



National Law University Odisha, Cuttack

MINUTES OF THE 22nd MEETING OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL HELD ON APRIL 9, 2022 AT 4.00 P.M. (Through Online)

Present:

1. Prof. Ved Kumari
Vice-Chancellor,
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack
2. Mr. Debi Prasad Dhal
Senior Advocate
Managing Trustee, BCIT
3. Prof. Satish C. Shastri,
Dean, School of Legal Studies,
Mody University of Science & Technology, Sikar Rd, Laxmangarh
4. Prof. Manoj Sinha
Director, The Indian Law Institute
5. Prof. Rashmi M Oza
Professor of Law,
Department of Law, University of Mumbai,
6. Prof. (Dr.) Rita Ray,
Adjunct Professor of Sociology,
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack
7. Prof. Sheela Rai,
Professor of Law,
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack
8. Prof. Dolly Jabbal
Professor of Law and Controller of Examination
NLU Odisha, Cuttack
9. Prof. (Dr.) Rangin Pallav Tripathy
Chairman, Academic Coordination Committee
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack
10. Dr. Arjyalopa Mishra
Assistant Professor of Management,
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack
11. Ms. Madhubrata Rayasingh
Assistant Professor of Economics,
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack

12. Prof. (Dr.) Yogesh Pratap Singh
Professor & Registrar
National Law University, Odisha, Cuttack

Prof. Sheela Rai was granted leave of absence.

The Vice-Chancellor welcomed all members of the Academic Council.

The agenda items were presented and following decisions were taken by the Academic Council.

S.N O.	AGENDA ITEMS	Resolution
1.	Confirmation of the Minutes of the 21 st Academic Council Meeting held on November 13, 2021 and Action Taken Report.	Confirmed
2.	Approval for offering of 3 Years B.A. Programme at NLUO in five streams	Approved
3.	Approval for offering of PG Diploma in Prison Administration and Correctional Services.	Approved
4.	Approval of revision in the title of some compulsory courses which has been requested by faculty members based on the inputs received from invited experts during course outline presentations and during faculty development programs.	Deferred Council resolved that matter may be placed with more details and course outlines of all the course in the next Meeting.
5.	Approval of the revision of the scheme of evaluation for UG and PG courses wherein no marks will be allotted for attendance.	Approved The five marks allotted to attendance shall be added to internal assessment component.
6.	Approval of three new courses which have been proposed by faculty members to be offered as optional papers.	Approved The Council suggested to include some more movies such as Article 15, Section 375, Ek Ruka Hua Faisala etc.
7.	Reporting of Mass Malpractice in the End Semester Examination held in the Month November 2021 and Action taken on the matter by the Examination Committee	Approved

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8.	Reporting of Signing of MoU with Sri Sri University, Cuttack, Odisha	Approved
9.	Reporting of signing of MoU with Centre for Adivasi Research and Development (CARD), Odisha	Approved
10.	Grant of Project entitled "Supporting stronger and evidence-based tobacco control initiatives through capacity building and strengthening laws, policies and institutional mechanisms with multi-stakeholder engagement towards tobacco-free India" by The International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, (The Union), Rue Jean Lantier, 75001 Paris, France	<p>The Council congratulated Prof. Yogesh Pratap Singh for getting this prestigious grant for the University.</p> <p>The Vice-Chancellor also informed the council that another small grant from ICSSR has been received by the University to organize ten days online Research Methodology workshop. Prof. Yogesh Pratap Singh will be the Director and Ms. Madhubrata Rayasingh will be Co-Director of this project. The council expressed happiness and congratulated both of them.</p>
11.	Any Other Item with the permission of the Chair	<p>The Vice-Chancellor informed the Council about the unfortunate incident of 04 April 2022 when a second year girl committed suicide in the hostel room. The Vice-Chancellor also informed that police investigation found that there was no foul play and sole reason of suicide was depression and personal family tension.</p> <p>The Council advised that University must ensure adequate medical and mental health infrastructure for the university students at the earliest.</p>

Registrar