

Minutes of the Academic Council held on 6.09.2016

The ninth Academic Council meeting of Government College For Women (Autonomous) Kumbakonam was held on 06/09/2016 at 11 A.M in the Seminar Hall of the College.

University Nominees - Dr. C. Issai Sebastine, Professor, Department of English, Bharathidasan University, Trichirappalli, Dr. K. Natarajan Ganivasan, Professor & Head, Department of Microbiology BARD, Dr. S. Rajasekar, Professor, Department of Physics BARD, Educationalist, Dr. G. Ramesh, Associate Professor of Mathematics, Government Arts College (Autonomous) Kumbakonam, Industrialist, Mr. N. Sivaraman Managing Director, Raman & Raman Mota, Dr. S. Ravi ENT Surgeon, Miss R. Sangeetha Advocate, Mrs. V. Lakshmi Principal in-charge, Heads of all the Departments, Four senior staff members, Controller of Examinations, Assistant Controller of Examinations, member Secretary and P.R. Student representatives were present.

The meeting started with the invocation - Shanmugham Vayalthu. The Chairperson Mrs. V. Lakshmi Principal in-charge welcomed everyone. The Heads of the Departments introduced themselves. The Heads of the Departments of Tamil, English, Computer Science, Mathematics and Zoology presented the course structures. Dr. Ramesh Associate Professor of Mathematics suggested to train students by giving special coaching by skilled experts. When the changes in English course was presented all the members of the Council appreciated it since it focused communicative skill which is the need of the hour of the students and can help them in seeking job opportunities. Dr. Raman suggested to make all the students to read Hindi so that it will enrich their speaking and writing skills and asked the Computer Science Department to conduct short term

course for the benefits of the student to seek employability. Dr. Ravi appreciated the Department of Tamil for the changes made in the course structure and asked to make students speak in Tamil without the influence of English words for at least fifteen minutes. Regarding Self study course the Council decided to have two credits. The PG students can take up the examination for self study course from the third semester and the UG students can take up from the fourth semester so that it can provide them to earn credits in the ^{ensuing} further semesters. It was also decided that the students who failed will not have it mentioned in the cumulative as it is a optional paper. Dr. S. Rajasekar Professor, Department of Physics, BARD suggested to include the Academic activities like Workshop, Seminar, ^{Sponsored Project} in the Report.

One of the senior Staff suggested to reduce the number of scripts to be valued for PG from 50 to 40. The Council approved it. Dr. Ravi suggested the Department of Mathematics to include Vedic Mathematics in the course structure and requested them to make the students to train slides for power point presentations which will help them in workshop, seminars etc. The Controller of Examination presented the report and members of the Council appreciated the Principal, all heads of the Departments, all the senior staff members for the meticulous effort of the smooth conduct of the mee

The member Secretary proposed vote of thanks and the meeting came to an end with the National

Members Present:

Chair person: Mrs. V. Lakshmi

Educationalist: Dr. G. Ramesh

Industrialist: Mr. N. Sivaraman

Lawyer: Miss R. Sangeetha

Medicine: Dr. S. Ravi

University Nominee

Dr. S. Rajasekar

Heads of the Departments

Tamil: F. J. 06/9/16

English: P. S. 05/09/16

History: S. S. 06/9/16

Economics: V. K. 06/9/16

Commerce:

Mathematics: S. S. 06/9/16

Physics: S. S. 06/9/16

Chemistry: S. S. 06/9/16

Zoology: S. S. 06/9/16

Geography: S. S. 06/9/16

Computer Science: S. S. 06/9/16

Library:

PD-in-charge: W. L. 06/9/16

Senior Staff Members:

Mrs. P. Vidyalakshmi

Miss N. Raja Lakshmi

Dr. Miss K. Radha

Dr. Miss M. Shanthi

Controller office:

1. Dr. (Mrs) S. Akila

2. Dr. (Mrs) F. Kurus Malai Selvi

Member Secretary:

Mrs. C. Thenguzhi

Student Representative:

N. Kiruba III B.Sc. Geography E/M.

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