

NATIONAL SANSKRIT UNIVERSITY
DEANS COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 29-05-2020

Minutes of the Third Deans' Council Meeting of NSU held on 29-05-2020

Members Presented:

Prof. V. Muralidhara Sarma, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor – The Chairman of the meeting

Prof. Rani Sadasiva Murty – Dean Academic Affairs

Prof. MLN Murthy – Dean, Faculty of Darsanas

Prof. GSR Krishna Murthy – Faculty of Sahitya and Samskriti

Prof. Sripada Bhat – Dean, Faculty of Vedavedangas

Prof. Prahlad R Joshi – Dean, Faculty of Siksha Sastra

Item 1

Approval of the Online Certificate programs in the following subjects:

Functional Sanskrit (Basic), Functional Sanskrit (Advanced), Vyakarana Sastra Pravesa, Svarakalpana I, Svarakalpana II, Navya Nyaya Pravesa, Sankhya Karikas, Dvaita Vedanta, Vivekachudamani, Raghuvamsa, Siddhanta Kaumudi, Creative Writing in Hindi, Traditional Yoga, Kriya Yoga and Jyotisha and Diploma in Dvaita Vedanta and Advanced Diploma in Dvaita Vedanta.

It is resolved to approve the Online Certificate Programmes in the following subjects with uniformity in the structure with regard to certain subjects and with slight variations in certain subjects as specified below:

1. **Certificate Programme in Functional Sanskrit (Basic)** of 3 months duration, 60 hours, 3 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.
2. **Certificate Programme in Functional Sanskrit (Advanced)** of 3 months duration, 60 hours, 3 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2500/- for Indians \$50 for foreigners.
3. **Certificate Programme in Vyakarana Sastra Pravesa** of 3 months duration, 60 hours, 3 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each

(Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.

4. **Certificate Programme in Svarakalpana Level 1** of 2 months duration, 40 hours, 3 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (One is for Theory and One is for Practicals with Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks in each paper) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.
5. **Certificate Programme in Svarakalpana Level 2** of 2 months duration, 40 hours, 3 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (One is for Theory and One is for Practicals with Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks in each paper) and Fee: Rs.3000/- for Indians \$50 for foreigners.
6. **Certificate Programme in Navya Nyaya Pravesa** of 3 months duration, 60 hours, 5 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.
7. **Certificate Programme in Sankhyakarikas (Up to Purusha bahutva)** of 3 months duration, 60 hours, 3 day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.
8. **Certificate Programme in Dvaita Vedanta** of 6 months duration, 60 hours, 2 day week (Saturday and Sunday), with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.
9. **Free Programme in Vivekachudamani** of One month duration, 5 day week, no fee and no examination. This is offered as a service to the society. **Prof. MLN Murthy Garu**, Department of Advaita Vedanta, The Dean of Darsana Faculty and one of the senior most professors is teaching this programme. His noble service of educating hundreds of Vedantic learners at global level through this programme is well praised by the Deans Council of National Sanskrit University under the chairmanship of hon'ble Vice Chancellor and the applause of all the members of the Deans Council is placed on record on this occasion.
10. **Certificate Programme in Raghuvamsa** of 3 months duration, 60 hours, 3 day week, with papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and

Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.

11. **Free Programme in Siddhanta Kaumudi** – This is a free end free course on the basis of 5 day week with no end examinations. This is offered as a service to the society to repay the indebtedness of the institution to the human world.
12. **Certificate Programme in Creative Writing in Hindi** of 6 months duration, 60 hours, only on every Sunday, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$50 for foreigners.
13. **Certificate Programme in Traditional Yoga** 45 days duration, 60 hours, 6day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.
14. **Certificate Programme in Kriya Yoga** 3 months duration, 60 hours, 6day week, with papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.3000/- for Indians \$75 for foreigners.
15. **Certificate Programme in Jyotisha** 3 months duration, 60 hours, 5day week, with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.2000/- for Indians \$40 for foreigners.

Besides the above 15 Certificate Programmes the following two Diplomas are also resolved to be approved.

16. **Diploma Programme in Dvaita Vedanta** 12 months duration, 120 hours, 2 day week (Saturday and Sunday), with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.3000/- for Indians \$100 for foreigners.
17. **Advanced Diploma Programme in Dvaita Vedanta** 12 months duration, 120 hours, 2 day week (Saturday and Sunday), with two papers for 100 marks each (Assignment 50 Marks and Final Examination for 50 Marks) and Fee: Rs.3000/- for Indians \$100 for foreigners.

Item 2

It is submitted to resolve for appointing a coordinator to monitor all the Online Certificate and Diploma Programmes and to assign a clerk from the academic section with the responsibility of extending all clerical assistance required at the time of admission and at various other stages in conducting these programmes.

It is resolved to appoint **Dr. Lakshmi Seetarama Sarma**, Faculty of Education, as the coordinator to monitor all the Online Certificate and Diploma Programmes and to assign **one office assistant from academic section** with the responsibility of extending all clerical assistance required at the time of admission and at various other stages in conducting these programmes.

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It is submitted to resolve to consider the dollar rate (\$) to be in accordance with the date of notification for admission into these certificate programmes.

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It is submitted to approve collecting the examination fees towards each of the certificate/diploma/advanced diploma programmes.

It is resolved after a thorough discussion to include the examination fees also as a part of the already collected fees only and not to collect separately.

Item 5

It is submitted to approve to pay Rs. 500/- per day towards conveyance allowance and remuneration as per the rules to the regular teachers who teach any of the Online Certificate or Diploma Programmes during the summer vacation and also on all holidays after reopening on whichever day they take classes and to pay remuneration from June 1st to the subsequent three months to the part time teachers @ Rs. 1000/- per day as per the rules approved by

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Item 6

It is submitted to approve the steps by the Academic Dean's Office to collect the workload particulars from each of the teachers of all the Departments of NSU in order to plan the online teaching schedule of all the continuation classes regular programmes from the reopening day i.e. 1st July, 2020.

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Item 7

Submitted for the Approval that The M.Phil. or Ph.D. students, whose maximum period for submission of M. Phil./ Ph.D. Dissertation/ Thesis prescribed under relevant rules/ regulations/ ordinances of the concerned universities is expired/ expiring during the Corona pandemic period, may be allowed to submit their Dissertation/ Thesis, including completion of pending formalities, within six months from the date of expiry of regular prescribed period. The extension of six months may also be considered for those students who are yet to submit their Dissertation/ Thesis. This is in accordance with the recommendation no. 13 in the UGC guidelines issued in the last week of April 2020.

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