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1	Dr. C G Betsurmath Executive Secretary JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru		Chairperson
2	Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna Director, College Education Division JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru	;	Member
3	Prof. K. S. Rangappa Former Vice Chancellor University of Mysore, Mysuru	:	Management Nominee
4	Prof. B V Sambashivaiah Chief Executive JSS College Campus, Ooty Road, Mysuru	:	Educationalist / Industrialist
5	Dr. S Shankarappa Associate Professor & Head Dept. of Commerce JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru	:	Senior Teacher
6	Dr. L Mallesha Assistant Professor & Head PG Dept. of Chemistry JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru	:	Senior Teacher
7	Prof. K. C. Veerabhadraiah Joint Director Department of Collegiate Education Mysore Region, Mysuru		State Government Nominee
8	Dr. S Srikantaswamy Professor, DOS in Environmental Science University of Mysore, Mysuru	:	University Nominee
9	Dr. H C Honnappa Principal JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru	:	Member Secretary

1	Sri. B. Niranjanamurthy Asst. Director, College Education Division JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru	ŀ	Special Invitee
2	Dr. B Prabhuswamy Controller of Examinations, JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru	:	Special Invitee

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Member who attended the meeting through Online

1	Prof. Siba Prasad Adhikary Former Vice Chancellor DOS in Biotechnology	: Manaş	gement Nominee
	Visva Bharathi, Santiniketan Birhum, West Bengal		

Members who could not attend the meeting

Prof. Mythily Ramaswamy Fellow, Indian Academy of Sciences TIFR Centre for Applicable Mathematics Sharada Nagar, Chikkabommasandra	:	UGC Nominee
Bengaluru 56 0065		

35.1. Welcome

Dr. H. C. Honnappa, Member Secretary sought the blessings of His Holiness Jagadguru Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Mahaswamiji and extended cordial welcome to the Honourable members and Special Invitees to the XXXV Governing Body meeting.

Dr. H. C. Honnappa requested Dr. C G Betsurmath, Executive Secretary, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru to preside over the meeting. Dr. H. C. Honnappa took up the agenda for discussion.

35.2. Reading and Recording of the Proceedings of the XXXIV Governing Body meeting held on 16.03.2021

Decision: Read and recorded

35.3. Reading the Action Taken Report on suggestions provided during XXXIV Governing Body meeting held on 16.03.2021

It was brought to the notice of the honourable members that the suggestions have been implemented.

Decision: Approved

35.4. Approval for introducing Four year UG Honors Degree Programmes from the Academic Year 2021-22

Decision: Approved

35.5. Approval for results of Odd Semester UG & PG programmes July 2021

Decision: Approved

35.6 A. Approval for Autonomy Grants Utilization for the Year 2020-21

Decision: Approved

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35.6 B. Approval for MCA Budget for the Year 2021-22

Decision: Approved

35.7. Progress Report

Regarding the results of Odd Semester UG & PG programmes July 2021, Dr. C. G. Betsurmath suggested including previous year results into the Results of examinations.

The Chairperson Dr. C. G. Betsurmath suggested giving the details of the projects, research paper publications and the research paper presentations / participations in the seminars/workshops/conferences of each of the faculty members.

Dr. C. G. Betsurmath enquired about functioning of CET-competitive examination training cell and suggested organising special lectures by experts to enhance placement opportunities and employability of students and also suggested organising coaching classes for competitive examinations. Prof. B V Sambashivaiah, Chief Excecutive, JSS College Campus, Ooty Road, Mysuru, clarified and presented the details of coaching classes conducted by CET-competitive examination training cell.

Prof. K.S. Rangappa, Former Vice Chancellor University of Mysore and Masnagement Nominee to Governing Body, enquired about the syllabi for UG Programmes under NEP 2020, Dr. H.C. Honnappa explained the salient features of action plan for the implementation of NEP-2020 from the academic year 2021-22. Dr. C. G. Betsurmath and Sri. B. Niranjanamurthy, Assistant Director, College Education Division, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru, endorsed the action plan for the implementation of NEP- 2020 from the academic year 2021-22.

Regarding the publication and presentation of research papers by some faculty members, Dr. C. G. Betsurmath and Prof. K. S Rangappa insisted encouraging all the faculty members for research publications and presentations. Prof. B V Sambashivaiah clarified that research paper publications have been considered as the criteria for increments. Further Prof. K. S Rangappa suggested establishing "JSS R&D Centre" and publising JSS e-journal under the supervision of an expert teacher. Dr. C. G. Betsurmath welcomed the suggestions of Prof. K. S Rangappa.

Dr. C. G. Betsurmath and Prof. K. S Rangappa also suggested encouraging the students from outside for registration to Ph.D. Programmes. Prof. B V Sambashivaiah and Dr. H C Honnappa clarified that students from outside have been reigisterd for Ph.D. Programmes. Further Dr. C. G. Betsurmath suggested encouraging faculty members for pursuing Ph. D. programmes in the College research centre.

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Dr. C. G. Betsurmath enquired about the budget of BiSEP prrogramme. Prof. B V Sambashivaiah clarified the budget of BiSEP programme.

Dr. S Srikantaswamy enquired about the financial assistance for the faculty members presenting research papers in seminars/workshops/conferences. Dr. H. C. Honnappa clarified that financial assistance have been provided for the faculty members presenting papers in seminars/workshops/conferences.

Dr. C. G. Betsurmath and Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna, Director, College Education Division, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru suggested informing the faculties to work hard for the research publications and presentations. Further Dr. C. G. Betsurmath and Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna suggested Principal convening departments council meetings, followed by the meeting of all the HODs of the departments once in a month for the discussion of progress report of the faculties and the department

Dr. S Srikantaswamy suggested receiving self appraisal report from the faculty members once in a month. Prof. B V Sambashivaiah clarified that college is receiving self appraisal annual reports from the teaching and non-teaching faculty members as per the guidelines of JSS Mahavidyapeetha and Commissioner, Department of Collegiate Education, Government of Karnataka.

Prof. Siba Prasad Adhikary appreciated the progress report of the College. Prof. K. C. Veerabhadraiah appreciated the action plan for the implementation of NEP 2020 from the academic year 2021-22.

Dr. B. Prabhuswamy, Controller of Examinations proposed vote of thanks.

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35.7. Action Taken Report to be submitted in the XXXVI Governing Body Meeting

- (a) Dr. C. G. Betsurmath, the Chairperson suggested including the results of the previous year into the Results of examinations.
- (b) Dr. C. G. Betsurmath also suggested providing the details of the projects, research publications and presentations/participations in the seminars/workshops/conferences of each faculty members separately.
- (c) Prof. K. S Rangappa suggested establishing "JSS R&D Centre" and publising JSS e-journal under the supervision of an expert teacher.
- (d) Dr. C. G. Betsurmath suggested encouraging more faculty members of the college to register for Ph. D. programmes in the College Research Centre.
- (e) Dr. C. G. Betsurmath and Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna suggested Principal convening departments council meetings, followed by the meeting of all the HODs of the departments once in a month for the discussion of progress report of the faculties and the department.

(f) Details of suggestions for which no action has been taken of the last five years GB meetings.

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Members Present

	Dr. C.G. Betsurmath			
1	Executive Secretary			
	JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru	1:	Chairperson	
	Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna			
2	Director, College Education Division			
2	JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru	:	Member	
	355 Wanavidyapeema, Mysuru			
	Prof. K.S. Rangappa			
3	Former Vice Chancellor	:	Management Nominee	
	University of Mysore, Mysuru		gamera	
	Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah			
4	Chief Executive	1	Educationalist/ Industrialist	
	JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru		Educationalist/ Industrialist	
	Dr. L. Mallesha			
5	Assistant Professor & Head			
3	PG Dept. of Chemistry		Senior Teacher	
	JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru			
	Dr. S. Srikantaswamy	\neg		
6	Professor, DOS in Environmental Science	1.1	University Nominee	
	University of Mysore, Mysuru		Chrycistry Nominee	
	Prof. M.P. Vijayendra Kumar	1.		
7	Principal	Member Secretary		
	JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru			
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1	Sri. B. Niranjanamurthy Asst. Director, College Education Division JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru	:	Special Invitee
2	Dr. B. Prabhuswamy Controller of Examinations JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru	:	Special Invitee

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AGENDA

AGENDA No - 36.1

Welcoming the Members

Seeking the blessings of His Holiness Jagadguru Dr. Sri Shivarathri Rajendra Mahaswamiji, Founder President, JSS Mahavidyapeetha and His Holiness Jagadguru Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Mahaswamiji, Prof. M.P. Vijayendra Kumar, Member Secretary welcomed all the Members to the Meeting and read out the list of members who had expressed their inability to attend the meeting.

Leave of Absence:

1	Prof. Siba Prasad Adhikary Former Vice Chancellor DOS in Biotechnology Visva Bharathi, Santiniketan Birhum, West Bengal	:	Management Nominee
2	Prof. Mythily Ramaswamy Fellow, Indian Academy of Sciences TIFR Centre for Applicable Mathematics Sharada Nagar, Chikkabommasandra Bengaluru 560065	••	UGC Nominee
3	Prof. K.C. Veerabhadraiah Joint Director Department of Collegiate Education Mysore Region, Mysuru	:	State Government Nominee

The Member Secretary requested Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, Executive Secretary, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru to preside over the meeting. With the permission of the Chairperson, Member Secretary took up the agenda for discussion.

AGENDA No -36.2. Reading and Recording of the Proceedings of the XXXV Governing Body meeting held on 16^{th} September 2021

Member Secretary informed that the Minutes of XXXV Governing Body Meeting held on 16.09.2021 was circulated among the members. He requested the Governing Body Members to approve the Minutes.

The minutes of XXXV Governing Body Meeting were read and recorded.

AGENDA No -36.3. Reading the Action Taken Report on suggestions provided during XXXV Governing Body meeting held on 16^{th} September 2021

The Action Taken Report on the minutes of XXXV Governing Body Meeting was taken up by the Member Secretary sequentially.

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Agenda 35.5

The Chairperson suggested to include the results of the previous year into the Results of examinations.

Action taken

The results of the previous year are included to the Results of examinations 2020-21.

36.5 Results of UG and PG Even Semester Examination 2020-21 UG 2020-21 Sixth Semester Results

SI.		September 2021			September 2020		
No.	Programme	Total Appeared	Total Pass	Pass	Total Appeared	Total Pass	Pass
1	B.A.	67	63	94.03	59	57	96.61
2	B.Sc.	254	236	92.91	222	193	86.94
3	B.Com.	151	146	96.69	139	128	92.09
4	B.B.A.	46	42	91.30	39	35	89.74
5	B.C.A.	72	71	98.61	70	70	100
6	B. Voc. (F.P. & E.)	52	49	94.23	33	31	93.94
7	B. Voc. (S.D.)	17	16	94.12	23	23	100
8	B. Voc. (Ani.)	11	11	100	AND		200

PG 2020-21 Fourth Semester Results

Sl.		Septe	mber 20	21	September 2020		
No.	Programme	Total	Total	Pass	Total	Total	Pass
A: 150-5-45		Appeared	Pass	%	Appeared	Pass	%
1	M. Sc. Biotechnology	44	44	100	43	43	100
2	M. Sc. Biochemistry	45	44	97.78	47	41	87.23
3	M.S.W.	16	16	100	25	25	100
4	M. Sc. Comp. Science	30	29	96.67	28	24	85.71
5	M.Com.	79	79	100	104	104	100
6	M. Sc. Physics	58	55	94.83	61	51	83.61
7	M. Sc. Chemistry	64	61	95.31	63	54	85.71
8	M.A. Kannada	6	6	100	23	22	95.65
9	M. Sc. Mathematics	40	28	70.00	37	28	75.68
10	M.A. English	8	8	100	12	12	100
11	M.Sc. Botany	41	40	97.56	37	37	100
12	M.Sc. Zoology	- 41	40	97.56	36	36	100
13	M.Voc. (F.P. & E.)	15	15	100	8	8	100



Agenda 35.7

The Chairperson suggested to encourage more faculty members of the college to register for Ph.D. programmes in the College Research Centre.

Action taken

Faculty members aspiring to pursue research work have registered for Ph.D. programmes in the College Research Centre. Following is the list of faculty members pursuing Ph.D. inclusive of those registered in the College Research Centre.

SI	Name of the teacher	Denartment	Research centre
1	Smt. H. V. Kavya	PG Department of Chemistry	VTU, Belagavi
2	Smt. Y. S. Sumanashree	PG Department of Computer Science	University of Mysore
3	Smt. Syed Hajira Banu	PG Department of Biochemistry	University of Mysore
4	Sri. H. B. Vasanth Patil	PG Department of Biotechnology	University of Mysore
5	Ms. A. M. Meghashree	PG Department of Botany	University of Mysore
6	Smt. K. P. Harshitha	PG Department of Zoology	JSSAHER, Mysuru
7	Mr. Abhishek	Department of Mathematics	JSSSTU, Mysuru
8	Sri. Vidyashankar	Department of Computer Science	University of Mysore
9	Smt. K. Chaitra	Department of Biotechnology	University of Mysore
10	Sri. N. Santhosh Kumar	Department of Kannada	Kannada University
11	Sri. P. Mahesha	Department of Economics	University of Mysore
12	Smt. R.G. Asha	Department of Political Science	University of Mysore
13	Smt. M. Ananya	Department of Zoology	JSSAHER, Mysuru
14	Smt. K. G. Sreelalitha	Department of Commerce and Management	University of Mysore
15	Sri. H. M. Pramod	Department of Commerce and Management	JSS College, Mysuru
16	Sri. K. R. Satheesha	Department of Geography	University of Mysore
17	Smt. M. Prameela	Department of Geography	University of Mysore
18	Ms. S Pramila	PG Department of Chemistry	JSS College, Mysuru
19	Ms. M Tejaswini	PG Department of Chemistry	JSS College, Mysuru
20	Mr. Karthik	Department of Chemistry	JSS College, Mysuru
21	Mr. Mahendra Kumar	Department of Chemistry	JSS College, Mysuru

Agenda 35.7

The Chairperson and Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna suggested the Principal to inform all the HODs to convene Department Council meeting on 5th of every month before HODs meeting for discussion of progress of the faculty and the department.

Action taken

The Departments Council meetings are being convened on the 5th of every month and the proceedings of the same is submitted to the Principal. Following the Department Council meetings, the HODs meeting is being conducted for discussion on the proceedings. The summary

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of the Proceedings of UG and PG Departments Council Meetings is given below:

Summary of UG Departments Council Meetings Proceedings:

The Department Council Meetings discussed the activities and progress and resolved to:

- complete and revise the syllabus on time
- > ensure that students visit the Library frequently and make maximum benefit out of it
- > prepare list of students scored below 30% in Internal Assessment
- attend Online Webinar on NEP 2020 organized by UOM
- conduct Semester End Practical Examination
- > organize Special Lecture programme
- conduct Workshop on EDP
- conduct Workshop/ Seminars/ Conference on relevant themes
- prepare the list of alumni for Alumni Meet 2022
- > make preparation for UGC Autonomous Review Committee Visit
- evaluate the answer scripts of End Semester Examinations
- complete stock verification
- prepare for the project/ dissertation related work in the concerned departments
- update Department Profile and Individual Profile in the College website
- discuss the distribution of workload and syllabus of Even Semesters

Summary of PG Departments Council Meetings Proceedings:

The Department Council Meetings discussed the activities and progress and resolved to:

- > complete I Year admission process and to submit the documents to the College Office
- conduct Orientation Programme for Freshers at the Department level
- organize Science Exhibition by PG Department of Physics
- encourage participation and paper presentation in Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops
- complete and revise syllabus on time
- complete C1 and C2 evaluation and to submit the marks list to Examination Section
- to establish industry collaboration activities
- conduct Workshop/ Seminars/ Conference on relevant themes
- organize Special Lecture programme
- > conduct practical examination for III Semester students
- > depute M.Voc. students to Internship
- organize Two Day National Level Orate Competition in the month of April 2022 by PG Department of Chemistry

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- > prepare Stock Verification report
- prepare Project/ Dissertation/ Field work related work
- > make preparation for UGC Autonomous Review Committee Visit
- > evaluate the answer scripts of End Semester Examinations
- > visit NGOs as a part of completion of Field Work by PG Department of Social Work
- organize World Social Work Day blending with Outreach Programme by PG Department of Social Work
- > update Department Profile and Individual Profile in the College website
- > submission of research project proposals to funding agencies
- > allotment of seminar topics and assignments to I year students
- conduct KSTA sponsored National Seminar in last week of March 2022 by PG Department of Biotechnology
- > publish research articles in UGC-Listed journals and to contribute Chapters for Books
- > discuss the distribution of workload and syllabus of Even Semesters

Agenda 35.7

The Chairperson suggested to provide the details of action taken report of the last five years Governing Body meetings.

Action taken

The details have been provided. (Refer Annexure I)

AGENDA No – 36.4. Approval for UG and PG admissions for the academic year 2021-22

Member Secretary presented the details of admissions to different UG and PG Programmes for the year 2021-22 and requested the Governing Body for approval.

Discussion: The Chairperson and Dr. S. Srikantaswamy enquired about poor admissions to B.Voc. (SD) & M.Voc. (SD), M.Com. and M.A. programmes. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah clarified that majority of applicants to PG programmes have opted to take admissions in Government Colleges as the admission fee in Government Colleges is less compared to Private Colleges and the poor admissions to B.Voc. (SD) and M.Voc. (SD) programmes are due to non-availability of teaching faculty. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah added that now teachers are appointed and efforts are being made to improve admissions to the programmes. Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna and Prof. K.S. Rangappa appreciated the admissions to Postgraduate Science programmes.

Decision: Approved

AGENDA No - 36.5. Approval for UG & PG Even Semesters Examination 2020-21 Results



Member Secretary presented the 2020-21 Even Semester Examinations Results of UG and PG programmes and requested the Governing Body for approval.

Discussion: Dr. S. Srikantaswamy appreciated the improvement in results and other members also endorsed the appreciation.

Decision: Approved

AGENDA No - 36.6 a. Approval for Regulation for four years UG Honours degree programme for the academic year 2021-22

The National Education Policy (NEP-2020) has recommended Multi-Disciplinary Undergraduate Programmes with multiple exit and entry options with Certificate/Diploma/Degrees at each of the exits. Undergraduate curriculum needs to be focused on creativity, innovation, critical thinking, higher order thinking capacities, problem solving abilities, team work, communication skills, more in-depth learning and mastery of curricula across fields. In view of this, the College has taken the initiative to implement the same from the academic year 2021-22.

Government of Karnataka has issued an order (No. ED 260 UNI 2019 (Part 1) Bengaluru dated 07.08.2021) for the implementation of Four years Multi-Disciplinary Undergraduate Honours Degree Programmes with multiple exit and entry options effective from the academic year 2021-22.

Out of five options for the Four years Multi-Disciplinary Undergraduate Honours Degree Programmes with corresponding suggestive Curricular and Credit structures and proposed CBCS schemes, the 'Dual Degree in Two Disciplines' is selected and the approval of JSS Mahavidyapeetha for the same is obtained.

The draft Regulations of Higher Education Council, Government of Karnataka with appropriate amendments/ changes has to be issued by University of Mysore to all the Affiliated Colleges including the Autonomous Colleges. Since University of Mysore has not framed NEP-2020 Regulations, being an Autonomous College, the draft Regulations has been prepared with an option open for accommodating necessary modifications satisfying the Regulations issued by the University of Mysore and UGC Autonomous College Regulations.

Academic Bank of Credits (ABC): The Academic Bank of Credits, a national-level facility will promote the flexibility of the curriculum framework and interdisciplinary/ multidisciplinary academic mobility of students across the Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) in the country with appropriate "credit transfer" mechanism. ABC will provide significant autonomy to the students by providing an extensive choice of courses for a program of study, flexibility in curriculum, novel and engaging course options across a number of higher education disciplines/institutions.

The multiple entry and exit options for students is facilitated at the Undergraduate and

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Member Secretary presented the draft Regulations of NEP-2020 prepared by the College effective from 2021-22 and registration for Academic Bank of Credits for approval (*Refer Annexure II*).

Discussion: Prof. K.S. Rangappa enquired about the two major combinations of Four years UG Honours Degree Programme for the academic year 2021-22 and poor admissions to Physics and Electronics combination. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah explained the details of two major combinations of four years UG Honours degree programme for the academic year 2021-22. Regarding poor admissions to Physics and Electronics combination, Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah clarified that the scope for two major combinations with Computer Science in the present scenario might have affected the admissions to Physics and Electronics combination.

Decision: Approved

AGENDA No - 36.6 b. Approval for NEP 2020 Syllabi of UG Programmes

As an Autonomous College affiliated to University of Mysore, a meeting of HoDs of UG Departments was convened and discussed the framing of syllabi for four years UG Honours degree programme for the academic year 2021-22 following the syllabi of University of Mysore and the UGC Guidelines for Autonomous Colleges. The respective BOS of UG Departments discussed and resolved the adoption of the syllabi of University of Mysore with common evaluation pattern effective from 2021-22.

Member Secretary brought to the notice of the Governing Body about the syllabi of all the UG Departments and requested for the approval.

Discussion: Prof. K.S. Rangappa advised to take initiative for the preparation of Course Content for second year UG Honours degree programme and suggested to conduct workshop on NEP 2020. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah clarified that Government of Karnataka has not accorded permission for Colleges to prepare the Course Content for four years UG Honours degree programme, but to adopt that prepared by Higher Education Council, Government of Karnataka and accepted the suggestion to conduct workshop on NEP 2020.

Decision: Approved

AGENDA No - 36.6 c. Approval for Scheme and Syllabus of MCA Programme

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Master of Computer Applications is a 2 year Postgraduate Programme and is now offered by more than 73 institutions in the state and 1095 institutions all over India. MCA graduates form an important source of human resource for the software industry. Information Technology is growing rapidly. Increasing applications of computers in almost all areas of human endeavour has led to a vibrant industry with concurrent rapid change in technology. Thus the challenge in designing a curriculum is to identify the areas of core competence which is reasonably stable and provide sufficient number of electives and laboratories to accommodate changes. Thus the suggested programme has a strong laboratory and project orientation in which the use of new tools will be emphasized.

The College has introduced the 2-year MCA Programme from the academic year 2021-22 after obtaining the approvals from JSS Mahavidyapeetha, 34th Governing Body Meeting, University of Mysore and All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE). The BOS constituted for the MCA Programme has discussed the details of Scheme and Syllabus following the Guidelines of AICTE and finalized the Scheme and Syllabus effective from 2021-22.

Member Secretary presented the Scheme and Syllabus of MCA Programme for approval.

Decision: Approved

AGENDA No - 36.6 d. Approval for Revised Syllabi of PG Departments

The PG Departments of Kannada, English, Physics, Chemistry, Biochemistry and M.Voc. in Food Processing and Engineering have revised the syllabi in their respective BOS Meetings effective from 2021-22 to meet the current requirements to enhance the employment opportunities.

Member Secretary presented the revised Schemes/Syllabi of the above programmes for approval.

Discussion: The Members of the Governing Body discussed the revision of syllabi of the above PG Departments and opined to incorporate recent editions of reference books for subsequent revisions.

Decision: Approved

AGENDA No -36.7. Approval for Autonomous Grants and Budget for the year 2022-23

Member Secretary presented the Autonomous Grants and Budget for the year 2022-23 and requested the Governing Body for approval.

Discussion: Prof. K.S. Rangappa sought the details of the Autonomy Grants Budget for the year 2022-23. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah explained details of the Autonomy Grants Budget for the year 2022-23, as well as that of recurring and non-recurring grants. Dr. S. Srikantaswamy sought detailed information about Kaushal Kendra grants. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah explained the details of Kaushal Kendra grants sanctioned for skill integrated programmes.

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Decision: Approved

AGENDA No - 36.8. Progress Report

Member Secretary presented the Progress Report to the Governing Body sequentially.

Discussion: Dr. S. Srikantaswamy sought clarification for the poor Student Placements. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah clarified that the JSS Mahavidyapeetha has newly appointed independent Placement Officer and opined that Student Placements will improve.

The Chairperson suggested to strengthen the placement activities, as the competition is very high. The suggestion was accepted.

Prof. K.S. Rangappa highlighted the strength of Faculty with Ph.D., KSET, NET compared to the total number and suggested to encourage full time teachers to accomplish Ph.D. degree. The suggestion was accepted to encourage the faculty to pursue Ph.D. at the earliest.

Prof. K.S. Rangappa suggested to motivate the qualified teachers from other institutions to register for Research Guideship in JSS Research Centre of JSS College of Arts, Commerce and Science, Ooty Road, Mysuru under the affiliation of University of Mysore. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah accepted to carry out the suggestion.

Regarding the publication and presentation of research papers in reputed Journals, both Prof. K.S. Rangappa and Dr. S. Srikantaswamy insisted to encourage other faculty members for presentation and publication of research papers. The suggestion was accepted.

Prof. K.S. Rangappa and Dr. S. Srikantaswamy appreciated the efforts for publication by Dr. N. Vijendra Kumar, Asst. Professor, PG Department of Chemistry in ACS Publications with 6.5 impact factor.

Dr. S. Srikantaswamy and Prof. K.S. Rangappa enquired about the incentives provided for the faculty members for publications of research papers. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah informed that research paper publications is also one of the criteria for the annual increment for faculty.

Prof. K.S. Rangappa appreciated for number of books increased during 2021-22 in the library. Prof. K.S. Rangappa suggested to offer Chemistry, Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Biotechnology as the Major disciplines in B.Sc. Honours as these subjects have more scope in higher education. The Member Secretary accepted the suggestion. Dr. S. Srikantaswamy enquired about MoUs. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah furnished the details of MOUs with reputed Institutions and industries.

The Chairperson suggested to make Ph.D. Degree mandatory for all faculties. The Chairperson also suggested to include JSS Radio programme details in future GB meetings. The suggestion was accepted.

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Regarding the Alumni meet, the Chairperson suggested to document the proceedings of Alumni meeting scientifically. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah accepted to include the same in the next GB meetings.

Sri. B. Niranjanamurthy suggested Principal to combine students of different combinations for common subjects. Member Secretary told that it is in practice.

The Chairperson sought clarification for B.A. Examinations. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah clarified that B.A. Examinations are being conducted in Kannada for Kannada Medium Students and in English for English Medium Students.

The Chairperson advised to improve the smart campus facilities and activities of the competitive examination cell. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah accepted the suggestion.

Dr. B. Prabhuswamy proposed vote of thanks.

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