



**MINUTES OF THE 129TH MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL,
DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY HELD ON 08.12.2023 (FRIDAY) AT 3:00 P.M. AT THE
INDIRA MIRI CONFERENCE HALL, DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY**

Members Present:

1. The Vice-Chancellor i/c, Dibrugarh University, Chairperson : Chairperson
2. The Registrar, Dibrugarh University, Secretary : Member
3. Prof. Sarat Chandra Kakaty, Dean, Faculty of Science and Engineering, D.U.:Member
4. Prof. Deb Kumar Chakraborty, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences : Member
5. Prof. Dipak Chetia, Dean, Research and Development, D.U. : Member
6. Prof. Surajit Borkotokey, Dean of Student Affairs, D.U. : Member
7. Prof. Neeta Kalita Barua, Dean, Faculty of Education, D.U. : Member
8. Prof. Kumud Ch. Goswami, Dean, Faculty of Commerce and Management Sciences, D.U. : Member
9. Prof. Subasana Mahanta Choudhury, Dean, Faculty of Humanities and Law, D.U. (Head, Department of Assamese, D.U.) : Member
10. Prof. Subrata Borgohain Gogoi, Dean, Faculty of Earth Sciences & Energy, D.U. (Head, Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U.) : Member
11. Prof. Arpana Konwar, Dept. of Assamese, D.U. : Member
12. Prof. Jayanta Kumar Bora, Dept. of Assamese, D.U. : Member
13. Prof. Pallavi Deka Buzarboruah, Dept. of Assamese, D.U. : Member
14. Prof. Satyakam Borthakur, Dept. of Assamese, D.U. : Member
15. Prof. Dolly Phukon, Dept of Political Science, D.U. : Member
16. Prof. Amarjyoti Mahanta, Dept. of Economics, D.U. : Member
17. Prof. Mukut Hazarika, Dept. of Education, D.U. : Member
18. Prof. Daisy Bora Talukdar, Dept. of Education, D.U. : Member
19. Prof. P. K. Gogoi, Dept. of Education, D.U. : Member
20. Prof. Prasanta Kr. Saikia, Dept. of Physics, D.U. (Head, Dept. of Physics, D.U.) : Member
21. Prof. Pankaj Dutta, Dept. of Physics, D.U. : Member
22. Prof. Umananda Dev Goswami, Dept of Physics, D.U. : Member
23. Prof. Geetika Borah, Dept. of Chemistry, D.U. (Head, Dept. of Chemistry, D.U.) : Member

24. Prof. Paramananda Deka, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U. : Member
(Head, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U.)
25. Prof. Tazid Ali, Dept. of Mathematics, D.U. : Member
26. Prof. Ankur Bharali, Dept. of Mathematics (Director, IQAC) : Member
27. Prof. Hemanta Kr. Sharma, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U. : Member
28. Prof. Bibhuti Bhusan Kakoti, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U. : Member
29. Prof. Dipsikha Bora, Dept. of Life Sciences, D.U. : Member
30. Prof. Bijoy Neog, Dept. of Life Sciences, D.U. : Member
31. Prof. Devid Kardong, Dept. of Life Sciences, D.U. : Member
32. Prof. Kalpana Deka Kalita, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U. : Member
33. Prof. Tapos Kumar Goswami, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U. : Member
34. Prof. Pradip Borgohain, Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U. : Member
35. Prof. Pratim Barua, CMS, D.U. : Member
36. Dr. Pranjal Protim Buragohain, Head, Dept. of Economics, D.U. : Member
37. Dr. Diganta Bhuyan, Head, Dept. of Applied Geology, D.U. : Member
38. Dr. Manash Pratim Barman, Head, Dept. of Statistics, D.U. : Member
39. Dr. Dibyajyoti Dutta, Head, Dept. of Political Science, D.U. : Member
40. Prof. Mriganka Sekhar Chaliha, Dept of Cardiology, AMCH, Dibrugarh : Member
41. Dr. Arunima Dutta, Principal i/c, Post Graduate Training College : Member
(AISE), Jorhat
42. Dr. A. K. Das, Principal, Jorhat Law College, Jorhat : Member
43. Mr. Pranjal Protim Borah, JHNS College, Jhanji, Sivasagar : Member
44. Dr. Anup Jyoti Bharali, D.H.S.K. College, Dibrugarh : Member
45. Dr. Ananta Kr. Dutta, DHSK College, Dibrugarh : Member
46. Mr. Abdul Aziz Ahmed, Machkhowa Degree College, Dhemaji : Member
47. Dr. P. K. Kakoty, Controller of Examinations, D.U. : Member
48. Prof. Utpal Das, Librarian, D.U. : Member
49. Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. : Member
50. Dr. Amitabh Baruah, Jt. Controller of Examination – ‘C’, D.U. : Spl. Invitee
51. Dr. Madhuryya Saikia, Head i/c, Mechanical Engineering, DUIET, : Spl. Invitee
52. Dr. Jitu Borah (Member Secretary, Hindi, BoS) : Spl. Invitee
53. Dr. Mantu Baro, DSPES, D.U. : Spl. Invitee

Item No. 01. To consider confirmation of the minutes of the **128th** Meeting of the Academic Council held on 30.06.2023.

Discussion: The Chairperson requested the Members to point out the omission or commission, if any in recording the Minutes of the **128th** Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 30.06.2023 which was circulated vide Memo No: DU/DR-A/AC/7-1/23/1085 dated 05.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) highlighted the significant resolutions adopted in the last meeting and appraised the actions taken on it. After the threadbare discussion, the Council confirmed the minutes and adopted the following resolution:

Resolution No. 01 *Resolved that the Draft of the Minutes of the 128th Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 30.06.2023 be accepted and confirmed.*

Item No. 02. To report the Actions Taken on the minutes of the **128th** Meeting of the Academic Council held on 30.06.2023.

Discussion: The Deputy Registrar (Academic) presented the Report on the actions taken on the Minutes of the **128th** Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 30.06.2023.

Resolution No. 02 *Resolved that the Action Taken Report on the Resolutions of the Minutes of the 128th Meeting of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 30.06.2023 be accepted and confirmed.*

Item No. 03. To consider the introduction of optional paper “**ADVANCED DATA MINING TECHNQUES**” under Course – III in the existing syllabus of the Ph.D. Pre-registration course work in Computer Science (As recommended by the BoS in Computer Science, meeting held on 09.11.2023).

Discussion: As recommended by the meeting of the Board of Studies (BoS) in Computer Science held on 09.11.2023 regarding approval to introduce optional paper “**ADVANCED DATA MINING TECHNQUES**” under Course – III in the existing syllabus of the Ph.D. Pre-registration course work in Computer Science, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the matter before the council for discussion.

The Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 03 Resolved that as recommended by the Board of Studies (BoS) in Computer Science, the introduction of optional paper “**ADVANCED DATA MINING TECHNIQUES**” under **Course – III** in the existing syllabus of the Ph.D. Pre-registration course work in Computer Science be approved w.e.f. the academic session 2023-2024.

Item No. 04. To consider the draft syllabus of Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) in Assamese Language of FYIPGP (As recommended by the BoS in Assamese, meeting held on 11.10.2023)

Discussion: As recommended by the meeting of the Board of Studies (BoS) in Assamese, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the draft syllabus of Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) in Assamese Language of FYIPGP for discussion. The Council discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 04: Resolved that as recommended by the Board of Studies (BoS) in Assamese, the draft syllabus of Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) in Assamese Language of FYIPGP be approved w.e.f. the academic session 2023-2024.

Item No. 05. To consider the **modified syllabus of M. Tech. Programme** in Mechanical Engineering (**Specialization in: Fluids and Thermal Engineering**) from the Batch of 2024 onwards.

Discussion: As recommended by the Board of Studies (BoS) in Mechanical Engineering, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the **modified syllabus of M. Tech. Programme** in Mechanical Engineering (**Specialization in: Fluids and Thermal Engineering**) for discussion. The committee discussed the matter and adopted the following resolution accordingly-

Resolution No. 05: Resolved that as recommended by the Board of Studies (BoS) in Mechanical Engineering, the **modified syllabus of M. Tech. Programme** in Mechanical Engineering (**Specialization in: Fluids and Thermal Engineering**) be approved w.e.f. 2024-2025 academic session.

Item No. 06. To nominate three (03) members to the **Under Graduate Board**, Dibrugarh University under **Section 23(4)** of the Dibrugarh University Act (as amended upto date).

Discussion: The Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the matter before the Council regarding nomination of Members for the Under Graduate Board, Dibrugarh University under section 23(4) of the Dibrugarh University Act. The council discussed the matter and nominated following members for the Under Graduate Board and the following resolution was adopted on it-

Resolution No. 06: Resolved that the following persons be nominated as the Members of the **Under Graduate Board (UGB)**, Dibrugarh University under **Section 23(4)** of the Dibrugarh University Act (as amended up to date) with immediate effect-

- (i) **The Principal, Assam Medical College, Dibrugarh**
- (ii) **The Principal, Jorhat Engineering College, Jorhat**
- (iii) **The Principal, Jorhat Law College, Jorhat**

Item No. 07. To consider recommendations of the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board, D.U. held on 23.11.2023.

(A) To consider the draft Course Structure and syllabus of B. Music (Hindustani Vocal Music, Tabla, Kathak Dance to run at Asom Sattriya Sangit Mahavidyalaya, Jorhat).

Note: Provisional permission has been granted to introduce Hindustani Music (in Major Course) w.e.f. the session 2023-2024 vide memo No. DU/ RG/ IOC/ 2023/ Permission/ ASSAM / 2103, dated 22.09.2023.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 07: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the draft of the Course Structure and Syllabus of the Hindustani Vocal Music, Tabla and Kathak Dance for the Semesters – I, II and III in CBCS be approved w.e.f. the academic session 2023-2024.

(B) To consider the Course Structure and Syllabus of B. Tech. Programme in Petroleum Engineering (for the Semesters – III to VIII) from the batch of 2023 at Dibrugarh University Institute of Engineering and Technology (DUIET), Dibrugarh University.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 08: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Course Structure and Syllabus (for the Semesters – III to VIII) of B. Tech. Programme in Petroleum Engineering at Dibrugarh University Institute of Engineering & Technology (DUIET), Dibrugarh University be approved w.e.f. the academic session 2023-2024 (for the batches 2023 onwards).

(C) To consider the Course Structure and Syllabus of 1st and 2nd Semester (B. Tech. Programme of DUIET from 2023, Common to all Branches) at Dibrugarh University Institute of Engineering and Technology (DUIET), Dibrugarh University.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 09: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Course Structure and Syllabus of First and Second Semester B. Tech. Programmes (Common to all) be approved w.e.f. the academic session 2023-2024.

(D) To consider the minor modifications in Hindi Syllabus of FYUGP.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion, following resolutions were adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 10: Resolved that as recommended by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the minor modifications in Hindi

Syllabus of FYUGP in Core Course 2 (C 2) -unit 3 be approved with effect from 2023-2024 academic session.

Resolution No. 11: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the minor modifications in Hindi Syllabus of FYUGP in (i) Core Course 1 (C 1) -unit 4, (ii) AEC1-unit 4, (iii) GEC1-unit 3 and (iv) SEC1-unit 3 & 4 be approved with effect from 2024-2025 academic session.

(E) To consider the syllabi of NSS Courses in FYUGP.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion, following resolutions were adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 12: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the syllabi of the NSS Courses in FYUGP be approved w.e.f. the academic session 2024-2025 as given below-

- (i) NSS for Youth (SEC) in FYUGP 3rd Semester.**
- (ii) NSS in Community Engagement (others) in FYUGP 4th Semester.**

(F) To consider the courses from Infosys Springboard to be offered as MOOCs in FYUGP.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 13: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the courses from Infosys Springboard to be offered as MOOCs in FYUGP be approved in principle w.e.f. the academic session 2024-2025.

(G) To consider approval for the introduction/syllabi of Add-on Courses/ Self-Financed Innovative Courses (SFIC) by its affiliated Colleges/ Institutes.

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic), D.U. placed the matter before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 14: Resolved that as recommend by the **126th Meeting** of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, henceforth, Dibrugarh University shall not issue any notification related to the approval for the introduction/syllabi of Add-on Courses/Self-Financed Innovative Courses (SFIC) by its affiliated Colleges/Institutes.

Further resolved that the concerned Colleges/Institutes may report the introduction of Add-on Courses/Self-Financed Innovative Courses (SFIC) for information of the University.

(H) Matters for Ratification recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023.

(a) Modified syllabus of B.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering from the batch of 2023 onwards at DUIET.

Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/Syllabus-B.Tech. (ME)/223/980, dated 05.10.2023

(b) To consider approval of the list of self-financed and self-conducted add on courses offered by the various colleges under Dibrugarh University.

Sl. No.	Colleges	Title of the Add-on Courses
1	Sarupathar College	Vermicompost Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Course/2023/919, dated 07.09.2023
2	Marangi Mahavidyalaya	(i) Spoken English, (ii) Cutting, Knitting and Handy-Craft (iii) Creative Dance (iv) Beautician & Beauty Parlour (v) Folk Culture and Ethnic Diversity of Assam (vi) Fishery Science as a Source of Self-employment (vii) Sociology of Health and Hospital Management

		<p>(viii) <i>Election Administration</i> (ix) <i>Practical and Theoretical Aspects of Teaching</i> (x) <i>Communicative English</i> (xi) <i>Archeological Sites of Upper Assam</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/763, dated 02.08.2023</p>
3	Jorhat Kendriya Mahavidyalaya	<p>(i) <i>Financial Literacy</i> (ii) <i>Innovation and Entrepreneurship</i> (iii) <i>Research in Social Science: Understanding Voting Behaviour and Political Awareness</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/762, dated 02.08.2023</p>
4	Murkong Selek College	<p><i>Certificate Course on Handloom and Weaving of Ethnic Attires</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/761, dated 02.08.2023</p>
5	Dhemaji Commerce College	<p>(i) <i>Certificate Course of Office Automation</i> (ii) <i>Certificate Course on Handloom Weaving</i> (iii) <i>Certificate Course on GST and Income Tax</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/688, dated 27.07.2023</p>
6	D.D.R. College	<p>(i) <i>Micro Enterprise Development and Decent Job Creation</i> (ii) <i>Certificate Programme in Computer Application and DTPG</i> (iii) <i>Vocational Course in Beauty Care</i> (iv) <i>Entrepreneurship for Rural Development (ERDA)</i> (v) <i>Short-Term Course in Spoken English</i> (vi) <i>Certificate Course in Tourism and Hospitality Management in Assam</i> (vii) <i>Teachers Training Programme on Pre-Primary Education</i> (viii) <i>Introductory Translation</i> (ix) <i>Basic of Theatre Art</i> (x) <i>Role of NGOs in Rural Development</i> (xi) <i>Cutting and Knitting Course</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/632, dated 18.07.2023</p>
7	Jengraimukh College	<p><i>Certificate Course in Mising Language</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/633, dated 18.07.2023</p>
8	Dhemaji College	<p>(i) <i>Certificate Course on Assamese</i></p>

		<p><i>DTP</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Certificate Course on Water and Soil Analysis</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Yoga: Philosophy and Practice</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Introduction to MATLAB</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Certificate Course in Advanced Social Science Research</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/611, dated 13.07.2023</i></p>
9	Laluk College	<p>(i) <i>Spoken English</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Certificate Course in Desk Top Publishing</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Journalism</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Tourism & Travel Management in Assam</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Gender and Law</i></p> <p>(vi) <i>“Yoga” for Health</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/610, dated 13.07.2023</i></p>
10	Pub Dikrong College	<p>(i) <i>Certificate Course In Pre-Primary (Montessory) Teacher Training</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Diploma in Computer Application</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Advance Diploma in Computer Application</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Certificate Course in Spoken English</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Certificate Course in Yoga</i></p> <p>(vi) <i>Certificate Course in Disaster Management</i></p> <p>(vii) <i>Certificate Course in Performing Arts</i></p> <p>(viii) <i>Certificate Course in Beautician and Make-up Artist</i></p> <p>(ix) <i>Certificate Course in Rural Entrepreneurship</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/609, dated 13.07.2023</i></p>
11	Golaghat Purbanchalik College	<p>(i) <i>Human Rights</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Certificate Course on Sanchi Plantation</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Rural Development</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Kothon aru Likhon Xoilir Vikash</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Mass Communication</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/482, dated 14.06.2023</i></p>
12	Moran Commerce College	<p>(i) <i>Certificate Course on Tea Clonal Nursery</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Certificate Course on Retail Management</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Certificate Course on Biofertilizer (Vermicompost)</i></p>

		<p>(iv) <i>Certificate Course on Nutrition and Diet Guide</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Certificate Course on Knitting and Cutting, Stitching, Embroidery</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/483, dated 14.06.2023</i></p>
13	Pithubar Girls' Degree College	<p>(i) <i>Cutting, Sewing and Embroidery</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Art and Craft Certificate</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Mushroom Cultivation</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Functional English</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Spoken English</i></p> <p>(vi) <i>Yoga</i></p> <p>(vii) <i>Weaving</i></p> <p>(viii) <i>Beautician Course</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/484, dated 14.06.2023</i></p>
14	Bir Lachit Borphukan College	<p>(i) <i>Food Processing and Preservation</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>English Language in use for ESL Learners</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Weaving</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Beautician</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Art and Craft</i></p> <p>(vi) <i>Yoga</i></p> <p>(vii) <i>Certificate Course on Computer Application (CCA)</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/485, dated 14.06.2023</i></p>
15	Gogamukh College	<p>(i) <i>Certificate Course in Installation & Repair of Consumer Electronic Products</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Certificate Course in Yoga</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Certificate Course in Fish Culture & Integrated Fish Farming (CCF)</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Certificate Course in Tea Plantation and Management</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/486, dated 14.06.2023</i></p>
16	Tingkhong College	<p>(i) <i>Editing and Proof Reading</i></p> <p>(ii) <i>Tourism and Assam</i></p> <p>(iii) <i>Seminar Paper Writing and Presentation in Social Science</i></p> <p>(iv) <i>Digital Economy</i></p> <p>(v) <i>Fundamentals of Academic Essay Writing</i></p> <p>(vi) <i>Human Rights in Assam</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/487, dated 14.06.2023</i></p> <p>(vii) <i>Indigenous Weaving</i></p> <p><i>Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/920, dated 07.09.2023</i></p>

Discussion: As recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the matters, which were notified by the University on approval of the Hon'ble Vice- Chancellor from time to time on different important circumstances under report to the Under Graduate Board and Academic Council. The Council noted the same. The following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No.15: *Resolved that as recommended by the 126th Meeting of the Under Graduate Board held on 23.11.2023 the approvals of the following matters and subsequent notifications of the University be noted and ratified:*

(a) *Modified syllabus of B.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering from the batch of 2023 onwards at DUIET.*

Notified vide memo No. DU/DR-A/Syllabus-B.Tech.(ME)/223/980, dated 05.10.2023

(b) *To consider approval the list of self-financed and self-conducted add on courses offered by the various colleges under Dibrugarh University.*

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1	Sarupathar College	Vermicompost Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Course/2023/919, dated 07.09.2023
2	Marangi Mahavidyalaya	(xii) Spoken English, (xiii) Cutting, Knitting and Handy-Craft (xiv) Creative Dance (xv) Beautician & Beauty Parlour (xvi) Folk Culture and Ethnic Diversity of Assam (xvii) Fishery Science as a Source of Self-employment (xviii) Sociology of Health and Hospital Management (xix) Election Administration (xx) Practical and Theoretical Aspects of Teaching (xxi) Communicative English (xxii) Archeological Sites of Upper Assam Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/763, dated 02.08.2023
3	Jorhat Kendriya Mahavidyalaya	(iv) Financial Literacy

		<p>(v) <i>Innovation and Entrepreneurship</i> (vi) <i>Research in Social Science: Understanding Voting Behaviour and Political Awareness</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/762, dated 02.08.2023</p>
4	Murkong Selek College	<p><i>Certificate Course on Handloom and Weaving of Ethnic Attires</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/761, dated 02.08.2023</p>
5	Dhemaji Commerce College	<p>(xii) <i>Certificate Course of Office Automation</i> (xiii) <i>Certificate Course on Handloom Weaving</i> (xiv) <i>Certificate Course on GST and Income Tax</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/688, dated 27.07.2023</p>
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7	Jengraimukh College	<p><i>Certificate Course in Mising Language</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/633, dated 18.07.2023</p>
8	Dhemaji College	<p>(vi) <i>Certificate Course on Assamese DTP</i> (vii) <i>Certificate Course on Water and Soil Analysis</i> (viii) <i>Yoga: Philosophy and Practice</i> (ix) <i>Introduction to MATLAB</i> (x) <i>Certificate Course in Advanced Social Science Research</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/611, dated 13.07.2023</p>

9	Laluk College	<p>(vii) <i>Spoken English</i> (viii) <i>Certificate Course in Desk Top Publishing</i> (ix) <i>Journalism</i> (x) <i>Tourism & Travel Management in Assam</i> (xi) <i>Gender and Law</i> (xii) <i>“Yoga” for Health</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/610, dated 13.07.2023</p>
10	Pub Dikrong College	<p>(x) <i>Certificate Course In Pre-Primary (Montessory) Teacher Training</i> (xi) <i>Diploma in Computer Application</i> (xii) <i>Advance Diploma in Computer Application</i> (xiii) <i>Certificate Course in Spoken English</i> (xiv) <i>Certificate Course in Yoga</i> (xv) <i>Certificate Course in Disaster Management</i> (xvi) <i>Certificate Course in Performing Arts</i> (xvii) <i>Certificate Course in Beautician and Make-up Artist</i> (xviii) <i>Certificate Course in Rural Entrepreneurship</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/609, dated 13.07.2023</p>
11	Golaghat Purbanchalik College	<p>(vi) <i>Human Rights</i> (vii) <i>Certificate Course on Sanchi Plantation</i> (viii) <i>Rural Development</i> (ix) <i>Kothon aru Likhon Xoilir Vikash</i> (x) <i>Mass Communication</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/482, dated 14.06.2023</p>
12	Moran Commerce College	<p>(vi) <i>Certificate Course on Tea Clonal Nursery</i> (vii) <i>Certificate Course on Retail Management</i> (viii) <i>Certificate Course on Biofertilizer (Vermicompost)</i> (ix) <i>Certificate Course on Nutrition and Diet Guide</i> (x) <i>Certificate Course on Knitting and Cutting, Stitching, Embroidery</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/483, dated 14.06.2023</p>
13	Pithubar Girls’ Degree College	<p>(ix) <i>Cutting, Sewing and Embroidery</i> (x) <i>Art and Craft Certificate</i></p>

		<p>(xi) <i>Mushroom Cultivation</i> (xii) <i>Functional English</i> (xiii) <i>Spoken English</i> (xiv) <i>Yoga</i> (xv) <i>Weaving</i> (xvi) <i>Beautician Course</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/484, dated 14.06.2023</p>
14	Bir Lachit Borphukan College	<p>(viii) <i>Food Processing and Preservation</i> (ix) <i>English Language in use for ESL Learners</i> (x) <i>Weaving</i> (xi) <i>Beautician</i> (xii) <i>Art and Craft</i> (xiii) <i>Yoga</i> (xiv) <i>Certificate Course on Computer Application (CCA)</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/485, dated 14.06.2023</p>
15	Gogamukh College	<p>(v) <i>Certificate Course in Installation & Repair of Consumer Electronic Products</i> (vi) <i>Certificate Course in Yoga</i> (vii) <i>Certificate Course in Fish Culture & Integrated Fish Farming (CCF)</i> (viii) <i>Certificate Course in Tea Plantation and Management</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/486, dated 14.06.2023</p>
16	Tingkhong College	<p>(viii) <i>Editing and Proof Reading</i> (ix) <i>Tourism and Assam</i> (x) <i>Seminar Paper Writing and Presentation in Social Science</i> (xi) <i>Digital Economy</i> (xii) <i>Fundamentals of Academic Essay Writing</i> (xiii) <i>Human Rights in Assam</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/487, dated 14.06.2023 (xiv) <i>Indigenous Weaving</i> Memo No. DU/DR-A/Approval/Add-on-Courses/2023/920, dated 07.09.2023</p>

Item No. 8. To consider recommendations of the meeting of the *Academic Planning Committee* held on 29.11.2023.

(A) To consider the draft Academic Calendar for the year 2024 of the Teaching Department/ Centres of Studies of Dibrugarh University.

Discussion: As recommended by the meeting of the Academic Planning Committee held on 29.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the Academic Calendar for the year 2024 of the Teaching Department/ Centres of Studies of Dibrugarh University before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 16: Resolved that as recommended by the meeting of the *Academic Planning Committee*, Dibrugarh University held on 29.11.2023, the *draft Academic Calendar* for the *University Teaching Departments and Centres of Studies* for the period *from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024* be approved giving immediate effect.

(B) To consider the draft Academic Calendar for the year 2024 of the General Degree Colleges / Institutes affiliated to Dibrugarh University.

Discussion: As recommended by the Academic Planning Committee meeting held on 29.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the Academic Calendar for the year 2024 of the General Degree Colleges / Institutes affiliated to Dibrugarh University before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 17: Resolved that as recommended by the *Academic Planning Committee*, Dibrugarh University held on 29.11.2023, the *draft Academic Calendar* for the *General Degree Colleges / Institutes* affiliated to Dibrugarh University for the period *from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024* be approved giving immediate effect.

(C) To consider the draft Academic Calendar for the year 2024 of the B. Ed. Programme.

Discussion: As recommended by the Academic Planning Committee meeting held on 29.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the Academic Calendar for the year 2024 of the B. Ed. Programme before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 18: Resolved that as recommended by the *Academic Planning Committee*, Dibrugarh University held on 29.11.2023, the *draft Academic*

Calendar for the *B.Ed. Programme* of Dibrugarh University for the period *from 1st January, 2024 to 31st December, 2024* be approved giving immediate effect.

(D) To consider the Holiday List of Dibrugarh University for the year 2024.

Discussion: As recommended by the Academic Planning Committee meeting held on 29.11.2023, the Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the Holiday List of Dibrugarh University for the year 2024 before the Council and the Council discussed the matter. After discussion following resolution was adopted accordingly-

Resolution No. 19: Resolved that as recommended by the *Academic Planning Committee*, Dibrugarh University held on 29.11.2023, the *draft Holiday List, 2024* for the period *from January, 2024 to December, 2024* be approved giving immediate effect.

Item No. 9. To discuss the modalities for admission into the Five-Year Integrated Post Graduate Programme (FYIPGP), 2024-2025.

Discussion: The Deputy Registrar (Academic) placed the matter for discussion. The Council discussed the matter and suggested to constitute a Committee to prepare the modalities for admission into the Five-Year Integrated Post Graduate Programmes (FYIPGP), 2024-2025 session.

Item No. 10. To discuss the introduction of Double Major in FYIPGP from 2024-2025 academic session.

Discussion: The members opined that the matter may be discussed by the Directorate of FYUGP in detail and take necessary action accordingly.

Item No. 11. To discuss the fee structure of FYIPGP w.e.f. 2024-2025 academic session.

Discussion: The members opined that the Directorate of FYUGP may suggest the draft fee structure and recommend the same to the Finance Committee.

Item No. 12. Any other matter with permission from the Chair.

- (i) The Council discussed regarding the NAAC Accreditation result of the University. In this regard the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor i/c, D.U. informed the

Council that appropriate steps have been taken by the University in order to improve NAAC Grade and NIRF Ranking.

- (ii) Prof. K.D. Kalita, Department of Applied Geology, D.U. has read out a letter received from UGC and the Govt. of Assam related to some alleged anomalies in award of Ph.D. Degrees by the University.

In this regard the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor i/c, D.U. has informed the Council that a committee has already been constituted to look into the matter.

- (iii) The Principal, Jorhat Law College has raised the matter regarding the reintroduction of the Master Programme in Law under Dibrugarh University and its affiliated Colleges, the Council discussed the matter and decided to refer the matter to the Board of Studies (BoS) in Law for further necessary action.
- (iv) The Director, IQAC, D.U. has explained some important points related to NAAC Accreditation particularly offering Add-on Courses by the various Departments and Centres of Studies of the University. He requested the concerned Heads of the Departments/Chairpersons of the Centres of Studies of the University to introduce at least one Add on Course from the next academic session. He also informed the council that though in last five years Dibrugarh University has faced some difficulties but it improves in publications of journals up to 300.

As there was no other matter left for discussion, the meeting ended with vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

Sd/-
Registrar and Secretary
Academic Council
Dibrugarh University

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Vice-Chancellor and Chairperson
Academic Council
Dibrugarh University

Memo No: DU/DR-A/129thAC/2024/837

Date: 20.03.2024

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5. All the members of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University.

(Prof./Dr./Mr./Ms _____)

6. File

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Deputy Registrar (Academic)
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