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## Minutes

Minutes of the Sixth Meeting of the Academic Council of Sardar Patel University of Police, Security and Criminal Justice, Jodhpur held on June 11, 2015 at 10.30 am in the Conference Hall of the University.

## The Following members attended the meeting:

- 1. Shri M.L. Kumawat, Vice-Chancellor, SPUP, Jodhpur (In the Chair)
- 2. Dr. Bhupendra Singh, Pro-Vice-Chancellor. SPUP, Jodhpur
- 3. Dr. Anup Srivastava, Jt. Director, Higher Education. Government of Rajasthan
- 4. Shri. B.L. Soni, IPS, Director, Rajasthan Police Academy, Jaipur
- 5. Shri Hari Prasad Sharma, IPS, Superintendent of Police, SriGanganagar
- Smt. K.B. Vandana, Addl. Director, Centre of Social Defence and Gender Studies, SPUP. Jodhpur
- 7. Dr. Sadhana Meghwal, Asst. Professor, SPUP, Jodhpur
- 8. Shri S.S.Rajpurohit, Registrar

## The following member could not attend the Meeting:

- 1. Secretary, Home, Government of Rajasthan
- 2. Dr. Vinay Kaura, Asst. Professor, SPUP, Jodhpur

The Vice-Chancellor extended a warm welcome to Sh. Hari Prasad Sharma, newly appointed Academic Council member & Dr. Alok Srivastava; Jt. Director, Higher Education, Govt. of Rajasthan(Nominee of Principal Secretary, Higher Education). He also thanked the members for sparing their valuable time to attend the meeting. The Vice-Chancellor gave the detailed presentation about the progress of construction work at permanent campus of the University. He stated that construction work of I<sup>st</sup> phase of the University is on full swing and to be completed by January 20, 2016. He further informed that the cost estimate of the project is Rs. 30 Crores for I<sup>st</sup> phase. He also thanked the Government of Rajasthan and Hon'ble CM for their continuous support. He thanked all faculty members, staff, BoM. Academic Council and students for their contribution in the University Progress.

The Vice-Chancellor gave a detailed description of the courses being conducted by the University during the session 2014-15, the number of students in each course and the number of drop outs. The Vice-Chancellor also gave details about the activities conducted by various

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centres of the University. Vice-Chancellor also detailed the members about the entrance test for admissions to various courses in Academic Session 2015-16 of the University and told that it was widely received across the country.

The Vice-Chancellor also informed the members about the Campus Placements of PG Cyber Security students. Eight companies have confirmed their visit for Campus placements and one has already visited and selected students.

# The following items were taken up for consideration:

## 1. Agenda Item No. 6/1:

The Vice-Chancellor pointed out that the minutes of the last meeting had been circulated by the office and requested the Members for their comments, if any. As there were no comments, the Vice-Chancellor state that it might be presumed that the Minutes have been recorded correctly.

**Resolution No. AC/6/1: Resolved that** the council confirmed the minutes of the 5<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Academic Council held on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2015.

During discussions, Vice Chancellor stated that Hon'ble Chief Minister of Rajasthan has shown great interest in the University and has promised continuous support. Hon'ble CM also said that Rajasthan Police will take students of Cyber Security as Cyber Experts.

Vice Chancellor informed Jt. Director Higher Education about vacant Teaching and Non-teaching posts. That posts are to be filled for smooth functioning, Good education, UGC grants and reputation. Jt. Director, Higher Education suggested that the fresh proposal to be sent to Finance Department, Govt. of Rajasthan to get permission for filling up the posts.

### 2. Agenda Item No. 6/2:

The Vice-Chancellor informed and discussed the recommendations of 'Choice Based Credit System' from session 2015-16. For this the syllabus all the courses run by the University have been changed as per CBCS.

Resolution No. AC/6/2: Resolved that the proposed 'Choice Based Credit System' for all courses be approved from session 2015-16.

The Jt. Director, Higher Education suggested to identify and introduce more vocational programmes in Choice Based Credit System.

Pro-Vice Chancellor Dr. Bhupendra Singh stated that the University can start some short term programmes (Gender Studies, Child Protection, Road Safety and Cyber Security) to be conducted during summer vacations in self financing mode, in which students from any University can take part and earn credits which further can be added in their semester credit.

#### 3. Agenda Item No. 6/3:

The Vice-Chancellor informed the Council that to approve the changes in the nomenclature of departments

S.No.	Earlier	S.No.	Now
1.	Department of Political Science and International Relations	1.	Department of Political Science
2.	Department of Security and Intelligence Studies	2.	Department of International Affairs and Security Studies
3.	Department of Computer Science and Cyber Security	3.	Department of Computer Science and Engineering

**Resolution No. AC/6/3: Resolved that** the changes in the nomenclature of departments be approved.

#### 4. Agenda Item No. 6/4:

The Vice-Chancellor discussed the Academic Calendar for the session 2015-16. The Vice-Chancellor also informed the members that the University strictly adheres to the Academic Calendar.

Resolution No. AC/6/4: Resolved that the Academic Calendar for the session 2015-16 be approved.

#### 5. Agenda Item No. 6/5:

The Vice-Chancellor informed the discussed the recommendations to award of M.Tech. degree to B.Tech. students of session 2013-15 and 2014-16 and Master of Science to rest of the students.

The University intends to award M.Tech. in Cyber Security to students who are B.Tech. The students of session 2013-15 who's last qualifying exams was B.CA/B.SC be awarded degree of Master of Science.

- 1. As per gazette notification of UGC M.Tech. degree can be awarded by any State University formed by the State Govt. Act with 2F status of UGC, Act 1956.
- M.Tech. degree is included under gazette notification of Govt of India No.21 of dated 23 to 29 May 2009 and miscellaneous gazette notification No.27 of dated 5 to 11 July 2014.
- 3. As per public notice issued by AICTE No.UB/04(03) 2011. Point IV & Hon'ble Supreme Court of India states that University do not require prior approval of AICTE to commence a new department or course & programs in technical education, however they must confirm to the standard & norms laid down by AICTE for the purpose of ensuring co-ordination & integrated development of technical education.

Our University has already applied for AICTE recognition, since it is our 1<sup>st</sup> batch and the process of recognition from AICTE is not yet completed and looking to the interest of the students the B.Tech. student of 1<sup>st</sup> batch may be provided M.Tech. degree. However students those are M.Sc. of BCA. They will be given a degree of Master of Science in Cyber Security.

Resolution No. AC/6/5: The proposal to award M.Tech. degree to B.Tech. students of session 2013-15 and 2014-16 was not approved and it was suggested that Master of Science degree be given to students of session 2013-14 and 2014-15. It was further suggested that for session 2013-14. M.S. (Master of Science) be written on the degree.

Agenda No. 6

Approval of guidelines for CBCS.

Resolution No. The members approved the same.

Agenda No. 7

New Courses for approval.

Certificate Programme for Road Safety

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Certificate Programme for Road Safety Trainer .

PG Diploma in Road Safety

Resolution: The Council approved the same.

The members suggested that since Sardar Patel University of Police, Security and Criminal Justice, Jodhpur is a Police University, we should strive to develop a program that can be a preparatory program for police personnel, and can be made available for all policing aspirants mean while a proposal should be prepared to be sent to Govt. of Rajasthan in which it may be clearly stated that the students of Police University should be given weightage during selection of police personnel.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

