

Minutes of the meeting of Departmental Research Committee (September 5, 2020)

The meeting of the Departmental Research Committee was held on 5th September, 2020 at 11:00 AM in the Committee Room of the Department of Biochemistry. The following members were present.

1. Dr Shajrul Amin	Chairperson
2. Dr Rabia Hamid (HOD Nanotechnology)	Member
3. Dr Nazir Ahmad Dar	Member
4. Dr Fouzia Rashid	Member
5. Dr Shaida Andrabi	Member
6. Dr Tanveer Ahmad Dar	Member
7. Dr. Showkat Ahmad Ganaie	Member
8. Dr Mohd Ashraf Dar	Member
9. Dr Abdul Waajid Bhat	Member

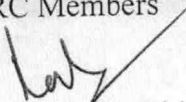
At the outset, the chairperson welcomed the members and the agenda was discussed threadbare. The following recommendations were made.

- The DRC interacted with candidates to be registered for admission to i-Ph. D for session 2020 under 'entrance exempted category'. Out of six eligible candidates, only 4 turned up and 3 were recommended for admission to i-Ph. D and assigned to supervisors while as for the 4th one, no supervisor was available for her research interests.
- Since the Department has 17 vacancies and only three candidates were recommended for admission, the resultant vacancies shall be communicated to the Dean of the School for conducting Entrance Examination.
- All the associated Research Centers/ Departments of the Department of Biochemistry, shall conduct 3 seminar presentations of the PhD scholars at their respective places after following the statutory requirements strictly. However, the 4th presentation (pre-submission presentation) shall be made before DRC in the Department of Biochemistry.
- All the students who are/will be allotted to the supervisors of the associated Departments/Centers shall work at their respective places and Department of Biochemistry will not bear any sort of liability related to the consumables, space and instruments of these registered students.
- The DRC reviewed the synopses of the candidates selected for i-Ph. D program. The scientific aspects of the synopsis were seriously discussed one by one and for some of the evaluated synopses, certain modifications were suggested before recommending them to Dean, School of Life Sciences for placement before upcoming BORS.
- The application of Ms. Sairish Ashraf, Ph. D scholar was discussed in the DRC. Ms. Sairish has requested for exemption of 4th objective as she needs human ovarian specimen for this objective which is not available or achievable in view of the present prevailing covid-19 pandemic. She has finished core objectives of her Ph. D work and the quantum of the work in suffices for award of the Ph. D degree. Hence DRC

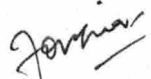
recommends that she may be allowed to submit her Ph.D thesis as she has achieved main objectives of her thesis work.

The meeting ended with the vote of thanks.

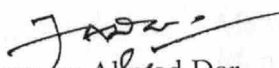
DRC Members


Dr Rabia Hamid

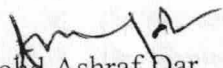

Dr Nazir Ahmad Dar

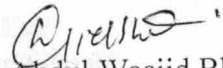

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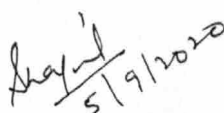

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