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## Post Graduate Department of Computer Sciences

University of Kashmir, Srinagar-190006

# Minutes of the Departmental Research Committee meeting held on November 06, 2019

A Departmental Research Committee meeting was held on November 06, 2019 at 11:30 AM under the chairmanship of the Head of the Department in his office chamber and following were present.

1.	Prof. M. Arif Wani	Professor	in the Chair

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۷.	Dr. Javed Parvez	Sr Assistant Professor	

3. Dr. Manzoor Chachoo Scientist-D

4. Dr. Javaid Iqbal Sr. Assistant Professor

5. Dr. Sajad M Khan Scientist-B

Dr. Faheem Masoodi Assistant ProfessorDr. Sajid Yousuf Bhat Assistant Professor

The following issues were discussed:-

#### ITFM I

The DRC members took cognizance of feedback and verbal comments received from time to time, from senior faculty members at KU as well as external experts, regarding some problematic issues surrounding the grant of Ph.D. degrees to research scholars, under the sole supervision of faculty members, within the MCA Department, at the North Campus of Kashmir University.

Since the computer sciences department at North Campus of Kashmir University has never been granted recognition as a research centre by the KU Administration (Office of the Dean Research), the above referenced scholars are perceived to be receiving doctoral degrees, without effectively fulfilling residency requirements, which demand the presence of both scholar and primary supervisor in a well-recognized research centre during the period of residency.

In order to prevent further erosion in the respectability of both the MCA department at North Campus, as well as the parent department at main campus, it was unanimously decided by the DRC that, henceforth, the faculty members at North Campus will be limited to serving as Co-Supervisors of scholars, who must have a faculty member from the parent department as primary supervisor and will be expected to fulfil residency at the parent department.

The DRC members believe that adhering to these new guidelines will restore the credibility of the doctoral degrees granted, under such joint supervision, until the time the MCA department at North Campus is recognized as an independent research center and its faculty is qualified and empowered to engage in sole supervision of research scholars.

### ITEM II

The DRC members reviewed the applications for extensions submitted by the Ph.D. scholars of the department. The members unanimously recommended the grant of one year extension for the following scholars.

S. No.	Name of Scholar	Name of Supervisor
1.	Ms. Neeha Ashraf	Dr. Manzoor Ahmad
2.	Ms. Aurmella Rohie Bodha	Dr. Dawood Ashraf Khan
3.	Mr. Owais	Dr. Dawood Ashraf Khan
4.	Mr. Rameez Yousuf	Dr. Dawood Ashraf Khan

#### ITEM II

The application for grant of Academic Clearance submitted by Mr. Owais was reviewed by the DRC members. However, due to the non-availability of internet services, the validity of the publication submitted by the scholar could not be ascertained. Hence, the members resolved that the item be taken up in the next DRC meeting when internet access in available.

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### **ITEM IV**

The DRC members discussed upon the presentations held on 10<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 and 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2019 for Ph.D. admissions. The department recommends provisional admission for the following:

S. No.	Name of Candidate	Form No.	Supervisor Allocated	Admissio
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1.	Mr. Younis Ali	19700156	Prof. Arif Wani	Ph.D.
2.	Mr. Taib Iqball	19700430	Prof. Arif Wani	M.Phil.
3.	Mr. Waqar Hassan Mir	19703143	Dr. Javed Parvez	Ph.D.
4.	Mr. Mohmad Azhar	19708890	Dr. Manzoor Chachoo	Ph.D.
5.	Mr. Aaquib Hussain Ganai	19708601	Dr. Rana Hashmy	Ph.D.
6.	Mr. Kh Mohmad Shafi	19702272	Dr. Javaid Iqbal	Ph.D.
7.	Mr. Waris Hamid Bhat*	19706879	Dr. Javaid Iqbal	Ph.D.
8.	Mr. Arif Yousuf Shah Mattoo	19701942	Dr. Sajad Mohammad Khan	Ph.D.
9.	Mr. Bilại Ahmad Dar	19700924	Dr. Sajad Mohammad Khan	Ph.D.
10.	Mr. Aamir Salam Ahanger	19702117	Dr. Sajad Mohammad Khan	Ph.D.

<sup>\*</sup> The candidate is recommended for provisional admission subject to verification from Dean Research office as his name did not appear on the list forwarded by Dean Research office.

Since all the vacancies for MPhil/Ph.D. in this department were not completely filled, the DRC recommends that the entrance test for MPhil/Ph.D. be conducted so that remaining vacancies can be filled.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

Prof. M. Arif Wani Head of the Department

Dr. Javaid Iqbal
Assistant Professor

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