

IKG Punjab Technical University

Revised Minutes of Meeting Dated 25.01.2016

Ref. No JMC/318/16

Date: Feb.01, 2016

Subject: Revised Minutes of the BoS meeting.

A meeting of BoS (Journalism and Mass Communication) was held in the office of Dean Academics, IKGPTU at 11.00 am on 25.1.2016. The following members were present in the meeting:

1. Prof. (Dr.) Navjit Singh Johal, Punjabi University, Patiala
2. Prof. (Dr.) Kamlesh Singh Duggal, GNDU Regional Campus, Jalandhar
3. Dr. Namarta Joshi, GNDU Regional Campus, Jalandhar
4. Dr. Ranbir Singh, I.K.Gujral Punjab Technical University, Kapurthala
5. Sh. Rajneesh Sharma, PRO, IKGPTU, Kapurthala

In the meeting following decisions and recommendations were made:

Keeping in view the interests of the students, various institutions affiliated to IKGPTU, offering different courses in Journalism and Mass Communication, it was decided to endorse the decisions taken in the BoS meeting held on 7.12.2015.

In that meeting, the Board had strictly decided to follow the UGC guidelines regarding the nomenclature of various courses. It was recommended that the Masters in Mass Communication and Media Management and M.Sc. (Journalism, Advertising and Mass Communication) and M.Sc Mass Communication courses should be considered as **M.A. (Journalism and Mass Communication)** from the new academic session -2016-17 as per UGC guidelines.

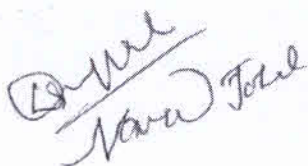
The B.Sc. (Media, Entertainment and Film Technology) and B.Sc. (Journalism and Mass Communication) courses be closed and **B.A.(Journalism and Mass Communication) should be started from the new academic session -2016-17** as per UGC guidelines. The curriculum followed in these courses may remain unchanged for the current academic session.

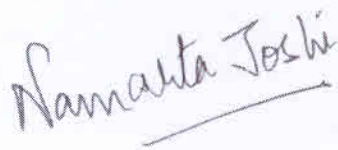
Due to the sentence formation of earlier drafted & signed minutes of meeting dated Jan.25, 2016, BoS is signing on revised minutes of meeting.

As per the UGC Gazette dated July 5, 2014, Part III- Section 4, page number 2987:

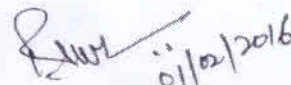
BJMC/BMC be restructured as BA (Journalism and Mass Communication)

MJMC/MMC be restructured as MA (Journalism and Mass Communication)


Navjit Singh Johal


Namarta Joshi




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Page number 2993 of the Gazette specifies at number 7 reproduced as mentioned:

"Henceforth, Universities shall not introduce any new nomenclature of degree unless there is a very strong and genuine reason. Should a University intend to introduce a new nomenclature, it shall approach the UGC for its specification at least 6 months prior to starting the degree programme along with details of the courses of the study prescribed for the degree as approved by the respective academic bodies of the University/institution, such as BoS, Academic Council and Governing Council".

Members of BOS also considered the final letter regarding distance education to IKG PTU ref no. UGC/DEB/13/2/PTU/2015 dated 05.08.2015, where UGC approved course as BA (Journalism & Mass Communication), MA (Journalism and Mass Communication) (Copy attached)

Finally BOS decided to go with UGC guidelines only.

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