



Minutes of the 16th Meeting of the Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law (FB-16/FHL/06-2023) held on 26.06.2023 at 3-00 pm at the Conference Room of the Office of the Deans, Dibrugarh University

The following persons were present in the meeting:

1	Prof. S. Mahanta Choudhury	Dean & Chairperson, Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law, D.U.	Chairperson
2	Prof. D. Chetia	Dean Research and Development	Member
3	Prof. A. Konwar	Dept. of Assamese	Member
4	Prof. J. K. Borah	Dept. of Assamese & Chairperson, Dr. B. H. Centre for Performing Arts.	Member
5	Prof. P. Deka Buzarboruah	Dept. of Assamese	Member
6	Dr. N. F. Akhtar	Dept. of English	Member
7	Dr. A. Bhattacharyya	Dept. of English	Member
8	Dr. Dipak Kumar Doley	Dept. of English	Member
9	Dr. C. K. Sarmah	Chairperson, Centre for Studies in Philosophy, D.U.	Member
10	Shri Arinjit Hazarika	Deputy Registrar (Academic)	Secretary

The Chairperson, Prof. S. Mahanta Choudhury, Dean, Faculty of Humanities and Law D.U. extended warm welcome to the members present in the 16th meeting of the Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law and requested the Secretary to take up the agenda.

Item No. (1) : Confirmation of the minutes of the 15th Meeting of Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law, Dibrugarh University (FB-15/FHS/03-2023) held on 29.03.2023.

Discussion: The minutes of the 15th Meeting of Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law, Dibrugarh University (FB-15/FHS/03-2023) held on 29.03.2023 circulated vide Memo No. DU/DR-A/FB-H&L/03-23 Dated: 29.03.2023 was placed before the Board for consideration. The members recommended confirmation of the minutes and adopted the following resolution:

Resolution No.01: Resolved that the Minutes of the 15th meeting of the Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law, Dibrugarh University FB-15/FHS/03-2023 held on 29.03.2023 be confirmed.

Item No. (2) : To consider Ph.D. Registration of the following Research Scholars:

Sl. No	Name of the Scholar	Supervisor
1	Ms. Abhilasha Phukan (English)	Dr. Dipak Kumar Doley, Associate Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.
2	Ms. Dhanashree Sarmah (English)	Dr. Khandakar Shahin Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.
3	Mr. Manab Medhi (English)	Dr. Khandakar Shahin Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.
4	Ms. Tanuka Bose (English)	Dr. Basil N. Darlong Diengdoh, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.
5	Ms. Reetuparna Dey (English)	Dr. Basil N. Darlong Diengdoh, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.
6	Ms. Kakoli Kashyap (English)	Dr. Anurag Bhattacharyya, Associate Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.
7	Ms. Rushika Chetia (Assamese)	Prof. Satyakam Borthakur, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.
8	Mr. Sanaton Hazarika (Assamese)	Prof. P. D. Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.
9	Mr. Montu Borah (Assamese)	Prof. P. D. Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.
10	Ms. Rishmita Kumar (Assamese)	Prof. P. D. Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.
11	Ms. Chandrama Gogoi (Assamese)	Prof. Satyakam Borthakur, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.

Discussion: As recommended by the DRCs concerned, the proposal of the above-mentioned candidates requesting for Ph.D. registration were placed before the Faculty

Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law for consideration. After discussion, the Board recommended the same for approval.

Resolution No.02: Resolved that the following research scholars be allowed for registration for the Ph.D. Degree of Dibrugarh University on the topics as specified under the supervision of the respective Supervisors and with effect from the dates shown against their names:

Sl. No	Name of the Scholar	Topic of Research	Supervisor	Date of effect
01	Ms. Abhilasha Phukan (English)	LOCATING THE POSTCOLONIAL ANTHROPOCENE IN SELECT INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIAN FICTIONS	Dr. Dipak Kumar Doley, Associate Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.	19.06.2023
02	Ms. Dhanashree Sarmah (English)	SENSE OF PLACE AND IDENTITY: READING THE SPATIAL POLITICS IN SELECT NATIVE AMERICAN NOVELS	Dr. Khandakar Shahin Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.	19.06.2023
3	Mr. Manab Medhi (English)	RETHINKING EVERYDAY LIFE: A READING OF SELECT VICTORIAN NOVELS	Dr. Khandakar Shahin Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.	19.06.2023
4	Ms. Tanuka Bose (English)	BETWEEN CRISIS AND RESILIENCE: EXPLORING BODY POLITICS AND TRAUMA IN SELECT DYSTOPIAN FICTION	Dr. Basil N. Darlong Diengdoh, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.	19.06.2023

5	Ms. Reetuparna Dey (English)	CONTESTATION THROUGH REPRESENTATION: A CRITICAL EXPLORATION OF SELECT ANIME	Dr. Basil N. Darlong Diengdoh, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.	19.06.2023
6	Ms. Kakoli Kashyap (English)	TRAUMA AND SENSE OF PLACE: AN EXPLORATION OF MEMORY IN SELECT FICTION OF KAZUO ISHIGURO	Dr. Anurag Bhattacharyya, Associate Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.	19.06.2023
7	Ms. Rushika Chetia (Assamese)	অৰূপা পটঙ্গীয়া কলিতাৰ উপন্যাসৰ নাৰীবাদী শৈলীবৈজ্ঞানিক অধ্যয়ন	Prof. Satyakam Borthakur, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	13.06.2023
8	Mr. Sanaton Hazarika (Assamese)	আত্মবিবৃতিৰ আধাৰত লেখকৰ ব্যক্তিত্ব বিচাৰ (নিৰ্বাচিত অসমীয়া আত্মজীৱনী লেখকৰ আধাৰত	Prof. P. D. Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	13.06.2023
9	Mr. Montu Borah (Assamese)	দস্যু ভাস্কৰ চিৰিজ : বিশ্লেষণাত্মক অধ্যয়ন	Prof. P. D. Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	13.06.2023
10	Ms. Rishmita Kumar (Assamese)	অসমীয়া লোকসাহিত্যত গণিত আৰু বিজ্ঞান চেতনা	Prof. P. D. Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	13.06.2023
11	Ms. Chandrama Gogoi (Assamese)	আহোম আৰু মৰাণ জনগোষ্ঠীৰ আত্মপৰিচয়ৰ প্ৰসংগ আৰু সংস্কৃতি পুনৰনিৰ্মাণ প্ৰৱণতা	Prof. Satyakam Borthakur, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	13.06.2023

Item No. (3) : To consider Minor modification in the Ph.D. Topics of the following scholar:

- (i) Kuki Baruah (Performing Arts)

Discussion: The Faculty Board examined the recommendation of the concerned DRC of the application of the following Research Scholar requesting for minor modifications in the title of his/her ongoing Ph.D. work.

(i) Kuki Baruah (Performing Arts)

The Board approved the same and adopted the following resolution-

Resolution No. 03: Resolved that as recommended by the DRC in Performing Arts, D.U., Kuki Baruah (Performing Arts) be permitted to modify the title of his/her Ph.D. work, which will be read as:

“DANCE FORMS IN BRAHMA SANHATI SATTRAS: AN ANALYTICAL STUDY”

Item No. (4) : To consider quadruplicate copies of the Abstracts and Panels of Examiners of the following research scholars :

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| (i) | Kuki Baruah | (Performing Arts) | Date of Re-Regn. | : 19.10.2021 |
| (ii) | Khamseng Borgohain | (Assamese) | Date of Regn. | : 18.03.2021 |
| (iii) | Niharika Phukan | (Assamese) | Date of Regn. | : 17.09.2018 |
| (iv) | Madhusmita Mahanta Goswami | (Assamese) | Date of Regn. | : 17.09.2018 |
| (v) | Thoibi Phukan | (Assamese) | Date of Regn. | : 17.09.2018 |

Discussion: As recommended by the DRCs concerned, the quadruplicate copies of the Abstracts and Panels of Examiners of the above-mentioned Research Scholars were placed before the Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law for consideration. The Board found the documents in order and accepted for further necessary action.

Resolution No.04: Resolved that the Abstracts of the Ph.D. theses and the Panels of Examiners of the following Ph.D. scholars be accepted:

Sl. No.	Name of the Scholars	Name of the Supervisors	Department/Centre
1	Kuki Baruah	Prof. Satyakam Barthakur, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	Performing Arts
2	Khamseng Borgohain	Dr. Pallavi Deka Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	Assamese
3	Niharika Phulon	Prof. Jayanta Kumar Bora, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	Assamese
4	Madhusmita Mahanta Goswami	Prof. Subasana Mahanta, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	Assamese
5	Thoibi Phukan	Prof. Niranjana Mahanta Bezborah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	Assamese

Item No. (5) :To receive Six-monthly Progress Reports of the following Ph.D. Scholars:

- (i) Assamese (07 Nos.)
- (ii) English (13Nos.)
- (iii) Performing Arts (01 No.)
- (iv) Philosophy (02 Nos.)

Discussion: The Secretary placed a consolidated report on the Six-Monthly Progress Reports of the below-mentioned research scholars as forwarded and recommended by the DRCs concerned for the period(s) shown against their names for acceptance. The Board discussed the matter and recommended for approval.

Resolution No. 05: *Resolved that as per recommendation of the DRCs concerned the six-monthly Progress Reports of the following Ph.D. scholars of the Dept. of Assamese, Dept. of English, Centre for Studies in Philosophy and Dr. Bhupen Hazarika Centre for Studies in Performing Arts for the periods shown against their names be accepted:*

Department of Assamese

01	<i>Sikhamoni Devi</i>	<i>28.09.2022 to 27.03.2023</i>
02	<i>Minakshi Hazarika</i>	<i>28.09.2022 to 27.03.2023</i>
03	<i>Ajanta Handique</i>	<i>18.06.2022 to 17.12.2022</i>
04	<i>Monmi Kalita</i>	<i>18.09.2022 to 17.03.2023</i>
05	<i>Gita Hazarika</i>	<i>18.09.2022 to 17.03.2023</i>
06	<i>Dipshikha Handique</i>	<i>03.11.2022 to 02.05.2023</i>
07	<i>Ravi Sahu</i>	<i>13.12.2022 to 12.06.2023</i>

Department of English:

01	<i>Hanifa Rahman</i>	<i>18.12.2022 to 17.06.2023</i>
02	<i>Deepali Borthakur</i>	<i>18.12.2022 to 17.06.2023</i>
03	<i>Parthiva Nandan Saikia</i>	<i>17.12.2022 to 16.06.2023</i>
04	<i>Juriti Goswami</i>	<i>17.12.2022 to 16.06.2023</i>
05	<i>Asima Gogoi</i>	<i>20.12.2022 to 19.06.2023</i>
06	<i>Raginee Mahanta</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.05.2023</i>
07	<i>Gaurab Sengupta</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.06.2023</i>
08	<i>Kaushik Bhuyan</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.06.2023</i>
09	<i>Anuj Boruah</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.06.2023</i>
10	<i>Ananya Buragohain</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.06.2023</i>
11	<i>Priyanka Bharali</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.06.2023</i>
12	<i>Saswati Kashyap</i>	<i>15.12.2022 to 14.06.2023</i>
13	<i>Kakoli Bonya Gogoi</i>	<i>13.12.2022 to 12.06.2023</i>

Centre for Performing Arts:

01	<i>Kuki Baruah</i>	<i>19.10.2022 to 18.04.2023</i>
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Centre for Studies in Philosophy:

01	<i>Pinki Borah</i>	<i>21.09.2022 to 20.03.2023</i>
02	<i>Niranjan Haloi</i>	<i>22.09.2022 to 21.02.2023</i>

Item No. (6): To consider the re-registration/Extension of the following Ph.D. Scholar:

- (i) Ajanta Handique (Assamese) Date of Regn. 18.06.2018
(ii) Pinki Borah (Philosophy) Date of Regn. 21.09.2018

Discussion: As recommended by the concerned DRCs, the Board examined the applications of the above-mentioned research scholars requesting for extension of the period of registration (re-registration) of their Ph.D. work and finally recommended for approval.

Resolution No. 06: *Resolved that as recommended by the concerned DRCs the application for extension of registration (re-registration) of the below-mentioned Ph.D. research scholars be considered under the purview of the Regulations concerned:*

Sl. No.	Name of the Scholar	Name of the Supervisor	w.e.f.
1	Ajanta Handique (Assamese)	Pro. Arpana Konwar, Dept. of Assamese, D.U.	18.06.2023
2	Pinki Borah (Philosophy)	(i) Prof. Nava Kumar Handique, Professor (Retd.), Dept. of Assamese, D.U. (ii) Dr. Chandan Kr. Sarma, Dept. of History, D.U.	21.09.2023

Item No. (07): To consider the application for Ph.D. Supervisorship of Dr. Ritushmita Sharma, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, D.U.

Discussion: The Secretary placed the recommendation of the DRC in English for recognition of Ph. D. Supervisorship of Dr. Ritushmita Sharma. The Board examined the proposal and found it in order and finally recommended to the Research Council for approval for recognition as a Ph.D. supervisor.

Resolution No: 07 Resolved to recommend to the Research Council that as recommended by the DRC in English, D.U., Dr. Ritushmita Sharma, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English. be recognized as a Ph. D. Supervisor in English under the DRC in English, D.U.

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

Sd/-Arinjit Hazarika
Secretary, Faculty Board
Faculty of Humanities and Law
Dibrugarh University

Sd/- Prof. S. Mahanta Choudhury
Chairperson, Faculty Board
Faculty of Humanities and Law
Dibrugarh University

Memo No.: DU/DR-A/FB-16/FHL/06-2023/966

Date: 03/10/2023

Copy for kind information and necessary action to:

1. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Dibrugarh University.
2. The Chairperson, Faculty Board, Faculty of Humanities and Law, Dibrugarh University.
3. The Dean, Research and Development, Dibrugarh University.
4. The Head/Chairperson of the concerned Departmental Research Committees (DRCs), Dibrugarh University.
5. The Registrar, Dibrugarh University.
6. The Controller of Examinations i/c, Dibrugarh University.
7. File.

Sd/-Deputy Registrar (Academic) and
Secretary, Faculty Board
Faculty of Humanities and Law
Dibrugarh University