

Minutes of the meeting of Committee of Studies held on 9th October, 2018

at 11am in the Centre

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The following members were present:

1. Prof. Ujjwal Kumar Singh
2. Prof. S. N. Malakar
3. Prof. Mehtab Manzar
4. Dr. Mujibur Rehman
5. Dr. Arvind Kumar
6. Dr. Hem Borker
7. Dr. Khalid Ansari
8. Ms. Sufia Nizami
9. Mr. Abu Faizan
10. Dr. Rahul Ramagundam (Offg. Director)

At the outset the Director welcomed newly appointed faculty Dr. Hem Borker and Dr. Khalid Ansari as a new members. The Director also briefed the committee about the programmes undertaken at the Centre such as publication and photo exhibition.

Then the following agenda items were discussed:

1. Confirmation of the minutes of the last meeting held on 14/11/2017.

Point 10 was brought for deliberation by two faculty members viz. Dr. Mujibur Rehman and Dr. Arvind Kumar. Their objection on difference on approach between 10a and 10b was explained to them and objection was overruled. The clause 10c was also contested by both the above faculty members. It was explained that maintenance of attendance is now a statutory requirement and is to be done by the supervisor concerned.

The board recommended cancellation of Ph. D admission of Mr. Swaran Kumar Anand and Mr. Ajeet Singh as per rule under Ph.D Ordinance of the JMI. Both the scholars have failed to submit requisite annual fees, progress reports duly signed by the supervisor concerned. Supervisors also brought to the notice of the Committee that said scholars have failed in doing any academic work or have maintained contacts with them.

2. The M.Phil/Ph.D admissions were approved as per the minutes of the CRC meeting held on dates 29th November, 2017 and 2nd August, 2018.
3. The transfer of Ph.D scholars working under Prof. Sabiha Hussain and Dr. Mehar Fatima Hussain (as per the decision arrived in consultation with the Dean according to the directive of the last COS) to Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women Studies was approved.

Regarding one scholar Ms. Farhana Manzoor under the supervision of Ms. Mehar Fatima Hussain, who is yet to be transferred due to pending NO DUES CLEARANCE, it was decided that the file of Ms. Farhana Manzoor should also be transferred to Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women Studies with a letter from the Centre that she has not submitted her No Dues certificate and had never reported the Centre in this regard.

4. A List of Progress Reports submitted by the M.Phil/Ph.D scholars upto 30th September, 2018 was approved with also a presentation made by scholars before the Committee. (list of submission and presentation is attached)
5. The Board endorsed Four New Papers with their syllabus introduced in MA Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy.

SEC-XVII Power and the Marginalized

SEC-XVIII Understanding Indian Society: Perspective from Below

SEC-XIX Idea of Citizenship: Debates and Discontents

SE AE CC-II Ability Enhancement- Doing Ethnography

6. The Examiners/Paper setters for the Odd semester examination (2018-19) were approved.
7. The Board recommended extension of Non-NET fellowship to a Ph.D scholar Ms. Masroor.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks by the chair


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