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**Minutes
of
25th Meeting of the Research Board**

Date: 18-03-2024

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Member Absent:

1. Prof. Dr. P. Chandrakumar	Dean, R &D- Member
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Items for Consideration

Item No 25.1: To consider and approve Stipend Revision for International Scholars.

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the details of approve Stipend Revision for International Scholars as given in Table 1.

Table 1: Stipend Revision for International Scholars

Previous Stipend	Revised Stipend
Rs. 15000/- with 100% Tuition fee waiver.	Rs. 25000/- with 100% Tuition fee waiver.

Action:

The research board acknowledged the institute's efforts and duly considered and noted the revisions to the stipends for international scholars

Items for Discussion

Item No.: 25.2 To consider and approve Annual Research Scholar Meet Arrangement and Accolades.

Discussion:

The Annual Research Scholar Meet Arrangement and Accolades were proposed and presented by Dean, Academic Research for discussion are listed in Table 2.

Table 2: The Annual Research Scholar Meet Arrangement and Accolades

S. No.	Particulars	Accolades
1	Best Paper Award	Most outstanding research paper presented at the event.
2	Best Poster Award	Most engaging and informative poster presentation.
3	Research Excellence Award	Exceptional contributions and impact in their field.
4	Best Presentation Award	Celebrate the most compelling and articulate oral presentation.
5	Innovation Award	innovative research projects that push the boundaries of knowledge.
6	Collaboration Award	Exemplary teamwork and interdisciplinary collaboration.
7	Special Recognition Award	Acknowledgment for unique achievements or contributions. (Soceital Benefits)
8	Certificates or Trophies	Present winners with tangible tokens of appreciation for their accomplishments.

Action:

The board recommended consolidating the award groups and advised creating key award categories. Following this recommendation, the award categories have been streamlined as outlined in the table below.

S. No.	Particulars	Accolades
1	Best Poster Award	Most engaging and informative poster presentation in their filed of research.
2	Innovation Award (Best TRL)	Innovative research projects that push the boundaries of knowledge.
3	Special Recognition Award (Soceital Benefit)	Honoring unique achievements or contributions addressing pressing societal needs
Winners will receive certificates or trophies to appreciate their achievements, while participants will receive certificates for taking part.		

Item No.: 25.3 To consider and approve initiation of Incentives for Research Scholars Contributing to Q1 Journals

Discussion:

Cash incentives (Rs. 20000/-) for research scholars contributing to more Q1 journals. The supervision and disbursement of funds will be overseen by the Dean, Research and Development

Action:

The board supported the initiative and recommended that the first author preferably be a scholar. Additionally, they advised the Office of the Dean of Research and Development may proceed once they make the necessary rubrics.

Items for Discussion

Item No.: 25.4 Categorization of individual Ph.D. scholars placed under the "DORMANT" category.

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the case of the Ph.D. candidates placed under the DORMANT category to finalize the time period for this category, as given in Table 3.

Table 3: Ph.D. candidates placed under the DORMANT category.

S. No.	VTD No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Dept.	Date of Admission	Mode of Study	No.of Semester in Dormant
1	424	Thirunagari Nataraj	MECH	02-11-2017	PT-External	2
2	439	Rahul Yashwant Pawar	CSE	06-04-2017	PT-External	2
3	535	Mahesh Babu Rao Lonare	CSE	20-09-2017	PT-External	2
4	577	Immaculate Priya.C	MBA	24-01-2018	PT-External	2
5	632	M Manoj Kumar	CIVIL	20-12-2018	PT-External	2
6	634	S Pushpa Kumari	CIVIL	20-12-2018	PT-External	2
7	656	Aswani Kumar Puttumraju	ECE	20-12-2018	PT-External	2
8	748	Sangamnath Uppin	CIVIL	31-01-2020	PT-External	2
9	763	Kuraganti Syam Babu	ECE	10-01-2020	PT-External	2
10	767	Revathy M	ENGLISH	25-01-2020	Full Time	2
11	785	Gayathri Devi M	MBA	29-01-2020	Full Time	2
12	817	Yamini.V	CIVIL	24-09-2020	PT-External	2
13	846	Usthela Anusha Rani	ECE	23-09-2020	PT-External	2
14	854	Manepalli Sudha Manohar	ECE	23-09-2020	PT-External	2
15	865	Pauline Vijay M	PHYSICS	24-09-2020	PT-External	2
16	1038	Paturi Ganga Bhavani	CSE	08-01-2022	Full Time	3

Action:

As the scholars on the list have not responded after reminders and have been inactive for two consecutive semesters, the board recommended consulting with their supervisors before initiating the cancellation process.

Item No.: 25.5 Arrangement of Pre-viva and Viva meetings for International scholars via online platform**Discussion:**

The Dean, Academic Research presented the arrangement of Pre-viva and Viva meetings for International scholars via online platform, as given in Table 4.

Table 4: List of International Research Scholars.

S. No.	VTD No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Dept.	Country	Mode of Study	Status
1	800	EBISA ASFAW GEMECHU	CSE	Ethiopia	FULL TIME	THESIS
2	803	SHAHER DWIK	ECE	Syria	FULL TIME	THESIS
3	886	DEMELASH MISGANA	MBA	Ethiopia	FULL TIME	THESIS
4	888	DAGNEW GEBREHIWOT	MBA	Ethiopia	FULL TIME	THESIS
5	890	BINIYAM AWEKE GETACHEW	MBA	Ethiopia	FULL TIME	THESIS
6	804	QUSAY SELLAT	CSE	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
7	808	KARAM M. HAMMADEH	CSE	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
8	809	MAHMOUD YOUNESS MUREJ	CSE	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
9	874	RAZAN ALZEIN	CIVIL	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
10	875	ALI YOUNES EBRAHIM	CIVIL	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
11	879	MWALIMU RAPHAEL JILANI	BIOTECH	Kenya	FULL TIME	PURSUING
12	881	LAMESSA OLI	ENGLISH	Ethiopia	FULL TIME	PURSUING
13	882	ASHRAF OMAR TAJMEEH	ENGLISH	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
14	898	YOUSEF ALI HASAN	MBA	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
15	971	YARA EZAL DEEN SULTAN	Chemistry	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
16	972	NADIM IBRAHIM	CSE	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
17	1026	AHMAD OMAR DEAB	EEE	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
18	1028	ABDULLAHI ISYAKU KANKIA	Biotech	Nigeria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
19	1091	SHADY OMRAN	Civil	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
20	1142	ALI ISSA	Civil	Syria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
21	1149	MAZEN YOUSIF ABUAGLA YOUSIF	Biotech	Sudan	FULL TIME	PURSUING
22	1223	AMINU ABDULLAHI	Biotech	Nigeria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
23	1224	MUSTAPHA ISMAIL KWARI	CSE	Nigeria	FULL TIME	PURSUING
24	1225	HABIBU MURTALA ABDULLAHI	EEE	Nigeria	FULL TIME	PURSUING

Action:

The board proposed that only international scholars can participate in online meetings (Pre-Viva/Viva), while all other RAC members, examiners and participants should attend in person.

Item No.: 25.6 Consideration of a patent granted for thesis submission in lieu of one Scopus/SCI publication for Ph.D. scholars

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the proposal patent granted for thesis submission in lieu of one Scopus/SCI publication for Ph.D. scholars, as given in Table 5

Table 5: Patent granted for thesis submission in lieu of one Scopus/SCI publication for Ph.D. scholars

S. No.	Clause	Regulation 2016	Regulation 2021
1.	R16 : 14 R21:16.2	The Scholar has to publish two journal papers indexed by Scopus with impact factor.	he Scholar has to publish two journal papers out of which one journal paper indexed by Scopus and another journal paper indexed by SCI / SCIE or two journal papers indexed by SCI / SCIE.
2.	Proposed: One Article (SCI / SCIE / Scopus) + One Patent (granted) may be considered for thesis submission.		

Action:

The board suggested allowing a Granted Patent instead of one Scopus publication for submitting a PhD synopsis. They also proposed that either the scholar or supervisor should be among the first two innovators listed. The committee also recommended to have a selected countries list which are maintaining high quality standards and to which this proposal may be allowed. For instance, India, USA, Japan, Germany, South Korea, Switzerland, Singapore, Sweden, UK.

Item No.: 25.7 Preference for ABDC indexed publications (A*, A, and B category) for management scholars.

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the preference for ABDC indexed publications (A*, A, and B category) for management scholars.

Action:

The committee recommended publications indexed by ABDC across different categories may be allowed adhering to the current norms outlined in the released circular dated 06-07-2023.

Item No.: 25.8 Revision of Publication requirements for Ph.D. scholars in the School of Law.

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the Revision of Publication requirements for Ph.D. scholars in the School of Law.

- 2 Scopus or 4 UGC Care Journals
- 1 Scopus + 2UGC Care Journals

Action:

The committee considered requests from the Law and English departments concerning their publication requirements for Ph.D. scholars. The specified requirements for Ph.D. synopsis submission are as follows:

- 2 Scopus or 4 UGC Care Journals
- 1 Scopus + 2 UGC Care Journals

The requirement should be met by utilizing peer-reviewed UGC Care journals preferably with ISSN numbers.

Item No.: 25.9 Action plan to address international scholars who have not reported after taking break of study in the Ph.D. program**Discussion:**

The Dean, Academic Research presented the international scholars who have not reported after taking break of study in the Ph.D. program, as given in Table 6

Table 6: International Scholars who have not reported after taking break of study

S. No	VT D No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Department	Date of Admission	Period of Break of Study	Reporting Date
1	558	Solomon Abreham Tsega	Biotech	08-11-2017	September 2022 to August 2023	September 2023
2	559	Merry Hailu Gebretsadik	Biotech	08-11-2017	September 2022 to August 2023	September 2023

Action:

As the scholars on the list have not responded after reminders and have been inactive for two consecutive semesters, the board recommended consulting with Dean, International office and their supervisors before initiating the cancellation process.

Item No.: 25.10 Feasibility of admitting B.E / B.Tech students directly into the Ph.D. program with a valid GATE Score**Discussion:**

The Dean, Academic Research presented the Feasibility of admitting B.E / B.Tech students directly into the Ph.D. program with a valid GATE Score, as given in Table 7

Table 7: Feasibility of admitting B.E / B.Tech students directly into the Ph.D. program

	IIT Kanpur	NIT Rourkela	IIT Ropair	BITS Ranchi/ Narula Inst. of Tech.	NIT Arunachal Pradesh	VIT	Vel Tech (Proposed)
Eligibility	BE/ B.Tech /BSc Engg / B.Pharm / MCA / B Arch or equivalent in relevant discipline and/or BE/ B.Tech Recent 5 Yrs						
Valid GATE Score	Not compulsory / Qualified GATE/CSIR/UGC-NET/DSTINSPIRE/JES/NBHM or other national fellowship					> 60 Percentile	> 50 Percentile
UG min. CGPA/%	8.0	7.5/65%	8.0	8.5/80	80	7.5/75	8.0/7.5
	8.0		8.0	8.5/80	80	7.5/75	8.0/7.5
Stipend	4/ 5 yrs					4 yrs	4 yrs
First 2 yrs.	15000/-; 25000/-; 31000/- for 2 yrs					21000/- for GATE, 16000 for Others	20000/-
Next 2/3 yrs.	18000/-; 35000/-; 37000/- for 3 yrs					30000/- for GATE, 25000 for Others	25000/-
Duration							
Min.				4	5	4	4
Max.				7			
Course work							
Min. credits	40	20		30	30		30
Max. credits					50		
Min CGPA	7.0			7.0			
Publications							Min. 1 SCI + 2 Scopus (or) Min. 2 SCI + 1 Scopus

Action:

The board endorsed the initiative and recommended finalizing the eligibility criteria and to present it in the next meeting. This would entail admitting B.E/B.Tech students (from Engg./Tech.) with valid GATE scores into the full-time PhD program. The proposed minimum credit requirement was deemed acceptable, and their publication criteria will be aligned with those of all other scholars.

Item No.: 25.11 Implementation of a non-disclosure agreement (NDA) for Ph.D. scholars**Discussion:**

The Dean, Academic Research presented the Implementation of a non-disclosure agreement (NDA) for Ph.D. scholars

Action:

After an elaborate discussion, the Board suggested to have Legal Opinion to proceed further.

Item No.: 25.12 Possibility of starting Ph.D. admissions in the departments of Commerce and Multimedia

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the possibility of starting Ph.D. admissions in the departments of Commerce and Multimedia

Action:

After a detailed discussion, the Board recommended establishing eligibility criteria for Ph.D. admissions in the Commerce and Multimedia departments. Additionally, they advised creating PG level courses approved by their respective Boards of Studies and presenting them at the next Board meeting.

Items for Record

Item No.: 25.13 Important Dates for Admission of Doctoral (Ph.D.) level Programmes for the Academic Year 2024-25.

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the dates of Admission of Doctoral (Ph.D.) level Programmes in Engineering and Technology / Science / Law/ Management / Arts for the Academic Year 2024 – 25 and the details are given in Table 8.

Table 8: Important dates of Admission of Doctoral (Ph.D.) level Programmes in Engineering and Technology/ Science / Law/ Management / Arts for the Academic Year 2024 – 25.

Batch	Month & Year	Issue of Application	Last Date for Submission of Application	Entrance Examination	Interview	Certificate Verification and Admission
Summer Session	July 2024	27.03.2024	10.05.2024	25.05.2024	08.06.2024	01.07.2024
Winter Session	January 2025	28.09.2024	09.11.2024	30.11.2024	14.12.2024	06.01.2025

Action:

The Board has discussed the dates of Admission of Doctoral (Ph.D.) level Programmes in Engineering and Technology/ Science / Law/ Management / Arts for the Academic Year 2024 – 25 and resolved that the schedule presented, be approved.

Item No.: 25.14 To Approval and recording of vacant Research Supervisor positions for the Winter Session 2023-24.

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research presented the research supervisor vacancy positions for the Winter Session of the Academic Year 2023-24, as given in Table 9.

Table 9: Research Supervisor vacancy positions for the Winter Session of the Academic Year 2023-24.

Department	Research Supervisor Vacancy Positions
AERO	11
CIVIL	30
MECH	142
IT	4
CSE	155
ECE	260
EEE	26
BIOTECH	35
BIOMEDICAL	15
ENGLISH	14
MATHS	70
PHYSICS	67
CHEMISTRY	77
LAW	0
MBA	15
TOTAL	921

Action:

The Board approved the Research Supervisor vacancy positions which are existing in various departments.

Item No.: 25.15 Record of budget for the financial year 2024-25

Discussion:

The Dean, Academic Research proposed the budget for the financial year 2024-25 as per Table 10 given below.

Table 10: Budget for the financial year 2024-25.

S.No.	Particulars	Amount Required From April to June (WS2324 - 1/4/24 to 30/6/24)	Amount Required From July to November (SS2425 - 1/7/24 to 30/11/24)	Amount Required From December to March (WS2425 - 1/12/24 to 31/3/25)	Total
1	G6.0.8 FA WIFI DEVICE	50,000			50,000
G20.1 STUDENT MOTIVATIONAL INITIATIVE					
2	G20.1.1 CONFERENCE ATTENDED REGISTRATION FEES	60,000	1,00,000	80,000	2,40,000
3	G20.1.6 BONVOYAGE EXPENSES	60,000	1,00,000	80,000	2,40,000
4	G20.1.14 MOTIVATIONAL AWARD	Nil	Nil	4,80,000	4,80,000
5	G17 EVENTS ORGANISED	20,000	40,000	40,000	1,00,000
G69 RESEARCH STUDIES					
6	G69.1.1 DC MEMBERS REMUNERATION- PHD	6,03,750	10,06,250	8,05,000	24,15,000
7	G69.1.2 INCIDENTAL EXPENSES - PHD	8,00,000	Nil	Nil	8,00,000

8	G69.1.3 TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE -PHD [300 Km x Rs. 15 = Rs. 4500]	3,43,125	5,71,875	4,57,500	13,72,500
9	G69.1.4 FULL TIME SCHOLARS STIPEND-PHD	1,31,73,000	2,19,55,000	1,75,64,000	5,26,92,000
10	G69.1.5 PRINTING AND STATIONERIES -PHD	20,000	40,000	40,000	1,00,000
11	G69.1.6 MISCELLANIOUS - PHD	20,000	40,000	40,000	1,00,000
Total (Rupees Five Crore Eighty Five Lakhs and Eighty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Only)					5,85,89,500

Action:

The members of the research board approved the budget for the financial year 2024-25.

Item for Ratification

Item No.: 25.16 Approval and ratification of decisions regarding recognition of faculty members as Research Supervisors.

Discussion:

Dean, Academic Research presented the list of faculty members who have submitted the applications for recognition of research supervisor and to consider them for Supervisorship to guide the Ph.D.scholars. The details of the submitted applications are given below in Table 11.

Table 7: Status of applications for supervisorship

S. No	Research Supervisor Recognition No.	Name of the Research Supervisor	Designation	Department	Remarks
1	45813.BI.23	Dr R S Achsah	Assistant Professor	Biotech	Eligible
2	49714.BI.24	Dr R Sai Nandhini	Assistant Professor	Biotech	Eligible
3	50515.BI.24	Dr Shobana Sampath	Assistant Professor	Biotech	Eligible
4	45226.BS.23	Dr L Sivarama Krishna	Associate Professor	Chemistry	Eligible
5	46027.BS.23	Dr Divya D	Assistant Professor	Chemistry	Eligible
6	46128.BS.23	Dr J Gayathri	Assistant Professor	Chemistry	Eligible
7	47824.CV.23	Dr K K Gayathri	Assistant Professor	Chemistry	Eligible
8	49823.CV.24	Dr Cici Jennifer Raj J	Assistant Professor	Civil	Eligible
9	44580.CS.23	Dr Nallasivan	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible
10	44681.CS.23	Dr P S Ramesh	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible
11	44782.CS.23	Dr Navaz K	Assistant Professor	CSE	Eligible
12	44883.CS.23	Dr S Yazhinian	Assistant Professor	CSE	Eligible
13	44984.CS.23	Dr M Prabha	Assistant Professor	CSE	Eligible
14	45985.CS.23	Dr T Vijayanandh	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible
15	47086.CS.23	Dr S Amutha	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible
16	47687.CS.23	Dr G Mariammal	Assistant Professor	CSE	Eligible
17	48789.CS.24	Dr John T Mesia Dhas	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible
18	48890.CS.24	Dr S Vinoth Kumar	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible

19	49991.CS.24	Dr Murali Dhar M S	Associate Professor	CSE	Eligible
20	50092.CS.24	Dr R Logambigai	Assistant Professor	CSE	Eligible
21	50193.CS.24	Dr P Rajesh	Assistant Professor	CSE	Eligible
22	44063.EC.23	Dr Remya	Associate Professor	ECE	Eligible
23	44164.EC.23	Dr D Preethi	Associate Professor	ECE	Eligible
24	44265.EC.23	Dr D J Joel Devadass Daniel	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
25	44366.EC.23	Dr J Josephine Pon Gloria	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
26	45067.EC.23	Dr Ezhil E. Nithila	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
27	46668.EC.23	Dr Nirmal Jothi J	Associate Professor	ECE	Eligible
28	47169.EC.23	Dr Prasanna R	Associate Professor	ECE	Eligible
29	47270.EC.23	Dr K Anish Pon Yamini	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
30	47771.EC.23	Dr S Thenappan	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
31	49076.EC.24	Dr J Arun Kumar	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
32	49177.EC.24	Dr R Sathesh Raaj	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
33	49278.EC.24	Dr B Venkataramanaiah	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
34	49379.EC.24	Dr N Nalini	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
35	49480.EC.24	Dr Koushick Venkatesh	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
36	49581.EC.24	Dr T Vaishnavi	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
37	49682.EC.24	Dr A Rosi	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
38	50283.EC.24	Dr Uganya G	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
39	50384.EC.24	Dr C Ezhilazhagan	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
40	50485.EC.24	Dr D Dileepan	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
41	50686.EC.24	Dr Muthukumaran D	Assistant Professor	ECE	Eligible
42	45117.EE.23	Dr Hari Charan Nannam	Assistant Professor	EEE	Eligible
43	47318.EE.23	Dr S Amosedinakaran	Assistant Professor	EEE	Eligible
44	45613.BS.23	Dr Bairavi	Assistant Professor	English	Eligible
45	45714.BS.23	Dr A Manikandan	Assistant Professor	English	Eligible
46	48906.IT.24	Dr C Sureshkumar	Assistant Professor	IT	Eligible
47	44404.LW.23	Dr S T Naidu	Associate Professor	Law	Eligible
48	46705.LW.23	Dr B Venugopal	Professor	Law	Eligible
49	48606.LW.23	Dr Ajitha E	Associate Professor	Law	Eligible
50	46217.MS.23	Dr S Raja	Associate Professor	Management	Eligible
51	47518.MS.23	Dr Chandramowleeswaran	Assistant Professor	Management	Eligible
52	46824.BS.23	Dr M Kaviyarasu	Assistant Professor	Mathematics	Eligible
53	46925.BS.23	Dr R Kala	Assistant Professor	Mathematics	Eligible
54	47426.BS.23	Dr V Chandiran	Associate Professor	Mathematics	Eligible
55	46371.ME.23	Dr Surrya Prakash D	Associate Professor	Mech	Eligible
56	46472.ME.23	Dr Chandrakumar P	Professor	Mech	Eligible
57	46573.ME.23	Dr Karthick M	Assistant Professor	Mech	Eligible
58	45324.BS.23	Dr S Sharmila	Assistant Professor	Physics	Eligible
59	45425.BS.23	Dr S Yuvaraj	Assistant Professor	Physics	Eligible
60	45526.BS.23	Dr M Thirunavukkarasu	Assistant Professor	Physics	Eligible

Action:

The Board resolved to approve 60 faculty members by virtue of completion of norms be approved to be the research.

Item No.: 25.17 Ratification of Provisionally Admitted Candidates for the Ph.D. Programme in the Winter Session 2023-24.

Discussion:

Dean, Academic Research presented the details to ratify the Provisionally Admitted Candidates for the Ph.D. Programme in Winter Session of the Academic Year 2023-24 as given in Table 12

Table 12: Statistics of Ph.D. National Admission Winter Session AY 2023-24

S.No.	DEPARTMENT	Provisionally Admitted			
		Total	Mode of Study		
			Full Time	Part Time Internal	Part Time External
Engineering					
1	AERO	3	3	0	0
2	BIOMEDICAL	8	0	1	7
3	BIOTECH	7	7	0	0
4	CIVIL	5	1	0	4
5	CSE	8	1	0	7
6	IT	0	0	0	0
7	ECE	4	1	0	3
8	EEE	1	0	0	1
9	MECH	6	0	0	6
TOTAL		42	13	1	28
S&H					
10	ENGLISH	7	2	0	5
11	MATHS	8	3	0	5
12	CHEMISTRY	3	1	0	2
13	PHYSICS	3	1	0	2
TOTAL		21	7	0	14
LAW & MBA					
14	LAW	7	0	7	0
15	MBA	3	1	0	2
TOTAL		10	1	7	2
OVER ALL TOTAL		73	21	8	44

Action:

The Board resolved to ratify the list of Provisionally admitted Candidates for the Ph.D. Programme in Winter Session of the Academic Year 2023-24.

Item No.: 25.18 Ratification of Provisionally Admitted Candidates for the Ph.D. Programme in Computer Science (S&H)

Discussion:

Dean, Academic Research presented the details to ratify the Provisionally Admitted Candidates for the Ph.D. Programme in Computer Science (S&H) as given in Table 13

Table 13: Provisionally Admitted Candidates for the Ph.D. Programme in Computer Science (S&H)

S. No	VTD No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Dept.	Date of Admission	Name of the Research Supervisor	Mode of Study	Status
1	758	Anu Victor	CS (S&H)	10/1/2020	Dr V Srinivasa Rao	PT - External	Pursuing
2	1147	K. Murukanantham	CS (S&H)	30.08.2022	Dr D Uma Nandhini	PT - External	Pursuing
3	1169	Muhilarasi A	CS (S&H)	09.01.2023	Dr N Malarvizhi	Full Time	Pursuing
4	1171	Potluri Swathi	CS (S&H)	09.01.2023	Dr N K Senthil Kumar	PT - External	Pursuing
5	1174	Rajesh H	CS (S&H)	09.01.2023	Dr E Kannan	PT - External	Pursuing
6	1176	S.Sivaranjani	CS (S&H)	09.01.2023	Dr R Aruna	PT - External	Pursuing

Action:

The Board recommended resolving this matter by assigning them to a specific department after consulting with the Vice-Chancellor and the respective School Dean.

Any other items with the permission of the Chairperson.

Item No.: 25.19 Ph.D. coursework through NPTEL platform.

Discussion

With the permission of the Chairperson, the Dean, Academic Research discuss the Ph.D. coursework through NPTEL platform

Action:

After an elaborate discussion, the Board suggested carrying out the one Ph.D. course (Research and Publication Ethics) may be allowed through NPTEL platform.

Item No.: 25.20 Inclusion of seminar and technical writing for full-time scholars.

Discussion

The Dean, Academic Research discuss the Inclusion of seminar and technical writing for full-time scholars

Action:

After a thorough discussion, the Board suggested that it should be the default practice in the respective departments

Item No.: 25.21 To discuss the Introduction of a temporary withdrawal option from the campus upon completion of the minimum duration for the Ph.D. program.

Discussion

The members have discussed the temporary withdrawal option from the campus upon completion of the minimum duration for the Ph.D. program

Action:

After extensive discussion, the Board suggested that it should be considered on a case-by-case basis