# 3<sup>rd</sup> MEETING OF THE RESEARCH COUNCIL



## MINUTES

Date : 15.09.2021

Time : 11.00 a.m

### TAMIL NADU OPEN UNIVERSITY

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### TAMIL NADU OPEN UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI Minutes of Meeting of 3<sup>rd</sup> Research Council of TNOU

The Meeting of Third Research Council of TNOU was convened under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. K. Parthasarathy, Tamil Nadu Open University (TNOU) on 15-09-2021 (Wednesday) at 11.00 a.m. in Syndicate Hall of TNOU.

#### Members Present:

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	1.	Prof. K. Parthasarathy	
		Vice Chancellor	Chairman
		Tamil Nadu Open University	
		Chennai - 600 015.	
	2.	Dr. G. Saravanan	
		Senior Scientist	
		Chemistry Department	Member
		CSIR-NEERI, Chennai Zonal Centre	
		Chennai - 600 013.	
-	3.	Mr. P. Sanjay Gandhi	
		Legal Expert	
		YWCA Building, 1st Floor	Member
		2 <sup>nd</sup> Line Beach Road, Old No. 49	
		Moore Street, Parrys Corner	
		Chennai - 600 001.	
1	4.	Dr. S. Balasubramanian	
		Professor and Director	
		School of Tamil and Cultural Studies	Member
		Tamil Nadu Open University	
		Chennai - 600 015.	
1	5.	Dr. S. Jayalakshmi	
		Assistant Professor	
		Bharathidasan University	Member
		DDU-KAUSHAL Kendra	
		Tiruchirappalli - 620 023.	
1	5.	Prof. K. Rathnakumar	
		Registrar	
1		Tamil Nadu Open University	Special Invitee
		Chennai - 600 015.	

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7.	Prof. M. Manivannan Controller of Examinations i/c Tamil Nadu Open University	Special Invitee
8.	Chennai - 600 015.  Dr. C. Barathi Assistant Professor & Assistant Research Coordinator Tamil Nadu Open University Chennai - 600 015.	Co-ordinator

Dr. M. Michael Gromiha, Dr. S. Chandrasekaran, Dr. L. Raja, Dr. M. Thamilarasan and Dr. M. Ponnusamy, members have expressed their inability to attend the meeting.

The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Chairman of the Research Council welcomed all the members of Research Council and then presented the agenda items for the discussion and arriving resolution.

2021-03.01

TO CONSIDER AND DISCUSS ABOUT THE MINUTES OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE OF RESEARCH COUNCIL CONSTITUTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVIEWING THE ISSUES OF M.PHIL. AND PH.D RESEARCH SCHOLARS.

The Sub-Committee of Research Council verified individuals who have issues in M.Phil. and Ph.D. as stated in Agenda case by case. The Committee interacted with those Research Scholars and Research Supervisors concerned. Based on the fact and merits of the cases, the resolution was arrived considering the welfare of the Research Scholars and COVID-19 Pandemic situation.

The minutes of the Sub-Committee of Research Council meeting held on 14.09.2021 with regard to set-right the issues of 2 M.Phil. and 13 Ph.D. Scholars as specified in the following table BE APPROVED.

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S.No.	Name of the Scholar	Research Supervisor	Remarks
1.	Mrs. D. Bemila	Prof.S. Balasubramanian	Permit to continue with penalty Rs. 10000/-
2.	Mrs. V.K. Kavitha	Prof.S. Balasubramanian	Extension up to 20.11.2021
3.	Mrs. M. Mani Bharathi	Prof.S. Balasubramanian	Permit to submit the Dissertation before 30.09.2021 with penalty Rs. 5000/-
4.	Mrs. T. Sudha	Prof. P. Thiyagarajan	Permit to evaluation of thesis
5.	Mr. P. Sarvaharana	Prof. P. Thiyagarajan	Permit to evaluation of thesis with penalty Rs. 10000/-
6.	Mr. S.V. Arun	Prof. S. Subramanian	Permit to conduct the viva-voce with penalty Rs. 10000/-
7.	Ms. R. Monisha	Prof. S. Subramanian	Permit to conduct the viva-voce with penalty Rs. 10000/-
8.	Ms. S.P. Kamatchi	Dr. N. Dhanalakshmi	Permit to submit the Dissertation before 30.09.2021 with penalty Rs. 5000/-
9.	Ms. D. Pradeepa	Prof. S. Subramanian	Extension up to 13.09.2022 with penalty Rs. 10000/-
10.	Ms. R. Kalpana	Dr. R. Tamilmaran	Extension up to 13.09.2022 with penalty Rs. 10000/-
11.	Mr. B. Sanjeevan	Dr. R. Tamilmaran	Extension up to 13.09.2022 with penalty Rs. 10000/-
12.	Ms. T. Eswari	Dr. M. Vaiyapuri	Extension for six months with penalty Rs. 10000/-
13.	Mr. T. Paneerselvam	Dr. S. Latha	Extension up to 13.09.2022 with penalty Rs. 10000/-
14.	Mr. K.M. Muthukrishnan	Dr. S. Latha	Extension given up to 13.09.2022 with penalty Rs. 10000/-
15.	Mr.B. Ravichandran	Prof. M.V. Sudhakaran	Ph.D Registration cancelled

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Further RESOLVED THAT if any of the Research Supervisor deviates from the TNOU Research Regulations to guide the Research Scholar(s), suitable action be initiated for which the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor be authorized.

2021-03.02

TO CONSIDER AND DISCUSS ABOUT THE MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE CONSTITUTED FOR REVISION OF THOU PH.D. REGULATIONS 2019 IN LINE WITH THE UGC REGULATIONS 2016 AND SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS IN ORDER TO BRING OUT THOU RESEARCH REGULATIONS 2021 (PH.D. AND POST - DOCTORAL DEGREES).

The Committee revised and updated the TNOU Ph.D. Regulations in line with the UGC Regulations 2016 and its subsequent amendment such as 1<sup>st</sup> Amendment 2018 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment 2018 and referring other State University of Tamilnadu. This revision included both Ph.D. and Post-Doctoral Degrees. The revised Regulation is called "TNOU Research Regulations 2021" (Ph.D. and Post-Doctoral Degrees).

The Minutes of Committee for the revision of TNOU Ph.D. Regulations 2019 meeting held on 14.09.2021 to bring out TNOU Research Regulations 2021 (Ph.D. and Post - Doctoral Degrees) for the implementation with effect from July 2021 and onwards BE APPROVED.

2021-03.03

**RESOLVED THAT** compilation of Research and Development (R&D) Activities of the University since its inception until now be done to bring out the Manual Publication for showing the progress of the University in R & D activities.

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**RESOLVED THAT** Copy Right be obtained for all the Books/Manuals/Publications of the University in order to get credit for the University.

#### Signature:

1.	Dr. G. Saravanan	Jan 209/2021
2.	Mr. P. Sanjay Gandhi	12 Jan 9 15 9 202
3.	Dr. S. Balasubramanian	The contract
4.	Dr. S. Jayalakshmi	5. Fayahis 10912021
5.	Dr. K. Rathnakumar	V16400 (61910)

Dr. C. Barathi

Asst. Research Coordinator

Dr. M. Manivannan

Controller of Examinations i/c

Prof. K. PARTHASARATHY
Chairman - Research Council
Vice Chancellor, TNOU

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