

राजस्थान केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय Central University of Rajasthan



MINUTES

28TH MEETING OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL

- Meeting No.** : 28th (Twenty Eighth)
- Venue** : Conference Room,
Second Floor, Administrative Building,
Central University of Rajasthan
- Date** : 19th June, 2025
- Time** : 09.30 AM onwards

CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN

28th Meeting of the Academic Council held on Thursday –June 19, 2025 (09.30 AM onwards) in the Second Floor, Administrative Building, Central University of Rajasthan under the Chairmanship of Prof. Anand Bhalerao, Chairman Academic Council & Vice Chancellor Central University of Rajasthan

The following Members were present in the meeting:

1.	Prof. Manish Dev Shrimali, Dean/ Head, School/ Department of Physical Sciences Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
2.	Prof. Mamta Rani, Dean, School of Mathematics, Statistics and Computational Sciences; Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
3.	Prof. Amitabh Srivastava, Dean, School of Social Sciences Head, Department of Culture & Media Studies, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
4.	Prof. Chandi Charan Mandal, Dean, School of Life Sciences Dean, School of Interdisciplinary School of Health Science Head, Department of Biochemistry Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
5.	Prof. Praveen Sahu, Dean, School of Commerce & Management Head, Department of Commerce, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
6.	Prof. Raghavendra Bhat, Dean, School of Sports Science, Yoga and Education Head, Department of Yoga Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
7.	Prof. Sanjay Arora, Dean, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
8.	Ar. Ritu B Rai, Dean/ Head, School/ Department of Architecture Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
9.	Dr. Easwar Srinivasan, Dean, School of Chemical Sciences and Pharmacy, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
10.	Dr. Devesh Sharma, Dean, School of Earth Sciences Head, Department of Atmospheric Science Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
11.	Dr. Prakash Choudhary, Dean, School of Engineering & Technology Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
12.	Dr. Akhil Agrwal Head, Department of Microbiology, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
13.	Dr. Anuj Kumar Sharma Head, Department of Chemistry Central University of Rajasthan	In Person

14.	Dr. Shital Prasad Mahendra, Head, Department of Hindi, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
15.	Dr. Hemlata Manglani Head, Department of Economics, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
16.	Dr. Vidyottama Jain, Head, Department of Data Science and Analytics, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
17.	Dr. Gaurav Meena, Head, Department of Computer Science, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
18.	Dr. Basant Agarwal Head Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
19.	Dr. Deepesh Bhati, Head, Department of Statistics, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
20.	Dr. Jay Kant Yadav, Head, Department of Biotechnology, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
21.	Dr. S. Kandasamy, Head, Department of Public Policy, Law and Governance, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
22.	Dr. Sanjay Kumar, Head, Department of Management, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
23.	Dr. Anand Kumar Head, Department of Mathematics Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
24.	Dr. Dandub Palzor Negi Head, Department of Social Work Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
25.	Dr. Bhumika Sharma, Head, Department of English & Head, Department of Linguistics Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
26.	Dr. Kumar Sambhav Pareek, Head, Society-Technology Interface, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
27.	Dr. Umesh Gupta, Pharmacy Head, Department of Health Sciences Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
28.	Dr. Sanyog Rawat Head, Department Electronics and Communication Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
29.	Dr. Narendra Kumar Head, Department of Education Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
30.	Prof. Uma Sankar Mishra, Management (<i>Coordinator</i>), Department of Hotel and Tourism Management Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
31.	Dr. Milan Sasmal (<i>Coordinator</i>), Department of Vocational Studies and Skill Development Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
32.	Prof. Neeraj Gupta Professor, Department of Architecture Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
33.	Prof. Pradeep Verma Professor, Department of Microbiology pradeepverma@curaj.ac.in	In Person

34.	Prof. S.N. Ambedkar Professor, Department of Public Policy, Law & Governance Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
35.	Prof. J.K. Prajapat, Professor, Department of Mathematics Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
36.	Prof. N Lakshmi Aiyar Professor, Department of Hindi Central University of Rajasthan	Online
37.	Prof. Pawan Kumar Dadheech Professor, Department of Microbiology Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
38.	Prof. Amit Kumar Goyal Professor, Department of Pharmacy Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
39.	Prof. Sanjib K Panda Professor, Department of Biochemistry Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
40.	Prof. Rajesh Kumar Professor, Department of Environmental Science Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
41.	Prof. Arvind Pandey Professor, Department of Statistics Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
42.	Dr. Suresh Singh Rathore, Associate Professor, Department of Hindi, srathore@curaj.ac.in	In Person
43.	Dr. Akhil Agarwal Associate Professor, Dept. of Microbiology akhilagrwal@curaj.ac.in	In Person
44.	Dr. Madhuri Desavathu Associate Professor, Dept. of Pharmacy madhuridesavathu@curaj.ac.in	In Person
45.	Dr. Hemant Kumar Daima, Associate Professor, Department of Biochemistry, hemant.daima@curaj.ac.in	In Person
46.	Dr. Pramod Ningappa Kamble, Associate Professor, Department of Environmental Science pramod.kamble@curaj.ac.in	In Person
47.	Dr. Gaurav Somani, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science & Engineering, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
48.	Dr. Devendra Rankawat Assistant Professor, Department of English, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
49.	Dr. Ravi Sahran, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science & Engineering Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
50.	Prof. Suresh Joshi Former Director & Professor SBME Drexel University, Philadelphia, USA	Online
51.	Prof. E. Suresh Kumar Vice Chancellor The English & Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad	In Person
52.	Prof. Diwakar Tiwari, Department of Chemistry, Mizoram University, Mizoram	Online
53.	Dr. Sushil Kumar Kashaw, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dr. Hari Singh Gour Vishwavidyalaya, Sagar (M.P.)	Online

54.	Prof. Gajanand Zore, Dean of Students Welfare, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
55.	Prof. Laxmi Kant Sharma, Proctor & Head Department of Environmental Science Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
56.	Mr. Sangadi Murali Mohan, Controller of Examinations, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
57.	Dr. Kotrayya Basayya Agadi, Librarian, Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
58.	Mr. Amardeep Sharma, Secretary (Academic Council) & Registrar, Head, Department of Pharmacy Central University of Rajasthan	In Person
59.	Prof. Dinesh Chandra Sharma, Special Invitee, Dean (Academics), Central University of Rajasthan	Online

Following Members could not attend the meeting and were granted leave of absence :-

1	Prof. N.P. Padhy, Director, MNIT, Jaipur
2	Prof. Shambhu Nath Singh, Vice Chancellor, Tezpur University, Tezpur, Assam
4	Prof. Vipin Kumar, Head, Department of Pharmacy, Central University of Rajasthan
5	Prof. Jagdish U. Jadhav, Social Work (Coordinator) Department of Theatre and Performing Arts
6	Dr. Guneet Inderjit Kaur (Coordinator), Department of Sports Biomechanics / Sports Psychology Central University of Rajasthan
7	Dr. Chandan Kumar (Coordinator), Department of Biomedical Engineering Central University of Rajasthan
8	Dr. Neha Singh (Coordinator), Department of Sports Biosciences Central University of Rajasthan

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Agenda of the 28th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 19th June, 2025 (09.30 AM onwards)

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DETAILED AGENDA

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28-1.0	WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS BY THE VICE CHANCELLOR															
	At the outset, Prof. Anand Bhalerao, Vice Chancellor & Chairman of the Academic Council welcomed all the Members of the Academic Council attending the meeting in person as well as through online Video Conference mode.															
	The Chairman acknowledged the valuable contributions of the previous members of the Academic Council, whose guidance and support played a significant role in the growth and progress of the University.															
	Introduced the six newly joined internal (Prof. Pradeep Verma, Dr. Akhil Agarwal, Dr. Gaurav Meena, Dr. Pramod Kamble, Dr. Hemant Kumar Daima, Dr. Madhuri Desavathu) members to the Academic Council in different capacities of Professor, Associate Professor and Head. He expressed that presence of these members in the Academic Council would be a value addition and the University will be benefitted from their experience and knowledge in diverse sectors.															
	The Chairman informed the members that the agenda for the meeting is primarily related to the 9 th Convocation scheduled on 19 th June, 2025 for the students of batch 2023-24 and 2024-25.															
	Hon'ble Vice Chancellor invited all members to participate in-person in the 9 th Convocation scheduled on 19 th June, 2025.															
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	The Minutes of the 27 th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 28 th February 2025 were circulated to all Members through E-Mail on 21.03.2025. Considering receipt of approval/ no comments from the members, the Minutes were approved. A copy of the final Minutes of the 27 th Meeting of the Academic Council is enclosed as Annexure-A .															
	Resolution: Minutes of the 26th Meeting of the Academic Council were confirmed.															
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	Resolution: The Academic Council noted the Action Taken Report on resolutions of the previous meeting.															

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28-3.0	REPORTING ITEMS / ITEMS FOR RATIFICATION
28-3.1	Nil
28-4.0	ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION
28-4.1	<p>Proceedings of the 9th Convocation scheduled on Thursday, 19th June, 2025</p> <p>The 9th Convocation of the University is scheduled to be held on Thursday, 19th June, 2025. The Proceedings of the 9th Convocation will be placed on the Table for consideration and approval.</p> <p>Resolution: The Academic Council approved the Proceedings of the Ninth Convocation scheduled on Thursday, 19th June, 2025 in the University and recommended to be placed before the Executive Council.</p>
28-4.2	<p>Award of Degree during the 9th Convocation</p> <p>It is proposed to award degrees to a total of 1,693 undergraduate and postgraduate students —978 from the Batch of 2024 and 715 from the Batch of 2025 — as well as Ph.D. degrees to 77 research scholars during the 9th Convocation scheduled for 19th June 2025.</p> <p>List of Degree Awardees for the 9th Convocation from the Batch of 2024 & 2025 and Ph.D was placed before the Academic Council as Annexure-B 1, B 2 and B 3 respectively for consideration and approval.</p> <p>Resolution: The Academic Council approved the list of Degree Awardees for the Ninth Convocation of the University and recommended to be placed before the Executive Council.</p>
28-4.3	<p>Award of University Gold Medal and Certificate of Merit</p> <p>It is proposed that a total of 94 students who have achieved the highest CGPA in their respective disciplines among graduating batches of year 2024 (Nos. 49) and 2025 (Nos. 45), be awarded University Gold Medals with Certificate of Merit in the 9th Convocation.</p> <p>List of University Gold Medal Awardees from the Batch of 2024 and 2025 for the 9th Convocation was placed before the Academic Council as Annexure-C 1 and C 2 respectively, for consideration and approval.</p> <p>Resolution: The Academic Council approved awarding the Gold Medal and Certificate of Merit who have achieved the highest CGPA in their respective disciplines in the batches of year 2024 and 2025, during the Ninth Convocation of the University and recommended to be placed before the Executive Council.</p>
28-4.4	<p>Approval for Design of Degree Certificates in horizontal bilingual form.</p> <p>Previously, the University issued two separate degree certificates—one in English and one in Hindi—for graduating students. This dual-certificate system has posed challenges in terms of administrative efficiency, document handling, and consistency in formatting. To streamline the process and ensure uniformity, it is proposed to adopt a single bilingual (English-Hindi) degree certificate. The proposed certificate will be designed in a</p>

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		horizontal format having the same enhanced security features, incorporating both languages side by side in a clear and aesthetically balanced layout. This new format will enhance clarity, reduce duplication of work, and improve the student experience by providing a consolidated document. The revised design in horizontal bilingual form is attached as Annexure –D . Resolution: The Academic Council approved new horizontal Bilingual form Design of Degree Certificates and Certificate of Merit with same Enhanced Security Features and recommended to be placed before the Executive Council.
	28-5.0	ANY OTHER ITEMS, WITH THE PERMISSION OF THE CHAIR
