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To


The Members of
the Academic Council,
North-Eastern Hill University.

Subject : Minutes of the 41st Meeting of the Academic Council.

Sir/Madam,

I am forwarding herewith the Minutes of the 41st Meeting of the Academic Council held on 12th March, 1991 for favour of your information and comments, if any.

Yours faithfully,



(H.W.T.Syien)
Officer-on-Special Duty.

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MINUTES OF THE FOURTY-FIRST MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF THE FORTYFIRST MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

The fortyfirst meeting of the Academic Council was held on the 12th March, 1991 at 11:00 A.M. in the Seminar Hall, Mayurbhanj Complex, North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong.

PRESENT :

The list of members who attended the meeting is appended as appendix - I.

WELCOME :

The Chairman welcomed the members to the 41st meeting of the Academic Council. The Chairman then introduced the two new members of the Academic Council who attended the meeting for the first time and welcomed them -

1. Dr S.K.Dey,
Lecturer,
Science College,
Kohima.
2. Dr H.Vanlalhluna,
Lecturer,
Aizawl Government College,
Aizawl.

APOLOGY :

An apology was received from Dr B.K.Dev Sarma, Director, College Development Council, for his inability to attend the meeting.

Before taking up the agenda items, the Chairman referred to the sad demise of Prof. R.S.Lyngdoh whose long participation as a member of the Academic Council had offered many valuable contributions to the University. The Council observed two minutes' silence as a mark of respect to the departed soul. The Chairman then authorised the Officer on Special Duty to send a condolence message to the bereaved family.

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Item No. 1 CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF THE
40TH MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL :

No.AC:41:91:01: The Council RESOLVED to confirm the minutes of the 40th meeting of the Academic Council held on the 1st November, 1990 as no comment was received from the members.

Item No. 2 REPORTING ITEMS :

- (i) Action taken on the minutes of the 40th meeting of the Academic Council -

AC:41:91:02(i): The Council noted the follow-up action taken in the various decisions of the Council in its 40th meeting.

Item No. 3 RATIFICATION OF ACTION TAKEN
BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR :

- (i) Award of Ph.D. and M.Phil Degrees -

AC:41:91:03(i): The Council RESOLVED to ratify the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in the award of Ph.D. and M.Phil degrees as approved by the concerned School Boards and the Board of Research Studies in Sciences and further RESOLVED to recommend the cases to the Executive Council for approval.

<u>Name of the candidate</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Department</u>
1. Smti R.N.Hooroo	Ph.D.	Zoology
2. Smti C.R.Diengdoh	-do-	-do-
3. Shri A.Kr. Roy	-do-	-do-
4. Shri G.K.N.Chhetry	-do-	Botany
5. Shri R.S.Prakasham	-do-	Bio-Chemistry
6. Mr J.Arjun	M.Phil	Zoology
7. Mr Ashish Kumar Das	-do-	Mathematics
8. Shri Rupam Kr. Brahma	-do-	Economics
9. Rajashree Paul	-do-	Philosophy
10. Shri P.K.Debbarma	-do-	Political Science
11. Shri Chinkholian Guite	-do-	-do-
12. Shri Jagabandu Mahapatra	-do-	-do-
13. Ms. Kalpana Chittaranjan	-do-	-do-
14. Ms. Corine Lyngdoh	-do-	-do-
15. Ms P.Kharkongor	-do-	History
16. Ms Judy H.Buam	-do-	-do-
17. Ms Ruma Paul	-do-	Economics.

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- (ii) Nomination of NEHU representatives to the Governing Body of affiliated colleges -

AC:41:91:03(ii): The Council RESOLVED to ratify the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in nominating University representatives in the Governing Body of affiliated colleges as follows :

<u>Name of the college</u>	<u>University representatives</u>	<u>Term</u>
1. Saiha College	1. Dr S. Ganguly, Reader Deptt. of English NWHU, Mizoram Campus.	2 years w.e.f. 11.9.1990
	2. Shri Liangsala, Lecturer Deptt. of Economics, NEHU, Mizoram Campus, Aizawl.	-do-
2. St. Anthony's College, Shillong.	1. Prof. T.S.B. Narasaraju, Deptt. of Chemistry, NEHU, Shillong.	3 years w.e.f. 1.8.1990
	2. Prof. A.N. Rai, Deptt. of Bio-Chemistry NEHU, Shillong	-do-

The Council, however, observed that in colleges offering Arts, Science and Commerce courses, nomination should be made from both Social Sciences and Science streams and it further RESOLVED that in future such nominations should be made in consultation with the Deans' Committee.

Item No.5 ACADEMIC MATTERS :

5:1 - Statutes, Ordinances, Regulations & Rules

- (i) Amendment of Tables 'A' and 'B' of Regulation OA-8/R-1 common courses and allied and cognate subjects for the BPGS in Public Administration and Social Work -

AC:41:91:5:01(i): The Council RESOLVED to approve the following as common/allied courses and cognate subjects in the Department of Public Administration and Social Work for the composition of the Board of Post-Graduate Studies in the Department of Public Administration and Social Work and it further RESOLVED to include the subjects in Table 'A' and Table 'B' of Regulation OA-8/R-1.

Table "A"

Common/Allied courses within
the School

Table "B"

Allied and cognate subjects in
other Schools

Deptt. of Public Administration. Political Sciences, Economics, Sociology, Psychology.

Geography,
Rural Development

Deptt. of Social Work. Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology, Economics.

Geography, Forestry

(ii) Inclusion of Professors of a Centre
in the Centre's Advisory Committee-

No:AC:41:91:5:01(ii): The Council RESOLVED to approve amendment or Ordinance OA-11 so as to include the Professor of a Centre in the respective Advisory Committees.

5:2 - Syllabus -

(i) Syllabus for the Certificate Course
in Statistics.

No:AC:41:91:5:02(i): The Council discussed in detail the proposed syllabus for Certificate Course in Statistics and observed that:

(i) The number of classes and lecture periods were not in conformity with the course content and

(ii) books should be recommended paper-wise.

The Council further observed that, since the existing Regulation was framed for part-time courses and the courses under consideration was a full-time course, a separate Regulation might be needed. Since a Committee has been constituted to examine the general functioning of the Centres, the Council RESOLVED to refer this matter also to that Committee to go into the details of all aspects and submit its report in the next meeting of the Academic Council.

(ii) Allocation of marks for M.Sc. Chemistry

No:AC:41:91:5:02:(ii): The Council RESOLVED to approve the revised course structure to allocate the total marks of 1800 for M.Sc. Chemistry as approved by the School Board. The Course structure is given at Appendix-'II'.

(iii) Reading list for M.A. History-

No:AC:41:91:5:02:(iii): The Council RESOLVED to approve the additional reading list for M.A. History.

(iv) Revised course structure for M.Sc. Geology

No:AC:41:91:5:02(iv): The Council RESOLVED to approve the revised course structure for M.Sc. Geology as recommended by the Board of Post Graduate Studies and the School Board.

(v) Revised syllabus for M.A.
Political Science -

AC:41:91:5:02(v): The Council RESOLVED to approve the revised syllabus for M.A. Political Science. It, however, observed that the School should have a common methodology course and the number of lectures may be indicated.

(vi) Syllabus for the M.Phil Programme
in Library and Information Sciences -

AC:41:91:5:02(v ') The Council RESOLVED to approve in principle the M.Phil Programme in Library and Information Sciences and that the course should be started only when necessary infrastructure is made available.

5:5 - Examination Matters -

(i) Panel of examiners for Ph.D -

AC:41:91:5:05(i): The Council RESOLVED to approve the panel of examiners for examining the Ph.D. theses of the following candidates and to recommend the cases to the Executive Council for its consideration :

<u>Name of the candidate</u>	<u>Department</u>
1. Mr. A.K.Gupta	Chemistry
2. Mr. M.P.Balu	-do-
3. Mr. R.L.Gupta	-do-
4. Ms. S.Ghosh	-do-
5. Mr. B.Dev	-do-
6. Mr. V.R. Rao	Physics
7. Mr. P.K.Patra	-do-
8. Mr M.Sudarshan	-do-
9. Mr.B.Sahu	-do-
10. Ms. S.Nandi	-do-
11. Mr. N.K.Choudhury	-do-
12. Mr. R.Das	-do-
13. Mrs. S.Datta	Mathematics
14. Mrs.I.Devi	-do-
15. Miss M.Chauhan	Botany
16. Mr. M.C.Paul	-do-
17. Mr. C.S.Rao	-do-
18. Miss C.Massar	-do-
19. Mr Uma Shankar	-do-
20. Mr. V.Belho	-do-
21. Miss.M.G.Hazra	-do-
22. Miss. J.Raut	-do-
23. Miss P.Rao	-do-

<u>Name of the candidate</u>	<u>Department</u>
24. Miss J.Mishra	Botany
25. Mr. J.Dang	-do-
26. Mr. S.K.Barik	-do-
27. Miss S.Kunaria	-do-
28. Mr. Ioli Daiho	Plant Pathology SASRD, Medziphema Nagaland.
29. Smt. Lalliani Ralte	Education
30. Smt. Medalin Nongrum	-do-
31. Mrs. Sipra Naik	-do-
32. Ms. Caroline Ngailiankin	-do-
33. Mr. R.R.T.Sanga	Pol.Science
34. Mr. Joshua Thomas	-do-
35. Ms. Keya Sengupta	Economics
36. Mr. Girish Kumar	Philosophy
37. Smt. M.Bhattacharjee	History
38. Smt. Tezimala Gurung.	History.

(ii) Panel of examiners for M.Phil -

AC:41:91:5:05(ii): The Council RESOLVED to approve the panel of examiners for examining the M.Phil dissertations of the following candidates and further RESOLVED to recommend the cases to the Executive Council :

<u>Name of the candidate</u>	<u>Department</u>
1. Miss T.Pariat	Bio-Chemistry
2. Mr.B.Keikara	Mathematics
3. Mr A.K.Das	Mathematics
4. Mr Ajanta Brahma	History
5. Mr. Salona Zhemoni	-do-
6. Mr Alfre-da L.Lyngdoh	-do-
7. Ms. Bhakri Ksaniang	-do-
8. Ms. Amita Roy	-do-
9. Mr. Joyce Lyngdoh	-do-
10. Ms. Phioshua Kharkongor	-do-
11. Ms. N.Kokin	-do-
12. Mr Nguno Soukrie	-do-
13. Ms. Sheena Rane Marak	Pol.Science
14. Ms. Mimi	-do-
15. Mr. Khokan Das	-do-

<u>Name of the candidate</u>	<u>Department</u>
16. Shri Pascal Malngiang	Pol.Science
17. Ms. Evangiliancy Dkhar	-do-
18. Ms. Suparna Bhattacharjee	-do-
19. Apark. Chakraborty	Philosophy
20. Miss. Anupa Saha	-do-
21. Mr. Pravekar Singha	Economics
22. Ms. Sanchita Dutta	-do-
23. Mr. Gorkey Borgohain	-do-
24. Mr.Prokash Chandra Sharnah	-do-
25. Mr. Nava Jyoti Sharnah	-do-
26. Ms. G.Sara Lyngdem	-do-
27. Mr. Pratap Ch.Nag	-do-
28. Mr. Purushottan Bhandari	-do-
29. Mr. Debojani Naug	-do-
30. Ms. Sona Sen	-do-
31. Ms. Tripti M.Baruah	-do-
32. Mr. Ranjan Kr. Phookan	-do-
33. Ms. Sujata Sharma	Sociology
34. Ms. K.S.Mawlong	-do-
35. Ms. V.F.Rynjah	-do-
36. Ms. Lolita M.Shangpliang	-do-
37. Mr. A.K.Nongkynrih	-do-
38. Mr. Bishnu Chettri	-do-
39. Mr. B.Laltanpuia	-do-
40. Mr. E.Nongsiang	-do-
41. Mr. Aniena Nongkhlaw	-do-
42. Mr. Khosapa Venu	-do-
43. Mr. Jemina Mawthoh	-do-
44. Mr. L.Y.Longchar	-do-
45. Ms. Sylviana Lyngdoh Kynshi	-do-
46. Mr. Paul Lokho	-do-
47. Mr. A.K.Gupta	-do-
48. Ms. M.Khrienuo Angani	Pol.Science
49. Smti Ruby Dkhar	Education
50. Smt. Lalsangliani	Education.

(iii) Award of Ph.D. Degree -

AC:41:91:5:05(iii): The Council RESOLVED to approve the award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy to the following candidates as recommended by the respective School Boards and Boards of Research Studies and to recommend the cases to the Executive Council :

Name of the candidate	Department
1. Shri P.D.Baruah	Chemistry
2. Shri R.T.Chakrasali	-do-
3. Shri R.L.Gupta	-do-
4. Shri Abraham Thomas	-do-
5. Shri M.L.Purkayastha	-do-
6. Shri S.N.Bose	Mathematics
7. Shri A.K.Sarna	Physics
8. Shri G.Thakur	Physics

(iv) Award of M.Phil Degree -

AC:41:91:5:05(iv): The Council RESOLVED to approve the award of the degree of M.Phil to the following candidates as recommended by the concerned School Boards and the Boards of Research Studies and further RESOLVED to recommend the cases to the Executive Council :

Name of the candidate	Department
1. Miss E.M.L. Buam	Physics
2. Mrs D.Bhattacharjee	-do-
3. Ms Beena George	Mathematics
4. Mrs Sanchales Ghosh	-do-

5:6 - Establishment of new Departments/
Centres/Courses -

(i) Proposal for introduction of M.Phil
course in the Department of Education
at Nagaland -

AC:41:91:5:06(i) The Council RESOLVED that a detailed proposal may be sent by the Department to the School Board for consideration.

5:7 - Affiliation etc. -

- (i) Upgradation of Raid Laban College
to Degree level -

AC:41:91:5:07(i): The Council RESOLVED to grant provisional affiliation for upgradation of Raid Laban College to degree level for a period of two years subject to fulfilment of conditions specified by the Visiting Team.

- (ii) Introduction of B.Con. Honours in
Accountancy in Hrangbana College -

AC:41:91:5:07(ii): The Council RESOLVED to grant affiliation of Accountancy for B.Con(Honours) in Hrangbana College, Mizoram. The Council further RESOLVED that in future the recommendation of the Committee should be substantiated by an abstract of the conditions fulfilled or short-comings, if any, for consideration of the Council.

5:8 - Others -

- (i) Representation of the Pachhunga University
College Teachers in the Academic Council -

AC:41:91:5:08(i): The Council RESOLVED that a Committee may be constituted by the Vice-Chancellor to look into the question of representation of teachers of constituent colleges including College of Agriculture in the Academic Council.

- (ii) Forum for inter-disciplinary activities
and exchange within Universities -

AC:41:91:5:08(ii): The Council noted the proposal on Forum of Inter-Disciplinary Activities and Exchange within Universities' made by the Indian Association of Social Science Institutions and forwarded by the Association of Indian Universities.

- (iii) Appointment of external invigilators
and flying squads -

AC:41:91:5:08(iii): The Council RESOLVED that the powers and functions for the teams going to visit the Centres may be worked out. It further RESOLVED that the Controller of Examinations may examine and submit a

proposal for a better system if the present system of surprise visits does not prove quite effective.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor Nagaland stated in the Council that some flying squads were set up in Nagaland land, and did good work. He may submit a report on this with his assessment and suggestions if any. This would help in the assessment of need of such teams as also in laying down their powers and functions.

(iv) Report of the UGC Committee on
Academic Calendar in Universities
and colleges -

AC:41:91:5:08(iv): The Council RESOLVED to defer consideration of the matter. The Controller of Examination may in the meantime prepare and submit two models of the Academic Calendar, that is, the present system of February - March Calendar and June - July Calendar also, indicating the merits and demerits of each for consideration in the next meeting of the Council.

Item No. 6 ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS :


6:1 - Selection Committee -

(i) Panel of experts for Selection
Committee for the Department
of Library and Information Sciences --

AC:41:91:6:01(i): The Council RESOLVED to approve the panel of experts for Selection Committee for the Department of Library and Information Sciences and further recommended to place the matter to the Executive Council for its consideration.

The meeting ended at 2:45 P.M. with a Vote of Thanks from the Chair.

Sd/-I.Narain
Chairman,
Executive Council,
NEHU, Shillong.


(H.W.T.Syiem)
Secretary,
Executive Council,
NEHU, Shillong.

APPENDIX - I

LIST OF MEMBERS ATTENDING THE 41ST
MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL

1. Dr. Iqbal Narain,
Vice-Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong.
2. Prof. R.G. Michael,
Pro Vice-Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong.
3. Shri Kirenwati Ao,
Pro Vice-Chancellor, Nagaland, Kohima.
4. Prof. R. Lalthantluanga,
Pro Vice-Chancellor, Mizoram Campus, Aizawl.
5. Shri H.W.T. Syiem,
Officer on Special Duty.
6. Dr. H. Vanlehlhuna.
7. Dr. S.K. Dey.
8. Dr. T. Lanusosang.
9. Prof. A.G. George.
10. Shri Saingenga.
11. Prof (Mrs) M.S. Padma.
12. Dr. B. Lynden Lasso.
13. Shri A. Patton.
14. Prof. A.K. Sharma.
15. Dr (Mrs) Bharti Sharma.
16. Prof. P. Shukla.
17. Prof. M.C. Pandey.
18. Prof. S.N. Bhat.
19. Prof (Mrs) H. Ila.
20. Prof. K.K. Sharma.
21. Dr. B.S. Chauhan.
22. Prof. Imdad Hussain.
23. Prof. S.S. Khare.
24. Dr. Vijay Kumar.
25. Prof. Y.S.T. Rao.
26. Prof. B. Pakem.
27. Dr. S.N. Rai.
28. Prof (Mrs) K.S. Lyngdoh.

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29. Dr. P.K.Gupta.
30. Prof. H.Junjappa.
31. Dr. V.B.Singh.
32. Dr. P.L.Kar.
33. Prof. Soumen Sen.
34. Prof. A.P.Sinha.
35. Shri D.L.Warjri.
36. Shri R.K.Datta.
37. Prof. N.Hasan.
38. Dr. R.N.Prasad.
39. Dr. S.Ganguly.
40. Dr. K.C.Baral.
41. Shri Liangela.
42. Shri Zairemmawia.
43. Dr.R.Sharma.
44. Prof. J.S.Bhattacharjee.
45. Dr. V.K.Kumar.
46. Dr. R.N.Sarmah.
47. Prof. J.C.Binwal.
48. Prof. K.Chatterjee.
49. Prof. C.S.Shastry.
50. Prof. T.S.B.Narasaraju.
51. Prof. N.Malla.
52. Prof. M.N.Karna.
53. Dr. H.W.Sten.
54. Prof. R.P.Bajpai.
55. Prof. S.N.Guhathakurta.
56. Prof. K.Bez.
57. Mrs. G.Das.
58. Prof.(Mrs) Sujata Miri.
59. Prof. B.K.Tiwari.
60. Prof. A.Raghu Varman.
61. Prof. E.N.Lall.
62. Prof. A.C.Sinha.
63. Prof. S.Homchaudhuri.

64. Dr. A.C.Mohapatra.
65. Prof. A.K.Baruah.
66. Prof. N.N.Acharyya.
67. Prof.(Ms.) J.War.
68. Prof. H.B.Ngap Kynta.
69. Prof. A.L.Verma.
70. Prof. R.S.Tripathi.

APPEND IX-II

M.Sc. Chemistry: Proposed course structure

<u>Semester</u>	<u>Course name</u>	<u>arks</u>
I Semester	1. Quantum Chemistry	80
	2. Inorganic Chemistry-I	100
	3. Organic Chemistry-I	100
	4. Physical Chemistry-I	100
	5. Laboratory Course-I	120
	<u>Total - 500</u>	
II Semester	1. Chemical Binding	80
	2. Inorganic Chemistry-II	100
	3. Organic Chemistry-II	100
	4. Physical Chemistry-II	100
	5. Laboratory Course-II	120
	<u>Total - 500</u>	
III Semester	1. Spectroscopic Methods	80
	2. Inorganic Chemistry -III	100
	3. Organic Chemistry -III	100
	4. Physical Chemistry-III	100
	5. Laboratory Course-III	120
	<u>Total - 500</u>	
IV Semester	1. Analytical Chemistry and Computer Programming	80
	2. Elective (Inorg./Org./Phys.)	100
	3. Project Work	120
	<u>Total - 300</u>	
	Grand Total <u><u><u>1300</u></u></u>	