.	Centre	Training Programme	Eligibility	Schools
1	Institute of Pulmocare & Research, Kolkata	Community Respiratory Care Assistants	10+2 (Science)	School of Vocational Studies
2	Institute of Pulmocare & Research, Kolkata	Assisting Respiratory Specialists in Practice	Eligibility- 10+2, Science	
3	Pranabananda Institute of Management and Bharat Sebasram Sanga	Mobile phone repairing	10	
4	Pranabananda Institute of Management and Bharat Sebasram Sanga	Beauty therapy & Hair Dressing	10	



5	Pranabananda Institute of Management and Bharat Sebasram Sanga	Solar Technician	10	
6	Institute of Management Study	Business Management using data analytics	Graduate (10+2+3)	School of Professional Studies
7	Institute of Management Study	Supply Chain Management	Graduate (10+2+3)	
8	Kalyani Campus, NSOU	Child Rights and Child Protection- 3 months	Graduate (10+2+3)	
9	Kalyani Campus, NSOU	Women's Studies-3 months	10+2	
10	Kalyani Campus, NSOU	Library Information Technology -6 months	BLIS/MLIS	
11	Kalyani Campus, NSOU	Library Automation and Networking (KOHA)- 3 month	BLIS/MLIS	

Reported and resolved in the affirmative.

9. Opening of a Centre under School of Humanities: To consider the proposal of creating a new Centre under the aegis of School of Humanities to promote interdisciplinary studies as detailed.

Name of the Centre: "Centre for Language, Translation and Cultural Studies"

Financial Nature: Self-financed

Area of interest: Language Training Programme, Orientation Programme for Translator, Collaborative Research & Publication, SLM translation.

Accepted in principle; It was felt that such initiatives are always welcome, however the modalities/Regulations in this matter need to be framed first. Accordingly Vice Chancellor is empowered to initiate the matter asap (preferably within a month).

10. To consider the permission to use NSOU's course materials to other State Open Universities like Odisha State Open University. Actual cost of developing course materials like DTP charge, expenses relating to the BOS meeting, Text writers and editors fees may be charged for this purpose.

Reported and resolved that permission to use NSOU's course materials by other institutions such as Odisha State Open University could be given only on thorough scrutiny of the Agreement proposed to be executed between the parties concerned.



11. Incorporation of the Logo of the College where the study centre is located along with that of NSOU in all matters relating to correspondence with the University and the stakeholders.

Reported and accepted.

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1. a) To report opening of PG Zoology and PG Geography at Chandernagore Govt College Study Centre.

Reported and accepted.

- b) To report opening of Botany, Zoology and Mathematics at Bankura Christian College Study Centre and Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Zoology, Geography and Mathematics at B.B College Study Centre, Asansol-both at BDP level.

Reported and accepted.

- c) To report about enhancement of seats at PG Geography and PG Zoology Study Centres to take care of OBC(A & B Category) reservations as per rule of the Govt.

Geography- 80 to 110

Zoology- 95 to 135

Reported and accepted.

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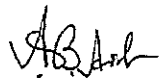
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फां. सं. 2-4/2015 (डी.ई.बी-III).-विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग, अधिनियम, 1956 (1956 का 3) की धारा 12 के खंड (अ) के साथ पठित धारा 26 की उप धारा (1) द्वारा प्रदत्त शक्तियों का प्रयोग करते हुए, विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग, विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग (मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा) विनियम, 2017 में और संशोधन करते हुए निम्नलिखित विनियम बनाता है, नामतः-

1. (1) इन विनियमों को विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग (मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा) द्वितीय संशोधन विनियम, 2018 कहा जायेगा।
- (2) ये विनियम शासकीय राजपत्र में प्रकाशन की तिथि से प्रभावी होंगे।
2. विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग (मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा) विनियम, 2017 में (इसके पश्चात् उक्त विनियम कहा जाएगा).-
- (क) विनियम में 3, के उप-विनियम (1) में उप खंड (viii) में निम्नलिखित खंड को प्रतिस्थापित किया जायेगा, नामतः-

“(viii) उच्चतर शिक्षा संस्थान के पास राष्ट्रीय नूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् के 4 प्वाइंट स्केल पर न्यूनतम संचयी ग्रेड प्वाइंट औसत 3.26 के साथ वैध प्रत्यायन है तथा इसने अपने अस्तित्व में आने के पांच वर्ष पूरे कर लिए हों।

बशर्ते कि, उच्चतर शिक्षा संस्थान जो कि या तो राज्य अथवा केन्द्रीय अथवा राज्य निजी विश्वविद्यालय होते हैं तथा उन्हें शिक्षा सत्र 2017-18 के लिए मुक्त तथा दूरस्थ शिक्षा पद्धति के माध्यम से कार्यक्रमों की पेशकश करने के लिए विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा अनुमति प्रदान की गई थी, उन्हें शिक्षा सत्र 2019-20 तक मुक्त तथा दूरस्थ शिक्षा प्रदान करने की अनुमति होगी ताकि वे राष्ट्रीय नूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् द्वारा विहित गुणवत्ता संबंधी बंधनमकों को प्राप्त कर सकें।

बशर्ते आगे कि उक्त श्रेणी में आने वाले उच्चतर शिक्षा संस्थान जो कि वर्तमान में राष्ट्रीय नूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् द्वारा प्रत्यायित नहीं हैं, ऐसे संस्थान इस विनियम के जारी होने की तिथि से तीन माह के भीतर राष्ट्रीय नूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् से प्रत्यायन प्राप्त करने के लिए आवेदन करेंगे।

बरातें आगे कि यह उप खंड मुक्त विश्वविद्यालयों पर लागू नहीं होगा, जब तक कि वे राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् से प्रत्यायन प्राप्त करने हेतु पात्र नहीं हो जाते हैं और मुक्त विश्वविद्यालयों के लिए यह अनिवार्य होगा कि वे प्रत्यायन हेतु पात्र होने के एक वर्ष के भीतर राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् से प्रत्यायन प्राप्त करें।

बरातें आगे कि केन्द्र सरकार द्वारा मानित विश्वविद्यालय संस्थान के रूप में घोषित संस्थान, मौजूदा मानित विश्वविद्यालय के यथासंशोधित विनियमों के साथ ही इस संबंध में विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा अधिसूचित मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा पाठ्यक्रमों अथवा कार्यक्रमों की पंशकशा करेंगे।

बरातें आगे कि उच्चतर शिक्षा संस्थान जो मानित विश्वविद्यालय हैं तथा जिन्हें विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा शिक्षा वर्ष 2017-18 के लिए मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा के माध्यम से पाठ्यक्रम चलाने की अनुमति प्रदान की गई थी, उन्हें विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा पद्धति के माध्यम से विशिष्ट पाठ्यक्रमों को संचालित करने के लिए विशिष्ट अनुमति प्रदान किए जाने तथा विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा प्रत्येक ऑफ कैम्पस तथा अध्ययन केन्द्र का निरीक्षण किए जाने तथा संतोषजनक अवस्था में पाए जाने के अध्येयन शिक्षा वर्ष 2019-20 तक मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा पद्धति के माध्यम से शिक्षा प्रदान करने के लिए अनुमति प्रदान की जायेगी, तथा यह अनुमोदन पाठ्यक्रम विशिष्ट होगा।

बरातें आगे कि इस श्रेणी के अन्तर्गत आने वाले मानित विश्वविद्यालय जो कि वर्तमान में राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् से प्रत्यायित नहीं हैं वे विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग (मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा) द्वितीय संशोधन विनियम, 2018 के लागू होने से तीन माह की अवधि के भीतर राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन और प्रत्यायन परिषद् से प्रत्यायन प्राप्त करने के लिए आवेदन करेंगे।"

(ख) विनियम 3 में उप विनियम (2) के स्थान पर निम्नवित्त उप विनियम प्रतिस्थापित किया जाएगा, नामतः—

"(2) कोई भी उच्चतर शिक्षा संस्थान, जो विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग (मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा) द्वितीय संशोधन विनियम, 2018 के लागू होने के तुरंत बाद तथा उसके पश्चात् के वर्षों के लिए मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा माध्यम से पाठ्यक्रम संचालित करने का इच्छुक हो, इस बात के होते हुए भी कि उन्होंने तत्कालीन दूरस्थ शिक्षा परिषद् अथवा विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग से अगले शिक्षा सत्र तथा उसके बाद के वर्षों के लिए पाठ्यक्रम संचालित करने के लिए अनुमति प्राप्त कर ली है, विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा विनिर्दिष्ट प्रपत्र में ऑन-लाइन आवेदन करेंगे तथा उत्तम विनिर्दिष्ट दस्तावेजों की प्रतियों की स्कैन की गई प्रतियों के साथ इसे ऐसे उच्चतर शिक्षा संस्थान द्वारा पंशकशा किए जाने वाले भावी पाठ्यक्रम के शिक्षा सत्र के आरंभ होने से कम से कम छह माह पूर्व विनिर्दिष्ट पोर्टल पर अपलोड करेंगे। तथापि, विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग अपने विवेकानुसार केवल जुलाई, 2018 से जून, 2019 के शिक्षा सत्र के लिए इस अवधि में छूट प्रदान कर सकता है।

3. उक्त विनियमों में विनियम 19 के उप विनियम (2) के स्थान पर निम्नवत उप विनियम को प्रतिस्थापित किया जाएगा, नामतः—

"(2) स्टैंडालोन संस्थानों द्वारा प्रदान किए जाने वाले प्रमाणपत्र अथवा डिप्लोमा अथवा स्नातकोत्तर डिप्लोमा जिन्हें शिक्षा वर्ष 2016-17 तक मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा कार्यक्रम संचालित करने के लिए इंदिरा गाँधी राष्ट्रीय मुक्त विश्वविद्यालय की तत्कालीन दूरस्थ शिक्षा परिषद् की नीतियों के आधार पर विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग द्वारा भी अनुमोदन प्रदान किया गया है, वे शिक्षा सत्र 2017-18 तक शिक्षा की मुक्त और दूरस्थ पद्धति के क्षेत्र में वैध पाठ्यक्रम बने रहेंगे और तत्पश्चात् इन मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा पद्धति के विनियमों के प्रयोजनार्थ वे अपने स्टैंडालोन संस्थान के दर्जे को विश्वविद्यालय अथवा किसी मौजूदा विश्वविद्यालय की संबन्धक इकाई अथवा संस्थान में परिवर्तित करवा सकते हैं, ऐसा नहीं किए जाने पर, विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग, स्टैंडालोन संस्थानों के मुक्त और दूरस्थ शिक्षा कार्यक्रमों को अनुमोदन प्रदान नहीं करेगा।"

4. उक्त विनियमों में विनियम 20, के पश्चात् विनियम 21 को अंतःस्थापित किया जाएगा, नामतः—

"21. कठिनाइयों का निवारण

विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग, भारत सरकार मानव संसाधन विकास नंत्रालय से परामर्श करके इन विनियमों के कार्यान्वयन के दौरान आने वाली सनस्याओं/कठिनाइयों को दूर करने का अधिकार सुरक्षित रखता है।"

पी. के. ठाकुर, सचिव

[विज्ञापन-III/4/असा./420/17]

नोट : मूल विनियम, फा. सं. 2-4/2015 (डी.ई.बी-III) तथा दिनांक 11 अक्टूबर, 2017 को अंतिम बार संशोधित, फा. सं. 2-4/2015 (डी.ई.बी-III) के माध्यम से दिनांक 23 जून, 2017 को भारत के राजपत्र, असाधारण भाग-III, में प्रकाशित हुए थे।

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 6th February, 2018

F. No. 2-4/2015 (DEB-III).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 26 read with clause (j) of section 12 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956), the University Grants Commission hereby makes the following regulations further to amend the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning) Regulations, 2017, namely:—

1. (1) These regulations may be called the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning) Second Amendment Regulations, 2018.

(2) These shall come into the force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning) Regulations, 2017 (hereinafter referred to as the said regulations),- (a) in regulation 3, in sub-regulation 1, for clause (viii), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

“(viii) The Higher Educational Institution has valid accreditation from National Assessment and Accreditation Council with minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.26 on a 4 point scale and has completed five years of existence:

Provided that the Higher Educational Institutes that are either State or Central or State Private Universities and were given permission by the University Grants Commission to offer programmes in open and distance learning mode for the academic session 2017-18 will be allowed to impart Open and Distance Learning education till the academic session 2019-20 to enable them reach the prescribed quality National Assessment and Accreditation Council benchmark.

Provided further, that the Higher Educational Institutes falling in the above category but currently not accredited with National Assessment and Accreditation Council shall apply for National Assessment and Accreditation Council accreditation within three months from the date of issue of this regulation.

Provided further, that this clause shall not be applicable to Open Universities till the time they become eligible for National Assessment and Accreditation Council accreditation and it shall be mandatory for Open Universities to get National Assessment and Accreditation Council accreditation within one year of their becoming eligible for the same.

Provided further, that an institution Deemed to be a University so declared by the Central Government shall offer the Open and Distance Learning courses or programmes as per the extant Deemed to be a University Regulations and also notified by the University Grants Commission from time to time in the matter.

Provided further that the higher education institutions which are Deemed to be Universities and were given permission by the University Grants Commission to offer programme in open and distance learning mode for the academic year 2017-18 shall be permitted to impart Open and Distance Learning education till the academic session 2019-20 to enable them reach the specified quality National Assessment and Accreditation Council benchmark subject to University Grants Commission specifically allowing the Deemed to be University to conduct Open and Distance Learning courses for specific programmes and after the off campus centres, study centres are individually inspected and found adequate by the University Grants Commission and the approval will be course specific.

Provided further, Deemed to be Universities falling in this category and currently not accredited with National Assessment and Accreditation Council shall apply for National Assessment and Accreditation Council accreditation within three months from the commencement of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning) Second Amendment Regulations, 2018.”

(b) In regulation 3, for sub-regulation (2), the following sub-regulation shall be substituted, namely:-

"(2) A Higher Educational Institution intending to offer a programme in Open and Distance Learning mode for academic session immediately after the commencement of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning) Second Amendment Regulations, 2018 and for subsequent years shall, notwithstanding that it has obtained permission from the then Distance Education Council or by the Commission for offering a programme in Open and Distance learning mode for next coming academic session and for subsequent years, shall make an on-line application in the format specified by the Commission, and upload the same on the specified portal along with scanned copy of the documents specified therein, at least six months before the commencement of the academic session of the programme intended to be offered by such Higher Educational Institution. However, the Commission may relax this period of six months at its discretion only for the academic session July 18 - June 19."

3. In the said regulations, in regulation 19, for sub-regulation (2), the following sub-regulation shall be substituted, namely:-

"(2) Certificates or Diplomas or Post Graduate Diplomas awarded by the Standalone Institutions which also have been approved by the Commission based on the policies of the then Distance Education Council of the Indira Gandhi National Open University for running Open and Distance Learning programmes till the academic year 2016-17 shall remain valid programmes in the field of Open and Distance Learning mode of education till the academic session 2017-18 and thereafter they shall be free to get converted their Standalone Institution status to University or constituent unit or institute of an existing university for the purpose of these Open and Distance Learning regulations, failing which, the Commission shall not accord any approval to the Open and Distance Learning programmes of Standalone Institutions."

4. In the said regulations, after regulation 20, regulation 21 shall be inserted, namely:-

"21. Removal of difficulty

UGC reserves the right to remove difficulty/difficulties in the course of implementation of these Regulations in consultation with the Government of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development."

P.K. THAKUR, Secy. (UGC)

[ADVT.-III/4/Exty/J420/17

Note : The principal regulations were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part-III, dated the 23rd June, 2017 vide F. No. 2-4/2015 (DEB-III) and last amended vide F. No. 2-4/2015 (DEB-III) dated the 11th October 2017.



Dr. Registrar (Acad)
23.5.17

F.No. 2-1/2017 (DEB-III/DEB-IV)

Date: May, 2017

✓ The Registrar
Netaji Subhas Open University
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19 MAY 2017

Sub: Permission to start M.Phil/Ph.D programmes under Regular Mode as per UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D Degrees) Regulations, 2016- reg.

Sir,

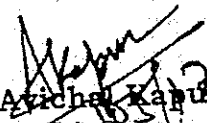
This is with reference to your letter No. VC/11/550 dated 28.02.2017 submitting therewith a duly notarised affidavit dated 23.02.2017 signed by Shri Mohan Kumar Chattopadhyay, Registrar to the effect that University will strictly follow UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D Degrees) Regulations 2016 and will abide by all its clauses in toto.

In this context, I am directed to convey the approval of UGC to start M.Phil/Ph.D programme under Regular/Part-Time mode by the University subject to the condition that the essential clauses of UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil/Ph.D Degrees) Regulations, 2016 (Copy enclosed) pertaining to eligibility criteria for admission to M.Phil/Ph.D programme, duration of programme, procedure for admission, allocation of Research Supervisor, Course Work, Research Advisory Committee, Evaluation and Assessment Methods and Depository with INFLIBNET must be followed in letter and spirit. It may be noted that as per Clause 11 of the Regulations, no university is permitted to conduct M.Phil/Ph.D programmes through distance education mode.

In case if there is any deviation in implementing the clauses of UGC Regulations, 2016, the permission would be deemed to be treated as withdrawn. Above permission is subject to the condition that Act/Statute/Ordinance /Rule of the University provide for the same.

This is issued with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,


(Dr. Arichal Kapur)
Joint Secretary

MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
NOTIFICATION
New Delhi, the 5th May, 2016

University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D Degrees) Regulations, 2016

{In supersession of the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Awards of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulation, 2009, notified in The Gazette of India [No. 28, Part III- Section 4] for the week July 11-July 17, 2009}

No. F. 1-2/2009(EC/PS)V(I) Vol. II - In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (f) and (g) of sub-section (1) of Section 26 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956), and in supersession of the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Awards of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulation, 2009, notified in The Gazette of India [No. 28, Part III-Section 4] for the week July 11 — July 17, 2009, the University Grants Commission hereby makes the following Regulations, namely:-

1. Short title, Application and Commencement:

- 1.1 These Regulations may be called University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations, 2016.
- 1.2 They shall apply to every University established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, a Provincial Act, or a State Act, every affiliated college, and every Institution Deemed to be a University under Section 3 of UGC Act, 1956.
- 1.3 They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Gazette of India.

2. Eligibility criteria for admission to the M.Phil. programme:

- 2.1 Candidates for admission to the M.Phil. programme shall have a Master's degree or a professional degree declared equivalent to the Master's degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from a foreign educational Institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions.
- 2.2 A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50%, or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC(non-creamy layer)/Differently-Abled and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time, or for those who had obtained their Master's degree prior to 19th September, 1991. The eligibility marks of 55% (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible based only on the qualifying marks without including the grace mark procedures.

3. Eligibility criteria for admission to Ph.D. programme:

Subject to the conditions stipulated in these Regulations, the following persons are eligible to seek admission to the Ph.D. programme:

- 3.1 Master's Degree holders satisfying the criteria stipulated under Clause 2 above.
- 3.2 Candidates who have cleared the M.Phil. course work with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and successfully completing the M.Phil. Degree shall be eligible to proceed to do research work leading to the Ph. D. Degree in the same Institution in an integrated programme. A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50%, or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC(non-creamy layer)/differently-abled and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time.

3.3 A person whose M.Phil. dissertation has been evaluated and the viva voce is pending may be admitted to the Ph.D. programme of the same Institution:

3.4 Candidates possessing a Degree considered equivalent to M.Phil. Degree of an Indian Institution, from a Foreign Educational Institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions, shall be eligible for admission to Ph.D. programme.

4. Duration of the Programme:

4.1 M.Phil. programme shall be for a minimum duration of two (2) consecutive semesters / one year and a maximum of four (4) consecutive semesters / two years.

4.2 Ph.D. programme shall be for a minimum duration of three years, including course work and a maximum of six years.

4.3 Extension beyond the above limits will be governed by the relevant clauses as stipulated in the Statute/Ordinance of the individual Institution concerned.

4.4 The women candidates and Persons with Disability (more than 40% disability) may be allowed a relaxation of one year for M.Phil and two years for Ph.D. in the maximum duration. In addition, the women candidates may be provided Maternity Leave/Child Care Leave once in the entire duration of M.Phil/Ph.D. for up to 240 days.

5. Procedure for admission:

5.1 All Universities and Institutions Deemed to be Universities shall admit M.Phil/Ph.D. students through an Entrance Test conducted at the level of Individual University/Institution Deemed to be a University. The University/Institution Deemed to be a University may decide separate terms and conditions for Ph.D. Entrance Test for those students who qualify UGC-NET (including JRF)/UGC-CSIR NET (including JRF)/SLET/GATE/teacher fellowship holder or have passed M.Phil programme. Similar approach may be adopted in respect of Entrance Test for M.Phil programme.

5.2 Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) referred to in sub-clause 1.2 above and Colleges under them which are allowed to conduct M.Phil. and/or Ph.D. programmes, shall:

5.2.1 decide on an annual basis through their academic bodies a predetermined and manageable number of M.Phil. and/or Ph.D. scholars to be admitted depending on the number of available Research Supervisors and other academic and physical facilities available, keeping in mind the norms regarding the scholar-teacher ratio (as indicated in Para 6.5), laboratory, library and such other facilities:

5.2.2 notify well in advance in the institutional website and through advertisement in at least two (2) national newspapers, of which at least one (1) shall be in the regional language, the number of seats for admission, subject/discipline-wise distribution of available seats, criteria for admission, procedure for admission, examination centre(s) where entrance test(s) shall be conducted and all other relevant information for the benefit of the candidates:

5.2.3 adhere to the National/State-level reservation policy, as applicable.

5.3 The admission shall be based on the criteria notified by the Institution, keeping in view the guidelines/norms in this regard issued by the UGC and other statutory bodies concerned, and taking into account the reservation policy of the Central/State Government from time to time.

5.4 HEIs as mentioned in Clause 1.2 shall admit candidates by a two stage process through:

5.4.1 An Entrance Test shall be qualifying with qualifying marks as 50%. The syllabus of the Entrance Test shall consist of 50% of research methodology and 50% shall be

subject specific. The Entrance Test shall be conducted at the Centre(s) notified in advance (changes of Centres, if any, also to be notified well in advance) at the level of the individual HEI as mentioned in clause 1.2; and

5.4.2 An interview/*viva-voce* to be organized by the HEI as mentioned in clause 1.2 when the candidates are required to discuss their research interest/area through a presentation before a duly constituted Department Research Committee.

5.5 The interview/*viva voce* shall also consider the following aspects, viz. whether:

5.5.1 the candidate possesses the competence for the proposed research;

5.5.2 the research work can be suitably undertaken at the Institution/College;

5.5.3 the proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.

5.6 The University shall maintain the list of all the M.Phil. / Ph.D. registered students on its website on year-wise basis. The list shall include the name of the registered candidate, topic of his/her research, name of his/her supervisor/co-supervisor, date of enrolment/registration.

6. Allocation of Research Supervisor: Eligibility criteria to be a Research Supervisor, Co- Supervisor, Number of M.Phil./Ph.D. scholars permissible per Supervisor, etc.

6.1 Any regular Professor of the University/Institution Deemed to be a University/College with at least five research publications in refereed journals and any regular Associate/Assistant Professor of the university/institution deemed to be a university/college with a Ph.D. degree and at least two research publications in refereed journals may be recognized as Research Supervisor.

Provided that in areas/disciplines where there is no or only a limited number of refereed journals, the Institution may relax the above condition for recognition of a person as Research Supervisor with reasons recorded in writing.

6.2 Only a full time regular teacher of the concerned University/Institution Deemed to be a University/College can act as a supervisor. The external supervisors are not allowed. However, Co-Supervisor can be allowed in inter-disciplinary areas from other departments of the same institute or from other related institutions with the approval of the Research Advisory Committee.

6.3 The allocation of Research Supervisor for a selected research scholar shall be decided by the Department concerned depending on the number of scholars per Research Supervisor, the available specialization among the Supervisors and research interests of the scholars as indicated by them at the time of interview/*viva voce*.

6.4 In case of topics which are of inter-disciplinary nature where the Department concerned feels that the expertise in the Department has to be supplemented from outside, the Department may appoint a Research Supervisor from the Department itself, who shall be known as the Research Supervisor, and a Co-Supervisor from outside the Department/ Faculty/College/Institution on such terms and conditions as may be specified and agreed upon by the consenting Institutions/Colleges.

6.5 A Research Supervisor/Co-supervisor who is a Professor, at any given point of time, cannot guide more than three (3) M.Phil. and Eight (8) Ph.D. scholars. An Associate Professor as Research Supervisor can guide up to a maximum of two (2) M.Phil. and six (6) Ph.D. scholars and an Assistant Professor as Research Supervisor can guide up to a maximum of one (1) M.Phil. and four (4) Ph.D. scholars.

6.6 In case of relocation of an M.Phil/Ph.D. woman scholar due to marriage or otherwise, the research data shall be allowed to be transferred to the University to which the scholar intends to relocate provided all the other conditions in these regulations are followed in letter and spirit and the research work does not pertain to the project secured by the parent institution/ supervisor from any funding agency. The scholar will however give due credit to the parent guide and the institution for the part of research already done.

7. Course Work: Credit Requirements, number, duration, syllabus, minimum standards for completion, etc.

7.1 The credit assigned to the M.Phil. or Ph.D. course work shall be a minimum of 08 credits and a maximum of 16 credits.

- 7.2 The course work shall be treated as prerequisite for M.Phil./Ph.D. preparation. A minimum of four credits shall be assigned to one or more courses on Research Methodology which could cover areas such as quantitative methods, computer applications, research ethics and review of published research in the relevant field, training, field work, etc. Other courses shall be advanced level courses preparing the students for M.Phil./Ph.D. degree.
- 7.3 All courses prescribed for M.Phil. and Ph.D. course work shall be in conformity with the credit hour instructional requirement and shall specify content, instructional and assessment methods. They shall be duly approved by the authorized academic bodies.
- 7.4 The Department where the scholar pursues his/her research shall prescribe the course(s) to him/her based on the recommendations of the Research Advisory Committee, as stipulated under sub-Clause 8.1 below, of the research scholar.
- 7.5 All candidates admitted to the M.Phil. and Ph.D. programmes shall be required to complete the course work prescribed by the Department during the initial one or two semesters.
- 7.6 Candidates already holding M. Phil. degree and admitted to the Ph.D. programme, or those who have already completed the course work in M.Phil. and have been permitted to proceed to the Ph.D. in integrated course, may be exempted by the Department from the Ph.D. course work. All other candidates admitted to the Ph.D. programme shall be required to complete the Ph.D. course work prescribed by the Department.
- 7.7 Grades in the course work, including research methodology courses shall be finalized after a combined assessment by the Research Advisory Committee and the Department and the final grades shall be communicated to the Institution/College.
- 7.8 A M.Phil./Ph.D. scholar has to obtain a minimum of 55% of marks or its equivalent grade in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade/CGPA in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) in the course work in order to be eligible to continue in the programme and submit the dissertation/thesis.

8. Research Advisory Committee and its functions:

- 8.1 There shall be a Research Advisory Committee, or an equivalent body for similar purpose as defined in the Statutes/Ordinances of the Institution concerned, for each M.Phil. and Ph.D. scholar. The Research Supervisor of the scholar shall be the Convener of this Committee. This Committee shall have the following responsibilities:
- 8.1.1 To review the research proposal and finalize the topic of research;
- 8.1.2 To guide the research scholar to develop the study design and methodology of research and identify the course(s) that he/she may have to do.
- 8.1.3 To periodically review and assist in the progress of the research work of the research scholar.
- 8.2 A research scholar shall appear before the Research Advisory Committee once in six months to make a presentation of the progress of his/her work for evaluation and further guidance. The six monthly progress reports shall be submitted by the Research Advisory Committee to the Institution/College with a copy to the research scholar.
- 8.3 In case the progress of the research scholar is unsatisfactory, the Research Advisory Committee shall record the reasons for the same and suggest corrective measures. If the research scholar fails to implement these corrective measures, the Research Advisory Committee may recommend to the Institution/College with specific reasons for cancellation of the registration of the research scholar.

9. Evaluation and Assessment Methods, minimum standards/credits for award of the degree, etc.:

- 9.1 The overall minimum credit requirement, including credit for the course work, for the award of M.Phil. degree shall not be less than 24 credits.
- 9.2 Upon satisfactory completion of course work, and obtaining the marks/grade prescribed in sub-clauses 7.8 above, as the case may be, the M.Phil./Ph.D. scholar shall be required to undertake research work

and produce a draft dissertation/thesis within a reasonable time, as stipulated by the Institution concerned based on these Regulations.

- 9.3 Prior to the submission of the dissertation/thesis, the scholar shall make a presentation in the Department before the Research Advisory Committee of the Institution concerned which shall also be open to all faculty members and other research scholars. The feedback and comments obtained from them may be suitably incorporated into the draft dissertation/thesis in consultation with the Research Advisory Committee.
- 9.4 M.Phil scholars shall present at least one (1) research paper in a conference/seminar and Ph.D. scholars must publish at least one (1) research paper in refereed journal and make two paper presentations in conferences/seminars before the submission of the dissertation/thesis for adjudication, and produce evidence for the same in the form of presentation certificates and/or reprints.
- 9.5 The Academic Council (or its equivalent body) of the Institution shall evolve a mechanism using well developed software and gadgets to detect plagiarism and other forms of academic dishonesty. While submitting for evaluation, the dissertation/thesis shall have an undertaking from the research scholar and a certificate from the Research Supervisor attesting to the originality of the work, vouching that there is no plagiarism and that the work has not been submitted for the award of any other degree/diploma of the same Institution where the work was carried out, or to any other Institution.
- 9.6 The M.Phil. dissertation submitted by a research scholar shall be evaluated by his/her Research Supervisor and at least one external examiner who is not in the employment of the Institution/College. The *viva-voce* examination, based among other things, on the critiques given in the evaluation report, shall be conducted by both of them together, and shall be open to be attended by Members of the Research Advisory Committee, all faculty members of the Department, other research scholars and other interested experts/researchers.
- 9.7 The Ph.D. thesis submitted by a research scholar shall be evaluated by his/her Research Supervisor and at least two external examiners, who are not in employment of the Institution/College, of whom one examiner may be from outside the country. The *viva-voce* examination, based among other things, on the critiques given in the evaluation report, shall be conducted by the Research Supervisor and at least one of the two external examiners, and shall be open to be attended by Members of the Research Advisory Committee, all faculty members of the Department, other research scholars and other interested experts/researchers.
- 9.8 The public *viva-voce* of the research scholar to defend the dissertation/thesis shall be conducted only if the evaluation report(s) of the external examiner(s) on the dissertation/thesis is/are satisfactory and include a specific recommendation for conducting the *viva-voce* examination. If the evaluation report of the external examiner in case of M.Phil. dissertation, or one of the evaluation reports of the external examiner in case of Ph.D. thesis, is unsatisfactory and does not recommend *viva-voce*, the Institution shall send the dissertation/ thesis to another external examiner out of the approved panel of examiners and the *viva-voce* examination shall be held only if the report of the latest examiner is satisfactory. If the report of the latest examiner is also unsatisfactory, the dissertation/ thesis shall be rejected and the research scholar shall be declared ineligible for the award of the degree.
- 9.9 The Institutions shall develop appropriate methods so as to complete the entire process of evaluation of M.Phil. dissertation/ Ph.D. thesis within a period of six months from the date of submission of the dissertation/thesis.
10. Academic, administrative and infrastructure requirement to be fulfilled by Colleges for getting recognition for offering M.Phil./Ph.D. programmes:
- 10.1 Colleges may be considered eligible to offer M.Phil./Ph.D. programmes only if they satisfy the availability of eligible Research Supervisors, required infrastructure and supporting administrative and research promotion facilities as per these Regulations.
- 10.2 Post-graduate Departments of Colleges, Research laboratories of Government of India/State Government with at least two Ph.D. qualified teachers/scientists/other academic staff in the Department concerned along with required infrastructure, supporting administrative and research promotion facilities as per these Regulations, stipulated under sub-clause 10.3, shall be considered eligible to offer M.Phil./Ph.D. programmes. Colleges should additionally have the necessary recognition by the

Institution under which they operate to offer M.Phil/Ph.D. programme.

- 10.3 Colleges with adequate facilities for research as mentioned below alone shall offer M.Phil./Ph. D. programmes:
- 10.3.1 In case of science and technology disciplines, exclusive research laboratories with sophisticated equipment as specified by the Institution concerned with provision for adequate space per research scholar along with computer facilities and essential software, and uninterrupted power and water supply;
- 10.3.2 Earmarked library resources including latest books, Indian and International journals, e-journals, extended working hours for all disciplines, adequate space for research scholars in the Department/ library for reading, writing and storing study and research materials;
- 10.3.3 Colleges may also access the required facilities of the neighbouring Institutions/Colleges, or of those Institutions/Colleges/R&D laboratories/Organizations which have the required facilities.
11. Treatment of Ph.D / M.Phil. through Distance Mode/Part-time:
- 11.1 Notwithstanding anything contained in these Regulations or any other Rule or Regulation, for the time being in force, no University, Institution, Deemed to be a University and College shall conduct M.Phil. and Ph.D. Programmes through distance education mode.
- 11.2 Part-time Ph.D will be allowed provided all the conditions mentioned in the extant Ph.D Regulations are met.
12. Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. degrees prior to Notification of these Regulations, or degrees awarded by foreign Universities:
- 12.1 Award of degrees to candidates registered for the M.Phil./Ph.D. programme on or after July 11, 2009 till the date of Notification of these Regulations shall be governed by the provisions of the UGC (Minimum Standards and procedure for Awards of M.Phil/Ph.D Degree) Regulation, 2009.
- 12.2 If the M.Phil./Ph.D. degree is awarded by a Foreign University, the Indian Institution considering such a degree shall refer the issue to a Standing Committee constituted by the concerned institution for the purpose of determining the equivalence of the degree awarded by the foreign University.
13. Depository with INFLIBNET:
- 13.1 Following the successful completion of the evaluation process and before the announcement of the award of the M.Phil./Ph.D. degree(s), the Institution concerned shall submit an electronic copy of the M.Phil. dissertation /Ph. D. thesis to the INFLIBNET, for hosting the same so as to make it accessible to all Institutions/Colleges.
- 13.2 Prior to the actual award of the degree, the degree-awarding Institution shall issue a provisional Certificate to the effect that the Degree has been awarded in accordance with the provisions of these UGC Regulations, 2016.

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Annexure - E

Ph.D. Scholars in School of Humanities for approval of A.C. as on 31.02.2018

Sl. No.	Scholar Name	Gender	Address & Phone No.	Registration No.	Date of Reg.	Subject	Scholarship	Topic of the Thesis	Internal A.C. (Supervisor)	Internal A.C. (Coordinator)	Date of Submission	Date of Approval	Remarks	STATUS
41	Shri Anshwari Bandopadhyay	Male	T. G. Saranta Road, P.O. - Kunduapara, Barakura - 722 102, Ph: 9832111722,	07119900027	18.06.2007	Bengali	Humanities	Madhyajugor Bangla Akhyar Kabir Musakkeno Kabir	Late Dr. Kishra Gupta			21.06.2016	Provisional Certificate Issued	C
45	Shri Subhash Chandra Adhikari	Male	Vil. - Sarada Pally, P.O. - Sonamukhi, Barakura - 722 207, Ph: 03244-275090	07219900011	06.08.2007	Bengali	Humanities	Bankura Zalar Kabi: Bibh Boikhi/O Shilparuo (1500 Kirtistabde - 2000 Kirtistabde)	Prof. Nirmal Kumar Das, Add.: Anandachara Apartment, Block-D, Flat-2 (Ground Floor), AAS, Prafulla Kanan (West), Kolkata - 700 101, Ph: 9830352979, 2576-1962			14.09.2017	Provisional Certificate Issued	C
55	Shri Achintya Kumar Gungopadhyay	Male	252, Sondia Tank Bye Lane, P.O. - Gauda, Dist. - 24 Pgr., PIN - 743 133, Ph: 2540-9766	08119900035	23.05.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Alkaper Bibartan O Sampeak Bengla Natok	Prof. Anus Kumar Ghosh, Add.: Dept. of Bengali, Centre for Advanced Study, B.U. Golapbag, Burdwan - 713 104, Ph:			10.04.2017	Provisional certificate Issued	C
56	Smt Kabi Begdi (Ash)	Female	Block-8, Flat No.-204, Triangular Plaza (Gowampara), C/A, Tbalur Das Babu Lane, Serampur, Dist. - Hooghly, PH - 712 201, Ph: 9433837140	08119900045	11.06.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Hooghly Jalar Ulrab O Mela - Lokalsatyer Upadan	Dr. Darun Kumar Chakraborty, Add.: 13/C, Chanditala Lane, Kolkata - 700 040, Ph: 2481-9210			08.11.2016	Provisional Certificate Issued	C
57	Smt Iona Bhattacharyya (Ghosh)	Female	24, Umeshvari Das Lane, Shibpur, Howrah - 711 102, Ph: 9413677045	08229900052	22.07.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Golan Kudduser Jiban O Sahitya Bichar	Dr. Tarun Mukhopadhyay, Add.: Professor of Bengali, C.U., Kolkata - 700 073, Ph: 9874623796			21.03.2017	Provisional certificate Issued	C
59	Smt Mausumi Majumdar	Female	C/o Late Sunil Kr. Bhwas, 7/7, K. P. Chatterjee Road, Coim Bazar, Berhampore, Murshidabad - 742 101, Ph: 9474322223	08229900054	30.07.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Madhya Bangor Lotgalo	Dr. Sukinath Jha, Add.: Bazarpur, P.O. - Radharghat, Berhampore, Murshidabad - 742 187, Ph: 9434737673			06.05.2016	Provisional Certificate Issued	C
61	Shri Dilip Kumar Mahali	Male	Kalyanji High School, P.O. - Kalagarh, Dist. - Medinipur (B), PIN - 721 626, Ph: 9434991411	08259900058	13.08.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Romanisation Alete Subanta	Dr. Binodini Sarkar, Add.: 69 G, Anandinda Road, Koveagar, Dist. - Hooghly, Ph: 9830992075, 6569-2262			24.03.2017	Provisional Certificate Issued	C
63	Shri Soumen Das	Male	C/o Shri Soumitra Ghosh, 404, G. B. Road, Southtala, 24 Pgs. (B), PH 743 144, Ph: 9885128600	08219900061	05.09.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Mangalabye Dabata O Mantri - Samparker Ropantar	Prof. Mumun Gungopadhyay, Add.: Associate Professor of Bengali, Rabindra Bharati University, 55A, B. T. Road, Kolkata - 700 050, Ph: 9831190458, Resid.: Tripit Neer, 24/16, Mahesh Pal Lane, P.O. - Santargachi, Howrah - 711 104, E-mail: mumun.gungopadhyay@yahoo.in			21.04.2017	Provisional certificate Issued	C
65	Shri Chandan Chowdhury	Male	C-1, Bagha Jerin, 4th Floor, Kolkata - 700 022, Ph: 9830304229	08219900077	20.10.2008	Bengali	Humanities	Gangoyo Paschim Bangor Mela: Sahitya Sanskrit Samanvay	Prof. Achintya Bhwas, Add.: Dept. of Bengali, I.I.U., Kolkata - 700 082, Ph: 9830798843			18.01.2017	Provisional Certificate Issued	C

Ph.D. Scholars in Schools of Education and Social Sciences for approval of A.C. as on 13.02.2018

Sl. No.	Name	Gender	Address & Phone No.	Roll No.	Date of Reg.	Subject	School	Title of the Thesis	Name of the Supervisor	Address of the Supervisor	Date of V.C.	Year of Award	Status	Status Code	Remarks
2	Shri Arup Kumar Das	Male	510/L, Tirupelli Apartment, Sahid Hemanta Kumar Bose Sarani, Jawpur, Kolkata - 700 074, Ph: 9836514675	05219900063	29.12.2005	Education	Social Sciences	Achievement of the illiterates speaking Tribal Language and Dialectical Bengali Learning through Bengali medium in the Literacy Programme of West Bengal	Dr. Subhash Chandra Chakraborty, Add.: 197, Netaji Subhas Road, Behala, Kolkata - 700 034, Ph: 9432498636		24.11.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	
13	Shri Pallab Kumar Dutta	Male	C-66, Sarada Park, P.O. - Jote-Sibrampar, P.S. - Maheshitala, S-24 Pgs., PIN 700 141, Ph: 9830819976	08119900042	11.06.2008	Education	Social Sciences	Management of the Government Aided Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools of Southern Districts of West Bengal	Dr. Subhash Chandra Chakraborty, Add.: 197, Netaji Subhas Road, Behala, Kolkata - 700 034, Ph: 9432498636		24.11.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	
15	Smt Anita Nan Banerjee	Female	Smt. Anita Nan Banerjee 170/19/22A, Lake Gardens Kolkata - 700 045 Ph: 9830333553, 2417-2015	08219900079	22.10.2008	Education	Social Sciences	The Role of Rabindra Mukta Vidyalaya in the Development of Open System of School Education in West Bengal	Prof. Mita Damerjee, Add.: Dept. of Education, University of Calcutta, Alipur Campus, Ph: 9830120890	Prof. Moksada Khatus, Add.: Principal Calcutta Girls' G.T. College, Kolkata Ph: 9433185651	29.11.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	
16	Shri Atin Kumar Hazra	Male	C/o Dr. Sr. Sumsull Horje Mondal, 12/1/12, Aga Mehdi Street, 3rd Floor, Kolkata - 700 016, Ph: 9883054427	08219900085	07.11.2008	Education	Social Sciences	A Study on Effective Teaching Learning in Life Science at the Secondary Level Schools in West Bengal	Dr. Dibyendu Bhattacharyya, Add.: 172, Main Road East, New Barrackpur, Near Shitalalala, Ward No.2, Kolkata - 700 131, Ph: 9051463132, E-mail: dr.ku@rediffmail.com		12.02.2018		Provisional Certificate to be issued	E	
33	Smt Arpita Basu	Female	Krishna Regency, Flat No.3D, Sholofoot, Ghosliera, Krishnapur, Kolkata - 700 102, Ph: 9830192298	08129900008	04.02.2008	Museology	Social Sciences	Traditional Clay Arts of Bengal : A Comprehensive Museological and Folkloric Study	Prof. Pallab Sengupta, Add.: 21/1, Russa Road (South), 3rd Lane, Kolkata - 700 033, Ph: 9830052046		22.03.2017		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	
60	Smt Roshni Chaudhury	Male	18/3, Geriahat Road, Flat No.3D/2, Kolkata - 700 019, Ph: 9830127124	08229900070	26.01.2008	History	Social Sciences	Indian Thinkers and an Alternative Model of Social Reconstruction : Amrobrindo, M. K. Roy and Gandhi	Prof. Chittabrata Paul, Add.: 222, Jodhpur Park, Kolkata - 700 069, Ph: 9830275106		04.11.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	
62	Shri Saiya Ranjan Bera	Male	P.O. + Vill. - khanchi, Dist. - Purba Medinipur, PIN - 721 643, Ph: 03228-2752065	06109900001	04.01.2006	Philosophy	Social Sciences	The Doctrine of Rebirth in Hinduism, Jainism and Buddhism - A Comparative Study	Dr. Sunil Kr. Das (Expired)		06.04.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	
77	Smt Kuntala Ghosh	Female	30B, Praladipitya Road, P.O. - Kalighat, Kolkata - 700 026, Ph: 9432338495, 2426-4321	06129900026	22.05.2006	Indology	Social Sciences	Achieving the Democratic Goal of Freedom in the Spirit of the Bhagavad Gita	Dr. Joy Bhattacharya, Add.: Lecturer in Indology, Ramkrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark, Kolkata - 700 029, Resl.: F/No.A/15, 23, East Point, Kolkata - 700 078, Ph: 2442-6008		02.05.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	

Ph.D. Scholars In School of Professional Studies for approval of A.C. as on 19.02.2018

Sl. No.	Name	Gender	Address of the Candidate	Roll No.	Date of Birth	Subject	School	Title of the Thesis	Name & Address of the Supervisor	Name & Address of the Co-Supervisor	Date of Registration	Year of Award	Provisional Certificate Issued	STATUS CODE	Remarks	
01	Smt. Shampa Chakrabarty	Female	72, Block-P, New Alipore, Kolkata - 700 053, Ph: 9339722196	05129900011	15.06.2005	Management	Professional Studies	A Study on 'Team Leaders' Business Competencies and People Competencies in Select IT Companies	Dr. Akoto Kumar Sen, Add.: Professor & Director, Heritage Business School, 904, Madurabaha, Chowbaga Road, Anandapur, P.O. - East Kolkata Township, Kolkata - 700 107, Ph: 9830052919		24.02.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C		
24	Smt. Supri Day	Female	Genex Valley, Tower No.12, Flat - 9/E, Joka, Kolkata - 700 104, Ph: 9836784902	06229900024	26.10.2006	Management	Professional Studies	The Empowerment of Women Through ICDS Programme - A Case Study in 24 Pps South, West Bengal	Dr. Tridib Chakrabarty, Add.: 490, Ramkrishna Sarai, Kolkata - 700 002, Ph: 8902506427, 2404-3343		28.12.2017		Provisional Certificate Issued	C		
45	Shri. Chandra Bhushan Kumar	Male	Asst. Professor, Manager (Training), Staff Quarter No. 103, Centurion Institute of Technology (CIT), Centurion University Campus, At - Ramchandrapur, P.O. - Jatni, Dist. - Khudra - 752 050, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, Ph: 09439338079, 067205303379, E-mail: kumar.cbhushan@gmail.com	08279900050	18.07.2008	Management	Professional Studies	Advertisement in Television: A Study on Effectiveness of Cable TV Network in Orissa	Prof. (Dr.) A. Suresh Chandra Patnaik, Add.: Head, PG Dept. of Bus. Administration, Gandhi Institute of Advanced Computer & Research (GICAR), Prajakti Bazar, Bapatguda - 765 002, Ph: 06437318220, 08291891688, E-mail: aspatnaik@gmail.com		13.06.2016		Provisional Certificate Issued	C		
46	Shri. Hiranmay Hazra	Male	Flat No.C/101, Aegis Co-operative Housing Complex, 11/B, G.C. Ghosh Road, Kolkata - 700 048, Ph: 9930328472, 9438028472	08219900064	18.09.2008	Management	Professional Studies	Effective Utilisation of Manpower in Power Sector: A case study of West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited (WBSEDC)	Prof. K. K. Chaudhury	Dr. Anirban Ghosh		24.01.2017		Provisional Certificate Issued	C	

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Sl. No.	Name	Sex	Address	Phone No.	Date of Birth	Subject	Category	Title of the Thesis	Name & Address of the Supervisor	Date of Approval	Remarks
1	Smt. Ketilwendu Saha	Male	16/2, Furba Srinagar Road, Kolkata - 700 030, Ph: 9432653397, 9433095081	0427990023	24.11.2004	ENVS	Sciences	A study on Environmental Impact and Management of Biomedical Waste with special reference to origin, segregation, storage, transport and disposal	Prof. NIGHITI KR. PAL, Add.: Prof. & Head, Dept. of Microbiology, Mada Medical College, Malda, PIN - 732 301, Ph: 9433559514, E-mail: pal_nikh@yahoo.co.in	16.07.2016	Provisional Certificate Issued
15	Smt. Ruina Hazra (Ghosh)	Female	HDA OLD REGISTRY OFFICE (HOW FACTORY), 2nd Floor, P.O. - HDA, Khairampur, Dist. - Paschim Medinipur, Ph: -	06229900016	08.09.2006	ENVS	Sciences	A comparative study of Shore Robusta dominated ecosystems in coastal and lateritic region of Medinipur District (East & West), West Bengal	Dr. Tapan Kumar Mishra, (Retd. Principal, Vidyasagar College) Add.: 9, Purbachal School Road (North), 1st Lane, Kolkata - 700 079, Ph: -	16.10.2017	Provisional Certificate Issued
16	Smt. Ritash Paul	Male	34/6, Rafi Ahmed Kidwai Road, Kolkata - 700 055, Ph: 9433613662, 9432977329	06219900028	27.09.2006	ENVS	Sciences	Studies on the efficiency of domestic Asenec removal filter with special reference to its cost analysis among the rural population in West Bengal	Dr. R. C. Srivastava Dr. Samar Kumar Banerjee	16.03.2016	Provisional Certificate Issued
20	Smt. Tanima Modak Dhar	Female	138A, Raja Rammohan Sarani, Kolkata - 700 009, Ph: 9831134638, 2241-0447	09129900011	02.04.2005	ENVS	Sciences	Chemical characterization of Microstructure and molecular OIL Compositions of some Indian Spices	Prof. D. K. Bhattacharyya, Add.: Oil Technology Division, Indian Oil Corporation Ltd., Plot: 5-2, 510, Garcha Road, Kolkata - 700 019, Ph: 9231580943, 2461-9662 Dr. Mahua Ghosh, Add.: Oil Technology Division, Indian Oil Corporation Ltd., Plot: 5-2, 510, Garcha Road, Kolkata - 700 029, E-mail: mahua@gmail.com, Ph: -	05.07.2016	Provisional Certificate Issued
32	Smt. Sonu Chattarjee (Dhela)	Female	28/4B, C. N. Roy Road, Pkoid Garden, Kolkata - 700 039, Ph: 2017071912	08229900048	07.07.2008	Geography	Sciences	Environmental Issues related to Mining in the Jharia Coalfield Complex of Dhanbad District, Jharkhand	Dr. Mandini Chattarjee, Add.: Associate Professor, Dept. of Geography, Taki Govt. College, Taki, 24 Pgr. (II), Dist. - Murshidabad, West Bengal, India. Res.: Plot No. DA - 268, Sector - 1, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 064, Ph: -	09.06.2017	Provisional Certificate Issued
35	Mr. Sirajul Hoque	Male	Vill. - Gohinda Pathy, Ward No. 15, P.O. & P.S. - Dhugguri, Dist. - Jalpaiguri, PIN - 735 210, Ph: -	08119900044	20.06.2009	Zoology	Sciences	Behavioral Ecology of Baya Weaver Bird (Ploceus philippinus) in Semi Urban and Rural tracks of Northern Part of West Bengal, India	Dr. Narayan Ghosal, Add.: Associate Professor, West Bengal State University, WB.	17.07.2017	Provisional Certificate Issued

ANNEXURE:1 (Post Graduate Bengali)				
	Counsellor Name PGB	Designation		Remarks
01	Dr Sugata Sen	Retd. Professor	9830119030	
02	Dr Nabagopal Ray	Asst.Prof. SKBU	9434195677	
03	Nilratan Sarkar	Asst.Prof.	9433957771	
04	Asis Kumar Dey	Professor	9830077896	
05	Dr Sampa Bhattacharyay	Associate Professor	9830219262	
06	Dr Barendu Mandal	Asst.Prof. JU	830517325	
07	Dr Susmita Saha	Asst.Prof.	9836635865	
08	Asim Halder	Asst. Prof	9932120292	
09	Prof. Uday Kumar Chakraborty	Professor JU	9433886779	
10	Dr. Rajyeswar Sinha	Professor JU	9836852581	
11	Dr Sucharita Bandopadhyay	Professor CU	9836743250	
12	Dr Rejaul Karim	Professor AU	9432880242	
13	Dr Shyamal Das	Asst. Prof. BU	9433293244	
14	Dr.Subrata Das		9339883027	
15	Dr Sukhen Biswas	Professor	9433128480	
16	Dr Narayan Halder	Associate. RBU	9432502071	
17	Dr Chandam Chakraborty	Asst.Prof.	9434505786	
18	Dr Subrata Chatterjee	Associate Prof.	9433937966	
19	Dr Prama Pal	Asst.Prof.	9163818096	
20	Dr Uttam Kumar Biswas	Asst.Prof.PU	9143066370	
21	Dr Minakshi Sinha	Retd.Prof.	9831172614	
22	Dr Kanailal Sen	Retd.Prof.	9477841503	
23	Dr Nibedita Ccakraborty		9466527986	
24	Prof. Sumita Chakraborty	Professor	9331225213	
25	Dr.Kanchankuntala Mukhapadhyay	Retd.Prof.	9231567141	
26	Dr Nirmalya Sensarma	Asst.Prof.	9433121151	
27	Dr Chandrima Basu	Associate.Prof.	9433251124	
28	Dr Mrinmay Pramanik	Asst.Prof. CU	8500427642	
29	Dr Jhantu Das	Asst. prof.	9433337840	
30	Dr Hrishita Gupta bakshi	Associate. Prof.	9903297092	
31	Dr Anindita Dasgupta	Associate Prof	9433243075	
32	Mithu Mukherjee	Translator	9830725413	
33	Dr Gouranga Dandapat	Asst.Prof.	9647479256	
34	Dr Chandana Majumdar	Asst. Prof.	9830807670	
35	Joydeep Ghosh	Asst.Prof.	9831649799	
36	Dr Rafikul Hossain	Associate.Pro.CU	9433274662	
37	Abhisek Ghosal	Asst.Prof.	9748588826	
38	Dr Ayantika Ghosh	Asst.Prof	9433727846	
39	Dr Kutubuddin Mallah	Asst.Prof	9830308084	
40	Prof Prabir Pramanik	Professor	9433118126	
41	Dr Subrata Das	Asst Professor	9339883027	
42	Dr Apurba De	Associate Professor	9339790248	

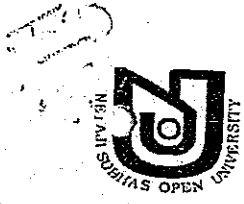
Annexure : 2 (Post Graduate English)

Sl. No.	Counsellor Name PGEG	Designation	Mobile Number	Remarks
1.	Anupama Maitra	„ „	9903186807	
2.	Debabrata Das	Asst. Prof.	9609319912	
3.	Debamitra Kar	Asst. Prof.	9674674894	
4.	Dipak Kr. Das	Former Reader	9930222843	
5.	Dr purnendu Bhattacharya	Retd. Associate	9903054248	
6.	Dr. Ajanta Paul	Professor	9007216053	
7.	Dr. Arun Kr. Ghosh	Retd.Asso.Prof.	9163634270	
8.	Dr. Bristi Basu	Asso. Prof.	9433501284	
9.	Dr. Indrajit Chattopadhyay	Asst.Prof.	9433423084	
10.	Dr. Pinky Isha	„ „		
11.	Dr. Saiful Islam	Asst.Prof.	9732823634	
12.	Dr. Saswati Halder	Asst.Prof.	9830321585	
13.	Dr. sharmistha Chatterjee Sriwastav	Asso. Prof	9903187859	
14.	Dr. Somak Mandal	„ „	9830252189	
15.	Dr. Tariqul Islam	„ „	9547169916	
16.	Dr.Arnab Ray	Asst.Prof.	9830233480	
17.	Dr.Dilip Kr. Chattejee	Former Redar	9163214885	
18.	Dr.Kalapi Sen	Asst.Prof.	9830390813	
19.	Dr.Mahua Bhaumik	Asso.Prof.	9830129229	
20.	Dr.Raja Basu	Asst.Prof	9733205914	
21.	Dr.Sandipan Sen	„ „	9874773435	
22.	Dr.Subhasree Tagore	Former Reader	9433026786	
23.	Dr.Sunandan Sen	„ „	9830661502	
24.	Dr.Sutanuka ghosh Roy	Asst.Prof.	8017037424	
25.	Himadri Lahiri	Professor	9830625927	
26.	Janaki singh	„ „	9831091575	
27.	Kalyan Chattopadhyay	Asso. Prof	9051565909	
28.	Madhumita Majumdar	Asst. Prof.	9830331756	
29.	Nilanjana Bagchi	Asst.Prof	9836283696	
30.	Pranati Dutta Gupta	Former Reader	9433253565	
31.	Prof.D.P „	Retd.Prof.	9433749454	
32.	Sandhya Sen	Retd. Reader	9830602072	
33.	Satyabrata Dnida	Asso.Prof.	9830015467	
34.	Shyamasree Chakraborty	Retd. Reader	9748261644	
35.	Subho Chattapadhyay	Professor		
36.	Suchata Mukherjee	Former reader	9830628595	
37.	Suparna Bhattacharya		9674299271	

38.	Swapan kr. Banerjee	Professor	9433210274	
39.	Yasmin Chadhuri	" "	9883313963	

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	Counsellor name ELT	Designation	Mobile no	Remark
01	Dr. Sadhan Kumar Dey	Associate.Prof	9051887140	
02	Ajanta Paul	Professor	9007216053	
03	Sreechandan Biswas	Asst.Prof.		
04	Dr.Nilanjan Ghosh	Guest faculty RBU	9830989831	
05	Saibal Chatterjee	Asst.Prof.	9830543261	
06	Dr.Sonali Chakraborty	Asst.Teacher	9836294906	
07	Anil Kumar Chand	Associate Prof.	9836235044	
08	Arpita Banerjee	Former Coordinator NSOU	9830059287	
09	Dr.Nilima Chakraborty		9432052087	
10	Kakoli Sen Banerjee	Associate Professor	9830192899	
11	Sreechandan biswas	Lecturer	9231581240	
12	Subrata Sar	Associate Professor	9831570027	
13	Goutam Bhattacharya	Retd. Head Master	9432426122	
14	Debraj Dutta	Teacher	9432071092	
15	Swati Basu	Asst.Prof.	9831193106	
16	Sandhya Sen	Professor	9830602072	
17	Shyamashree Chakraborty	„	9748261644	
18	Sudeshna KarBarua	„	9830152631	
19	Rituparna Dutta	Trainer	9903088689	
20	Durbadal Dutta	teacher	9002217431	



Annexure - "G"
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স্নাতকোত্তর বাংলা বিষয়-সমিতি'র সভা

20th April, 2017

Attendance (উপস্থিতি):

- ১। অধ্যাপিকা ড গোপা দত্ত ভৌমিক (Professor Gopa Dutta Bhoumik) *Gopa Dutta Bhoumik 20/4/17*
- ২। অধ্যাপক ড উদয়কুমার চক্রবর্তী (Prof. Uday Kumar Chakrabarty) *Uday K. Chakrabarty 20.4.17*
- ৩। অধ্যাপক ড সনৎ কুমার নস্কর (Prof. Sanat Kumar Naskar) *Sanat Kumar Naskar 20/4/17*
- ৪। অধ্যাপিকা শ্রাবণী পাল (Prof. Srabani Pal) *Srabani Pal 20/4/2017*
- ৫। ড মননকুমার মণ্ডল (Dr Manan Kumar Mandal, Oic, SoH & Convener) *Manan Kumar Mandal 20.04.17*
- ৬। ড অনামিকা দাস (Dr Anamika Das) *Anamika Das 20.04.2017.*

Agenda: (আলোচ্য সূচি)

১। Bengali Journal List for CAS, NSOU

In reference to the letter received from University Grants Commission, dated 30/01/17 received on 03/04/2017, the attached list (Annexure I) list of journals are being finalized and unanimously recommended for the follow-up action accordingly. সর্বসম্মত সিদ্ধান্তক্রমে সংযুক্তি ১ এর পত্র-পত্রিকার তালিকাটি গৃহিত হ'ল।

২। স্নাতকোত্তর বাংলা পঠন-পাঠনের তালিকা প্রস্তাব

সর্বসম্মত সিদ্ধান্তক্রমে সংযুক্তি ২ এর তালিকাটি গৃহিত হ'ল। (Annexure II)

Placed before Honourable Vice Chancellor for approval.

Manan Kumar Mandal

Dr Manan Kumar Mandal

Officer-in-Charge, School of Humanities

Attachments: Annexure:1 List of Journal ii) Annexure:II List of Paper Setter for PG

Manan Kumar Mandal
Vice Chancellor:

Attachment : 1

List of Journals for CAS at NSOU as per UGC guidelines

Bengali

অনুষ্টিপ, অসীক্ষা, অপরাজিত, অবভাস, অমৃতলোক, অহর্নিশ, অশোকনগর, অনীক, অন্য প্রমা, অন্তঃসার, অন্তর্বাহ, অনুবাদ পত্রিকা, আন্তর্জাতিক পাঠশালা, আরেক রকম, আলোচনাচক্র, আদম, আন্তর্জাতিক ছোটগল্প ইহামতী বিদ্যাধরী

উজাগর, উৎস মানুষ, উত্তরধ্বনি, উত্তরাধিকার (বাংলাদেশ), উলুখাগড়া (বাংলাদেশ), উত্তরায়ণ, উবুদশ, উন্মুক্ত উচ্ছ্বাস, উৎসারিত আলো

ঋদ্ধি

একক মাত্রা, একালের রক্তকরবী, এবং মুশায়েরা, এশিয়াটিক সোসাইটি জার্নাল, এপিক থিয়েটার, এবং জলার্ক, এবং পরব, এবং অন্যকথা, এবং প্রান্তিক

ঐতিহাসিক, ঐতিহ্য (গৌহাটি, আসাম)

কথক, কবিতীর্থ, কবিসম্মেলন, কালিকলম (বাংলাদেশ), কুন্তিবাস, কোরক, কোমল গান্ধার, কালপ্রতিমা, কালকথা, কারুভাষ, কথাসাহিত্য, কলকাতা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় বাংলা বিভাগীয় পত্রিকা, কলিকাতা বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় তুলনামূলক ভারতীয় সাহিত্য বিভাগ পত্রিকা

গল্পকথা (বাংলাদেশ), গল্পগুচ্ছ, গল্পগুচ্ছ, গল্পসরগি, গ্রুপ থিয়েটার, গল্পবিশ্ব

চতুষ্কোণ, চার্বাক, চতুর্থ দুনিয়া, চান্দ্রমাস, চর্চাপদ

জলার্ক, জিজ্ঞাসা,

তবু একলব্য, তমসুক, তাঁতঘর, তুলনামূলক সাহিত্য বিভাগীয় পত্রিকা, যাদবপুর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

থিয়েটার, থিয়েটার প্রয়োগ, থিয়েটার স্টাডিজ (বাংলাদেশ), থির বিজুরি

দশদিশি, দাহপত্র, দিবারাত্রির কাব্য, দীপন, দেশ, দ্বীপবাণী (আন্দামান), দিৎসা

নন্দন, নাট্য একাডেমি পত্রিকা, নাট্যচিন্তা, নাট্যসৃজনী, নীললোহিত, নাইন্থ কলাম (গৌহাটি, আসাম)

পদচিহ্ন, পরস্পরা, পরিকথা, পলিমাটি, পশ্চিমবঙ্গ, প্রমা, পদক্ষেপ, পরিচয়, পুরবৈরা, প্রতিভাস, পূর্ব, পাতাবাহার, প্রবহমান বাংলাচর্চা

বঙ্গদর্শন, বর্তিকা, বর্ণপরিচয়, বর্ণালিপি, বলাকা, বসুমতী, বহুরূপী, বাংলা আকাদেমি পত্রিকা, বাংলা আকাদেমি পত্রিকা (ঢাকা), বাংলা বিভাগীয় পত্রিকা (যাদবপুর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়), বাংলা বিভাগীয় পত্রিকা (বর্ধমান বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়), বাংলা বিভাগীয় পত্রিকা (রবীন্দ্রভারতী বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়) বিভাগীয় পত্রিকা (তুলনামূলকসাহিত্য)

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ভাষা, ভাষানগর, ভাষাবন্ধন, ভাষা ও চেতনা

মল্লার, মহাদিগন্ত, মাঝি, মানবমন, মাতৃভাষা (ছত্তিশগড় বাংলা একাডেমি),

যাপনচিত্র

রক্তমাংস, রবীন্দ্রচর্চা, রবীন্দ্রবীক্ষা, রবীন্দ্রভাবনা, রূপকথা

লোক, লোকশ্রুতি, লোকসংস্কৃতি গবেষণা পত্রিকা, লিপিনাগরিক

শব্দশাস্ত্রিক, শারদীয়া নবপত্রিকা, শিলাদিত্য, শিলীক্স, শুধু সুন্দরবন চর্চা, শিস, শ্রীময়ী

সমতট, সময় নাট্যভাষ, সন্ধিত্সা, বঙ্গীয় সাহিত্য পরিষৎ পত্রিকা, সাহিত্য সংস্কৃতি, সুদক্ষিণা, স্যাস, সৃজন, সাহিত্যমন, সমকালের জিয়নকাঠি, সন্ধান

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Indian Journal of Applied Linguistics, Indian Language, Journal of Comparative Literature, Language Forum, The Little Magazine

Placed in the PG BoS meeting held on 20/04/2017 at the chamber of OiC, SoH

Signature(s):

1. Gopa Datta Bhattacharya 20/4/17
2. Udaya K. Choudhury 20.4.17
3. Sanat Kumar Nema 20/4/17
4. Srabani Pal 20/4/2017
5. Jyoti Kumar Jeyaraj 20/04/17.
6. Anamika Das. 20.04.2017.

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4.	<i>Casis: An Annual Peer Reviewed Refereed International Journal of English Language and Literatur</i>	0975-4334		Peer reviewed	annual	New Delhi	India	Arts and Humanities			yes					no	2008
5.	<i>Lapis Lazuli -- An International Literary Journal</i>	2249-4529		Peer reviewed	annual	New Delhi	India	Arts and humanities	http://pintersociety.com/in-the-news/		yes	yes	yes	yes		no	2011
6	Gravenotes, Journal of The Gravestone Project			Peer reviewed	annual		USA	Arts and humanities	http://gravesstoneproject.com/?page_id=147							no	2016
7.	<i>Appropriations Journal</i>	0975-1521		Peer reviewed	annual	Bankura	India	Arts and Human			yes	yes	yes	yes		no	

Studies																
Asiatic: IUM Journal of English Languag e & Literatur e		1985- 3106	Peer reviewe d	Bi- Annua l		Malay sia	Arts and Human ties	yes	Yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	EBSC Ohost / Googl e Schol ar/ Journ al of Com monw ealth Litera ture's Annua l Biblio graph y (UK)	no	2007
RE- MARKIN GS	0972- 611X		Peer reviewe d	Bi- annual	Agra	India	Arts and Human ties	Yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	No	no	
Spring Magazin e on English Literatur e		2455- 4715	Peer reviewe d	Annua l		India	Arts and Human ties	yes	Yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	Crossr ef	no	2015
Bharatiy		2456-	Peer	Bi-		India	Indian	Yes	Yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	Crossr	no	2016

	a Prajna: The Interdisci plinary Journal of Indian Studies		1347	reviewe d	annual			Studies								ef, Googl e Schol ar		
10.	Journal of Social Science and Welfare	2348- 2973		Peer reviewe d		Kolkata	India	Social Science , Health science and Humani ties	No	No	yes	yes	yes	yes	No	no		
11	New Fiction Journal	0978- 6863		Peer reviewe d	Annua l	Kolkata	India	Humani ties & Social Science s	No	No	yes	yes	yes	yes	no	no		2011



Memo No: 17/968

Date: 16.08.2017

Summary Report on 2nd year of ICT enabled Online Student Support Service Pilot
Project under School of Humanities

After the success of the ICT enabled Online Student Support Service in the academic year 2015-16, the School of Humanities, at its meeting on 3rd November 2016, decided vide Agenda 2, that the service would be continued in the academic session 2016-17 as well. It was decided at this meeting that the period of service would be between 15th January 2017 to 31st March 2017. It was decided that like the previous year, the service would be provided on Google chat and Facebook Messenger by faculty on designated days from Salt Lake and Kalyani campuses for Post graduate courses in Bengali, English, and English Language Teaching. Assistant Professor of English, Srideep Mukherjee was to act as the coordinator for the programme. The said minutes were approved by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor vide memo no. VC/1597 dt. 09-11-16.

Accordingly, the notification to this effect was issued by the Officer in Charge, SoH vide Memo No. SoH 16/610 dated 15.11.2016. The notice was circulated at all PG PCP venues across the state and also prominently displayed on the university website. A copy of the said notice is appended.

As per records received on completion of the project, the following are the total number of 'Strokes' made by learners/faculty members during this period. In all cases, concerned faculty have attended to learners' queries during the entire tenure of the project:

Subject	Facebook	Gmail
Bengali	438 (ID: soh.bengali)	69 (ID: soh.bengali@gmail.com)
English	548 (ID: soh.english)	53 (ID: soh.english2016@gmail.com)
ELT	1528 (ID: soh.elt2016)	19 (ID: soh.elt2016@gmail.com)

On comparing this year's data with that of the previous session, it is found that in each case the number of student queries have shown an upward trend.

Given overleaf are the details of availability of NSOU faculty for the program:



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Name	Sub.	Days of Availability	Timings	Maximum No. of Sessions Available	Actual No. of Sessions Attended
Dr Anamika Das	Bengali	Mon, Wed	12 noon to 3 pm	19	19
Srideep Mukherjee	English	Mon, Thu	11.30 am to 3 pm	16	16
Dr Oindrila Ghosh	English	Tue, Fri	12 noon to 3 pm	20	20
Dr Sumana Bandopadhyay	ELT	Tue, Thu	12 noon to 3 pm	19	19
Dr Manan Kumar Mandal	Bengali	Fri	11.30 am to 3 pm	10	10

As notified earlier, the said program has concluded on 31st March 2017. Learners have expressed their satisfaction and have reportedly benefitted from this channel of instruction.

Report prepared by the SSS coordinator and submitted (by email) to the Officer in Charge, SoH for necessary action.

Sd/-

Srideep Mukherjee

(Coordinator, Online SSS 2016-17)

Asst Professor of English, SoH

Accordingly the report placed in the meeting of the SoH dated and subsequently noted by the Honourable Vice Chancellor.

Sd/-

Dr Manan Kumar Mandal

Officer-in-charge, SoH

Annexure — I



Centre for Lifelong Learning
School of Vocational Studies
Short-term Training Programme
(January 2018 session)

Study Centres	Eligibility	Training Programme	Programme Fees
Anjali Academy of Management & Technology (V-50) [Sun: 10.30am to 4.30pm] (A unit of Anjali Social Welfare Research Foundation) 2 nd Floor, Krishna Apartment, 3/A Nityananda Nagar, Howrah-711109 E-mail: anjali50howrah@gmail.com M-9748052393/ 9434453144	Basic: (10+2)	i) Basic Training on Naturopathy ii) Advance Training on Naturopathy	i) Rs.4,000 ii) Rs.5,000/-
	Advance: (10+2) & Basic from NSOU For (vii) Pursuing Graduation	iii) Basic Training on Yoga iv) Advance Training on Yoga (Integrated) v) Basic Training on Interior Decoration vi) Advance Training on Interior Decoration Duration: 6-month each vii) Training on GST (3-Months)	iii) Rs.5,000/- iv) Rs.5,500/- v) Rs.8000/- vi) Rs.12,000/- vii) Rs.2,500/-
Anjali Academy of Management & Technology (V-27) (A unit of Anjali Social Welfare Research Foundation) Panskura, Purba Medinipur M- 9434453144/9733928687	X for both course	i) Training on Fire and Safety Skills ii) Beauty Therapy and Hair Dressing Duration: 6-month each	Rs.3,000/- each

<p>Anindya Yoga Society (V-30) 8A, Bank Colony Dhakuria, Babu Bagan Kolkata-31. M- 9331603851/8017276249 E-mail: anindyayoga001@gmail.com</p>	<p>Basic: (10+2) Advance: (10+2) & Basic from NSOU</p>	<p>i)Basic Training on Yoga ii)Basic Training on Stress Management iii)Advance Training on Yoga (Integrated) iv)Advance Training on Stress Management Duration: 6-month each</p>	<p>i) Rs.5,000/- ii) Rs.5,500/- iii) Rs.5,500/- iv) Rs.6,000/-</p>
<p>ACE Business Academy Moulali, Kolkata (V-33), M-9073323071/ 9073323072 Siliguri (V-28), M-9073323073</p>	<p>Pursuing Graduation</p>	<p>Training on GST Duration: 3-month</p>	<p>Rs.2,500/-</p>
<p>Broadlyne Infoservices Pvt. Ltd., (C-01) 57/1, Bosepokur, Purbapara, P.S.-Kasba, Kolkata-107 -- Mr. Chandan Mondal Mobile: 8967119595 e mail: admission@nsoucll.in Web: www.nsoucll.in</p>	<p>Graduate for programmes Duration: i) 3-month (i) To (ix) 6-month (x) to (xviii) 12-month (Basic + 6-month)</p>	<p>i)Computerized Accounting ii)Executive Program in Finance Management- Basic iii)Executive Program in Banking & Finance Management- Basic iv)Executive Program in Marketing Management- Basic v)Executive Program in General Management- Basic vi)Executive Program in Human Resource Management- Basic vii)Executive Program in Retail Management- Basic viii)Executive Program in Operations Management- Basic ix)Executive Program in Information</p>	<p>i)Rs.3500/- (ii) to (ix) Rs.6,500/- (x) to (xviii) Rs.9,500/- There is an exit option at the end of 6 months. Open for a re- enrolment in next 6 months program within 2 yrs. The course fee for the re-enrolled candidate will be 4500.00</p>

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		<p>Technology- Basic</p> <p>x)Executive Program in Finance Management- Advance</p> <p>xi)Executive Program in Banking & Finance Management- Advance</p> <p>xii)Executive Program in Marketing Management- Advance</p> <p>xiii)Executive Program in General Management- Advance</p> <p>xiv)Executive Program in Human Resource Management- Advance</p> <p>xv)Executive Program in Retail Management- Advance</p> <p>xvi)Executive Program in Operations Management- Advance</p> <p>xvii)Executive Program in Information Technology- Advance</p> <p>xviii)Executive Program in Computer Application</p> <p>xix) Training on GST (3-MONTH)</p>	<p>xix)Rs.1200/-</p>
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<p>Girindra Sekhar Institute of Psychological Education & Research, (P-10) P-535, Raja Basanta Roy Road, Kol-29. E-mail: gsiperinstitute@gmail.com Gouranga Mitra - 9674098968</p>	<p>Any graduate, Medical practitioners & Paramedical practitioners</p>	<p>Childhood and Adolescent Counseling Duration: 4-month</p>	<p>Rs. 7,000/-</p>
<p>Nazirpur Rainbow Educational Institute, (V-48) Rajinagar, Murshidabad-Pin - 742189. E-mail: rainboweducationalinstitute@gmail.com M-9733070694/ 9434882471</p>	<p>i) VIII ii) X i) VIII iv) VIII (v) to (vii) (10+2) for basic (10+2) & Basic from NSOU for Advance</p>	<p>i) Hand Embroider ii) Amin Survey (Basic & Advance) iii) Information Technology Applications (Basic & Advance) iv) Mobile Phone Repairing v) Basic Training on Yoga vi) Advance Training on Yoga vii) Basic Training on Medicine Shop Assistant viii) Advance Training on Medicine Shop Assistant ix) Duration: 6-month</p>	<p>(i) to (iii) Basic-Rs.2000/- each i) to (iii) Advance-Rs.3000/- each iv) Rs.3000/- v) Rs.5,000/- vi) Rs.5,500/- vii) Rs.4,000/- viii) Rs.4,500/-</p>
<p>Pranavananda Institute of Management & Technology (PIMT) (A unit of Bharat Sevashram Sangha) M-9331256934/ 9830216056 www.pimtonline.com, E-mail: pimtonline@gmail.com * Kolkata (P21): Ballygunge, Near Bharat Sevashram Sangha Medical Centre, 9830216056 * Diamond Harbour (V37): Diamond Harbour, Railway Station, South 24 Pgs, 9331256934 * Hridaypur (V53): Pranab Kanya Sangha, Hridaypur, North 24 Pgs, 8334079669</p>	<p>10+2 X 10+2 10+2 X 10+2 VIII X (10+2) for basic (10+2) & Basic from NSOU for Advance</p>	<p>i) Supervisory Skills for Front Line Assistant ii) Fire and Safety Skills iii) Graphic Designing & Publishing iv) Solar Electrical Technician v) Beauty Therapy & Hair Dressing vi) Digital Application Analyst vii) Automobile Technician (2/3 Wheeler) viii) Mobile Phone Repairing ix) Basic Training on Yoga x) Advance Training on Yoga Duration: 6-month xi) Training on GST (3-month) (only at</p>	<p>i) Rs.3000/- ii) Rs.3,000/- iii) Rs.3,000/- iv) Rs.4000/- v) Rs.3000/- vi) Rs.3000/- vii) Rs.6000/- viii) Rs.3,000/- ix) Rs.5,000/- x) Rs.5,500/- xi) Rs.2,500/-</p>

	For xi: pursuing graduation	Kolkata centre)	
Shivananda Health Society (P-19) 13/10, Kshetra Mohan Banerjee Road P.O-Nimta, Kolkata-49 E-mail: Shivanandahealthsociety@gmail.com M-9432012294/ 9239300520	(10+2) for basic (10+2) & Basic from NSOU for Advance	i) Basic Training on Naturopathy ii) Advance Training on Naturopathy iii) Basic Training on Yoga iv) Advance Training on Yoga (Integrated) Duration: 6-month each	ii) Rs.4,000/- iii) Rs.5,000/- iv) Rs.5,000/- v) Rs.5,500/-
Shanti Devi Vidyanyiketan (V- 10) Plassey, Barachandgbar Dist. Nadia, Pin-741156 shantidevidyanyiketan@gmail.com Subrata Biswas – 9800202184/9733638357	(10+2) for basic (10+2) & Basic from NSOU for Advance	i) Basic Training on Yoga ii) Advance Training on Yoga Duration: 6-month each	i) Rs.5,000/- ii) Rs.5,500/-
Sri Aurobinda Engineering Institute Kasba (V-42), Ph-033-2429 0207 Barasat, 24Parganas (N) (V-43), Ph-2524 2382 Kalyani, Nadia (V-44), Ph-8232020450 Malda (V-52), Ph-9320700928 Siliguri (V-51), Ph-9332017395 C/2, Ramkrishna Upanibesh, Sulekha Sukanta Setu, P.O. Regent Estate, Jadavpur, Kolkata-92., E-mail: saci2000@gmail.com	(i) To (iv) Class X for basic Class X + Basic from NSOU for Advance v) Class X vi) Diploma/ B.Tech/ IT/ civil Daughtsmanship (vii) to (ix): 10+2 x) B.Com	i) Automobile Maintenance ii) AC & Refrigeration Technician iii) Electrical Technician iv) Civil Construction Supervisor Duration: 6-month each (Basic & Advance) v) Civil Daughtsmanship vi) Auto CAD-Civil vii) Multimedia & Animation viii) Web Designing ix) Computer Hardware Technician x) Computerized Accounting Duration: 6-month each	(iii) To (iv) Basic -Rs.6,000/- Advance- Rs.7,500/- v) Rs.6000/- vi) Rs.4000/- vii) Rs.12,000/- viii) Rs.6000/- ix) Rs.7500/- x) Rs.6000/-
S.S. Educational Trust (C-02) 9, Nilambar Mukherjee Street, Kolkata-700004. Ph-25540224, M-9903478519/ 9007267177 e-mail: mm.ganguly89@gmail.com	(i) To (v) 10+2 and Students of 5 th Semester- LLB or	i) Training on Cyber Laws ii) Training on Labour Laws iii) Training on Laws of Insurance iv) Training on Consumer Rights & Awareness	Rs.12,000/- for each course

	Any Graduate (10+2+3) For (vi)- Any Graduate (10+2+3)	v) Training on Human rights vi) Training on Psychological Testing Duration: 6months each	
<p>The George Telegraph Training Institute Sri Dipankar Bhattacharyya Head-Corporate Relations and Placement Sealdah Centre (C-04) 136, B.B. Ganguly Street Kolkata - 700 012 Ph--2475 4600/ 2557; 2227 2605/9774 M-8336939684 sukanyachatterjee@georgetelegraph.org Malda Centre (C-05) Rabindra Avenue Malda-732101, Ph-03512-252547, M-9674165585 mld@georgetelegraph.org Asansol (C-06), Ph-0341-23028971 asn@georgetelegraph.org Alipurduar (C-07), Ph-9674165580 adp@georgetelegraph.org Coochbehar (C-08), Ph-9674165586 cbr@georgetelegraph.org Siliguri, Ph-8335051715 slg@georgetelegraph.org Durgapur (C-09), M-9836428286 Sonarpur (C-10), M-9830720005 Joynagar (C-11), M-9836666773 Malbazar (C-12), M-9674165584 Kalyani, M-9674165588 Barasat (C-13), M-9874165589 Barasat (ITC) (C-14), M-8336911041</p>	<p>Sealdah Centre i)-X ii)-VIII iii)-X iv)-10+2 v)-Any Graduate vi)-CAP/10+2 (Sc., Com.)/ Graduate vii)-X</p> <p>Malda Centre (i) to (iii)-X</p>	<p>Sealdah Centre: i) Chip level Laptop repairing (6-month) ii) Smart Phone repairing (6-month) iii) CCTV Installation Technician(3-month), iv) Digital Media Marketing (3-month)</p> <p>v) Professional Medical Representative(2-month) vi) DOT NET Technology,(6-month)</p> <p>vii) Communicative English & Personality Development (3-month)</p> <p>Malda Centre: i) Spoken English (4-month) ii) Advance Spoken English (6-month) iii) Communicative English & Personality Development (3-month) Duration: as indicated in bracket NB.: Contact the study centre for availability of course at the respective centre.</p>	<p>i)Rs.17,500/- ii)Rs.11,000/- iii)Rs.9,800/- iv)Rs.27,800/- v)Rs.19,700/- vi)Rs.16,600/- vii)Rs.4,800/-</p> <p>-- i)Rs.4,200/- ii)Rs.7,200/- iii)Rs.4,800/- (Instalment facility is available at the centre)</p>

Bolpur (C-14) Vivekananda Educational Institute (V-55) Moynaguri Road, Ulladabari, Jalpaiguri M-8918929973/ 9735881001	Basic: for i) VIII ii- iv) X v-vi) 10+2 Advance: 10+2 & Basic from NSOU	i) Smart Phone Repairing (Basic) ii) Beauty Therapy and hair Dressing (Basic) iii) Land Survey (Basic and Advance) iv) CCTV Installation (Basic) v) Yoga ((Basic and Advance) vi) Medicine Shop Assistants (Basic and Advance) Duration: Basic and Advance: 6months each	i)Rs.5000/- ii)Rs.3,000/- iii)Rs.2000/- each iv)Rs.5,500/- v)Rs.5,000/- (Basic); Rs.5,500 (Advan) vi)Rs.4000/- (Basic) Rs.4,500/- (Advance)
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Sd/-
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Date: 28.02.2018

36th Academic Council meeting of Netaji Subhas Open University was held on 16th February (Friday) 2018 at 11.30 A.M in the Board Room (3rd Floor) of the University Head Quarters, DD – 26, Sector – I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700 064.

Members present :

1. Professor Subha Sankar Sarkar, Vice-chancellor & Chairperson, NSOU.
2. Shri Suparno Moitra, Govt. Nominee
3. Shri Anindya Ch. Majumdar, Govt. Nominee
4. Dr. Ashit Baran Aich, Director of Study Centres.
5. Professor Kajal De, Professor of Mathematics & Director of School of Sciences.
6. Professor Chandan Basu, Professor of History & Director of School of Social Sciences.
7. Professor Atindranath Dey, Director of School of Education.
8. Dr. Manan Kumar Mandal, Associate Professor of Bengali & Officer-in-Charge of School of Humanities.
9. Dr. Anirban Ghosh, Associate Professor of Commerce & Officer-in-Charge of School of Professional Studies and School of Vocational Studies.
10. Dr. Bibhas Guha, Assistant Professor of Zoology.
11. Smt. Tinki Kar Bhattacharya, Assistant Professor of Geography.
12. Dr. Tilak Nath Ghosh, Co-ordinator, Netaji Mahavidyalaya Study Centre, Arambag.
13. Dr. Dilip Bhattacharya, Co-ordinator, Balurghat College Study Centre.
14. Shri Mohan Kumar Chattopadhyay, Registrar & Member-Secretary, NSOU.

Professor Subha Sankar Sarkar, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor presided over the meeting.

Proceedings and Resolutions of the said meeting are as follows :

1. **Confirmation of the minutes:** To confirm the minutes of the 35th meeting of the Academic Council held on 10th February, 2016 (Annexure – A).
Stands Confirmed.
2. **Action Taken Report (Annexure – B).**
Reported and Confirmed.
3. **To consider the issues arising out of the recent UGC Notification F. No. 2-4/2015 (DEB-III), Dtd. 6th Feb., 2018 (Annexure – C).**
The matter was elaborately deliberated and it was resolved that the Vice-Chancellor be empowered to take necessary action in this regard, with the competent authority of the State Govt and / or the UGC-DEB / MHRD, GoI, as and when required.
4. **Reporting:**



- (i) To report on the action(s) taken so far regarding framing of Ph.D. Regulations of NSOU as a follow-up of UGC-DEB No.F.1-2/ 2009 (EC / PS) V(I), Vol.II, dated 05.05.2016 read with permission given vide Memo No. F. No. 2-1/2017(DEB-III/DEB-II), dated 19.05.2017 addressed to Registrar, NSOU (Annexure – D).

Note : A committee has been constituted by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor as per direction given in 72nd Executive Council (E.C.) meeting to frame the Ph.D. Regulations as per UGC's permission and guidelines issued in 2017.

The said Committee met twice on 08.11.2017 and 07.02.2018 to discuss on the draft Ph.D. Regulations and the said Regulations is yet to be finalized.

On finalization of the said Regulations the same will be placed before the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor as per direction of the E.C. as resolved in its 72nd meeting and wherein the Vice-Chancellor was authorized "to move the competent authority of the Govt."

Reported and Confirmed.

- (ii) To report the enhancement of the number of seats (from 20 to 30) in PG Geography at Chandannagar Govt. College Study Centre (as a result the total intake raised from 110 to 120).

Reported and Confirmed

- (iii) To report the list of candidates who got eligible for the award of the Ph.D. degree since the 35th meeting of the Academic Council (Annexure – E).

Reported and Confirmed

- (iv) To report regarding Sixth and Seventh Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Memorial Lectures.

Note : The School of Social Sciences is entrusted to organize these annual lectures on behalf of the University. The Sixth Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Memorial Lecture was delivered by Professor Jayanta Sengupta, Secretary-cum-Curator, Victoria Memorial Hall, Kolkata on 20.01.2016. The title of his lecture is 'Regional Reflections from the Nation's Margins: Identity Politics in Twentieth –Century Orissa'. The Seventh Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Memorial Lecture was delivered by Professor Sudipta Kaviraj, Professor of Indian Politics and Intellectual History, Columbia University, USA on 28.12.2017. The title of his lecture is 'Amra Ki Jati?' Vice Chancellor, NSOU presided over the programmes.

Reported and Confirmed

- (v) To report the publications of the School of Social Sciences, NSOU:
- Gender, Culture, Politics: Bengal in the 20th Century (Eds. Prof Chandan Basu, Dr. Barnana Guha Thakurta Banerjee, Dr Manosanta Biswas)
 - Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Memorial Lectures Series – A Compilation: (Vol-I) (Eds. Prof Debnarayan Modak and Prof Chandan Basu)
 - Teaching Social Sciences through Open and Distance Learning – A Twenty First Century Perspective (Eds Prof Debnarayan Modak and Prof Chandan Basu)
 - Caste, Gender and Media – Significant Sociological Trends in India (Eds. Smt Srabanti Choudhuri and Prof Chandan Basu)



Reported and Confirmed

(vi) To report regarding list of Post Graduate Counsellor for PGBG, PGEG & PGELT Course for necessary approval:

- (a) For Post Graduate Bengali
 - (b) For Post graduate English
 - (c) For Post Graduate English Language Teaching
- } (Annexure – F)

Reported and Confirmed

(vii) To report the list of Research Journal for CAS of the teachers who are in substantive post as recommended by the UGC. The list has been duly recommended by concerned BoS and approved by the competent authority.

- (a) For Bengali
- (b) For English (Annexure – G)

Reported and confirmed.

(viii) To report about the activity of the “Centre for Language, Translation & Cultural Studies” (CLTCS).

Note: The “Centre for Language, Translation & Cultural Studies”(CLTCS) was established vide notification no. Reg/632 dated 02/08/16 under the aegis of School of Humanities. The General Guidelines regarding functions of the Centre was finalized vide memo no. VC/928 dated 4th July, 2016 and subsequently the committee of CLTCS was formed vide memo no. VC/1079 dt.29/07/16.

The Centre mainly focuses on organizing collaborative Seminars, Workshops & research projects. The following activities of the Centre are noted hereunder.

- a) Collaborative Workshop on “Developing Communication Skills & Professional Competence” was organised jointly by CLTCS & English Dept of Bengal College of Engineering, Durgapur, West Bengal on 12th August, 2017 at Durgapur.
- b) A dedicated website of CLTCS has been designed and installed in November, 2017. The URL is: www.cltcsnsou.in
- c) An International Colloquium was organised by the CLTCS on 12th December, 2016 at NSOU Headquarter Seminar Hall. Prof Ahmed Ahsanuzzaman & Professor Sabiha Huq, both from the Department of English of Khulna University, were the credentialed speakers invited at the colloquium. The focus of the colloquium was on “Bengal Partition & its Reflections on Film & Bangladeshi Literature”
- d) The Centre has signed a MoU with English Discipline, Khulna University to initiate a collaborative research project on Partition & the Liberation War of Bangladesh. The MoU signing ceremony took place 20th September, 2017 at NSOU Headquarter. Dr Manan Kumar Mandal, Coordinator, CLTCS & Officer-in-charge, School of Humanities, NSOU and Prof. Sabiha Huq, Head, English Discipline & Dean Faculty of Arts, Khulna University were the signatories. Both the institutions have agreed upon the terms and conditions of proposed collaboration as per MoU mentioned therein [Copy attached]. The research project will conduct survey based primary source collection programme in selective districts of South Bengal and in Bangladesh. Seminars & Workshops are being organised focusing different areas of Partition studies in Kolkata & Khulna. The project



will aim to design and launch a digital repository for the electronic preservation of collected memories on partition saga.

- e) The first International Seminar & Workshop was organised by the CLTCS on 13th & 14th January, 2018 at NSOU Headquarter. 100 registered participants were actively engaged in this two-day event of which the thrust area was about "Memory of Bengal Partition & the Liberation War of Bangladesh".

Reported, deliberated at length and confirmed.

- (ix) To report about the Online Student Support Services (SSS) through Facebook & Google Chat for the PG Learner in the year 2017 (Annexure – H).

Reported and appreciated by the House. However, some of the members suggested that some more recent interactive applications such as Snapchat/ Instagram etc. maybe used to connect with the learners.

- (x) To Report the "Curricula Based AV Lecture Preparation Programme under SoH". Note : SoH has taken up a programme titled "Development of Curricula based AV Lectures under SoH vide memo no AC 650 dated 03/03/2016 and subsequent communications vide memo no: SoH 2/312 dated 20/04/2016 after the approval of Honourable Vice Chancellor vide memo no: VC/490 dated 22/04/2016.

20 (Twenty) DVD's containing 67 curricula based AV Lectures have been developed under this programme for Post Graduate learner of Bengali, English & ELT. The quality benchmark was fixed in consultation with BoS of subject concerned and the in-house technical infrastructure relating to video recording and editing module has been utilized in this regard. Now the same products are available to the learner through NSOU e-Store (www.wbnsou.ac.in).

Reported and Confirmed.

- (xi) To report the introduction of "Guide" for dissertation of MSW (2nd year).

Note : The professional course of MSW was introduced in 2005. This is a two years Master Degree Programme, where learners are given scope to understand and directly work with the communities and gain knowledge to deal with the social problems in a much systematic manner. The course gives a field exposure to its learners in the 1st year, by placing them in various NGOs while in the 2nd year, students are expected to take up research activities. While taking up Research and write a dissertation based on their study, the learners have to chalk out Objectives and Methodologies of the study, carry out rigorous Literature reviews, plan research design and carry out data collection followed by its interpretation and analysis. The learners have to suggest remedial measures at the end of the Dissertation and with a proper reference work.

Till date the students had to look for supervisors, from social science background, for carrying out their dissertation, but often they became victims of malpractice and were not able to learn the Research activities as they were expected to. To curb this practice and help the learners to be engaged meaningfully in the academic activity like writing Dissertation, we recommend to introduce a panel of Guides whose names are proposed by the respective study centres and/or are approved counsellors of MSW (approved by BoS) of NSOU.



Reported and Confirmed with the suggestion that the list of Supervisors (along with his area of interest) should be made available in the university website stating the capacity/intake of students per Guide/ Supervisor.

- (xii) To report the renewal of MoU with the following vocational centres with the same terms and conditions:
- (a) Nari Siksha Samiti, (b) Suri Mahila Samity, (c) Girindra Sekhar Institute of Psychological Counselling and Research, (d) Anjali Social Welfare Research Foundation (Anjali Institute of Management & Technology).

Reported and Confirmed

- (xiii) To report the opening of new vocational centres:

Centre	Existing Course
Bengal Bratachari Society, (V-57) Joka, Thakurpukur, Kolkata-700104	i) Tailoring and Dress Designing (Basic, Advance Certificate and Advance Diploma) ii) Pre-Primary Teachers' Education - Montessori
Vivekananda Educational Institute Maynaguri Road, Ulladabri, Jalpaiguri	i) Diploma in Pre-Primary Teachers' Education Montessori ii) Tailoring & Dress Designing (Basic, Advance Certificate and Advanced Diploma) iii) Certificate in Organic Agriculture and Horticulture iv) Post Graduate Diploma in Disaster Risk Management v) Fire safety Skills and Security Management

Reported and Confirmed

- (xiv) To report the activities of Centre for Lifelong Learning (CLL) under the aegis of School of Vocational Studies.

Note : The Centre for Lifelong Learning launched short-term training programme w.e.f. 2016-17 session through its partner institutions. This list of training programmes with name of the partner institutes vide (Annexure – I).

Reported and Confirmed with the suggestion that henceforth such report should include the total number of participants in these courses, how these programmes are run and the categories of students who participate in these courses.

- (xv) To report about JOB FAIR for the vocational students organized as part of the joint project with Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia (CEMCA), New Delhi. The title of the project is Increase Access and Improve Institutional Capacity for Sustainable Development through Vocational Education and Training.

It is noted that the above agenda should be treated as a proposal by School of Vocational Studies, and it stands approved.

- (xvi) To report on the outreach programme organized /to be organized by the School of Vocational Studies (Bolpur, Basanti, Siliguri) in respect of the above project.



Note : The objective of the Outreach Programmes are:

- To publicize different kinds of vocational/professional courses of the university and their employment opportunities
- To increase enrolment in all vocational and professional courses
- To make aware about the facilities provided by the University;

Reported and confirmed.

To report the launching of multidisciplinary online journal "NSOU OPEN JOURNAL" by the School of Professional Studies.

Note: 'NSOU-Open Journal' publishes reviewed refereed academic research papers. It publishes thoughtful contribution that offer insights and perspectives extending knowledge and understanding of multidisciplinary research in the area of management, commerce, economics, education, library and information science, social work, education technology etc. The objective of the Journal is to share and disseminate knowledge of different subject domain.

Reported and Noted.

(xvii) **To report about the Short Term Certificate Programme on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education, introduced in the month of November, 2017 and completed in January, 2018.**

Note : After analysing the emerging needs of Teacher Education in promotion of Inclusive Education; it has been felt that conditions for optimizing learning in the classroom and outside have to receive special attention. With this backdrop, CEMCA & SoE, NSOU came together to develop a blended SLM which is a compendium of print materials and Audio-visual lectures for transforming a Certificate Programme on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education. It is an eight (8) credit course equally divided on theoretical and practical components.

Duration of the course is 3 months. The course fee is 3,200/- only. Print SLMs/Ematerials and AV lectures have been provided to the learners. PCPs and Practicals conducted on Sundays and holidays only at SoE, NSOU, Kalyani Campus. The medium of instruction is English only. Intake capacity of the programme is 40 only (1st Batch : 21 candidates enrolled for the November 2017 – January 2018 of the certificate programme). The result of the 1st batch will be published shortly.

Reported and confirmed.

5. **To consider the proposal of converting the self-learning materials (SLMs) of different courses offered by the University into Open Educational Resources (OER) and upload them in the University website.**

Note : The University has already adopted the OER Policy with effect from 2016-17 session having the licensing policy of CC-BY-NC-SA for the University publications in respect of *ICT enabled courses*. This was approved in the 72nd Executive Council meeting held on 18.08.2017 (Agenda No.33).

The matter was considered and discussed thoroughly; it was resolved that the said policy may now be extended to other courses by converting the relevant SLMs into OERs for the benefit of distant learners of the University, as and when required, following necessary formalities.



6. To consider introduction and approval of the Centre of Disability Studies and Educational Research (CDER) under the School of Education, NSOU.

Note : Proposed academic programs to be carried out under the aegis of Centre for Disability Studies and Educational Research, SoE, NSOU:

Financial nature: Self-financed

Certificate Courses on Special Education :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Courses	Eligibility Criteria
1.	Management of children with Learning Disability	GRADUATION
2.	Intervention strategies of Autism Spectrum Disorders	-Do-
3.	Certificate Course in Rehabilitation of Children with Special Needs	-Do-
4.	Certificate Course in Counselling & Family Therapy	-Do-
5.	Certificate Course in Clinical Psychology	-Do-

Certificate Courses on Education :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Courses	Eligibility Criteria
1.	Soft skills and methods in Action Research	POST GRADUATION
2.	Research Studies and Research Ethos	-Do-
3.	Practices of Statistical Packages in Research: Behavioural & Social Sciences	-Do-
4.	Usages of ICT in Research & Research Methodology	-Do-

Discussed the proposal and this was approved in principle with the note that the course on Capacity Building and Professional Development on Inclusive Education should be included in the above list of certificate courses on Special Education under the proposed Centre of Disability Studies and Educational Research under the School of Education. It was further suggested that the progress made in the matter be reported in the next meeting of the Academic Council.

7. Proposal for Creation of Centre under the ambit of School of Social Sciences, NSOU

Name of the Centre: NSOU Centre for Social Studies

Financial Nature: Self-financed

Area of Interest: Researches will be conducted in the areas of social and cultural changes, women question, Dalit studies, impact of education and policy making etc. Seminar, symposium, conferences, workshops may be conducted under the banner of the proposed Centre. Publications will be made from the proposed centre.

Operational Guidelines: May be adopted with the approval of the competent authority in keeping with the guidelines of other existing Centres of NSOU.

Proposal was considered, discussed thoroughly and stands approved.



8. To consider Opening of New Centre under the aegis of the School of Sciences: Name of the Centre: "Centre for Computational Intelligence".

Financial nature: Self-financed

Objectives: To study and develop theoretical and practical solutions of the real world problems using variety of computational intelligence paradigms. These paradigms include mathematical and statistical programming, artificial intelligence, Soft computing, Fuzzy logic etc.

Operational Guidelines: May be adopted with the approval of the competent authority in keeping with the guidelines of other existing Centres of NSOU.

Proposal was considered, discussed thoroughly and stands approved.

Table Agenda

1. To consider continuation of the process of "awarding Grace Marks upto a maximum of 5-marks (altogether) in one or more subject(s)/ Papers and/ or aggregate ... to roundup the percentage of Marks to the nearest higher grade/ division/ class/ pass-marks insofar as..." their final results of BDP and PG or equivalent degree courses are concerned. Such Grace Marks have so far been awarded for candidates enrolled during 2005-2010 session in BDP and PG courses to qualify for SSC and/or NET/ SET examinations (vide Resolution against Agenda no. 7 of 31st AC meeting held on 16/11/2011).

Now it is proposed that the same process of allowing a maximum of 5 (five) - Grace marks only (altogether) may be extended to the candidates who have taken admission beyond 2010-11 till 2017-18 session so that they may obtain the (a) pass marks, (b) 50%, (c) 55% and (d) 60% in aggregate only once in the final stage of their BDP and PG Degree and Diploma Examinations.

This was considered and stands approved.

2. To consider the continuation of the benefits extended in terms of Resolution taken against Agenda Item No 7 (b) and (c) of 31st AC meeting held on 16/11/2011 to the candidates who have taken admission beyond 2010-11 till 2017-18 session so that they may secure pass mark in their BDP and PG Degree and Diploma Examinations.

This was considered and stands approved.

3. To report the approval of UGC to offer MOOC on Corporate tax planning -4 credit (M.Com), Course Coordinator : Dr. Anirban Ghosh. Final proposal submitted to UGC to host the program on SWAYAM platform.

Stands Confirmed.

4. To report implementation of a revised course structure/syllabus of BDP-EMT as recommended by the respective UG BoS & subsequently approved by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor from the academic session 2018-19.

Considered and stands ratified.


Sd/-
Registrar
Member Secretary
A.C., NSOU



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