

Minutes of the 16th Academic Council Meeting, Agriculture University, Jodhpur

The 16th Meeting of Academic Council of Agriculture University, Jodhpur was held on 07.02.2022 at 10:00 AM in the Vice-Chancellor Secretariat, Agriculture University, Jodhpur under the Chairmanship of Prof. B.R. Choudhary, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Agriculture University, Jodhpur.

The following members were present in the meeting either Online or Offline:

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| 1. | Prof. B.R. Choudhary, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, AU Jodhpur | Chairman |
| 2. | Dr. S.D. Ratnoo, Director Research & HOD Entomology, AU Jodhpur | Member |
| 3. | Dr. Ishwar Singh, Director Extension Education, AU Jodhpur | Member |
| 4. | Dr. V.S. Jaitawat, Director HRD & HOD Extension Education, AU Jodhpur | Member |
| 5. | Dr. Ummed Singh, Dean, CoA, Baytu, Barmer and HoD, Agronomy, AU Jodhpur (Participated Online) | Member |
| 6. | Dr. M.M. Sundria, Controller of Examination, AU Jodhpur | Member |
| 7. | Dr. S.K. Moond, OSD Faculty of Ag. Engg. & HOD Horticulture, AU Jodhpur | Member |
| 8. | Dr. Ramdev Sutaliya, OSD, CoA, Nagaur (Participated Online) | Member |
| 9. | Dr. J.R. Verma, Associate Professor & HoD Plant Pathology, AU Jodhpur | Member |
| 10. | Dr. R.L. Bhardwaj, OSD, CoA, Sumerpur (Pali) (Participated Online) | Member |
| 11. | Dr. M.C. Jain, Professor (Horticulture) & Dean CoA, Kota (Participated Online) | Member (Eminent Agricultural Educationist) |
| 12. | Dr. K.K. Bora, Retd. Prof. (Plant Physiology), CoA, Jodhpur | Member (Co-opted) |
| 13. | Dr. A.K. Patel, Principal Scientist, CAZRI, Jodhpur (Participated Online) | Member (Co-opted) |
| 14. | Dr. N.K. Sharma, Addl. Director Research (Seeds), SKRAU, Bikaner | Member (Co-opted) |
| 15. | Dr. Dheeraj Singh, Principal Scientist and Project Coordinator, KVK, ICAR-CAZRI, Pali (Participated Online) | Member (Co-opted) |
| 16. | Dr. S.R. Kumhar, Dean & Faculty Chairman and Director Education, Agriculture University Jodhpur | Member/ Secretary |

At the outset, Dr. S.R. Kumhar, Director Education & Secretary, Academic Council, welcomed the Chairman and members in the Meeting. Thereafter, Prof. B.R. Choudhary, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Agriculture University, Jodhpur and Chairman apprised the house about the developmental activities viz; ICAR accreditation of University and Departments up to March 2024, start of the Dairy Technology and Ag. Engineering faculties and their approval from AICTE, establishment of two KVKs at Bamanwada in Jalore district and Raipur in Pali district, allotment of 108 hectare land for University by State Govt. and start of CeRA facility provided by ICAR, New Delhi.



The following agenda items were discussed during the meeting:

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| AUJ/AC-16/2022/01 | Confirmation of the minutes of 15 th Academic Council Meeting held on 23 rd October, 2021 Resolution: Confirmed. |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/02 | Action Taken Report of the minutes of 15 th Academic Council Meeting held on 23 rd October, 2021. Resolution: Approved. |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/03 | To consider and approve the Minutes of 4 th Board of Studies of Agriculture faculty held on 1 st February, 2022 and Course Curriculum of various Departments at Agriculture University, Jodhpur. Resolution: The house approved the Proceeding of 4 th Board of Studies as per below recommendations: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. It was resolved to adopt the Syllabi in PG and Ph.D. program as per BSMA in the Department of GPB, Agronomy, Entomology, Plant Pathology, Extension Education and Horticulture as its specialization of M.Sc. (Hort.) Vegetable Science. Further the course credit number was adopted in 5 Series for M.Sc. (Ag.) and 6 series for Ph.D. in different semesters as per previous system. 2. Recommended and approve the minor and supporting courses of Plant Pathology, Extension Education and Horticulture in the subjects of Plant Physiology, Biotechnology, Ag. Economics and Soil Science & Ag. Chemistry for PG and Ph.D. programs in the Department of GPB, Agronomy, Entomology and course code adopted in 5 series. 3. It was resolved to change the credit hours of M.Sc.(Ag.) Agril. Statistics course, STAT-502 from 4(3+1) to 3(2+1) and rename it as STAT-512. 4. House agreed to adopt the ICAR-BSMA Academic Regulations for PG and Ph.D. Programs <i>in-toto</i> for betterment of education in the University. Action taken: Director Education, Agriculture University, Jodhpur |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/04 | To consider and approve the remuneration for evaluation of answer books of Mid-Term Examination for external/ internal examiner/ evaluator. Resolution: Approved the proposed remuneration of Rs. 10/- per copy for outside teachers/Guest Faculty for evaluation of Mid-Term answer books. Action taken: Comptroller, Agriculture University, Jodhpur |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/05 | To consider and pass the grace for award of Degrees to the Graduate, Post Graduate and Ph.D. students of Agriculture Faculty, who have passed out during the Academic Session 2020-21, up to 31 st December, 2021 in 3 rd University Convocation. Resolution: The house unanimously resolved to pass the grace for award a total of 163 Degrees involving 136 UG, 25 PG (3 Agronomy, 5 GPB, 3 Horticulture, 5 Plant Pathology, 4 Entomology, 3 Extension Education and 2 Food Science and Technology) and 2 Ph.D. (2 Agronomy) students in 3 rd University Convocation. Action taken: Registrar, Agriculture University, Jodhpur |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/06 | To consider and ratify approval of award of Gold Medal to the eligible meritorious Under-Graduate and Post-Graduate students of the University passed in the Academic Session 2020-21; and conferring the same in the 3 rd University |

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| | <p>Convocation.</p> <p>Resolution: Unanimously resolved to award one Gold Medal in UG and 6 Gold Medals in PG and approved.</p> <p>Action taken: CoE, Agriculture University, Jodhpur</p> |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/07 | <p>To consider and approve the hybrid system for Central Evaluation for Mid-term and Final-Term Examination.</p> <p>Resolution: Unanimously resolved and approved.</p> <p>Action taken: CoE, Agriculture University, Jodhpur</p> |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/08 | <p>To consider and approve Expert Panel for Agriculture Statistics</p> <p>Resolution: The house has accepted and approved.</p> <p>Action taken: Registrar, Agriculture University, Jodhpur</p> |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/09 | <p>To consider and approve new Ph.D. Programme in Department of Plant Pathology at CoA, Jodhpur</p> <p>Resolution: It was unanimously resolved and approve the proposal for the starting of Ph.D. Degree Programme in the Department of Plant Pathology from the Academic Year 2022-23 with an intake capacity of 2 seats at CoA, Jodhpur.</p> <p>Action taken: Registrar, Agriculture University, Jodhpur</p> |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/10 | <p>To consider and approve the Booklets of Syllabus and General Guidelines for JET/Pre-PG/Ph.D.-2022 entrance Examination as submitted by the Convener of the Booklet committee.</p> <p>Resolution: The house unanimously approved the Syllabus and Booklets of General Guidelines for JET, Pre-PG and Ph.D. Entrance Examination-2022. Furthermore, the house has also approved the fee and remuneration for various activities to be incurred in JET/Pre-PG/Ph.D.-2022 Entrance Exam. process.</p> <p>Action taken: Registrar, Agriculture University, Jodhpur</p> |
| AUJ/AC-16/2022/11 (Any other agenda as per permission of Chair) | <p>Table Agenda: To waive-off of Mid-Term Examination of late admitted students during Sem-I of Academic Year 2021-22.</p> <p>Resolution: It was resolved that Mid-Term Examination will be waive-off for late admitted students in UG and PG Programmes at constituent colleges of Agriculture University, Jodhpur only for Semester-I of Academic Year 2021-22 and proportionate marks will be awarded on the marks obtained in final Exam. of the Semester.</p> <p>Action taken: Dean & Faculty Chairman, Agriculture University, Jodhpur</p> |


(Sita Ram Kumhar)

Secretary and Director Education

Submitted to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for approval.


(B.R. Choudhary)

Chairman & Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor