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Minutes of the DRC Meeting – Department of Biochemistry

Date: 28 October 2025

Subject: Ph.D. Admission – Cycle II, 2025

Reference: Notification No. F(PhD Adm)Res/KU/25 dated 30-09-2025

A meeting of the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) was held in the Department of Biochemistry in response to the above-mentioned Ph.D. admission notification, for the selection of candidates to the Ph.D. program in Biochemistry.

Members Present:

1. **Prof. Shajrul Amin** -- Chair
2. **Prof. Zulfiqar Ali** – DRC Observer
3. **Prof. Nazir A. Dar** – Member
4. **Dr. Shaida Andrabi** – Member
5. **Dr. Mohd Ashraf Dar** – Member

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Prof. Shajrul Amin, Chair of the DRC, welcomed the members of the committee and briefly discussed the selection criteria as notified by the Office of the Dean Research, University of Kashmir. Thereafter, the agenda items were taken up for discussion.

• **Ph.D. Admissions (Cycle II, 2025):**

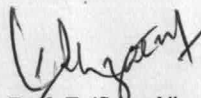
All three candidates who had applied for admission to the Ph.D. program in Biochemistry (Cycle II, 2025) were interviewed by the DRC panel.

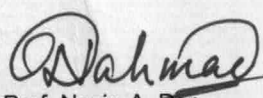
- Based on their academic qualifications and performance in the interview, **two candidates were found suitable** for admission to the Ph.D. program.
- The **third candidate** was found **unsuitable**, as his academic background in Zoology does not fall under the category of allied subjects for Biochemistry. The committee's decision was taken in accordance with the eligibility criteria defined by the University

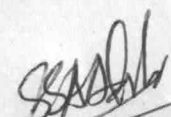
• **Re-registration Request:**

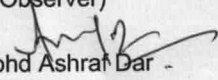
- 1) The application submitted by **Ms. Sana Farooq** for re-registration was examined and recommended for necessary further action.
- 2) The application of **Ms Zainab Mushtaq** was also examined and recommended for extension in registration for one year.

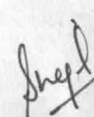
The meeting concluded with a **vote of thanks** to the Chair.


Prof. Zulfiqar Ali
(DRC Observer)


Prof. Nazir A. Dar
(Member)


Dr. Shaida Andrabi
(Member)


Dr. Mohd Ashraf Dar
(Member)


Prof. Shajrul Amin
Head and Chairperson

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