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## CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN



### AGENDA (PART-II)

#### 25<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL

- Meeting No.** : 25<sup>th</sup> (Twenty Fifth)
- Venue** : Conference Room,  
**Building,** Second Floor, Administrative  
Central University of Rajasthan
- Date** : Thursday, 05.01.2023
- Time** : 11:00 AM onwards

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<b>25-3.34</b>	<p><b>To report the Re-shuffling of Semester</b></p> <p>It is to mention that presently, University is following three academic calendars for students as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Academic Calendar for Students who were admitted in 2021-22 and are in 03<sup>rd</sup> Semester</li> <li>2. Academic Calendar for Students who were admitted in 2020-21 and earlier and are in 6<sup>th</sup>, 08<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> Semester</li> <li>3. Academic Calendar for Students who were admitted in 2022-23 and are in 1<sup>st</sup> Semester</li> </ol> <p>As such, presently odd and even semester are running simultaneously during the time of commencement of even semester.</p> <p>To streamline this overlapping, a proposal of re-shuffling of semester was discussed in the Dean's and HoDs meeting held on 20.12.2022 and accordingly Dean (Academic) has issued a circular no. CURAJ/Acad./2022/F.1./S.No. 506 dated 21.12.2022 for re-shuffling of semester stating that the students admitted in year 2022-23 may be taught the courses of 02<sup>nd</sup> semester of their programmes so that they can be accommodated with the students going to be admitted in year 2023-24 with their first year courses of the programme.</p> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for information and ratification.</b></p>																														
<b>25-3.35</b>	<p><b>To report the increase in intake</b></p> <p>It is to mention that as per regular practice, the seat matrix for all programmes was circulated to all the Departments for confirmation before starting of admission process. The matter was discussed in the 80<sup>th</sup> Deans Committee meeting and Vice Chancellor instructed that all the Deans may deliberate at their school level and increase in intake of the programmes within available infrastructure and resources. The revised intake submitted by the departments was consolidated and approved by the competent authority. Admissions as per approved increase in intake have already been done. The programme wise revised intake is enclosed as <b>Annexure - W</b>.</p> <p>The programme wise increase in intake is as below:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 5%;">S. No</th> <th style="width: 20%;">School Name</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Name of the Department</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Name of the Programme</th> <th style="width: 10%;">Old Intake (2021-22)</th> <th style="width: 15%;">New Intake (2022-23)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1.</td> <td rowspan="5" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;">School of Life Sciences</td> <td rowspan="2" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;">Dept. of Biochemistry</td> <td>Integrated M.Sc. Biochemistry</td> <td style="text-align: center;">30</td> <td style="text-align: center;">33</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2.</td> <td>M.Sc. Biochemistry</td> <td style="text-align: center;">23</td> <td style="text-align: center;">25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3.</td> <td rowspan="2" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;">Dept. of Biotechnology</td> <td>Integrated M.Sc. Biotechnology</td> <td style="text-align: center;">30</td> <td style="text-align: center;">33</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4.</td> <td>M.Sc. Biotechnology</td> <td style="text-align: center;">23</td> <td style="text-align: center;">25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5.</td> <td style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;">Dept. of Microbiology</td> <td>Integrated M.Sc. Mi-</td> <td style="text-align: center;">30</td> <td style="text-align: center;">33</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	S. No	School Name	Name of the Department	Name of the Programme	Old Intake (2021-22)	New Intake (2022-23)	1.	School of Life Sciences	Dept. of Biochemistry	Integrated M.Sc. Biochemistry	30	33	2.	M.Sc. Biochemistry	23	25	3.	Dept. of Biotechnology	Integrated M.Sc. Biotechnology	30	33	4.	M.Sc. Biotechnology	23	25	5.	Dept. of Microbiology	Integrated M.Sc. Mi-	30	33
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6.			M.Sc. Microbiology	23	25
7.	School of Mathematics, Statistics and Computational Sciences	Dept. of Computer Science	Integrated M.Sc. Computer Science	30	33
8.			M.Sc. Computer Science	23	25
9.		Dept. of Statistics	Integrated M.Sc. Statistics	30	35
10.			M.Sc. Statistics	23	25
11.		Dept. of Data Science and Analytics	M.Sc. Computer Science (BDA)	50	80
12.	School of Humanities and Languages	Dept. of Hindi	M.A. Hindi	35	50
13.	School of Social Sciences	Dept. of PPLG	M.A. PPLG	23	25
14.		Dept. of Society Technology Interface	M.Sc. Digital Society	15	30
15.	School of Earth Sciences	Dept. of Atmospheric Sciences	M.Sc. Atmospheric Science	23	30
16.		Dept. of Environmental Sciences	M.Sc. Environmental Science	23	25
17.	School of Chemical Sciences and Pharmacy	Dept. of Chemistry	M.Sc. Chemistry	23	25
<b>Total</b>				<b>457</b>	<b>557</b>

**Placed before the Academic Council for information.**

**25-3.36 To report the condonation of attendance for End of Semester Examination October, 2022**

It is to mention that various students have requested to waive off the condition of minimum 75% attendance for the forthcoming EoSE due to health and other related issues. In this context, it is submitted that on previous occasion due to COVID, the relaxation in attendance was given to all students. From February 2022 onwards, the campus was started in physical mode and attendance has to be regularized by the departments. However, there were issues from various students regarding less attendance so a meeting of Deans was called on 12.10.2022 to discuss this matter. During the meeting, Vice Chancellor had asked that as per clause 6.4 of Ordinance 03, during the semester, the interim attendance report of each course before the mid semester examination was notified by the HoDs or not. In response, it was informed that the department had not followed the procedure mentioned in Ordinance 03 regarding attendance.

Accordingly, it was resolved in the Deans Committee meeting that one time relaxation of attendance may be given to the students in the cases where attendance are less than 75% after submission of an undertaking to appear in EoSE in October and December, 2022, with no precedence. It was also further resolved that henceforth:

- (1) Attendance of students shall be displayed monthly.
- (2) Students shall be informed their attendance by e-mail per month.
- (3) Parents shall also be informed about attendance of ward per month.
- (4) Mid Term review and corrective measures are mandatory.

The Deans were also instructed to adhere to the procedure from the forthcoming semester.

**Placed before the Academic Council for information and ratification.**

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25-3.37	<p><b>To report the celebration of 14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day held on 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022</b></p> <p>The University has completed its 13 years of its existence on March 03, 2022. To celebrate this important occasion i.e. 14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day Celebration, a committee was constituted vide Office Order dated 04.02.2022 for successful organization of this day.</p> <p>From 14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day onwards, few awards were instituted like</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Life time achievement award</li> <li>2. Best teacher award</li> <li>3. Best researcher award</li> <li>4. Best school award</li> <li>5. Best non-teaching award</li> <li>6. Best outgoing student award</li> <li>7. Best sportsman award.</li> </ol> <p>Hon'ble Vice Chancellor emphasized the objective behind the awards and mentioned that these awards will inculcate the culture of appreciation.</p> <p>Committees were constituted for preparation of guidelines and suggest procedures for selection etc. On this day, Dr. Vinay Sahasrabudhe, President, Indian Council for Cultural Relations, and Member of Parliament, Rajya Sabha, New Delhi was the Chief Guest of the programme and Princess Diya Kumari, Member of Parliament was Guest of Honor and Shri Bhagirath Chaudhary, Member of Parliament was Esteemed Guest. The University conferred the prestigious Life time Achievement Award to Hon'ble Rajendra Singh ji, the "Waterman of India" for his immense contribution towards innovative water restoration efforts and improving water scarcity in rural India.</p> <p>Now, the University is going to complete its Fourteen (14) year of its existence on March 03, 2023 and is keen to celebrate its 15<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day as grand as last year.</p> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for information.</b></p>
25-3.38	<p><b>To report the Adoption and implementation of the course "Universal Human Values" in all the Departments of Central University of Rajasthan</b></p> <p>The National Education Policy-2020 (NEP-2020) has given a call for holistic values-based education to prepare our youth and develop our Nation. "Education is fundamental for achieving full human potential, developing an equitable and just society, and promoting national development". University Grants Commission (UGC) proposed the inculcation of Human Value and Professional Ethics in higher education institutions. The guidelines regarding the same values, "Mulya Pravah" are available on the UGC portal. A committee was constituted by office order No.: CURAJ/R/F./136/2022/33 to prepare an action plan to fulfil the mandate of value education in our University. The committee after deliberations has recommended an action plan for the implementation of teaching Human values and Professional Ethics at the Central University of Rajasthan. In this regard, the University will conduct webinars/ seminars/ workshops and faculty development programmes on Human Values (UHV) and Professional Ethics for the teaching and non-teaching community of the university by active participation of the departments/schools/faculty members. All Departments should incorporate the "Universal Human Values" as compulsory course at both UG and PG levels. Both UGC and AICTE have suggested that all Higher education institutes adopt this program at UG and PG levels as a compulsory course. Later University may start a minor Degree course in Universal Human Values (UHV). Further, it is to mention that 10 faculty members of the university were trained by the AICTE on Universal Human Values and these faculty members will train other faculty members. The Committee has also recommended "University Human Values" to be a compulsory course for all the programmes as an audit course which should be cleared by all the students, however, this will not affect the credits of the programme.</p>

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	<p>The Executive Council appreciated the proposal and approved the recommendation of the Committee.</p> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for information and ratification.</b></p>
<b>25-4.0</b>	<b>Items for Consideration</b>
25-4.17	<p><b>To consider the transfer/shifting of M. Tech –Computer Science (Cyber Physical System) to Department of Computer Science and Engineering under School of Engineering and Technology</b></p> <p>It is mention that as per resolution of 15<sup>th</sup> Academic Council meeting held on 23.02.2017, M. Tech –Computer Science (Cyber Physical System) programme was started under the School of Mathematics, Statistics and Computational Sciences. It was also approved that this programme will be jointly offered by Department of Computer Science and Department of Computer Science and Engineering.</p> <p>Now, the existing students of this programme have requested to run this programme under Department of Computer Science and Engineering under the School of Engineering &amp; Technology.</p> <p>The matter is placed for consideration of taking over the course by Department of Computer Science and Engineering w.e.f. Academic session 2020 onwards.</p> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for consideration.</b></p>
25-4.18	<p><b>To consider the starting of new programmes</b></p> <p>It is to mention that the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor has asked to submit the proposal for starting new programmes in the University. Accordingly, proposals for starting following new programmes are received:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. M.Sc. Medical Laboratory Technology</li> <li>2. B.Sc. Cardiology</li> <li>3. M.Sc. Neuroscience</li> <li>4. B.Sc. (Hotel Management &amp; Catering Technology)</li> </ol> <p>In this regard, it is to mention that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A School in the name of “<b>Interdisciplinary School of Health Sciences</b>” is already approved. The same was included in Statutes 15 of the University which notification has been issued in Gazette. Accordingly, it is proposed that the programme mention at s.no. 1 to 3 will be covered under the new Department namely “<b>Department of Health Sciences</b>” under the Interdisciplinary School of Health Sciences.</li> <li>• The programme mentioned at s.no. 4 may be started under the new department namely “<b>Department of Hotel and Tourism Management</b>” under the School of Commerce and Management which is already established in the University.</li> </ul> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for consideration.</b></p>
25-4.19	<p><b>To consider to start new Executive Development Programmes</b></p> <p>It is to mention that with the idea of revenue generation and meeting the requirement of NIRF, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor has directed that the following self-sustaining executive development programme should be started in the University:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Executive MBA Programme in Department of Management</li> <li>2. Certificate Course on Data Science in Department of Data Science and Analytics</li> <li>3. Certificate Course on Cyber Security Law in Department of PPLG</li> <li>4. Certificate Course on Economic Analytics in Department of Economics</li> </ol>

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	<p>Further, it is to mention that these programmes will be started in Self-Sustaining mode by the respective department. The respective department will prepare Course Structure, fees based on actual expenditure with reasonable surplus.</p> <p>The course structure, syllabus, intake and fee structure has been proposed by respective departments and submitted for the approval of Academic Council. The same will be placed on table.</p> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for consideration.</b></p>
25-4.20	<p><b>To consider the revision of curriculum of the various programmes run by the University</b></p> <p>It is to mention that one Brainstorming session on curriculum was held on 26.07.2022 and Hon'ble Vice Chancellor had instructed all the Deans and HoDs to revised the curriculum of all programmes as per the National Education Policy and few points were mentioned by him to be considered while framing of curriculum such as Uniformity in number of courses, Number of credits etc. per semester in programmes of equal duration, internship (of about 45 to 60 days) as an integrated part of the course structure, should have Core/Mandatory courses, Optional courses and Open courses. Optional courses shall be from allied area of the programme and open courses may be from any discipline, industry taught courses, Vocational Courses, Project based learning, MOOC Courses, Software Application Courses, Provision of exit of programme and subsequent certification and to make students ready for the jobs, add Quantitative Technology/Communication Courses as compulsory course.</p> <p>Accordingly, all the Departments have revised the Curriculum incorporating above suggestions and approved by the respective Board of Studies and School Boards. The details of the course structures will be placed on table.</p> <p><b>Placed before the Academic Council for consideration.</b></p>
25-5.0	<b>ANY OTHER ITEMS, WITH THE PERMISSION OF THE CHAIR</b>
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