

## MINUTES OF THE 126<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL HELD ON 22.02.2023 (WEDNESDAY) AT 11.00 AM IN THE INDIRA MIRI CONFERENCE HALL, DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY

#### Members Present:

| 1.  | The Vice-Chancellor, Dibrugarh University  | : Chairperson |
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| 2.  | The Registrar i/c, Dibrugarh University  | : Secretary   |
| 3.  | Prof. L. R. Saikia, Dean, Faculty of Biological Sciences, D.U. (Head, Department of Life Sciences, D.U.) | : Member      |
| 4.  | Prof. M. N. Dutta, Dean, Faculty of Earth Sciences and Energy, D.U.                                      | : Member      |
| 5.  | Prof. Deb Kumar Chakraborty, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences  | : Member      |
| 6.  | Prof. Dipak Chetia, Dean of Research and Development, D.U.   | : Member      |
| 7.  | Prof. Neeta Kalita Barua, Dean, Faculty of Education, D.U.   | : Member      |
| 8.  | Prof. Kumud Ch. Goswami, Dean, Faculty of Commerce and D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Management Science,  |               |
| 9.  | Prof. Subasana Mahanta Choudhury, Dean, Faculty of Humanities  | : Member      |
|     | and Law, D.U. (Head, Department of Assamese, D.U.)   |               |
| 10. | Prof. Arpana Konwar, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Jayanta Kumar Bora, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Pallavi Deka Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Mridul Bordoloi, Dept. of English, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Department of English, D.U.)  |               |
| 14. | Prof. Dolly Phukon, Dept of Political Science, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Dept. of Political Science, D.U.)   |               |
| 15. | Prof. Amarjyoti Mahanta, Dept. of Economics, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Mukut Hazarika, Dept. of Education, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Daisy Bora Talukdar, Dept. of Education, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. P. K. Gogoi, Dept. of Education, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Manashee Gogoi, Dept. of Education, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Krishna Prasad Gogoi, Dept. of Education, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Dept. of Education, D.U.)   |               |
| 21. | Prof. Seema S. Singha, Dept of Commerce, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Dept. of Commerce, D.U.)  |               |
| 22. | Prof. Prasanta Kr. Saikia, Head, Dept. of Physics, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Umananda Dev Goswami, Dept of Physics, D.U.  | : Member      |
| 24. | Prof. Pankaj Das, Dept. of Chemistry, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Geetika Borah, Dept. of Chemistry, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Dept. of Chemistry, D.U.)   |               |
| 26. | Prof. Tazid Ali, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Ankur Bharali, Dept. of Mathematics  | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U.)   |               |
| 28. | Prof. Nitul Kumar Gogoi, Dept. of Anthropology, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Department of Anthropology, D.U.)   |               |
| 29. | Prof. Malay Kumar Das, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | (Head, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.)  |               |
| 30. | Prof. Aparoop Das, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Hemanta Kr. Sharma, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Bibhuti Bhusan Kakoti, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.                                      | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Dipsikha Bora, Dept. of Life Sciences, D.U.  | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Bijoy Neog, Dept. of Life Sciences, D.U.   | : Member      |
|     | Prof. Devid Kardong. Dept. of Life Sciences. D.U.  | : Member      |
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|     | Prof. Uttam Goswami, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U.               | : Member       |
|     | Prof. Ranjan Kumar Sharma, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U.         | : Member       |
| 38. | Prof. Kalpana Deka Kalita, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U.         | : Member       |
| 39. | Prof. Tapos Kumar Goswami, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U.         | : Member       |
| 40. | Prof. Subrata Borgohain Gogoi, Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U | .: Member      |
|     | (Head, Department of Petroleum Technology, D.U.)                  |                |
| 41. | Prof. Pradip Borgohain, Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U.       | : Member       |
| 42. | Dr. Chandan Kr. Sarma, Head, Dept. of History, D.U.               | : Member       |
| 43. | Dr. Upasona Sarmah, Head, Dept. of Sociology, D.U.                | : Member       |
| 44. | Dr. Pranjal Protim Buragohain, Head, Dept. of Economics, D.U.     | : Member       |
| 45. | Dr. Diganta Bhuyan, Head, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U.          | : Member       |
| 46. | Dr. Manash Pratim Barman, Head, Dept. of Statistics, D.U.         | : Member       |
| 47. | Dr. Arunima Dutta, Principal i/c, P. G. T. College (AISE), Jorhat | : Member       |
| 48. | Dr. A. K. Das, Principal, Jorhat Law College, Jorhat              | : Member       |
| 49. | Mrs. Bijoya Borthakur, Senior Lecturer, DIET, Tinsukia            | : Member       |
| 50. | Mr. Pranjal Protim Borah, JHNS College, Jhanji, Sivasagar         | : Member       |
| 51. | Dr. Ananta Kr. Dutta, DHSK College, Dibrugarh                     | : Member       |
| 52. | Mr. Pranjal Gogoi, SMD College, Sivasagar                         | : Member       |
| 53. | Mr. Abdul Aziz Ahmed, Machkhowa Degree College, Dhemaji           | : Member       |
|     | Dr. Binoy Brat Rajkhowa, CKB College, Teok, Jorhat                | : Member       |
| 55. | Dr. P. K. Kakoty, Controller of Examinations, D.U.                | : Member       |
| 56. | Prof. Utpal Das, Deputy Librarian and Librarian i/c, D.U.         | : Member       |
| 57. | Dr. Amitabh Baruah, Jt. Controller of Examination – 'C', D.U.     | : Member       |
| 58. | Mr. Arinjit Hazarika, Academic Officer, D.U. and                  | : Spl. Invitee |
|     | Deputy Controller of Examinations 'B' i/c, D.U.                   | •              |
| 59. | Dr. D. P. Rajkhowa, Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c, D.U.         | : Member       |

The Chairperson extended a warm welcome to all the members and requested the Secretary to present the agenda items. On behalf of the Secretary, the Deputy Registrar (Academic)i/c placed the matters as below.

## Item No. 01: To consider confirmation of the Minutes of the 124<sup>th</sup> and 125<sup>th</sup> (Emergent) Meetings of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 02.03.2022 and 25.07.2022 respectively.

#### Discussion:

The Chairperson requested the Members to point out the omission or commission, if any in recording the Minutes of the 124<sup>th</sup> and 125<sup>th</sup> (Emergent) Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 02.03.2022 and 25.07.2022 respectively which were circulated vide Memo No: DU/DR-A/AC/7-1/22/645 dated 10.06.2022 and DU/DR-A/AC/7-1/22/940 dated 11.08.2022. The Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c highlighted the significant resolutions adopted in the last meetings and appraised the actions taken on it. After the threadbare discussion, the Council confirmed the minutes and adopted the following resolution:

# Resolution No. 01 Resolved that the Draft of the Minutes of the 124<sup>th</sup> and 125<sup>th</sup> (Emergent) Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 02.03.2022 and 25.07.2022 respectively be accepted and confirmed.

Item No. 02: To report the actions taken on the Minutes of the 124<sup>th</sup> and 125

(Emergent) Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh

University held on 02.03.2022 and 25.07.2022 respectively.

Discussion: The Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c presented the Report on the

actions taken on the Minutes of the 124th and 125<sup>th</sup> (Emergent) Meetings of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on

02.03.2022 and 25.07.2022 respectively.

Resolution No. 02 Resolved that the Action Taken Report on the Resolutions of the

Minutes of the 124<sup>th</sup> and 125<sup>th</sup> (Emergent) Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 02.03.2022 and 25.07.2022

respectively be accepted and confirmed.

Item No. 03: To consider the recommendations of the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University held on 14.02.2023.

(A) To consider the draft Programme Structure of Four Year Under Graduate Programmes (FYUGP) in Dibrugarh University and its Affiliated Colleges as per the University Grant Commission (UGC) guidelines.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft Programme Structure of Four Year Under Graduate Programme (FYUGP) to consider for approval.

Prof. Mukut Hazarika, Department of Education, Dibrugarh University requested the Council to explain about the draft Programme Structure of Four Year Under Graduate Programme (FYUGP).

Then the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c requested Dr. Chandan Kr. Sarma, Head, Department of History to explain the draft Programme Structure of the FYUGP and Dr. Sarma explained briefly step by step.

After lot of deliberations, the Council discussed the matter in brief from all aspects and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

- Resolution No. 03 Resolved that as recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University held on 14.02.2023, the draft Programme Structure of Four Year Under Graduate Programmes (FYUGP) in Dibrugarh University and its Affiliated Colleges as per University Grants Commission (UGC) guidelines be approved with effect from the academic session 2023-2024.
- (B) To consider the draft of the Course Structure and Syllabi of the following subjects of FYUGP.
  - i) Anthropology, ii) Applied Geology, iii) Assamese, iv) Bengali, v) Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, vi) Bodo, vii) Botany, viii) Chemistry, ix) Commerce, x) Computer Science, xi) Economics, xii) Education, xiii) Electronics, xiv) English, xv) Geography, xvi) Hindi, xvii) History, xviii)

Library Science and Information (Voc.), xix) Mass Communication, xx) Mathematics, xxi) Performing Arts, xxii) Philosophy, xxiii) Physical Education and Sports (2 Credit Course), xxiv) Physics, xxv) Political Science, xxvi) Psychology, xxvii) Sanskrit, xxiii) Sociology, xxix) Statistics, xxx) Women's Studies, xxxi) Yoga (2 Credit Course)and xxxii) Zoology

#### **Discussion:**

As recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft Programme Structure and syllabi of the above mentioned subjects of Four Year Under Graduate Programme (FYUGP). All feasible points relating to the Course Structure and Syllabi were discussed. After discussion the Council adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 04: Resolved that as recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University held on 14.02.2023, the drafts of the Course Structure and Syllabi of the following subjects of the Four Year Under Graduate Programmes (FYUGP) prepared in the line with NEP-2020 be approved with effect from the academic session 2023-2024 –

- i. Anthropology
- ii. Applied Geology
- iii. Assamese
- iv. Bengali
- v. Biotechnology and Bioinformatics
- vi. Bodo
- vii. Botany
- viii. Chemistry
- ix. Commerce
- x. Computer Science
- xi. Economics
- xii. Education
- xiii. Electronics
- xiv. English
- xv. Geography
- xvi. Hindi
- xvii. History
- xviii. Library Science and Information (Vocational)
- xix. Mass Communication
- xx. Mathematics
- xxi. Performing Arts
- xxii. Philosophy
- xxiii. Physical Education and Sports (2 Credit Course)
- xxiv. Physics

xxv. Political Science

xxvi. Psychology

xxvii. Sanskrit

xxviii. Sociology

xxix. Statistics

xxx. Women's Studies

xxxi. Yoga (2 Credit Course)

xxxii. Zoology

Resolved further that a committee be constituted with the following members to carry out final scrutiny of the Syllabi of the relevant subjects be approved -

1. Prof. Neeta Kalita Barua, Dean, Faculty of Education : Chairperson

2. Prof. Mridul Bordoloi, Head, Dept. of English, D.U. : Member

3. Prof. Ankur Bharali, Head, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U. : Member

4. Prof. Prasanta Kumar Saikia, Head, Dept. of Physics, D.U. : Member

5. Dr. Chandan Kr. Sarma, Head, Dept. of History, D.U. : Member

6. The Deputy Registrar (Acad.) i/c, D.U.: Joint Member -

7. The Academic Officer, D.U. : Convenor

## (C) To consider the Course Structure and Syllabus of One Year Certificate Course in Korean Language.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft of the Course Structure and Syllabus of the One Year Certificate Programme in Korean Language for approval. As proposed the Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 05: Resolved that as recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Under Graduate Board (UGB) held on 14.02.2023, the introduction of One Year Certificate Programme in Korean Language from the academic session 2022-2023 be approved.

Resolved further that the draft of the Course Structure and Syllabus of the One Year Certificate Programme in Korean Language with effect from the academic session 2022-2023 be approved.

(D) To consider the Course Structure and Syllabus of B. Music (Sattriya) under Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) of Asom Sattriya Sangit Mahavidyalaya.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft of the Course Structure and Syllabus of the B. Music (Sattriya) in Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) of Asom Sattriya Sangit Mahavidyalaya for approval. The Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 06: Resolved that as recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Under Graduate Board (UGB) the Course Structure and Syllabus of the B. Music (Sattriya) in Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) from 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> Semesters offered by Asom Sattriya Sangit Mahavidyalaya, Jorhat with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023 be approved.

## (E) Matters for Ratification recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023.

i. Minor modifications in the existing syllabus of B.A. / B. Sc. (Honours) Programme in Geography under CBCS.

#### Changes have been done as under -

- 1. Modification of distribution of Credits and Marks (from Page 5 to page 10).
- 2. Content of Political Geography (DSE3 (6C) GGRM DSE 601BT6) included in page 44.
- 3. Modification of the Course No: C-14: GGRM602T6

This Course is divided into theory and practical in the following marks pattern

Theory: 53+13=66 Practical 27+7=34

The new Paper name and codes are as follow:

Disaster Management (Theory): C-14: GGRM602T6

Disaster Management based Project Work (Practical): C-14:GGRM602P6

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/225 dated 14.03.2022

- ii. Course Structure (Modification) in following departments of DUIET w.e.f. the batches admitted in 2021-2022 academic session and onwards
  - 1. Mechanical Engineering
  - 2. Computer Science & Engineering
  - 3. Electronics & Communication Engineering
  - 4. Petroleum Engineering

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/294 dated 24.03.2022

iii. Modification of Course Structure / Syllabus in the existing Computer Science & Engineering Syllabus – 2018 onwards as given below with immediate effect.

| Sl. No. | Paper Name                        | Shifted from Semester / Elective / Open Elective | Shifted to Semester / Elective / Open Elective |
|---------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| 1       | Software Engineering              | 5 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-I                     | 8 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-IV             |
| 1       |                                   | 4  |  |
| 2       | Computer Graphics                 | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-III                   | 5 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-I                   |
| 3       | Image Processing                  | 8 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-IV               | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                  |
| 4       | Natural Language Processing       | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                    | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-III                 |
| 5       | Graph Theory                      | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                    | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-I              |
| 6       | Cryptography and Network Security | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                    | 8 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-III            |

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/295 dated 24.03.2022

iv. Temporary suspension of **DSE-4(II)**: **Project Work** in the Discipline Specific Course of 6<sup>th</sup> Semester B.A. (Honours) in Philosophy under CBCS until further notification and approved the **DSE-4(I) Applied Ethics** as Discipline Specific Course of 6<sup>th</sup> Semester B.A. (Honours) Programme in Philosophy under CBCS mode.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/390 dated 19.04.2022

v. Add-on-Courses to be offered by Swahid Peoli Phukan College, Namti w.e.f. the Academic Session 2021-2022.

| Sl.<br>No | Title of the Add-on-Courses  | Duration | Department |
|-----------|--|----------|------------|
| 1         | Soft Skill Development (with special focus on English Communication) | 60 Hours | English    |

| 2 | Mass Communication                          | 60 Hours | Sociology         |
|---|---|----------|-------------------|
| 3 | Mushroom Cultivation                        | 60 Hours | Economics         |
| 4 | Yoga Vidya                                  | 60 Hours | Education         |
| 5 | Disaster Management                         | 60 Hours | Geography         |
| 6 | Desktop Publishing                          | 60 Hours | Assamese          |
|   | (with Adobe Page Maker and special focus on |          |                   |
|   | Assamese DTP)                               |          |                   |
| 7 | North-East India Study                      | 60 Hours | Political Science |
| 8 | Peace and Conflict Resolution               | 1 Year   | History           |

Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/416 dated 20.04.2022

vi. The Detailed Project Report (DPR) of the proposed Centre for Indian Knowledge Systems (CIKS) at Dibrugarh University Institute of Engineering and Technology (DUIET), Dibrugarh University is approved in principle.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/428 dated 25.04.2022

vii. Conduct of the Computer Application in Business (Core-410/C 10) of 4<sup>th</sup> Semester CBCS Examination, 2022 either in Theory or in Practical mode. The Evaluation work and the entry of awarded marks shall be made by the concerned Colleges like the other Practical Examinations.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/656 dated 16.06.2022

viii. Modified syllabus of Under Graduate Programmes in **Statistics** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/966 dated 17.08.2022

ix. Modification at the Core Course (C 14, Research Methods 11) in Sociology (Honours) at 6<sup>th</sup> Semester in Under Graduate Programme under CBCS mode.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1076 dated 06.09.2022

x. Grading System and Conversion Formula of the CGPA of the Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) and B.A. in Performing Arts Programmes in the CBCS.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/1229 dated 11.10.2022

xi. Certificate Course in Medicinal Herbs to be offered by Silapathar Science College, Silapathar w.e.f. the Academic Session 2022-2023.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1255 dated 20.10.2022

xii. Revision of the conversion formula of the Four Year B. Tech. Programmes of Dibrugarh University from Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA).

### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/DUIET/Conversion Formula/2022/1316 dated 02.11.2022

- xiii. Syllabi of the B.Voc. Programmes of the General Education Components as per the Course Structure given in Clause 9 of the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the B. Voc. Programmes in the Choice Based Credit System-
  - 1. Communication Skill, Course Code: AECC 101
  - 2. Computer Skill I, Course Code: AECC 102-A
  - 3. Computer Skill II, Course Code: AECC 202-A
  - 4. Numerical Skill I, Course Code: AECC 102-B
  - 5. Numerical Skill II, Course Code: AECC 202-B
  - 6. MIL Assamese, Course Code: AECC 301-A
  - 7. Alternative English, Course Code: AECC 301-B
  - 8. Environmental Studies, Course Code: AECC 401
  - 9. Entrepreneurship Development, Course Code: AECC 501
  - 10. Life Skill Development, Course Code: AECC 601

The above shall come into effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.

Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/1345 date: 10.11.2022

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters, which were notified by the University on approval of the Hon'ble Vice- Chancellor, Dibrugarh University from time to time on different important circumstances under report to the Under Graduate Board and Academic Council. The Council noted the same. The following resolution was adopted accordingly-

# Resolution No. 07: Resolved that as recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023 the approvals of the following matters and subsequent notifications by the University be noted and ratified:

i. Minor modifications in the existing syllabus of B.A. / B. Sc. (Honours) Programme in Geography under CBCS.

#### Changes have been done as under -

- 1. Modification of distribution of Credits and Marks (from Page 5 to page 10).
- 2. Content of Political Geography (DSE3 (6C) GGRM DSE 601BT6) included in page 44.
- 3. Modification of the Course No: C-14: GGRM602T6

This Course is divided into theory and practical in the following marks pattern

Theory: 53+13=66 Practical 27+7=34

The new Paper name and codes are as follow:

Disaster Management (Theory): C-14: GGRM602T6

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#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/225 dated 14.03.2022

- ii. Course Structure (Modification) in following departments of DUIET w.e.f. the batches admitted in 2021-2022 academic session and onwards
  - 1. Mechanical Engineering
  - 2. Computer Science & Engineering
  - 3. Electronics & Communication Engineering
  - 4. Petroleum Engineering

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/294 dated 24.03.2022

iii. Modification of Course Structure / Syllabus in the existing Computer Science & Engineering Syllabus – 2018 onwards as given below with immediate effect.

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| 1       | Software Engineering              | 5 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-I                     | 8 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-IV                   |
| 2       | Computer Graphics                 | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-III                   | 5 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-I                         |
| 3       | Image Processing                  | 8 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-IV               | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                        |
| 4       | Natural Language Processing       | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                    | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-III                       |
| 5       | Graph Theory                      | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                    | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-I                    |
| 6       | Cryptography and Network Security | 6 <sup>th</sup> / Elective-II                    | 8 <sup>th</sup> / Open Elective-III                  |

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/295 dated 24.03.2022

iv. Temporary suspension of **DSE-4(II)**: **Project Work** in the Discipline Specific Course of 6<sup>th</sup> Semester B.A. (Honours) in Philosophy under CBCS until further notification and approved the **DSE-4(I) Applied Ethics** as Discipline Specific Course of 6<sup>th</sup> Semester B.A. (Honours) Programme in Philosophy under CBCS mode.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/390 dated 19.04.2022

v. Add-on-Courses to be offered by Swahid Peoli Phukan College, Namti w.e.f. the Academic Session 2021-2022.

| Sl. | Title of the Add-on-Courses                   | Duration | Department        |
|-----|---|----------|-------------------|
| No  |   |          |                   |
| 1   | Soft Skill Development (with special focus on | 60 Hours | English           |
|     | English Communication)                        |          |                   |
| 2   | Mass Communication                            | 60 Hours | Sociology         |
| 3   | Mushroom Cultivation                          | 60 Hours | Economics         |
| 4   | Yoga Vidya                                    | 60 Hours | Education         |
| 5   | Disaster Management                           | 60 Hours | Geography         |
| 6   | Desktop Publishing                            | 60 Hours | Assamese          |
|     | (with Adobe Page Maker and special focus on   |          |                   |
|     | Assamese DTP)                                 |          |                   |
| 7   | North-East India Study                        | 60 Hours | Political Science |
| 8   | Peace and Conflict Resolution                 | 1 Year   | History           |

Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/416 dated 20.04.2022

vi. The Detailed Project Report (DPR) of the proposed Centre for Indian Knowledge Systems (CIKS) at Dibrugarh University Institute of Engineering and Technology (DUIET), Dibrugarh University is approved in principle.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/428 dated 25.04.2022

vii. Conduct of the Computer Application in Business (Core-410/C 10) of 4<sup>th</sup> Semester CBCS Examination, 2022 either in Theory or in Practical mode. The Evaluation work and the entry of awarded marks shall be made by the concerned Colleges like the other Practical Examinations.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/656 dated 16.06.2022

viii. Modified syllabus of Under Graduate Programmes in **Statistics** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/966 dated 17.08.2022

ix. Modification at the Core Course (C 14, Research Methods 11) in Sociology (Honours) at 6<sup>th</sup> Semester in Under Graduate Programme under CBCS mode.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1076 dated 06.09.2022

x. Grading System and Conversion Formula of the CGPA of the Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) and B.A. in Performing Arts Programmes in the CBCS.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/1229 dated 11.10.2022

xi. Certificate Course in Medicinal Herbs to be offered by Silapathar Science College, Silapathar w.e.f. the Academic Session 2022-2023.

#### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1255 dated 20.10.2022

xii. Revision of the conversion formula of the Four Year B. Tech. Programmes of Dibrugarh University from Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA).

### Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/DUIET/Conversion Formula/2022/1316 dated 02.11.2022

- xiii. Syllabi of the B.Voc. Programmes of the General Education Components as per the Course Structure given in Clause 9 of the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the B. Voc. Programmes in the Choice Based Credit System-
  - 1. Communication Skill, Course Code: AECC 101
  - 2. Computer Skill I, Course Code: AECC 102-A
  - 3. Computer Skill II, Course Code: AECC 202-A
  - 4. Numerical Skill I, Course Code: AECC 102-B
  - 5. Numerical Skill II, Course Code: AECC 202-B
  - 6. MIL Assamese, Course Code: AECC 301-A
  - 7. Alternative English, Course Code: AECC 301-B
  - 8. Environmental Studies, Course Code: AECC 401
  - 9. Entrepreneurship Development, Course Code: AECC 501
  - 10. Life Skill Development, Course Code: AECC 601

#### Item No. 04: Any other matter-

## List of Self financed and Self conducted add on courses conducted by various colleges under Dibrugarh University for ratification.

- 1. Brahmaputra Degree College, Lakhimpur,
- 2. Sonari Commerce College, Sonari,
- 3. Bihpuria College, Bihpuria,
- 4. Dhemaji College, Dhemaji,
- 5. Kamarbandha College, Golaghat,
- 6. J.H.N.S College, Sivasagar,
- 7. Sibsagar Commerce College, Sibsagar,
- 8. Barpathar College, Golaghat,
- 9. Nanda Nath Saikia College, Jorhat,
- 10. Golaghat Commerce College, Golaghat,
- 11. Duliajan College, Dibrugarh,
- 12. Melamora College, Golaghat,
- 13. Nowboicha College, Lakhimpur,
- 14. Sapekhati College, Charaideo,
- 15. Furkating College, Golaghat,
- 16. Kakojan College, Jorhat,
- 17. D.R College, Golaghat,
- 18. C.K.B. College, Teok,
- 19. D.H.S.K Commerce College, Dibrugarh,
- 20. Kamargaon College, Golaghat,
- 21. Lakhimpur Commerce College, North Lakhimpur,
- 22. Ledo College, Tinsukia,
- 23. Purbanchal College, Silapathar, Dhemaji,
- 24. Borholla College, Jorhat,
- 25. JDSG College, Bokakhat,
- 26. D.K.D. College, Dergaon,
- 27. H.P.B. Girls' College, Golaghat,
- 28. Mariani College, Mariani,
- 29. Duliajan Girls College, Dibrugarh,
- 30. Nandalal Borgohain City College, Dibrugarh,
- 31. Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat,
- 32. Khowang College, Dibrugarh,
- 33. Harhi College, Lakhimpur,
- 34. Sarupathar College, Golaghat,
- 35. Majuli College, Majuli,
- 36. Borhat B.P.B. Memorial College, Charaideo,
- 37. C.N.B. College, Bokakhat,
- 38. Silapathar College, Silapathar,
- 39. Sibsagar Commerce College, Sivasagar,
- 40. Digboi Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Tinsukia,
- 41. Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah College, Teok, Jorhat,
- 42. Lakhimpur Girls' College, North Lakhimpur,
- 43. Silapathar Town College, Dhemaji,
- 44. Swahid Peoli Phukan College, Namti,
- 45. Jorhat Kendriya Mahavidyalaya, Jorhat,

- 46. Jorhat College (Amalgamated), Jorhat,
- 47. D.H.S.K College, Dibrugarh,
- 48. D.C.B. Girls' College, Jorhat,
- 49. M.D.K.G. College, Dibrugarh,
- 50. Ujani Majuli Kherkatia College, Majuli,
- 51. Dhakuakhana College, Dhakuakhana,
- 52. L.T.K College, North Lakhimpur,
- 53. Silapathar College, Dhemaji,
- 54. Gogamukh College, Dhemaji,
- 55. Sibsagar College, Joysagar,
- 56. Dibru College, Dibrugarh,
- 57. Amguri College, Amguri,
- 58. Sibsagar Girls' College, Sivasagar,
- 59. Cinnamara College, Jorhat.

#### Discussion:

As recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 14.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters, which were notified by the University on approval of the Hon'ble Vice- Chancellor i/c from time to time on different important circumstances under report to the Under Graduate Board and Academic Council. The Council noted the same. The following resolution was adopted accordingly-

## Resolution No. 08: Resolved that as recommended by the 125<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Under Graduate Board (UGB) the following list of Self financed and Self conducted add on Courses offered by various colleges under Dibrugarh University be approved –

- 1. Brahmaputra Degree College, Lakhimpur,
- 2. Sonari Commerce College, Sonari,
- 3. Bihpuria College, Bihpuria,
- 4. Dhemaji College, Dhemaji,
- 5. Kamarbandha College, Golaghat,
- 6. J.H.N.S College, Sivasagar,
- 7. Sibsagar Commerce College, Sibsagar,
- 8. Barpathar College, Golaghat,
- 9. Nanda Nath Saikia College, Jorhat,
- 10. Golaghat Commerce College, Golaghat,
- 11. Duliajan College, Dibrugarh,
- 12. Melamora College, Golaghat,
- 13. Nowboicha College, Lakhimpur,
- 14. Sapekhati College, Charaideo,
- 15. Furkating College, Golaghat,
- 16. Kakojan College, Jorhat,
- 17. D.R College, Golaghat,
- 18. C.K.B. College, Teok,
- 19. D.H.S.K Commerce College, Dibrugarh,
- 20. Kamargaon College, Golaghat,
- 21. Lakhimpur Commerce College, North Lakhimpur,
- 22. Ledo College, Tinsukia,
- 23. Purbanchal College, Silapathar, Dhemaji,
- 24. Borholla College, Jorhat,
- 25. JDSG College, Bokakhat,
- 26. D.K.D. College, Dergaon,

- 27. H.P.B. Girls' College, Golaghat,
- 28. Mariani College, Mariani,
- 29. Duliajan Girls College, Dibrugarh,
- 30. Nandalal Borgohain City College, Dibrugarh,
- 31. Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah Commerce College, Jorhat,
- 32. Khowang College, Dibrugarh,
- 33. Harhi College, Lakhimpur,
- 34. Sarupathar College, Golaghat,
- 35. Majuli College, Majuli,
- 36. Borhat B.P.B. Memorial College, Charaideo,
- 37. C.N.B. College, Bokakhat,
- 38. Silapathar College, Silapathar,
- 39. Sibsagar Commerce College, Sivasagar,
- 40. Digboi Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Tinsukia,
- 41. Chandra Kamal Bezbaruah College, Teok, Jorhat,
- 42. Lakhimpur Girls' College, North Lakhimpur,
- 43. Silapathar Town College, Dhemaji,
- 44. Swahid Peoli Phukan College, Namti,
- 45. Jorhat Kendriya Mahavidyalaya, Jorhat,
- 46. Jorhat College (Amalgamated), Jorhat,
- 47. D.H.S.K College, Dibrugarh,
- 48. D.C.B. Girls' College, Jorhat,
- 49. M.D.K.G. College, Dibrugarh,
- 50. Ujani Majuli Kherkatia College, Majuli,
- 51. Dhakuakhana College, Dhakuakhana,
- 52. L.T.K College, North Lakhimpur,
- 53. Silapathar College, Dhemaji,
- 54. Gogamukh College, Dhemaji,
- 55. Sibsagar College, Joysagar,
- 56. Dibru College, Dibrugarh,57. Amguri College, Amguri,
- 58. Sibsagar Girls' College, Sivasagar,
- 59. Cinnamara College, Jorhat.

## Item No. 05: To consider the recommendations of the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University held on 15.02.2023.

## (A) To consider recommendations of the Meeting of the Deans and Heads of the Teaching Departments, D.U.

- a) The nomenclature of M.A. / M.Sc. in Anthropology Programme be changed to M.Sc. in Anthropology.
- b) The nomenclature of M.A. / M.Sc. in Geography Programme be changed to M. Sc. in Geography.
- c) The nomenclature of M.A. / M.Sc. in Statistics Programme be changed to M.Sc. in Statistics.
- d) The nomenclature of M.A. / M.Sc. in Mathematics Programme be changed to M.Sc. in Mathematics

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the recommendation

of the Meeting of the Deans and Heads of the Teaching Departments, Dibrugarh University regarding the nomenclature of M.A. / M.Sc. in Anthropology, Geography, Statistics and Mathematics Programmes to be changed to M.Sc. in Anthropology, Geography, Statistics and Mathematics Programmes. The Council discussed the matter thoroughly and decided to adopt the following resolution accordingly-

- Resolution No. 09: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University held on 15.02.2023 the committee constituted with the following persons to examine the matter of nomenclature of M.A. / M.Sc. in Anthropology, Geography, Statistics and Mathematics Programmes be approved.
  - 1. Prof. Mukut Hazarika, Dept. of Education, D.U. : Chairperson
  - 2. The Head, Dept. of Anthropology, D.U. : Member
  - 3. The Head, Dept. of Statistics, D.U. : Member
  - 4. The Head, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U. : Member
  - 5. The Chairperson, Centre for Studies in Geography, D.U.: Member
  - 6. The Academic Officer, D.U. : Member-Convenor
- (B) To consider the matter regarding the introduction of GE Course in EDN 20502: Education for Sustainable Development (MA 2nd Semester) for the session 2022-2023
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter regarding the introduction of GE Course in EDN 20502: Education for Sustainable Development (MA 2nd Semester) for the session 2022-2023 and following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 10: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board (PGB), the following Syllabus of Generic Elective (GE) Course offered by the Department of Education, Dibrugarh University in Post Graduate Programme (2<sup>nd</sup> Semester) be approved giving effect from the academic session 2022-2023.

"EDN 20502: Education for Sustainable Development"

- (C) To consider the matter of discontinuation of the 3 Year. M. Sc. Tech. Programme in Applied Geophysics in the Department of Applied Geology, D.U
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter regarding the matter of discontinuation of the 3Year M.Sc. Tech. Programme in Applied Geophysics in the Department of Applied Geology, D.U. After threadbare discussion the Council decided to adopt the following resolution accordingly-
- Resolution No. 11: Resolved that the committee constituted with the following persons for thorough examination of the matter of discontinuation of the

### 3Year M.Sc. Tech. Programme in Applied Geophysics in the Department of Applied Geology be approved:

- 1. Prof. Sarat Ch. Kakaty, Dean, Science Engineering, D.U. : Chairperson
- 2. Dr. Jogen Sarmah, Former Prof., Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U.: Member
- 3. Prof. Subrata Borgohain Gogoi, Head, : Member Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U.
- 4. Prof. Umananda Dev Goswami, Dept. of Physics, D.U. :Member
- 5. Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c, D.U. : Member-Convenor

Resolved further that the admission process to the Three Year M.Sc. Tech. Programme in Applied Geophysics in the Department of Applied Geology from the academic session 2023-2024 be kept in abeyance till the submission of the Report by the above mentioned Committee.

(D) To consider the matter of awarding Gold Medal to the topper of each department of Post Graduate Programme.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter of awarding Gold Medal to the topper of each department of Post Graduate Programmes running in the Dibrugarh University Campus and Under Graduate Programmes w.e.f. the academic session 2022-2023. The Council discussed the matter and decided to recommend to the Executive Council, Dibrugarh University for approval and following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 12: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the Gold Medal to be Awarded to the topper of the following Post Graduate Programmes running in the Dibrugarh University Campus and Under Graduate Programmes be recommended to the Executive Council for approval with effect from the academic session 2022-2023.

All the Post Graduate Programmes: 1(one) each. offered in the University Campus.

B.A./B.Sc./B.com. : 1(one) each. (Best Graduate)

- 1. M.A./ M.Sc. in Anthropology
- 2. M.Sc. in Applied Geology
- 3. M.Sc. Tech. in Applied Geophysics
- 4. M.A. in Assamese
- 5. M.Sc. in Chemistry
- 6. M.Com. (Finance)
- 7. M. Com. (Marketing)
- 8. M.A. in Economics
- 9. M.A. in Education
- 10. M.Ed.
- 11. M.A. in English

- 12. M.A. in History
- 13. M.Sc. in Life Sciences (Zoology)
- 14. M.Sc. in Life Sciences (Botany)
- 15. M.A./ M.Sc. in Mathematics
- 16. M.Tech. in Petro. Explo & Production
- 17. M.Pharm.
- 18. M.Sc. in Physics
- 19. M.A. in Political Science
- 20. M.A. in Sociology
- 21. M.A. in Bodo
- 22. M.A./ M.Sc. in Statistics
- 23. MA in Applied Psychology
- 24. M.Sc. in Biotechnology & Bioinformatics
- 25. MCA
- 26. M.A./ M.Sc. in Geography
- 27. M.A. in Mass Communication
- 28. LL.M. (kept in abeyance)
- 29. M.Lib.I.Sc.
- 30. Integrated M.Lib. I.Sc
- 31. MBA (Full Time)
- 32. MBA (Part Time)
- 33. MA in Performing Arts (Sattriya Dance)
- 34. MA in Performing Arts (Theatre Art)
- 35. MA in Performing Arts (Vocal Music)
- 36. M.A. in Philosophy
- 37. M.P.Ed. (kept in abevance)
- 38. MSW
- 39. Masters Programme in Communication for Sanitation, Hygiene and Health (kept in abeyance).
- 40. Master of Travel and Tourism Management
- 41. M.A. in Women's Studies
- 42. B. A.
- 43. B. Sc.
- 44. B. Com.
- (E) To consider the discontinuation of Post Graduate Diploma in Statistical Techniques and Computation (PGDSTC) course w.e.f. the academic session 2022-2023 conducted by the Department of Statistics, Dibrugarh University.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter of the discontinuation of Post Graduate Diploma in Statistical Techniques and Computation (PGDSTC) course w.e.f. the academic session 2022-2023 conducted by the Department of Statistics, Dibrugarh University. The Council discussed the matter and following resolution was adopted accordingly-

- Resolution No. 13: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the discontinuation of "Post Graduate Diploma in Statistical Techniques and Computation (PGDSTC)" be approved with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
- (F) To consider the Ph.D. Course Work Syllabus of Sociology of Development (Optional).
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft of the Ph.D. Course Work Syllabus of Sociology of Development(Optional) offered by the Department of Sociology, Dibrugarh University for approval with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023. The Council discussed the matter and following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 14: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the draft of the Ph.D. Course Work Syllabus of "Sociology of Development" offered by the Department of Sociology, Dibrugarh University be approved with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
- (G) To consider the Ph.D. Course Work Syllabus of Centre for Studies in Geography.
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft of the Ph.D. Course Work Syllabus of Centre for Studies in Geography, Dibrugarh University for approval with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023. The Council discussed the matter and the following resolution was adopted accordingly
- Resolution No. 15: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the draft syllabus of the Ph.D. Course Work of Centre for Studies in Geography, Dibrugarh University be approved with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
- (H) To consider the Add on course in Yoga Education for PG Students
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft Syllabus of Add on Course in Yoga Education for Post Graduate students in the Centre for Studies in Physical Education and Sports, Dibrugarh University with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024. The Council discussed the matter and following resolution was adopted accordingly
- Resolution No. 16: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the

introduction of Add on Course in Yoga Education for Post Graduate students in the Centre for Studies in Physical Education and Sports, Dibrugarh University be approved with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024.

- (I) To consider the Add on course in Yoga Education for International Students.
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft Syllabus of Add on Course in Yoga Education for International Students in the Centre for Studies in Physical Education and Sports, Dibrugarh University with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024. The Council discussed the matter and following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 17: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the introduction of Add on Course in Yoga Education for International students in the Centre for Studies in Physical Education and Sports, Dibrugarh University be approved with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024.
- (J) To consider the draft syllabus (modified) of Life Sciences for the Post Graduate Programme in CBCS mode.
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft Syllabus (modified) of Life Sciences for the Post Graduate Programme in CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023 for approval. The Council discussed the matter and following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 18: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the modified Post Graduate syllabus of Life Sciences in CBCS mode be approved with effect from the academic session 2022-2023.
- (K) To consider the modified Course Structure and Syllabus (CBCS) of Two Year (4 semester) M.Sc. Programme in Applied Geology.
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the draft of the modified Course Structure and Syllabus (CBCS) of Two Year (4 semester) M.Sc. Programme in Applied Geology with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023 for approval. The Council discussed the matter and the following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 19: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the modified Course Structure and Syllabus (CBCS) of Two Year (4

Semester) M.Sc. Programme in Applied Geology be approved with effect from the academic session 2022-2023.

(L) To consider offering Dissertation in the M.A. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester Programme of Centre for Studies in Applied Psychology (CSAP), Dibrugarh University in lieu of DSE Options.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter to consider offering Dissertation in the M.A. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester Programme of Centre for Studies in Applied Psychology (CSAP), Dibrugarh University in lieu of DSE Options with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023 for approval. The Council discussed the matter and following resolution was adopted accordingly-

- Resolution No. 20: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, offering Dissertation in the M.A. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester Programme of Centre for Studies in Applied Psychology (CSAP), Dibrugarh University in lieu of DSE Options offered be approved with effect from the academic session 2022-2023
- (M) Matters for Ratification recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board held on 15.02.2023.
  - a) Modified Course Structure and Syllabi of the Climate Change, Adaptation and Prediction with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023
    - Notified vide memo no.:DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1450 dated 30.11.2022.
  - b) Revised Course Structure / Syllabus of Master of Computer Applications (MCA) Programme with Bridge Course with effect from the academic session 2022-2023. Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1254 dated 19.10.2022.
  - c) Revised syllabus of Post Graduate Programme in **Physics** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
    - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1122 dated 14.09.2022.
  - d) Revised Syllabus of Post Graduate Programme in **Political Science** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
    - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1036 dated 30.08.2022.
  - e) Modified syllabus of Post Graduate Programmes in **Statistics** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
    - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/966 dated 17.08.2022.
  - f) Modified Course Structure & Syllabus of M.Sc. Tech. in Applied Geophysics (AGP)Programme of 3 years' (6 Semester') with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
    - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/362 dated 11.04.2022.
  - g) Modified Course Structure and Syllabus of Two Year (4 Semester) M. Sc. Course under CBCS mode in Applied Geology with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023

- Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/363 dated 11.04.2022.
- h) Rearrangement of Course Structure in M.A. Assamese under CBCS mode. Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/488 dated 09.05.2022

Discussion: As recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters, which were notified by the University on approval of the Hon'ble Vice- Chancellor, Dibrugarh University from time to time on different important circumstances under report to the Post Graduate Board and Academic Council. The Council noted the same. The following resolution was adopted accordingly-

- Resolution No. 21: Resolved that as recommended by the 153<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Post Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the following approvals and subsequent notifications of the University be noted and ratified:
  - a) Modified Course Structure and Syllabi of the Climate Change, Adaptation and Prediction with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023
    - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1450 dated 30.11.2022.
    - b) Revised Course Structure / Syllabus of Master of Computer Applications (MCA) Programme with Bridge Course with effect from the academic session 2022-2023.
      - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1254 dated 19.10.2022.
    - c) Revised syllabus of Post Graduate Programme in **Physics** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
      - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1122 dated 14.09.2022.
    - d) Revised Syllabus of Post Graduate Programme in **Political Science** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023. **Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1036 dated 30.08.2022.**
    - e) Modified syllabus of Post Graduate Programmes in **Statistics** under CBCS mode with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
      - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/966 dated 17.08.2022.
    - f) Modified Course Structure & Syllabus of M.Sc. Tech. in Applied Geophysics (AGP)Programme of 3 years' (6 Semester') with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.
      - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/362 dated 11.04.2022.
    - g) Modified Course Structure and Syllabus of Two Year (4 Semester) M. Sc. Course under CBCS mode in Applied Geology with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023
      - Notified vide memo no.: DU/DR-A/6-1/22/363 dated 11.04.2022.
    - h) Rearrangement of Course Structure in M.A. Assamese under CBCS mode.
      - Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/488 dated 09.05.2022
- Item No. 06: To consider the recommendations of the 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 08.04.2022.

**Discussion:** As recommended by the 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 08.04.2022, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters, which were already notified by the University. The Council discussed on the resolutions and noted the same. The following resolutions were adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 22: Resolved that as recommended by the 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 08.04.2022, in the spirit of the NEP 2020, the M. Phil Programmes of Dibrugarh University be kept in hold with effect from the academic session 2021-2022.

Resolution No. 23: Resolved that as recommended by the 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 08.04.2022, the proposal for enhancement of the fellowship amount of the Non-GATE / Non-NET scholars appointed under funded projects as per the relevant Guidelines of the UGC be approved in principle.

Further, the Dean, R & D be requested to pursue the matter as deemed to be appropriate for implementation.

Resolution No. 24: Resolved that as recommended by the 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 08.04.2022, inclusion of the following new clause in the Dibrugarh University regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of Ph.D. 2019 (amended upto date) be approved -

Clause 16 (v): The date of Ph.D. Admission in a particular academic session shall be considered as the provisional date of registration of a Ph.D. candidate. The Final registration of the candidate shall be done after clearing the Course Work followed by submission of Synopsis through the Doctoral Committee and Departmental Research Committee concerned. Hence, the period of course work shall be within the stipulated duration of Ph.D. Programmes.

Resolution No. 25: Resolved that as recommended by the 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 08.04.2022, the following modification in the Dibrugarh University regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of Ph.D. 2019 (amended upto date) be approved -

| Clause | Existing   | Modification proposed  |
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| 23(ii) | Every scholar shall have to publish at least one (1) research paper on her/ his research work in a peer reviewed/ refereed journal before submission of the thesis | Every scholar shall have to publish<br>at least one (1) research paper on<br>her/ his research work in an<br>indexed journal with his/ her Ph.D.<br>Supervisor(s) before submission of |
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- Item No. 07: To consider the recommendations of the 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023.
- (A) To consider the modification in the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of Ph.D. 2019 (amended upto February, 2023).
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters and the Council discussed on the resolution and noted the same. The following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 26: Resolved that as recommended by the 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the modification in the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of Ph.D. 2019 (amended upto February, 2023) be approved.
- (B) To consider the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of Philosophy (Ph.D.) with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024 (effective from 01.07.2023).
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters and the Academic Officer presented the modified Regulations step by step and the Council discussed on the Regulations. The following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 27: Resolved that as recommended by the 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Research Council, Dibrugarh University, held on 15.02.2023, the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), 2023 shall be effective from 01.07.2023 (2023-2024 academic session) be approved.
- Item No. 08: To consider the reservation of 80% seats of the M. Pharm. Programme for the B. Pharm. Graduates of Dibrugarh University and 20% seats for the B. Pharm. Graduates of the other Universities.
- **Discussion:** As recommended by the Faculty Meeting of the Department of the Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dibrugarh University held on 09.08.2022 regarding the reservation of 80% seats of the M. Pharm. Programme for the Dibrugarh University B. Pharm. Graduates and 20% seats for the B. Pharm. Graduate of the other Universities with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023. The Council discussed the matter and the following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 28: Resolved that as recommended by the Faculty Meeting of the Department of the Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dibrugarh University held on 09.08.2022, the reservation of 80% seats of the M. Pharm. Programme for the B. Pharm. Graduates of Dibrugarh University with GPAT qualification and 20% seats from the B. Pharm. Graduates of other Universities w.e.f. the Academic Session 2022-2023 be approved.

Item No. 09: To consider the Guidelines for pursuing two Academic Programmes simultaneously at Dibrugarh University under Distance Mode.

Discussion: The Director i/c, Directorate of Open and Distance Learning, Dibrugarh University had proposed the Guidelines for pursuing two Academic Programmes simultaneously at Dibrugarh University as per the University Grants Commission (UGC) under distance mode. The Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matters and the Director i/c, DODL apprised the Council regarding the Guidelines of the UGC. After discussion, the following resolution was adopted-

Resolution No. 29: Resolved that as proposed by the Director i/c, Directorate of Open and Distance Learning, Dibrugarh University the Guidelines for pursuing two Academic Programmes simultaneously at Dibrugarh University as per University Grants Commission be approved in principle.

Further, resolved that the committee constituted with following persons to prepare the Guidelines be approved:

- 1. Prof. Deb Kumar Chakraborty, Director i/c, DODL, D.U.: Chairperson
- 2. Prof. Dipak Chetia, Dean of Research and Development, D.U.: Member
- 3. Prof. Uttam Goswami, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U. : Member

Item No. 10: To consider the Course Structure and Syllabus for re-introduction of One Year Diploma Course in Oil Well Drilling Technology (OWDT) with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024.

Discussion: As recommended by the meetings of the DMC and Board of Studies (BoS) in Petroleum Technology, Dibrugarh University, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter for discussion. The Head, Department of Petroleum Technology has informed before the Council that they are going for re-introduction of One Year Diploma Course in Oil Well Drilling Technology (OWDT) Programme from the Academic Session 2023-2024 and the decision has been recommended by the meetings of the DMC and Board of Studies. Dr. Manas Kumar Sharma, Director, TNE, Oil India Limited and Prof. Ajay Mandal, Indian Institute of Technology, ISM have also given consent to restart the programme. The Committee discussed the matter and the following resolution was adopted-

- Resolution No. 30: Resolved that as recommended by the Board of Studies (BoS) in Petroleum Technology, Dibrugarh University, the Course Structure and Syllabus for re-introduction of One Year Diploma Course in Oil Well Drilling Technology (OWDT) be approved with effect from the Academic Session 2023-2024.
- Item No. 11: To consider the application submitted by the Registrar, NERIM, Guwahati, regarding amendment of the eligibility criteria for admission in the 3 year Full Time BCA Programme (CBCS) under Dibrugarh University.
- **Discussion :** As proposed by the Registrar, NERIM, Guwahati regarding amendment of eligibility criteria for admission in the 3 Year Full Time BCA Programme (CBCS) without Mathematics or Commercial Arithmetic subjects under Dibrugarh University. The Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c placed the matter before the Council for discussion and the Council discussed the matter and decided not to consider and following resolution was adopted accordingly-
- Resolution No. 31: Resolved that as proposed by the Registrar, NERIM, Guwahati regarding amendment of eligibility criteria for admission in the 3 Year Full Time BCA Programme (CBCS) without Mathematics or Commercial Arithmetic subjects under Dibrugarh University be not considered.
- Item No. 12: Matters for the ratification on the notifications issued by the University on approval under report to the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University.
  - (i) Academic Calendar for the University Departments and Centres for Studies for the period from of January, 2023 to December, 2023.

    Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC/22/1480 dated 14.12.2022
  - (ii) Academic Calendar for the General Degree Colleges/ Institutes affiliated to/ permitted by Dibrugarh University for the period from January, 2023 to December, 2023.
    - Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC/22/1481 dated 14.12.2022
  - (iii) Academic Calendar for the B.Ed. Programme offered by the PGT Colleges/ CTEs affiliated to/permitted by Dibrugarh University for the period from January, 2023 to December, 2023.

    Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC(B.Ed.)/22/1482 dated 14.12.2022
  - (iv) Holiday List 2023 Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC-Holiday List 23/22/1483 dated 14.12.2022
  - (v) Revised Academic Calendar for the University Teaching Departments, Centres for Studies and General Degree Colleges/
    Institutes affiliated to/ permitted by Dibrugarh University conducting the Post Graduate Academic Programmes for the period of March, 2022 to December, 2022.

- (vi) Revised Academic Calendar for the General Degree Colleges/ Institutes affiliated to/ permitted by Dibrugarh University for the period from March, 2022 to January, 2023. Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC/22/500 dated 10.05.2022
- (vii) Revised Academic Calendar of the B.Ed. Programme for the University Department, Colleges / Institutes affiliated to / permitted by Dibrugarh University conducting the B.Ed. Programme for the period of April, 2022 to December, 2022.

  Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC(B.Ed.)/22/490 dated 09.05.2022
- (viii) Academic Calendar for upcoming Odd Semester B. Tech. Programmes of Dibrugarh University Institute of Engineering and Technology (DUIET) for the period of September, 2022 to December, 2022.

  Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/4-1/APC(DUIET)/22/1050 dated 01.09.2022
- (ix) Reconstitution of the *Library Advisory Committee*, Dibrugarh University.

  Notified vide Memo No. DU/JR-A/6-1/22/1137 dated 19.09.2022
- (x) Revised syllabus of *Ph.D. Coursework in Physics* with effect from the Academic Session 2022-2023.

  Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/6-1/22/1123 dated 14.09.2022
- (xi) Introduction of an optional paper in the *Ph.D. pre-registration course* work in *Applied Geology* with effect from the batch admitted in 2022. Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/753 dated 20.07.2022
- (xii) Curriculum and Syllabus for the *Ph.D. pre-registration course work* programme of *DUIET* with effect from the batch admitted in 2022.

  Notified vide Memo No. *DU/DR-A/8-1/22/483 dated 06.05.2022*
- (xiii) Introduction of two optional papers in the existing syllabus of the *Ph.D. pre-registration course work programme in Computer Science* with effect from the batch admitted in 2022.
  Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/8-1/22/479 dated 06.05.2022

Discussion: The Deputy Registrar (Academic) i/c submitted before the Council the abovementioned matters had to be notified with approval from the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor under Report to the Academic Council. The Council noted and recommended the same for ratification. The following resolution was adopted on it-

Resolution No. 31(A): Resolved that the following Notifications issued by the University on approval under report to the Academic Council be noted and ratified-

- (i) Academic Calendar for the University Departments and Centres for Studies for the period from of January, 2023 to December, 2023.

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- (iii) Academic Calendar for the B.Ed. Programme offered by the PGT Colleges/ CTEs affiliated to/permitted by Dibrugarh University for the period from January, 2023 to December, 2023.

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  Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC/22/501 dated 10.05.2022
- (vi) Revised Academic Calendar for the General Degree Colleges/ Institutes affiliated to/ permitted by Dibrugarh University for the period from March, 2022 to January, 2023. Notified vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/APC/22/500 dated 10.05.2022
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#### Item No. 13: Any other matter-

(A) To consider the matter to provide the exhaustive Panel of Paper Setters to the Office of the Controller of Examinations before commencement of the Four Year Under Graduate Programme (FYUGP) from the Academic Session 2023-2024.

**Discussion:** As proposed by the Controller of Examinations, Dibrugarh University, the matter related to providing exhaustive Panel of Paper Setters to the Office of the Controller of Examinations before commencement of the Four Year Under Graduate Programme (FYUGP) from the Academic Session 2023-2024, the Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 32: Resolved that as proposed by the Controller of Examinations, Dibrugarh University the respective Board of Studies (BoS) be requested to provide the exhaustive Panel of Paper Setters to the Office of the Controller of Examinations before commencement of the Four Year Under Graduate Programme (FUUGP) from the academic session 2023-2024 be approved.

Further resolved that, the Controller of Examinations, Dibrugarh University be requested to take initiative for approval of the said panel through the Chairpersons of the respective Board of Studies (BoS).

(B) To consider the withdrawal of re-evaluation process in the B. Ed. Programme keeping parity with other academic Programmes w.e.f. the Academic Session 2023-2024.

**Discussion:** As proposed, the Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 33: Resolved that the withdrawal of re-evaluation process in the B. Ed. Programme keeping parity with other academic Programmes of the University under CBCS mode, w.e.f. the academic session 2023-2024 onwards be approved.

(C) To discuss the matter regarding 'Betterment Examination' in any two of the theory courses of a single semester after passing the Final semester examination.

**Discussion:** 

The Joint Controller of Examinations 'C', Dibrugarh University has apprised the Council regarding the matter to allow Betterment Examination to a student in any two of the theory courses of a single semester after passing the Final semester examination only once subject to the completion of the Post Graduate Programme under Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) mode within the maximum permissible period of time as given in the Regulation. The Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 34: Resolved that — A student shall be entitled to take the 'Betterment Examination' in any two of the theory courses of a single semester after passing the Final semester examination only once subject to the completion of the Post Graduate Programme under Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) mode within the maximum permissible period of time as given in the Regulation. In this case, the higher marks secured by the student shall be retained. The candidates shall have to apply for Betterment Examination within one year of passing the Final semester Examination with immediate effect be approved.

As there was no other matter for discussion, the meeting ended with vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

Sd/- Dr. P. Sonowal Registrar i/c and Secretary Academic Council Dibrugarh University Sd/- Prof. Jiten Hazarika Vice-Chancellor and Chairperson Academic Council Dibrugarh University

Memo No: DU/DR-A/AC/7-1/23/498

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- 2. The Deans, Dibrugarh University.
- 3. The Registrar, Dibrugarh University.
- 4. The Controller of Examinations, Dibrugarh University.
- 5. All members of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University.

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Date: 21.06.2023