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17th September, 2019

Dr. Sudnya Mahimkar
Principal, Professor,
Pillai College of Architecture,
New Panvel

Subject: Expert / Academician on the Academic Council of our Autonomous College

Respected Madam,

With reference to above mentioned subject, we are pleased to inform you that University Grants Commission, New Delhi and University of Mumbai, Mumbai have conferred Autonomous status to our college from the Academic Year 2019-2020 for a period of ten years (till 2028-2029).

As per the statute of autonomy, we have constituted Academic Council of our autonomous college. We are pleased to communicate that you have been appointed as the Expert / Academician on the Academic Council of our Autonomous College.

Academic Council Meeting of our Autonomous College is scheduled on 21st September, 2019, 02.00 p.m. onwards.

We assure you that we will work together to achieve still greater heights of excellence to serve the cause of Higher Education.

We hope you will do the needful.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,



Dr. Gajanan Wader

Principal **PRINCIPAL**

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Respected Madam,

It gives us immense pleasure to invite you as a member on our Academic Council. The meeting is scheduled for **21st September, 2019** at 02.00 p.m. in the 1st Floor Pillai Centre of Innovation, Sector -16, Dr. K.M.Vasudevan Pillai Campus, New Panvel.

We are sure that your guidance and advice will help us to strengthen our nascent attempts at autonomy.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,


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2nd November, 2020

To,
Prin. (Dr.) Sudnya Mahimkar,
Pillai College of Architecture


Sub: Academic Council meeting on Tuesday, 14th February 2023 at Pillai College of Arts,
Commerce & Science (Autonomous), New Panvel

Dear Madam,

It gives us immense pleasure to invite you for the Academic Council Meeting for the
Academic Year 2022-23. The meeting is scheduled on **Tuesday, 14th February 2023 at 1:30
pm**. We are sure that your guidance and expert suggestions will be a great help for us.

Venue of Meeting: Pillai Centre for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (L-101)

Thank you,


Dr. Gajanan Wader
Principal



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Sarojini Lohot <slohot@mes.ac.in>

Fwd: Academic Council Meeting Link

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Dr. Sudnya Mahimkar <sudnyamahimkar@mes.ac.in>
To: Sarojini Lohot <slohot@mes.ac.in>

Fri, Dec 6, 2024 at 3:35 PM

Best regards
Sincerely**Dr. Sudnya Mahimkar****Principal****Ph: 9969168272**www.genderspaceresearch.com**Mahatma Education Society's****Pillai College of Architecture**

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From: **Shardul Buva** <shardulb@mes.ac.in>

Date: Wed, Oct 4, 2023 at 11:59 AM

Subject: Fwd: Academic Council Meeting Link

To: Dr. Sudnya Mahimkar <sudnyam@mes.ac.in>, Sandeep Joshi <smjoshi@mes.ac.in>, Chandran R <chandran@mes.ac.in>, Lata Menon <latak@mes.ac.in>

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From: **Abida Khan** <abidakhan@mes.ac.in>

Date: Wed, 4 Oct 2023, 8:47 am

Subject: AC Meeting Link

To: Shardul Buva <shardulb@mes.ac.in>

Dr. Abida Khan is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Academic Council Meeting 05/10/2023 @11 am

Time: Oct 5, 2023 11:00 AM India

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://pillai-edu-in.zoom.us/j/88313436110?pwd=M1hnNnIrZ2d5Z29LQ3BkL2JIN1c0QT09>

Meeting ID: 883 1343 6110
Passcode: 271883

Thanks & Regards,

Dr. Abida Khan

Coordinator, B.Com. Accounting & Finance

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Minutes of the Meeting of Academic Council Member held on 5th October 2023

PCACS/AC/MIN/2023-24/T1

Date: 6th October 2023

Academic Council Meeting
Minutes of the Meeting

The Meeting of Academic Council members was conducted on **Thursday, 5th October 2023 at 11:00 am.** Meeting will be presided by Dr. Gajanan Wader, Chairperson of Academic Council. Meeting was conducted in **online mode on Zoom Platform.** Following members were present in the meeting:

Sr. No.	Name	Category
1	Dr. Gajanan Wader	Principal & Chairperson of Academic Council
2	Mrs. Deepika Sharma	Vice Principal & HOD ITCS
3	Dr. Aarti Sukheja	IQAC Coordinator
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23	Dr. Jennie Prajith	B.Com. F.M.

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25	Mrs. Prajakta Bapat	B.B.A.
26	Ms. Priya Gahlot	B.B.A. Digital Marketing
27	Mrs. Sreevidya	B.C.A.
28	Mr. Abhijeet Salvi	M. Sc. I.T.
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	Special Invitees	
32	Dr. Monali Ray	Exam Controller
33	Dr. Smitha Jayaram	Academic calendar in charge
34	Mrs, Sunita Saini	Seed Money funding in charge

Leave of absence: Nil

Following agenda were discussed in the meeting:

1. To read and confirm the Minutes and Action Taken Report of last meeting.

Dr. Shardul Buva read the minutes of the last meeting of Academic Council and it was duly confirmed by all the members of Academic Council.

2. To endorse and approve the minutes of Board of Studies meetings.

Mrs. Deepika Sharma informed that we have 8 Board of studies in place and the meeting of Board of Studies were conducted on 1st July 2023 in Online Mode. Main agenda was:

1. Introduction of new courses for AY 2023-24 and all the new courses approved by BOS.
2. Change of syllabus structure as per NEP. Some of the highlights of new structure are
 - Generic Electives
 - Major and Minor Across Discipline,
 - Flipped Classroom,
 - Pool of courses for Ability and skill enhancement.

All the meetings were successfully conducted, and minutes are duly filed.

3. To endorse and approve the minutes of Exam Committee meeting.

Dr. Monali Ray, Controller of Examination, informed to the chair that Exam Committee meeting was conducted on 27th September 2023.

Dr. Prasad Karande, Director of board of Examination and Evaluation University of Mumbai was present in the capacity of University Nominee.

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Dr. Monali Ray presented Examination Calander containing Examination, Evaluation and Result Declaration dates for all UG and PG programmes to the Academic Council Members and it was duly approved in the meeting.

Exam Committee meeting was duly approved by Academic Council.

4. To approve Academic Calander for the Academic Year 2023-2024.

Dr. Smitha Jayaram presented Academic Calander for the Academic Year 2023-24.

She further highlighted major academic event dates like commencement of term, continuous assessment exam dates, syllabus completion and exam and evaluation dates etc

She further informed that calendar is been prepare in line with university dates and norms.

All the members approved Academic Calander.

5. To approve the new programme Bachelor of Science Clinical Psychology [1 division - 60 students] under Autonomous in regular shift from Academic Year 2024-2025.

Dr. Gajanan Wader proposed the introduction of the new programme of Bachelor of Science in Clinical Psychology from the Academic Year 2024-2025 with the intake of 1 division consist of 60 students.

Dr. Wader further introduced the syllabus, evaluation pattern and fees structure of the new programme.

Dr. Sandeep Joshi asked whether the programme structure is framed by considering NEP guidelines?

Mrs. Deepika Sharma replied that we have considered and followed all the NEP Guidelines while framing programme structure.

Dr. Ganesh Thakur sir asked whether fees structure has been approved in the finance committee meeting?

Dr. Ganajan Wader informed that fees structure of all new programme has been approved in the finance committee meeting held on 6th September 2023.

All the members approved the introduction of New programme, Bachelor of Science Clinical Psychology from the Academic Year 2024-2025

6. To present courses under the Department of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship.

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Dr. Kavita Kathare presented list of courses ongoing as well as courses introduced in the current under DSDE. She also informed that following are the new courses introduced in current year in following broad categories:

- Commerce and Management – Logistics and supply chain management
- Mass Media – Basic Spoken and Written Language and Foreign Languages
- Technical – Cloud Computing, Design Thinking, Fintech, Course on report writing.
- Blended Mode – AI & ML, Data Science and Analytics, AI based digital tools, Insurance domine AI Tools
- Foreign Languages- German, Spanish, Korean, Arabic

Dr. Gajanan Wader asked to share explanation about skill credit cards

Dr. Kavita Kathare informed that under skill credit policy students gets extra credits by undergoing skill credit course and internships so we have issued skill credit cards which will contain extra credits earned during year.

She further added that till date we have introduced about 50+ courses under DSDE and it receives good response from students.

Dr. Sandeep Joshi asked about monitoring of course wise response of students.

Dr. Kavita Kathare informed that we have three departments handling three different activities under DSDE. One of the departments keep track of responses to the course. On their feedback we replace course with less response by courses in more demand.

Dr. Sandeep Joshi appreciated the systematic operating system of DSDE.

7. To seek approval for the number of minority seats to be reserved for admission.

Dr. Gajanan Wader informed that we follow admission norms and schedule for first year students given by University of Mumbai and UGC.

We also follow guidelines for admission of minority seats given by University of Mumbai and UGC and make sure that all the minority seats are duly filled.

In the academic year 2023-24 we have all 205 minority seats filled.

8. To communicate AQAR review for the Academic Year 2022-23.

Dr. Aarti Sukheja informed that AQAR has been reviewed by Heads of the institution, Management and NAAC Advisory committee.

She further added that as on date AQAR finalisation is in process and we have planned to upload it by 30th November 2023.

9. To present status of Curriculum Feedback for 1st Term for the Academic Year 2023-24

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The chair was informed by Dr. Shardul Buva that curriculum feedback is a mandatory compliance requirement set by UGC and an essential method for ensuring that we are marching in the right direction. Therefore, we have taken curriculum feedback for the academic year 2022-23.

Dr. Shardul Buva further informed, curriculum feedback was collected from four key stakeholders of the college, namely students, alumni, outside college teachers, and employers.

Dr. Ganesh Thakur sir asked about method of collecting feedback.

Dr. Shardul Buva informed that we have circulated Google Forms and data is collected in online mode as it will be easy reach more number of respondents.

10. To present seed money funding for the research projects and patent applications.

Mrs. Suparna Deepak informed that to Promote experiential learning students are encouraged to take up research projects at UG and PG level.

Last year seed money provided was Rs 5 lakhs for teachers as well as for students. By Keeping in mind NEP requirements, we have planned to increase this fund up to Rs.10 lakhs.

Teachers and students are informed to send their proposal and committee will review the proposal and then funds will be allotted to applicant.

She further added that teachers are encouraged for idea generation and for few selected ideas patent application has been made. Management have decided to sponsor at least five patent applications this year.

11. To present funding for research papers and book chapters.

Dr. Suparna Deepak informed that management will sponsor research papers and book chapters also. Last year around Rs 55000 for research papers and Rs 30000 for Books were allotted.

Dr. Ganesh Thakur suggested that funds to be allotted according to impact factor of the general.

12. To Present scholarship status.

Mrs. Sunita Saini informed that total 4156 received scholarship and free ship provided by the institution under following schemes:

- Economically Weaker Section – 7 students
- Sports Scholarship – 21 students
- Staff welfare Scheme – 7 students
- Alumni - 166 students
- DSDE – 3955 students

Dr. Ganesh Thakur asked how many students receive scholarship under Government Scheme.

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Dr. Gajanan Wader informed that under MAHA DBT scheme 270 students receives Government scholarship.

13. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.

As there is no other matter for further discussion, meeting was resolved with vote of thanks to the chair.

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