

PROCEEDINGS OF RESEARCH ADVISORY COUNCIL

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE RESEARCH COUNCIL, GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

Date: 29/09/2022 Time: 3.00 P.M Venue: Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor's Conference Room

Members Present:

1. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, G.U.
2. Dean Faculty of Arts, G.U.
3. Dean Faculty of Science, G.U.
4. Dean Faculty of Technology, G.U.
5. Dean Faculty of Commerce & Management, G.U.
6. Dean Faculty of Law, G.U.
7. Prof. Sauravpran Goswami, Deptt. of Philosophy, G.U.
8. Prof. Lingoraj Sahoo, IIT, Gauhati
9. Academic Registrar i/c, G.U.

Academic Registrar i/c, G.U, requested the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, G.U, to preside over the meeting. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor welcomed all the members and proceeded the meeting.

The meeting discussed different issues and resolved as follows:

Item No.1: Confirmation of the proceedings of previous Research Council meeting held on 16/06/2022

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/01: The Council resolved to confirm the proceedings of previous Research Council meeting held on 16/06/2022

Item No.2: Discussion on application for Ph.D guideship

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/02: The council discussed on different Ph.D guideship applications and resolved as follows:

Sl No	Name & Designation	Faculty	Subject	Remarks of DRC Recommended/Not Recommended	Remarks of Research Council meeting held on 29/09/2022
1	Dr. Malabika Borah, Asstt. Professor, B.N. College, Dhubri	Science	Chemistry	Not recommended	Not Recommended
2	Dr. Hiren Kumar Dev Sarma, Professor, Deptt. of IT, G.U.	Technology	IT	Recommended	Recommended
3	Dr. Mousumi Saikia, Asstt. Professor & HOD, ADP College, Nagaon	Technology	Biotechnology	Recommended	Recommended

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4	Dr. Asem Mipeshwaree Devi, Ramalingaswami Re-entry fellow, Imphal	Technology	Biotechnology	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
5	Dr. Runumoni Lahkar, Asstt. Professor, K C Das Commerce College	Commerce & Management	Commerce	Recommended	Recommended
6	Dr. Amit Kumar Rai, Scientist, IBSD	Science	Botany	Recommended	Not Recommended
7	Dr. Pranjal Morang, Asstt. Professor, PDUAM	Science	Botany	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
8	Dr. Manoj Saikia, S T Radar Centre, G.U., Ghy-14	Science	Physics	Recommended	Recommended
9	Dr. Alaka Medhi, S T Radar Centre, G.U., Ghy-14	Science	Physics	Recommended	Recommended
10	Dr. Hirakjyoti Goswami, Madhuban Nagar Path, Khanamukh, Ghy-14	Science	Physics	Recommended	Deferred
11	Dr. Pranab Jyoti kalita, Asstt. Professor and HOD, PDUAM, Dalgaoon, Darrang	Science	Mathematics	Not recommended	Not Recommended

Item No.3: Discussion on deferred candidates in previous meeting of the research council of Gauhati University dated. 16.06.2022

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/03:

Sl No	Name & Designation	Faculty	Subject	Remarks of DRC Recommended/Not Recommended	Remarks of Research Council meeting held on 29/09/2022
1	Dr. Manoj Kumar Bharali, Asso. Professor, Deptt. of Zoology, G.U.	Science	Zoology	Recommended	Recommended
2	Dr. Prity Baishya, Asstt. Professor, Pragiyotish College	Arts	Hindi	Recommended	Recommended
3	Dr. Achyutananda Baruah, Asstt. Professor, North Guwahati College	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	Recommended

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4	Dr. Ajjul Hoque, Head and Asstt. Professor, Rangapara College	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	Recommended
5	Dr. Rituparna Das, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. of Mathematics, Pandu College	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	Recommended
6	Dr. Rupa Hazarika, Uzan bazar, Sati Radhika Santi Road, Guwahati, Assam, 7801001	Law	Law	Recommended	Recommended

Item No. 4: Regarding the matter of Re-admission of Manash Jyoti Bhattacharjya under same supervisor and same topic.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/04: The meeting resolved not to allow for Re-admission of Manash Jyoti Bhattacharjya under same supervisor and same topic

Item No. 5: Regarding Dr. Palash Jyoti Hazarika (Prof & Head, Deptt. of Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College) as Co-guide to Angana Kakati, Research Scholar, Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/05: The meeting resolved not to allow Dr. Palash Jyoti Hazarika (Prof & Head, Deptt. of Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College) to be a Co-guide of Angana Kakati, Research Scholar, Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College

Item No.6: Regarding Dr. Utpal Kumar Nath (Professor, Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College) as Co-guide to Gitartha kalita, Research Scholar, Deptt. of Engineering (Civil)

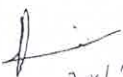
Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/06: The meeting resolved not to allow Dr. Utpal Kumar Nath (Professor, Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College) to be a Co-guide of Gitartha kalita, Research Scholar, Deptt. of Engineering (Civil)

Item No. 7: Regarding Dr. Utpal Kumar Nath(Professor, Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College)as Co-supervisor to supervise the research work of Mohammad Harun Al Rashid Research Scholar, Deptt. of Engineering (Civil)

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/07: The meeting resolved not to allow Dr. Utpal Kumar Nath(Professor, Civil Engineering, Assam Engineering College) to be a Co-guide to supervise the research work of Mohammad Harun Al Rashid Research Scholar, Deptt. of Engineering (Civil)

Item No.8 : Regarding including the name of Prof. Hermann Kruetzmann of Freie University Berlin as Co-Guide for Ph.D Scholar Ms. Jeshmi Machahary.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/08: The meeting resolved not to allow Prof. Hermann Kruetzmann of Freie University Berlin as Co-Guide for Ph.D Scholar Ms. Jeshmi Machahary, Deptt. of Geography.


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Item No.9: Regarding proposed enhancement of M.Phil/Ph.D/D.Sc/D.Litt/Professional fee structure for admission/Dissertation/thesis submission/Viva-voce, etc.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/05/09: The meeting discussed the modification of fee structure for admission/Dissertation/thesis submission/Viva-voce, etc. of M.Phil/Ph.D/D.Sc/D.Litt/Professional courses and allowed to increase the proposed fee structure of the same.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the chair.


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Gauhati University


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Academic Registrar, i/c
Gauhati University

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE RESEARCH COUNCIL , GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

DATE: 16/06/2022

TIME: 11:30 AM

VENUE: Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor's Conference Room

Members present:

1. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, G.U
2. Dean, Faculty of Arts, G.U
3. Dean, Faculty of Science, G.U
4. Dean, Faculty of Technology, G.U
5. Dean, Faculty of Commerce & Management, G.U
6. Prof. Sauravpran Goswami, Dept. of Philosophy, G.U
7. Academic Registrar i/c, G.U

Academic Registrar i/c, G.U, requested the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, G.U, to preside over the meeting. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor welcomed all the members and proceeded the meeting.

The meeting discussed different issues and resolved as follows:-

Item No. 1: Confirmation of the proceedings of previous Research Council meeting held on 28/03/2022

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/01: The Council resolved to confirm the proceedings of previous Research Council meeting held on 28/03/2022

Item No 2: Discussion on applications for Ph.D guideship and discussion on an appeal to amend the existing Gauhati University Regulations for Ph.D guideship. :

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/02: The Council discussed on different Ph.D guideship applications and resolved as follows:

Sl No	Name & Designation	Faculty	Subject	Remarks of DRC Recommended /Not Recommended	Remarks of IQAC after review of guideship application	Remarks of Research Council meeting held on 16/06/2022
1	Dr. Arifur Zaman	Science	Anthropology	Recommended	May be recommended	Recommended
2	Dr. Nivedita Malini Barua	Arts	ELT	Recommended	May be recommended	Recommended
3	Dr. Manash Jyoti Nath	Science	Geography	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
4	Dr. Dipamani Baruah Das	Arts	Assamese	Recommended	May be Recommended	Recommended
5	Dr. Abhijit Das	Science	Physics	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
6	Dr. Mani Sarmah	Arts	Sanskrit	Recommended	May be Recommended	Not Recommended

7	Dr. Seuji Sarmah	Arts	Linguistics	Recommended	May be Recommended	Recommended
8	Dr. Rupa Hazarika	Law	Law	Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
9	Dr. Navajyoti Borah	Arts	Political Science	Not Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
10	Dr. Monalisa Bora	Arts	Assamese	Not Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
11	Dr. Badan Barman	Arts	Library & Information Science	Recommended	May be Recommended	Recommended
12	Dr. Manuj Kumar Bharali	Science	Zoology	Recommended	May be Recommended	Deferred
13	Dr. Dhurjjati Sarma	Arts	MIL & LS	Recommended	May be Recommended	Recommended
14	Dr. Janardan Pathak	Science	Zoology	Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
15	Dr. Priti Baishya	Arts	Hindi	Recommended	May be Recommended	Deferred
16	Dr. Jinakshi Chutia	Arts	Hindi	Recommended	May be Recommended	Deferred
17	Dr. Faguna Barmahalia	Arts	Bodo	Recommended	May be Recommended	Recommended
18	Dr. Achyutananda Baruah	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	May be Recommended	Deferred
19	Dr. Debashis Saikia	Technology	Instrumentation & USIC	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
20	Dr. Uttam Bathari	Arts	History	Recommended	Not Recommended	Recommended
21	Dr. Kishor Kumar Shah	Science	Chemistry	Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
22	Dr. Pranjal Borah	Technology	ECT	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
23	Dr. Ranu Paul	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
24	Dr. Azizul Hoque	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	Recommended	Deferred
25	Dr. Rituparna Das	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	Recommended	Deferred
26	Dr. Joanna Mahjebeen	Arts	Political Science	Recommended	Not Recommended	Recommended
27	Dr. Anup Kr. Ray	Law	Law	Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
28	Dr. Debasish Borbora	Technology	Biotechnology	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended
29	Dr. Nabajit Deka	Arts	Folklore Research	Recommended	Not Recommended	Not Recommended
30	Dr. Pallavi Sharma	Science	Environmental Science	Recommended	Recommended	Recommended

Item No.3: Discussion on the matter of Course Work exemption certificate notified vide Memo No. GU/Acad/Noti/2022/1660-1672, dated 18/04/2022 for those candidates who had completed M.Phil degree before 2021-22.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/03: The meeting resolved that scholars who have completed their M.Phil/Ph.D course work in accordance with the course work requirements applicable during the time of enrolment upto the batch of 2019-20 or earlier be eligible for exemption.

Item No. 4: Exemption of course work for M.Phil degree holders of health related professional courses.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/04: The meeting resolved to allow exemption of course work for M.Phil degree holders of health related professional courses

Item No. 5: Regarding granting of NOC to one Sumi Das, Research Scholar, Dept. of Bioengineering & Technology, G.U, in order to carry out her part of Ph.D work .

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/05: Resolved to approve No Objection Certificate to one Sumi Das, Research Scholar, Dept. of Bioengineering & Technology, G.U, in order to carry out her part of Ph.D work.

Item No.6: Withdrawal of guideship by Prof (Retd) Lutfun Rasul Saikia, Dept. of Education,G.U, from supervising Moitreyee Bordoloi, Research Scholar.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/06: Resolved to withdraw studenship of Moittreyee Bordoloi after the final registration date is over.

Also resolved to serve a letter to the concerned Scholar to know the status. Resloved further to notify in general in all other similar cases who have failed to submit their final registration.

Item No. 7: Regarding permission to Prof. Bhaben Tanti, Head, Dept. of Botany, G.U, as an additional guide to supervise Ms. Bandana Deka, Research Scholar, Dept. Zoology, G.U, alongwith her original guide Prof. Jogen Ch. Kalita, Head, Dept. of Zoology, G.U.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/07: Resloved not to approve/allow Prof. Bhaben Tanti, Head, Dept. of Botany, G.U, as co-guide to supervise Ms. Bandana Deka, Research Scholar, Dept. Zoology, G.U.

Item No. 8: Regarding the matter of change of guide in respect of Sangita Baruah,Research Scholar, Dept. of Computer Science, G.U.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/08: Resolved to allow change of guide in respect of Sangita Baruah,Research Scholar, Dept. of Computer Science, G.U.

Item No. 9: Regarding minor correction in the title of the thesis of Ms. Priti Devi, Research Scholar, Dept. of Economics, G.U.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/09: The meeting resolved to allow minor correction in the title of the thesis of Ms. Priti Devi, Research Scholar, Dept. of Economics, G.U. ~~considering the candidate's future career.~~

Item No. 10: Regarding Viva-Voce examination of Ms. Tulika Goswami, M.Phil Scholar, Dept. of Foreign Language, G.U

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/10: Resolved to conduct the M.Phil Viva-Voce Examination of Ms. Tulika Goswami, M.Phil Scholar, Dept. of Foreign Language, G.U, in presence of Dean, Faculty of Arts, G.U.

Item No. 11: Regarding request for extension period in respect of Bhanushree Baishya, Research Scholar, Dept. of Economics, G.U, for submission of her thesis.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/11: Resolved that the concerned DRC to look into the matter of granting extension period in respect of Bhanushree Baishya, Research Scholar, Dept. of Economics, G.U, for submission of her thesis and send its comment to Academic Registrar, G.U.

Item No. 12: Request for 6 (six) months extension w.e.f 30/06/2022 to 29/12/2022 to complete Research Project of Mizazur Rahman Talukdar, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Arabic, G.U

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/12: Resolved to allow_6 (six) months extension period w.e.f 30/06/2022 to 29/12/2022 to Mizazur Rahman Talukdar, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Arabic, G.U, to complete his Research Project.

Item No. 13: Extension of Ph.D duration in connection with UGC notification.

Resolution No: Acad/RC/2022/04/13: Resolved that Final Registration/ submission of Dissertation /Thesis prescribed under the M.Phil/Ph.D Regulations of Gauhati University is expired/expiring during COVID pandemic period, all concerned M.Phil/Ph.D Scholars admitted in 2020-21 batch or afterwards are not entitled to avail extension period of Final Registration/submission of Dissertation / Thesis for COVID pandemic. The extension period for Final Registration/submission of Dissertation/Thesis for M.Phil/Ph.D Scholars stated in the notification is valid till 2019-2020 batch only.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the chair.


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Vice-Chancellor
Gauhati University


Academic Registrar i/c
Gauhati University

AGENDA OF THE MEETING OF THE RESEARCH COUNCIL

DATE:-28/03/2022

VENUE: VC'S CONFERENCE ROOM

TIME: 2 pm

ITEM NO 1: Confirmation of the proceedings of the previous Research Council Meeting held on 28/10/2021

ITEM NO 2: i) Discussion on thesis evaluation and guideship of Prof. Kandarpa Das, Dept. of Foreign Language, G.U
ii) Discussion on thesis evaluation and guideship of Dr. Amit Pandey, Dept. of Hindi, G.U
iii) Discussion on thesis evaluation and guideship of Prof (Retd) K.G.Bhattacharjee, Dept. of Chemistry, G.U

ITEM NO 3: Regarding the matter of Co-Guide and NOC for ethical clearance in respect of Tandralee Bhuyan, Research Scholar, Dept. of Bioengineering & Technology, G.U

ITEM NO 4: Regarding allotment of Co-Guide to Ms. Pallavi Roy, Research Scholar, Dept. of Electrical Engineering, G.U

ITEM NO. 5: Regarding the letter with an enclosed application of Dr. Robin Ch. Boro, Ph.D Guide under the Dept. of Bioengineering and Technology, G.U, received from the Registrar, AAU, Jorhat, for recognition of Microbial Biotechnology Laboratory.

ITEM NO 6: Discussion on 'coursework exception certificate'.

ITEM NO. 7: Matter regarding Ph.D Viva-Voce examination of Research Scholar Anjana Bhattacharya, Dept. of Assamese, G.U, held on 27/12/2021.

ITEM NO. 8: Matter regarding recognition of Research Laboratory of department of Herbal Science and Technology (HST), ADP College, Nagaon. The inspection team has recommended the Laboratory for research activities.

ITEM NO 8: Discussion on applications for Ph.D Guideship:

Sl No	Name & Designation	Faculty	Subject	Remarks of the DRC (Recommended/ Not Recommended)	Remarks of the IQAC after review of Guideship Applications	Remarks of Research Council meeting held on 28/03/2022 (Recommended/ Not Recommended)
1	Dr. Arifur Zaman	Science	Anthropology	Recommended	May be Recommended	
2	Dr. Nivedita Malini Barua	Arts	ELT	Recommended	May be Recommended	

3	Dr. Manash Jyoti Nath	Science	Geography	Recommended	Recommended	
4	Dr. Abhijit Das	Science	Physics	Recommended	Recommended	
5	Dr. Dipamani Baruah Das	Arts	Assamese	Recommended	May be Recommended	
6	Dr. Mani Sarmah	Arts	Sanskrit	Recommended	May be Recommended	
7	Dr. Seuji Sharma	Arts	Linguistics	Recommended	May be Recommended	
8	Dr. Rupa Hazarika	Law	Law	Recommended	Recommended	
9	Dr. Navajyoti Borah	Arts	Political Science	Not Recommended	Not Recommended	
10	Dr. Monalisa Bora	Arts	Assamese	Not Recommended	Not Recommended	
11	Dr. Badan Barman	Arts	Library & Information Science	Recommended	May be recommended	
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15	Dr. Priti Baishya	Arts	Hindi	Recommended	May be recommended	
16	Dr. Jinakshi Chutia	Arts	Hindi	Recommended	May be recommended	
17	Dr. Faguna Barmahalia	Arts	Bodo	Recommended	May be recommended	
18	Dr. Achyutananda Baruah	Science	Mathematics	Recommended	May be recommended	

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE RESEARCH COUNCIL, G.U.

Date: 28/10/2021

Time: 11 am

Venue: Vice Chancellor's Conference Room

Members Present:

1. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, GU
2. Prof. Mohan Ch. Kalita, Dean, Faculty of Technology, GU
3. Prof. Kishore Kr. Das, Dean, Faculty of Science, GU
4. Prof., Rajib Handique, Dean, Faculty of Arts, GU
5. Prof. Stuti Deka, Dean, Faculty of Law, GU
6. Prof. Sauravpran Goswami, Dept. of Philosophy, GU
7. Prof. Prabodh Borah, AAU, Khanapara, Guwahati
8. Director, IQAC, GU (Special Invitee)
9. Academic Registrar, GU

Item no 1. Confirmation of the proceedings of the earlier meeting held on 03/02/2021

Resolution no Acad/RC/2021/10/1: The proceedings are accepted as action taken statements are presented by the Academic Registrar.

Item no. 2: Discussion on the matter of viva- voce of Mrs. Anjana Bhattacharjya, Research Scholar, Department of Assamese under the Guidance of Dr. Parag Kr. Bhattacharjya

Discussion: The viva- voce of Mrs. Anjana Bhattacharjya Deptt. Assamese, GU was fixed on 25/11/2020 and postponed after receiving complaint from Prof. Upen Rabha Hakacham and Prof. Prafulla Kr. Nath of Department of Assamese, GU. The complaint was about the non-implementation of suggestions given during the pre-thesis submission seminar. The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor had constituted a committee to look into the matter with the members Prof. M.P. Bezbaruah and Prof. N. G. Mahanta with Academic Registrar as convener. The Committee submitted the report considering Academic activities of the department of Assamese and suggested to hold the viva-voce of Mrs. Anjana Bhattacharjya.

Resolution no Acad/RC/2021/10/2: Resolved to constitute a new RAC or similar committee to look after the viva-voce examination of Mrs. Anjana Bhattacharjya. The Head of the Department is entrusted to hold open viva-voce examination in presence of Dean, Faculty of Arts, GU, Supervisor of Mrs. Anjana Bhattacharjya and the External Examiner invited for the viva-voce examination.

Item no. 3: Discussion on the matter of Mr. Diganta Gogoi, Research scholar department of Zoology under the Guidance of Prof. Karabi Dutta.

Discussion: Mr. Diganta Gogoi, a research scholar department of Zoology under Prof. U.C. Goswami was provisionally registered on 23/06/2006 date of Final registration was 10/08/2009. The scholar was given extension up to 23/06/2012. Thesis was submitted without panel on 29/09/12. Prof. Karabi Dutta was requested to complete the job of Supervisor after sudden demises of Prof. U.C. Goswami. Prof. Karabi Dutta had submitted the panel on 29/08/15. Two external reports received on 24/01/16 and 05/02/16. Prof.

Dutta advised for revision of the thesis on 10/06/2016. Mr.Gogoi was asked to resubmit the thesis on or before 12/06/2017. After revision of the thesis the thesis was sent for evaluation to another examiner as requested by Pro Karabi Dutta on 04/09/2017. The examiner had suggested further revision of the thesis on 03/05/2018. Mr.Gogoi was asked to resubmit the thesis on or before 17/06/2018. The revised thesis was submitted on 05/02/21. The matter was sent to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for approval to conduct the viva-voce examination but it was not approved. The Head of the Department of Zoology was informed about not approval of viva-voce examination with copy to the Supervisor and the Scholar on 24/04/2021. The Scholar had not appealed on 25/08/2021 to hold the viva-voce.

Resolution no Acad/RC/2021/10/3: Resolved to entrust the Head of the Department to hold open viva-voce examination as a very special case.

Item no. 4: Discussion on allotment Prof. P.K.Borah, Scientist E of ICMR-RMRC Nil Dibrugarh as Co-Guide with the Supervisor Dr.Chandana Sarma for the Research Scholar Ms. Ananya Jyoti Gogoi of Department of Anthropology

Resolution no Acad/RC/2021/10/4: Resolved to allow Prof. P.K.Borah, Scientist E of ICMR-RMRC Nil Dibrugarh as Co-Guide with the Supervisor Dr.Chandana Sarma for the Research Scholar Ms. Ananya Jyoti Gogoi of Department of Anthropology.

Item no. 5: Discussion on admission of International self-financed scholars in Ph.D programme.

Resolution no Acad/RC/2021/10/5: Resolved not to allow admission of International self-financed scholars Ph.D. programme.

Item no. 6: Discussion on an application received from the HOD, Foreign Language, Gauhati seeking clarification on the Scholars under the Guidance of Prof. Kandaraj Das

Resolution no Acad/RC/2021/10/6: Resolved to increase the number of members in the DRC of Department Foreign Language. The matter be sent to the DRC for comment and decision.

Item No. 7: The applications with relevant documents of the following candidates for recognition of Ph.D. Guideship are placed for recommendation of the RC.

Resolution No Acad/RC/2021/10/7: Resolved to accept following as:

S.No	Name and Designation, Department	Ph.D. Subject	Guideship Subject	Faculty	Report of Director, IQAC	Recommended (Yes/No)
1	Dr. Kakali Dutta, Associate	English	English	Arts	Publication in	No

					eligible for guideship.	
2	Dr. Pranjana Kalita Nath, Assistant Professor, Deptt. ELT, Gauhati University	English Language Teaching	English Language Teaching	Arts	Has two publications which are SCOPUS indexed and are not a part of her Ph.D. thesis and thus demonstrate the capability of independent quality. Can be recommended.	Yes
3	Dr. Gitanjali Bez, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Linguistics, Gauhati University	Linguistics	Linguistics	Arts	None of the journals are indexed in any known databases like SCOPUS or Web of Science neither they listed in UGC- CARE	No
4	Dr. Seuji Sharma, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Linguistics, Gauhati University	Linguistics	Linguistics	Arts	One of the journals are UGC-CARE listed but none are indexed in any well known databases like SCOPUS or Web of Science	No
5	Dr. Nivedita Malini Baruah, Assistant Professor, Deptt. ELT, Gauhati University	Linguistics	English Language Teaching	Arts	Has at least two publications which are in UGC-CARE listed journals but not a single journal which is SCOPUS indexed.	No
6	Dr. Jayanta Baruah, Associate Professor, Deptt. Political Science, THB College, Jamugurihat	Political Science	Political Science	Arts	<i>NOT Recommended by the DRC of the Deptt. of Political Science, GU.</i>	No
7	Dr. Vikas Tripathi, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Political Science, Gauhati University	Political Science	Political Science	Arts	The candidate has two journals which are SCOPUS indexed/WoS listed. Fulfil all the criteria as per UGC guidelines. May be recommended for guideship	Yes

8	Dr. Navajyoti Bora, Assoc. Prof., Pandu College	Political Science	Political Science	Arts	NOT Recommended by the DRC of the Deptt. of Political Science, GU..	No
9	Dr. Mani Sarmah, Associate Professor, Department of Sanskrit, Nalbari College	Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Arts	NOT recommended by the DRC of the Deptt. of Sanskrit, GU	No
10	Dr. Sipra Paik, Assistant Professor, Arya Vidyapeeth College	Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Arts	Does not have a single publication which is neither indexed nor UGC CARE. Can not be recommended	No
11	Dr. Rupsmita Buzarbaruah, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Sanskrit, Nalbari College	Sanskrit(Veda)	Sanskrit	Arts	Found 2 publications other than Ph.D.: One is listed by UGC- CARE and other UGC approved journal which was published before UGC- CARE in March, 2019.	No
12	Dr. Amit Kumar, Scientist -C, Central Muga Eri Research and Training Centre, Jorhat	Botany	Botany	Science	Post Ph.D publications are found indexed by scopus and web of science as per the GU Ph.D. Regulation, 2016	No
13	Dr. Himangshu Prabal Goswami, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Chemistry, GU	Chemistry	Chemistry	Science	Has 3 publications other than Ph.D. Work and found cited by scopus and web of science	Yes
14	Dr. Arabinda Baruah, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Chemistry, Gauhati University	Chemistry	Chemistry	Science	Has 2 publications other than Ph.D. work and found both are cited by scopus and web of science	Yes
15	Dr. Bijoy Sankar Goswami, Asstt. Professor, B. Borooah College	Chemistry	Chemistry	Science	Has 3 publications other than Ph.D. Work and found 2 are cited by scopus	Yes

16	Dr. Bedanta Gogoi, DST Inspired Faculty, Deptt. Chemistry, Gauhati University	Chemistry	Chemistry	Science	Has at least two publications which are SCOPUS as well as Web of Science indexed. Can be recommended for Ph.D. Guide-ship	Yes
17	Dr. Santanu Acharjee, Assistant Professor, Department- Mathematics, Gauhati University	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	Post Ph.D. publications are found indexed by scopus and web of science as per the GU Ph.D. Regulation, 2016.	Yes
18	Dr. Achyutananda Baruah, Assistant Professor, North Guwahati College	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	Has listed two publications which as a proof of independent research out of which only one is listed by SCOPUS. The other is neither in SCOPUS nor in Web of Science and also not in UGC-CARE. Can not be recommended for Guide-ship.	No
19	Dr. Bamali Das Deka, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Mathematics, Darrang College	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	Has listed three publications out of these one is indexed and other two are published in local journals. Can not be recommended for guide-ship	No
20	Dr. Shekhar Jyoti Baishya, Asstt. Professor, PDUAM, Bihali, Biswanath	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	Has at least two publications which are SCOPUS as well as Web of Science indexed. Can be recommended for Guide-ship	Yes
21	Dr. Pallabi Medhi, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Statistics, Gauhati University	Statistics	Statistics	Science	The candidate has two journals which are SCOPUS indexed/WoS listed. Fulfil all the criteria as per UGC	Yes

					guidelines. May be recommended for guideship	
22	Dr. Satyajit Sarmah, Assistant Professor, Deptt. IT, Gauhati University	Information Technology	Information Technology	Technology	Found 2 publications other than Ph.D., index by Scopus and published by Springer	Yes
23	Dr. Parimita Sarma, Assistant Professor, Deptt. IT, Gauhati University	Information Technology	Information Technology	Technology	Found 2 publications other than Ph.D.: index by Scopus and published by Springer	Yes
24	Dr. Vaskar Deka, Assistant Professor, Deptt. IT, Gauhati University	Information Technology	Information Technology	Technology	Found more than 2 publications other than Ph.D. work : Index by Scopus	Yes
25	Dr. Aupam Sarma, Deptt. Oncopathology, Dr B Borooah Cancer Intst.	Bioeng. & Techn.	Bioeng & Techn.	Technology	Can not be recommended for Ph.D Guide-ship	No
26	Dr. Ghaznavi Idris, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Bioeng. & Techn., Gauhati University	Biotechnology	Bioeng & Techn.	Technology	Has atleast two publications which are SCOPUS as well as Web of Science indexed. Can be recommended for Ph D Guideship	Yes
27	Dr. Mirzanur Rahman, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Information Technology, Gauhati University	Computer Science	Information Technology	Technology	Found 3 publications index by Scopus which are other than Ph.D. Work	Yes

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE RESEARCH COUNCIL, G.U.

Date: 03/02/2021

Time: 11am

Venue: Vice Chancellor's Conference Room

Members Present:

1. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, GU
2. Prof. Tulsi Bezbaruah, Dean, Faculty of Technology, GU
3. Prof. Rinalini Pathak Kakati, Dean, Faculty of Commerce & Management, GU
4. Prof. Prasanta Kr. Saikia, Dean, Faculty of Science, GU
5. Prof. Sauravpran Goswami, Dean, Faculty of Arts, GU
6. Prof. Dipti Phukan Patgiri, Dept. of Assamese, GU
7. Prof. Prabodh Borah, AAU, Khanapara, Guwahati
8. Prof. Lingaraj Sahoo, Dept. of Biotechnology, IIT, Guwahati
9. Academic Registrar, GU

Item no 1: Confirmation of the proceedings of the earlier meeting held on 04/08/2020

Resolution no 1: The proceedings are accepted as action taken statements are presented by the Academic Registrar

Item no. 2: The issue related to the alleged academic fraud in the thesis of Mr. Utsab Deb, Research scholar, Department of Biotechnology, GU was discussed in the meeting of the IAIP held on 24/09/2020. The meeting resolved not to award Ph.D. to Mr. Utsab Deb. His Registration may be cancelled. The matter is placed before the RC for recommendation.

Discussion: The issue related to the alleged academic fraud in the Thesis of Mr. Utsab Deb, Research scholar, Department of Biotechnology, GU was discussed in the meeting of IAIP held on 24/09/2020. The committee resolved as - "The committee perused the report submitted by DAIP, Department of Biotechnology, GU regarding objections to award of Ph. D. degree to Mr. Utsab Deb. Since the only paper submitted with the thesis by Mr. Utsab Deb, which is coauthored with another five persons, which was published in the year 2010, that is 05 years prior to his admission into the Ph. D. programme under Gauhati University. Clearly, this paper cannot be outcome of his research in GU during his Ph. D. work. Hence, Mr. Deb fails to fulfill the basic condition of completing Ph. D. under Gauhati University. Accordingly, the IAIP, GU resolves that Mr. Deb should not be awarded Ph. D. on the basis of the submitted thesis."

Resolution no 2: Resolved to send to the Executive Council for approval of cancellation of PhD registration of Mr. Utsab Deb

Item no 3: Ms. Thejangunu Peseyie Research Scholar of the department of Geography applied for assigning Dr. Santonu Goswami, ISRO Hyderabad as Co-guide with the Supervisor Prof. Dhruvajyoti Saharia, Department of Geography, GU. The matter was placed in the earlier RC meeting held on 04/08/2020. The meeting suggested to collect the details of Dr. Santonu Goswami. As such, Prof. Dhruvajyoti Saharia has submitted the details of Dr. Santonu Goswami. The papers as submitted by Prof. D. Saharia are placed for decision by the RC.

Resolution no 3: Resolved to allow Dr. Santonu Goswami, ISRO Hyderabad as Co-guide with the Supervisor Prof. Dhruvajyoti Saharia, Department of Geography, GU to guide Ms.

Thejangunu Peseyie, Research Scholar of the department of Geography, GU as special case.

Item no. 4: Guide Change application of Deepshri Phukan, Research Scholar of the Department of Psychology. The candidate got re-admission on 30/07/18 under guideship of Dr. Dipesh Bhagawati. Now, the scholar wants Dr. Rita Rani Talukder as Supervisor. Dr. Dipesh Bhagawati has given no objection in this regard. The matter is placed before the RC for a decision.

Resolution no 4: Resolved to allow Dr. Rita Rani Talukder as Supervisor of Deepshri Phukan, Research Scholar, Department of Psychology in place of Dr. Dipesh Bhagawati

Item no. 5: Sonapur College applied for recognition of Research Laboratory in the Department of Geography. The inspection team has recommended for recognition of the said laboratory from the session 2019-2020. The matter is placed before the RC for recommendation.

Resolution no 5: Resolved to approve Department of Geography, Sonapur College as research laboratory.

Item no. 6: An application of Dr. Vasudeva Singh for recognition of guideship under Gauhati University. The application was not sent through the DRC of the Department.

Discussion: It is informed that Dr. Vasudeva Singh is a retired person and he was in a contract with GU.

Resolution no 6: Resolved not to recognise as a Supervisor of GU

Item no. 7: Approval of list of Journal submitted by LGBRIMH, Tezpur

Discussion: The report of Director, IQAC, GU is discussed in details.

Resolution no 7: Resolved to accept following Journals from the list submitted by the Dean, Faculty of Medicine and Allied Health Sciences

1. *Journal of Social Work Education & Practice or JSWEP*
2. *Indian Journal of Social Work*
3. *International Journal of Indian Psychology*
4. *Indian Journal of Positive Psychology*
5. *Indian Journal of Psychology & Education (IJPE)*
6. *Journal of Continuing Education in Nursing*
7. *Journal of Community and Public Health Nursing*
8. *The Open Journal of Psychiatry & Allied Sciences*

Item no. 8: Discussion on change of Supervisor of Ms. Munmi Borgohain, Research Scholar, Department of Geography, GU.

Resolution no 8: Resolved to allow Dr. Gopal Singh, Head, Department of Geography, Bikali College as guide in place of Dr. Rupali Phukan Bhuyan, Retd. Head, Department of Geography, Cotton University

Item no. 9: Discussion on the matter related to revised thesis submission of Ms. Runmi Athparia, Research Scholar, Department of Physics, GU.

Discussion: Ms. Runmi Athparia, Research Scholar, Department of Physics, GU has submitted the thesis "Lithospheric-Tropospheric-Ionospheric interactive processes: A study with special reference to major earthquakes of west Pacific Region" under the guidance of Prof. (Rtd) Minakshi Devi. Two external examiners had recommended for final viva-voce examination of Runmi Athparia for awarding the degree. But Prof. (Rtd) Minakshi Devi has given resubmission after revision. Members discussed the matter and allowed to conduct viva-voce of Ms. Runmi Athparia under the Head, Department of Physics, GU.

Resolution no 9: Resolved to allow to conduct viva-voce of Ms. Runmi Athparia under the Head, Department of Physics, GU.
Also resolved to forward the following comments to be incorporated in the updated PhD Regulations 2016:
"After submission of the Thesis, it will be sent to two external examiners for necessary evaluation. There will be no separate evaluation by the Supervisor(s)."

Item No. 10: The applications with relevant documents of the following candidates for recognition of Ph.D. Guideship are placed for recommendation of the RC.

Resolution No. 10: Resolved to accept following as

S.No	Name and Designation, Department	Ph.D. Subject	Guideship Subject	Faculty	Comments from IQAC	Recommended (Yes/No)
1	Dr. Madhurjya Modhur Borgohain, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Applied Science, GU	Physics	Instrumentation & USIC	Technology	Two publications other than Ph D are indexed by Scopus	Yes
2	Dr. Ajitabh Borah, Scientist-D Deptt. Bio Resource Division, Defence Research Laboratory, Tezpur	Biotechnology	Biotechnology	Technology	Publish more than two papers as Ph. D Regulation	NO
3	Dr. Nabanita Bhattacharyya, Asstt Professor, Deptt Botany, Gauhati University	Biotechnology	Botany	Science	Two publications other than Ph D works are found in Web of science & SCI	Yes
4	Dr. Souravjyoti Borah, Curator, Deptt Botany, GU	Botany	Botany	Science	More than two publications other than Ph.D indexed in Scopus and Web of science	Yes

5	Dr. Kishor Kr. Shah, Asstt. Professor, ADP College, Nagaon	Chemistry	Chemistry	Science	Both the publications claim other than Ph.D research BUT one indexed by Scopus	No
6	Dr Bedanta Gogoi, DST Inspired Faculty (Temp), Deptt. Chemistry, GU	Chemistry	Chemistry	Science	Both the publications mention other than Ph.D research are published by Elsevier and indexed by Scopus and Web of science	No
7	Dr. Pallabi Sarma, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Environmental Sc., Gauhati University	Env. Science	Env. Science	Science	The two publications apart from Ph.D. works ARE NOT indexed by Scopus or Web of science	NO
8	Mridusmita Mahanta, Associate Professor, Deptt. English, Sonapur College	Folklore Research	Folklore	Arts	Publications other than Ph.D work as claimed ARE NOT as per Ph.D. Regulations	NO
9	Dr Jogesh Kakati, Principal, Pandu College, Guwahati	History	Folklore	Arts	Two publications other than Ph.D are found to be included in UGC-CARE list(2019) BUT ARE NOT indexed by any other SSCI or A & HCI etc	Yes
10	Dr Sekhar Jyoti Baishya, Asstt. Professor, PDUAM, Behalf, Biswanath	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	Two publications other than Ph.D indexed by Scopus & Web of Science	NO
11	Dr Debasish Bhattacharjee, Asstt. Professor,	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	Two research papers other than Ph.D	Yes

	Dept Mathematics, GU				indexed in Scopus	
12	Dr. Jituparna Goswami, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Mathematics, GU	Algebra	Mathematics	Science	Publications other than Ph.D. research are indexed in Scopus and Web of science	Yes
13	Dr. Achyutananda Baruah, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Mathematics, North Guwahati College	Mathematics	Mathematics	Science	One publication is indexed by Scopus, BUT OTHER IS NOT indexed by Scopus web of science	No
14	Dr. Barnali Das Deka, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Mathematics, Darrang College	Mathematical Modeling on Population Ecology	Mathematics	Science	One publication is indexed by Scopus, BUT OTHER IS NOT indexed by Scopus & web of science	No
15	Dr. Dalima Kakati, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Assamese, LOKD College, Dhekiaju li	Assamese	MIL & LS	Arts	Publications other than the Ph.D work ARE NOT as per Ph D regulation	NO
16	Dr. Jahnabi Deka, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Philosophy, GU	Philosophy	Philosophy	Arts	Two publications other than Ph D found one published in Spring journal and OTHER IN SOME PEER REVIEWED REFERRED JOURNAL	Yes
17	Dr. Subir Biswas, Asstt. Professor, Physical Science Division, IASST	Physics	Physics	Science	Five publications other than Ph D which are indexed by SCI/ Web of Science/ Scopus	No
18	Dr. Lalit Mohan Goswami, Asstt. Professor, NOWGONG COLLEGE	Zoology	Zoology	Science	Research publications are correct as per Ph D regulation.	No

19	Dr. Janardan Pathak, Asstt. Professor, Deptt. Zoology, B. Boroohah College	Zoology	Zoology	Science	ONLY ONE JOURNAL INDEXED IN SCOPUS	NO
20	Dr. Chittaranjan Baruah, Assistant Professor, Darrang College	Zoology	Zoology	Science	Two publications other than Ph.D. are indexed in Scopus and web of Science	Yes

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