

ANNAMACHARYA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCES: RAJAMPET

(An AUTONOMOUS Institution)

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Minutes of 14th Meeting of the Academic Council held online on Thursday the 20th July 2023 from 3.00 p.m. onwards.

Members present:

1	Dr. SMV Narayana	Chairman
2	Dr. T Naresh Kumar	Ex-officio
3	Dr. M. Padma Lalitha	"
4	Dr. A. Hemantha Kumar	11
5	Dr. CH. Nagaraju	"
6	Dr. M Subba Rao	"
7	Dr. P Phanidra Kumar Reddy	"
8	Dr. T Hari Krishna	ű
9	Dr. B. Balanagendra Prasad	"
10	Dr. P. Subramanyam	"
11	Dr. C. Madana Kumar Reddy	"
12	Sri M Maruthi Prasad	ű
13	Dr. K Uday Kumar Reddy	Member
14	Dr. S Fahimuddin	"
15	Dr. O Hemakesavulu	"
16	Sri. B. Nagaraja Gupta	Outside Expert
17	Dr. A Suresh Babu	"
18	Sri. Pala Sankaram	"
19	Sri. Koteswara Rao Medida	"
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20	Sri. Abhijeeth Ballurkar	
21	Dr. E Kesava Reddy	University Representative
22	Prof. V. Sumalatha	и
23	Dr. B Durga Prasad	и
24	Dr. N. Mallikarjuna Rao	Member Secretary

Members absent : Dr. D Krishna Mohan Raju - Member

Members on leave: Nil

Chairman welcomed all the members to the 14th meeting of Academic council held online on 20th July 2023 at Annamacharya Institute of Technology and Sciences, Rajampet. He sought initial remarks from the external members. The principal thanked the members for joining the meeting and informed the external members that 11th graduation day held on 4th of May, 2023. Thereafter, formal agenda items were taken up and the following matters were considered, deliberated upon and decisions taken are as furnished under:

14.1 Confirmation of the minutes of the 13th Academic council meeting held on 11.07.2022

The minutes of the 13th meeting of the academic council of Annamacharya Institute of Technology and Sciences (Autonomous), Rajampet held on 11.07.2022, were confirmed. (Appended in Annexure-1)

14.2 Action taken report of the decisions of 13th Academic council meeting held on 11.07.2022

The Action taken report of the 13th Academic Council meeting of Annamacharya Institute of Technology and Sciences (Autonomous), Rajampet held on 11.07.2022 was confirmed. (Appended in Annexure-2)

14.3 To consider and approve the following Board of Studies (BoS) minutes held on 28.06.2023.

It is resolved to approve the minutes of Individual Boards of Studies (BoS) as recommended by them on 28.06.2023. Suggestions to be incorporated are given the Annexure-3.

14.4 To Consider and approve the course structure and detailed syllabi of B.Tech II, III and IV Year course of the following programs under R20 regulations

- B.Tech. CSE (Data Science)
- B.Tech. CSE (Artificial Intelligence)

The Academic council discussed and resolved to approve the R20 regulations for B.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science) and Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence) curriculum and detailed syllabi for the semesters from III to VIII, brought forward by the chairman of the respective Board of Studies (BOS) for implementation from the academic year 2022-23. Furthermore, the acedmic council discussed and resolved to approve the Program Specific Outcomes (PSOs), course objectives, Course Outcomes, CO-PO & PSO mapping matrix of CSE (AI) and CSE (DS) programmes, brought forward by the chairman of respective Board of Studies. (Appended in Annexure-4)

14.5 To consider and approve detailed course structure M.Tech (R23) programmes for the academic year 2023-24

The acadmic council resolved to ratify the detailed course sturcure of M.Tech under R23 regulations. Further council permitted to offer upto maximum of 18 credits (i.e., 6 courses) through 12 week MOOCs courses under the promotion of MOOCs offered through "SWAYAM" – Utilization of Credit transfer up to 40% of the total courses being offered in a particular programme in a semester offered through SWAYAM Platform as per UGC Gazette Notification dated 25th March 2021 (Credit Framework for Online Learning Courses through Study Webs of Active Learning for Young Aspiring Minds) Regulations, 2021 and adopted by AICTE also on similar Pattern on 9th November, 2021 in its order F.No.40-18/AICTE/SWAYAM/Credit Framework/2016. (Detailed syllabi appended in Annexure-5). The council discussed the inclusion of emerging topics and new electives courses to enhance the students skillset and ensure industry relevance. A few minor adjustments were suggested, and the updated curricula were approved unanimously.

14.6 To consider and approve the academic calendars of B.Tech, M.Tech, MBA and MCA for the academic year 2022-23.

The council noted and accepted.

14.7 To consider and approve the details of B.Tech (2019-2023) batch results, May 2023.

The Principal presented the following B.Tech results of outgoing batch and the council approved the same. The passout students details are:

		2022-23 (Outgoing Batch)								
Program	Branch	nch No.of Students appeared for examinations	No.of Students Passed	Pass Percentage(%)	Number of students received Provisional Degree certificates on Convocation day held on 04.05.2023					
					IN PERSON	IN ABSENTIA				
	CE	142	119	83.80	116	03				
	EEE	174	147	84.48	140	07				
B.Tech	ME	136	111	81.61	110	01				
	ECE	268	242	90.29	236	06				
	CSE	263	240	91.25	231	09				

2022-23 Outgoing Batch

Number of Students appeared : 983
Number of students passed out : 859
First Class with distinction : 620
First Class : 235
Second Class : 5
% of Pass : 87.38%

14.8 To consider a report on placements for the AY 2022-23

The council noted and accepted. Further, the council stated that, the success of any education system can be measured by determining the positions of graduates who are placed in various capacities in industry, academia and other government / non-government sectors.

Number of students placed in various companies from 1st July, 2022 to 30th June, 2023: 671

Percentage of placements : 66. 18%

SNO	NAME OF THE COMPANY	NO. OF SELECTS	PACKAGE Programmes						Total		
			(LPA) (In Lakhs) CSE	CSE	ECE	EEE	ME	CIVIL	MCA	MBA	Total
1	HEXAWARE	166	4 TO 6	93	49	20			4		166
2	TECHEFOLKS	1	3.5	0	0	0	1	0			1
3	MU-SIGMA	31	30	11	8	8	3	1			31
4	DXC	182	4.25	53	65	37	17	10			182
5	LEGATO	10	4.5	10							10
6	EPAM	4	8	3	1						4
7	ALOHA TECHNOLOGIES	2	3.5	2							2
8	Soft Suave Technologies	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	0		2
9	VEM TECHNOLOGIES	5	3.5		2		3				5

10	ZENTREE LABS	2	2.5 TO 3.5	0	1	1					2
11	HITACHI	5	4	4					1		5
12	TECHMAHINDRA	3	3.5	2	0				1		3
13	ICICI BANK	34	3.5							19	34
14	MCORETA	1	3.5			1					1
15	QUESTGLOBAL	2	3				2				2
16	SMARTSOC	1	4.5		1						1
17	ASSESTSENCE	1	5.5	1							1
18	DECATHLON	10	3.6	2	1	1			2	2	10
19	TECURATE	8	4	8							8
20	VOLTAS	4	4			1	3				4
21	BERGER PAINTS	1	5.25							1	1
22	ILM	46	2.52	7	18	9	9	3			46
23	DMART	10	3.5							3	10
24	SURTHERLAND	38	2.5	12	9	7	7	3			38
25	INTELLIPAAT	3	3.5	1	1			1			3
26	HDFC ERGOS	13	4							8	13
27	TUDIP	4	4	2					2		4
28	RINEX	4	4						2	1	4
29	MOLD-TEK	12	2.4					12			12
30	TCS	22	3.6	3	9	2	5	1	2		22
31	TCS - DIGITAL	5	7.2	2		1		1	1		5
32	MPHASIS	5	4	1	2	2					5
33	HYUNDAI MOTORS	4	4.4				4				4
34	Shriram Finance	5	2.46			3	1	1			5
35	STEEL CUBE	2	3.5				1	1			2
36	SONATA	19	4	9	5	3			2		19
37	INTEGER TELECOM	1	2.4				1				1
38	RAMCO CEMENTS	1	3.6							1	1
39	INDIA CEMENTS	1	4							1	1
40	AMARARAJA	1	4			1					1
	TOTAL	671		228	172	97	57	34	17	36	671
	On Rolls	1014		268	273	184	146	143	192	88	1014
	% Placed Students			85.07	63.00	52.71	39.04	23.78	8.8542	40.90	66.17

14.9 To consider and approve the submission of Annual Quality Assessment Report (AQAR) for NAAC for the academic year 2021-22

Principal presented the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) 2021-22 before the Academic Council. The Academic Council approved the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) 2021-22, presented by the Principal to be submitted to NAAC. (Appended in Annexure-5)

14.10 To consider and approve the re-constitution of Results committee

The council resolved to ratify the re-consitution of Results committee. The council approved composition of the committee is as follows:

SNo	Name of the Member	Designation	Role
1	Dr. SMV Narayana Principal		Chairman
2	University Nominee	Member	
3	Dean, Academics		Member
4	HOD, Civil Engg.		
5	HOD, EEE		
6	HOD. ME		
7	HOD, ECE		
8	HOD, CSE	Ex-Officio Member(s)	
9	HOD, AIDS		
10	HOD, AIML		
11	HOD, MBA		
12	HOD, MCA		
12	HOD, H&S		
13	Assistant CoE (Examinat	Member	
14	Assistant CoE (Evaluation	Member	
15	Deputy Controller of Exa	Member	
16	Controller of Examination	าร	Member Secretary

14.11 To consider the proposal to introduce second evaluation for the selected UG subjects yielding poor results (In the Semester End Examination)

Principal presented the significance to introduce second evaluation for the selected UG courses to the council.

It is noticed that a few students have been badly affected due to errors made by evaluators during the first time evaluation of answer scripts. To ensure the fair assessment and prevent students from suffering due to such errors, it was proposed to implement a partial double evaluation system (or) second valuation for the subjects yielding poor results (less than the average of the other subjects). This system aims to minimize discrepancies and ensure accurate evaluation of answer scripts.

Principal presented the proposed system, stating that any subject with a pass percentage of less than 60 shall be brought to the notice of the Principal. The Principal, in turn, will approve for second valuation. Second valuation addresses the potential discrepancies. The final marks awarded to the students will be determined based on the best scores from the two evaluations. The introduction of this partial double evaluation system will enhance the accuracy and fairness of the evaluation process. It will provide an additional layer of assurance for students, ensuring that their hard work and performance are rightly acknowledged.

The council reviewed the proposed changes in the evaluation system and assessment methods. After thorough discussions and deliberations, the revised second evaluation policy was accepted.

14.12 To consider and approve a maximum of two sub divisions in a question i.e., (a) and / or (b) in Semester End Examinations

The principal presented a new question paper pattern for the upcoming semester. The council reviewed the proposed changes and suggested that the Moderation Committee can alter make changes in Question to ensure that students can answer the questions within the allocated time. After thorough deliberation, the revised question paper subsection policy was approved. The principal was instructed to communicate these changes to external question paper setters and faculty members before the commencement of the next Semester.

14.13 To present the malpractice cases of semester end examinations of UG & PG levels from 1st July 2022 to 30th June, 2023

The council noted and accepted

14.14 To consider and approve the institution to start Ph.D. programme in all disciplines with prior approval from the affiliating University as per UGC regulations, 2023

Principal presented a proposal to the Academic council to start Ph.D programme in all disciplines in the Institution in accordance to clause 10.3 of Section 10 of University Grants Commission (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2023 notification issued on 3rd April, 2023.

After extensive discussions and careful deliberations, the council acknowledges the need to seek initial approval from the Parent University before proceeding with the commencement of the PhD courses. The principal was directed to initiate the approval process, which would likely involve submitting a proposal outlining the details and requirments of the proposed PhD course to the Parent University for review and approval. Once the initial approval is obtained, the institute can proceed with the necessary preparations to start the PhD program successfully.

14.15 To consider and approve the inclusion of college name on the degree certificates as per UGC regulations, 2023

Principal presented a proposal to the Academic council to include the Institution name on marks sheets, other certificates and the degree shall be awarded by JNTUA with the name of the college on the degree certificate in accordance to clause 3.4 of Section 3 of University Grants Commission (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2023 notification issued on 3rd April, 2023.

After thorough discussions and deliberations, the Council noted and approved the same.

14.16 To consider and approve the certificate courses offered in the academic year 2023-24 as per UGC regulations, 2023

Principal presented a proposal to the Academic council that, autonomous college is free to start certificate or diploma courses without prior approval of the JNTUA. The autonomous college should inform the JNTUA about the introduction of such new courses. Approval of the concerned statutory bodies of the autonomous college statutory council(s) should be obtained, wherever required Certificates and Diplomas shall be issued under the seal of the autonomous College in accordance to clause 10.1 of Section 10 of University Grants Commission (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2023 notification issued on 3rd April, 2023.

After extensive discussions and careful deliberations, the council has made a decision regarding the introduction of certificate courses at the institution. The council has suggest that before proceeding with the commencement of these certificate courses, the principal has to seek initial approval from the Parent University.

14.17 Amendment in MBA R22 Regulation regard to project submission process

Resolve to approve the amendment to Clause 9.6 of Section 9.0 of Regulation 2022 for Master of Business Adminstration (MBA).

The present regulations says:

"The student must submit the status of thesis/dissertation only after passing all the prescribed subjects such as theory, practical's, seminar and project internal evaluation"

After thorough discussions and deliberations, the Council approved to amendment to Clause 9.6 of section 9.0 as:

"The student must submit the status of thesis / dissertation only after satisfying the attendance requirements of prescribed courses such as theory, practical's, seminar and project internal evaluation"

14.18 To present the list of Re-admitted candidates/ students for the year 2022-23

The council noted and accepted. The re-admitted list of students are:

SNo	H.T. No.	Class	Branch	Name of the candidate	Gender
1	21701A0275	I		NAREN CHINDUKURI	М
2	21701A02A2	I	EEE	PUNEETH KUMAR REDDY SANGIREDDY	М
3	21701A02A5	I		RAVINDRA REDDY PUTLURU	М
4	21701A02D5			SWATHI MAMILLA	F
5	21701A0409	I		ANIL KUMAR BUDDA	М
6	21701A04A2	I		NITEESH LOMADA	M
7	21701A04A5	ı		NITHIN KADAPA	М
8	20701A04I1	I	ECE	SUMANTH ACHARI	M
9	18701A0453	IV		KHAJA VALI DUDEKULA	М
10	18701A0409	IV		ANIL KUMAR REDDY KETHIREDDY	М
11	18709A0451	IV		VINAY KUMAR CHELEKAM	М
12	20701A0492	II		MANSUR VALI SHAIK	М
13	21701A0507			AFFAN KHAN PATAN	M
14	21701A0557	ı	CSE	JAYAKRISHNA BILLU	М
15	19709A0517	III		HARI RAJABOYINA	М
16	18701A0530	IV		HARI PRIYA K	F
17	21701A3004			ALTHAF SIRIVELLA	M
18	21701A3049	I	AI&DS	POOJITHA PEDDI REDDI GARI	F
19	21701A3091			VIJAYAKANTH BHAVANASI	М
20	21701A3338		AI&ML	SAILAJA PALAKONDU	F
21	18701A0125	IV	CIVIL	GOVARDHAN KAKI	М
22	18701A0311	IV	MECH	DURGA HARSHA VARDHAN PASUPULETI	М

14.19 Seeking permission to dispose of 2017 batch Answer Sheets (Both Internal & External)

It is resolved to dispose of the answer sheets (Both Internal & External) of 2017 admitted batch.

14.20 Any other item with permission of the Chair

The council further suggested the following points:

- 1) In preparation for the next meeting, the institution is tasked with creating and presenting a comprehensive list of students who have registered for Minors and Honors programs for the academic year 2023-24. This list will include the names of all students who have chosen to pursue Minors and Honors, along with the specific programs they have opted for.
- 2) To utilize credit transfer up to 40% of the total courses being offered in particular programme in a semester at UG Level
- 3) To consider and creation of YouTube Channel by all the departments/Center/Cell for the AITS, Rajampet for all academic activities. Each faculty memebrs should prepare the lecture, small vidoes, seminar and upload the same on the YouTube channel. The students will be benefited by this facility to enhance their knowledge / skill at any time/any place. A WhatsApp group shall be created for this purpose

The meeting was concluded at 5.00 p.m.

The Chairperson thanked all the attendees for their active participation and valuable contributions to the meeting.

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