

## **NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KURUKSHETRA**

### **UPDATED MINUTES OF 50<sup>th</sup> MEETING OF THE SENATE**

**Updated Minutes of the 50<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Senate, NIT, Kurukshetra held on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 3.00 p.m. in the Senate Hall of the Institute.**

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

1. Prof. B.V. Ramana Reddy Chairperson  
Director  
National Institute of Technology  
Kurukshetra

External members, Prof. (Ms.) Manju Singh, MNIT, Jaipur and Prof. Prasad V. Bharatam, NIPER, Mohali attended the meeting in online mode.

#### **Internal Members (Department wise & in alphabetical order)**

##### **Business Administration**

2. Dr. Neeraj Kaushik, Associate Prof. & HoD

##### **Chemistry Department**

3. Prof. Minati Baral, Professor  
4. Prof. J.K. Kapoor, Associate Prof. & HoD

##### **Civil Engineering Department**

5. Prof. Arun Goel, Professor  
6. Prof. Ashwani Jain, Professor  
7. Prof. H.K. Sharma, Professor  
8. Prof. Mahesh Pal, Professor  
9. Prof. Parveen Aggarwal, Professor  
10. Prof. Pratibha Aggarwal, Professor  
11. Prof. Saraswati Setia, Professor  
12. Prof. S.K. Madan, Professor  
13. Prof. V.P. Singh, Professor

##### **Computer Engineering Department**

14. Prof. A.K. Singh, Professor  
15. Prof. J.K. Chhabra, Professor

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- 16. Prof. Mayank Dave, Professor
- 17. Prof. Sanjay Kumar Jain, Professor
- 18. Prof. R.K. Aggarwal, Professor

#### **Computer Applications Department**

- 19. Dr. Sandeep Kumar Sood, Associate Prof. & HoD

#### **Electrical Engineering Department**

- 20. Prof. Ashwani Kumar, Professor
- 21. Prof. G.L. Pahuja, Professor
- 22. Prof. Jagdeep Singh Lather, Professor
- 23. Prof. Jyoti Ohri, Professor
- 24. Prof. Lillie Dewan, Professor
- 25. Prof. L.M. Saini, Professor
- 26. Prof. Ratna Dahiya, Professor
- 27. Prof. Sathans, Professor

#### **Electronics & Communication Engineering Department**

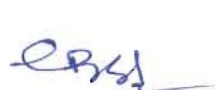
- 28. Prof. Brahmjit Singh, Professor
- 29. Prof. Rajoo Pandey, Professor
- 30. Prof. R.K. Sharma, Professor
- 31. Prof. Umesh Ghanekar, Professor
- 32. Sh. Karan Sharma, Associate Professor & HoD

#### **Humanities & Social Sciences Department**

- 33. Prof. Kiran, Professor
- 34. Prof. Vikas Choudhary, Professor

#### **Mechanical Engineering Department**

- 35. Prof. Ajain Jain, Professor
- 36. Prof. Dinesh Khanduja, Professor
- 37. Prof. Dixit Garg, Professor
- 38. Prof. Gian Bhushan, Professor
- 39. Prof. Pankaj Chandna, Professor
- 40. Prof. Hari Singh, Professor
- 41. Prof. Pankaj Chandna, Professor
- 42. Prof. P.C. Tiwari, Professor
- 43. Prof. P.K. Saini, Professor
- 44. Prof. Surjit Angra, Professor
- 45. Prof. V.K. Bajpai, Professor

46. Prof. Vinod Kumar, Professor

### **Physics Department**

47. Prof. Ashavani Kumar, Professor

48. Prof. Neena Jaggi, Professor

49. Prof. R.P. Chauhan, Professor

### **Mathematics Department**

50. Prof. Paras Ram, Professor

51. Dr. A.S.V. Ravi Kanth, Associate Professor & HoD

### **Member of BoG as Special Invitee**

52. Prof. Sandeep Santosh, Assistant Prof., ECE

### **The following members could not attend the meeting**

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| 1. Prof. Vinod Kumar                  | External member |
| Professor, Electronics & Comm. Engg., |                 |
| National Institute of Technology,     |                 |
| Hamirpur (HP)                         |                 |

### **Internal Members** (Department wise & in alphabetical order)

#### **Civil Engineering Department**

2. Prof. K.K. Singh, Professor
3. Prof. S.K. Patidar, Professor
4. Prof. S.M. Gupta, Professor
5. Prof. Surinder Deswal, Professor

#### **Electrical Engineering Department**

6. Prof. Yash Pal, Professor

#### **Electronics & Communication Engineering Department**

7. Prof. O.P. Sahu, Professor

#### **Mechanical Engineering Department**

8. Prof. Puneet Kumar, Professor
9. Prof. Meenu, Professor



At the outset, Hon'ble Director and the Chairman Senate welcomed all members of the Senate. He, then accorded permission to present the agenda of the meeting.

The agenda was presented and after detailed deliberations, the following decisions were taken in the meeting:

**S 50.01 To confirm the minutes of 49th Senate meeting held on 27.04.2023.**

The Senate confirmed the minutes of 49th Senate meeting held on 27.04.2023.

**S 50.02 To note the action taken report on the minutes of the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Senate held on 27.04.2023.**

The Senate noted the action taken report on the minutes of the 49th meeting of the Senate held on 27.04.2023.

**S 50.03 To ratify the approval of the Chairman, Senate for the following:**

- (i) Change of name of student and/or his/her parents in academic records as per Govt. of India Gazette Notification.
- (ii) Allowing some M.Tech. students (Transportation Engg.) of 2022-23 batch to do their dissertation work outside the Institute in 3rd and 4th semester of AY 2023-24.
- (i) Change of name of student and/or his/her parents in academic records as per Govt. of India Gazette Notification.

The Senate ratified the approval of the Chairman, Senate for change of name of student and/or his/her parents in academic records as per Govt. of India Gazette Notification. The Senate also approved that this procedure of name change as per Govt. of India Gazette Notification be followed in the Institute in all cases.





- (ii) **Allowing some M.Tech. students (Transportation Engg.) of 2022-23 batch to do their dissertation work outside the Institute in 3rd and 4th semester of AY 2023-24.**

The Senate ratified the approval.

**S 50.04 To consider and approve the revision of existing syllabus of some of the subjects in the Department of Business Administration.**

The Senate approved the revision of existing syllabus of some of the subjects in the Department of Business Administration.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

**S 50.05 To consider the requests of students for relaxation in the academic rules for promotion to higher semester of B.Tech. programme.**

The Senate considered the proposal and approved relaxation in the academic rules for promotion to higher semester of B.Tech. programme with the following guidelines which will be effective from academic session 2023-24 for all batches.:

- (i) A student will be promoted to the higher semester irrespective of number of reappears in lower semesters. However, student will not be allowed to appear in the examinations for more than N+6 courses in any semester, where 'N' is the total no. of courses of the current semester the student is studying in and 6 is the maximum number of reappear courses (internal and/or external).
- (ii) The examination of odd semester courses (both internal and external) will be held in odd semester and the examination of even semester courses (both internal and external) will be held in even semester.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.



**S 50.06 To consider and approve the revision in Ph.D. Ordinance.**

After detailed deliberations, the Senate approved the Ph.D. Ordinance with minor modifications which will be incorporated in the Ph.D. regulations for the academic year 2023-24.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

**S 50.07 To consider the proposal for revised B.Tech. scheme and syllabi.**

The Senate considered and approved the revised scheme and syllabi of B.Tech. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> years with minor modifications. It was decided that the B.Tech. scheme and syllabi will be uploaded on Institute website after incorporating the minor modifications. The scheme and syllabi of B.Tech. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> year will also be uploaded on Institute website for inputs/feedback from the stakeholders.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

**S 50.08 To consider and approve the Academic Calendars for Odd and Even Semesters of Academic Year 2023-24.**

The Senate considered and approved the Academic Calendars for Odd and Even Semesters of Academic Year 2023-24.

**S 50.09 To consider the proposal for conducting special examination for B.Tech. final year students (2019-2023 batch).**

The Senate considered the proposal and decided to conduct special examination for B.Tech. final year students within a month of the declaration of the result of final year (7th & 8th semesters) during even semester. Only those students will be allowed for special examinations who are having not more than five reappears (of 7th and/ or 8th semester). The special examinations will be conducted by the departments concerned. The scheme will be effective from academic session 2022-23.



- S 50.10 To consider the request of Defence Research & Development Organization (DRDO) for offering some vacancies for DRDO sponsored candidates under Research & Training (R&T) scheme in M.Tech. programmes of the Institute.**

The Senate considered the proposal and decided to offer two seats in each specialization of M.Tech. programmes of the Institute to DRDO sponsored candidates under Research & Training (R&T) scheme. The eligibility criteria for admission will be on par with the sponsored category candidates in M.Tech. programmes. However, the requirement of minimum two years of experience will be relaxed.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

- S 50.11 To consider the proposal for relaxation of experience for employees of DRDO/R&D organizations/Govt. Organisations etc. for admission in M.Tech. programmes under sponsored category.**

The Senate approved the proposal for relaxation of experience for employees of DRDO/R&D organizations/Govt. Organisations etc. for admission in M.Tech. programmes under sponsored category.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

- S 50.12 To consider the scheme and syllabi of new M.Sc. programmes offered from Academic Year 2023-24.**

The Senate considered and approved the scheme and syllabi of 1<sup>st</sup> year of new M.Sc. programmes offered from Academic Year 2023-24 which will be uploaded on the Institute website. Further, it was decided that the scheme and syllabi of 2<sup>nd</sup> year of M.Sc. programmes will also be uploaded on the Institute website for inputs/feedback from the stakeholders.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.





**S 50.13 To consider the report of the Committee constituted to suggest the steps to be taken to fill up the vacant seats in M.Tech. programs after National Spot Round of CCMT-2023 w.e.f. Academic Year 2023-24.**

The Senate considered and approved the report of the Committee constituted to suggest the steps to be taken to fill up the vacant seats in M.Tech. programs after National Spot Round of CCMT-2023 w.e.f. Academic Year 2023-24.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

**S 50.14 To consider the evaluation schemes for the students' activities under the domain of students' clubs/sports/technical societies etc.**

The Senate considered the proposal and approved the same. However, the evaluation schemes may be reviewed in future.

**S 50.15 To consider the proposal for change in name of B.Tech. programme from "Computer Engineering" to "Computer Science & Engineering" w.e.f. AY 2024-25.**

The Senate considered and approved the proposal for change in name of B.Tech. programme from "Computer Engineering" to "Computer Science & Engineering" w.e.f. AY 2024-25.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

**S 50.16 To consider the proposal to enhance the intake in M.Tech. programmes under self-finance.**

The Senate considered and approved the proposal to enhance the intake in M.Tech. programmes under self-finance. The enhanced intake under self-finance will be equal to the respective sanctioned intake in each M.Tech. programme. The self-financed candidates will not get any financial support from the Institute. GATE score will not be mandatory for admission to these seats under self-finance and the admission will be made through Spot Counselling by issuing notification on the Institute website. The fee structure of the candidates admitted under self-finance will have 50% higher tuition fee compared to the un-reserved candidates admitted to the M.Tech. programmes through CCMT counselling. There



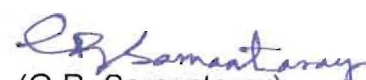


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will be no relaxation in the fee irrespective of the category of the candidate. The admissions will be made under this category from the academic year 2023-24 after getting the approval of the BoG of the Institute.

The Senate confirmed the minutes during the meeting itself.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

  
(G.R. Samantaray)  
Registrar Incharge & Secretary, Senate 02/08/23

  
(Sathans) 28/8/23  
Dean (Academic)

  
( B.V. Ramana Reddy)  
Director & Chairman Senate

