

Minutes of the Proceedings of the Meeting of the
Ph D Committee in Library and Information Science
held on 16-06-2017

Members Present

1. Prof. Ranjan Chakrabarti:
Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and President
2. Prof. Damodar Mishra:
Dean, Faculty of Arts and Commerce
3. Prof. Juwan Krishna Sanket:
Former Professor, DLIS, University of Kalyani
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4. Prof. Biplob Bhattacharya:
Professor, DLIS, University of Calcutta
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6. Prof. P K Jana:
Member
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In absence of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof Damodar Mishra, Dean, Faculty of Arts and Commerce, Vidyasagar University presided over the meeting.

1 Confirmation of the proceedings of the last meeting

Minutes of the proceedings of the meeting held on 22-11-2016 were read and confirmed.

2 To consider the Ph D proposal of the pre-registration seminar of Mrs Prantika Ari.

Ph D pre- registration seminar was held in presence of the members of the Ph D Committee and other faculty members, students and research scholars of the Department. Mrs Prantika Ari submitted her research proposal under the title "Evolutionary Changes of the Structure of Dewey Decimal classification Scheme from its 1st Edition to 23rd Edition: A Study". This meeting recommended the same for provisional registration.

The aforesaid Ph D work of Mrs Prantika Ari will be carried under the supervision of Prof Pijush Kanti Jana, Department of Library and Information Science, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore.

3 To consider the Ph D proposal of the pre-registration seminar of Mrs Sangita Sarkar.

Ph D pre- registration seminar was held in presence of the members of the Ph D Committee and other faculty members, students and research scholars of the Department. Mrs Sangita Sarkar submitted her research proposal under the title "Organisation and Use of Indigenous Knowledge in Agriculture: A Study on the Rajbangshi Community of North Bengal".

This meeting recommended the same for provisional registration with minor modification in the methodology of the work.

The aforesaid Ph D work of Mrs Sangita Sarkar will be carried under the supervision of Prof Pijush Kanti Jana, Department of Library and Information Science, Vidyasagar University, Midnapore.

- 4 To consider the prayer of Mr Gatikrishna Batabyal for Re- registration of his Ph D registration.

Application of Mr Gatikrishna Batabyal for re- registration of his Ph D work was placed before the meeting. After due consideration of the progress of the research work of Mr Batabyal and also as per Sec 7.1 (vi) of the Ph D Regulation, 2016 of the University, this meeting recommends to approve the prayer of Mr Gatikrishna Batabyal for re-registration of his Ph D work for one year .

- 5 To consider the prayer of Mrs Sudipta Pradhan for change of title of her Ph D thesis.

The application received from Mrs Sudipta Pradhan for change of title of her Ph D thesis entitled "Information Services for the Visually Challenged in West Bengal: An Analytical Study" was placed before the meeting. Mrs Pradhan proposed the title of her Ph D thesis as "Information Services for the Visually Challenged in South Bengal: An Analytical Study" and which has subsequently recommended by her supervisor. But the Committee recommends the title of the Ph D thesis as "**An Analytical Study of Information Services for Visually Challenged Students with Particular Reference to Blind Schools in South Bengal**".

- 6 To consider the application of Mr Pitambar Naskar to allow him to write his Ph D thesis in Bengali language.

The proposed Ph D work entitled "Saradindu Bandyopadhyayer Rachana Samiksha, Charitra Nirghantikaran o Samasamoyek Prabhav: Tathya Samikshya o Pralekhan" to be studied by Pitambar Naskar exclusively deals with Bengali literature, more specifically the annotated bibliography compilation of the critical evaluation of Saradindu Bandyopadhyay, a doyen of Bengali literature. It is utmost necessary to the thesis in Bengali language for elaborate research acumen and vivid presentation of the work. In view of the above predicament the Ph D Committee recommends the thesis be allowed to be written in Bengali language.

7 To consider the Ph D proposal of the pre-registration seminar of Mr Sanjoy Kar

Mr Sanjoy Kar was absent in the pre-registration seminar.

Disregard
11-8-17

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