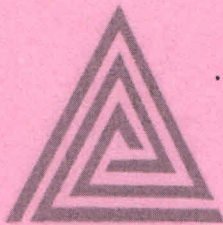


**MINUTES OF THIRD SENATE MEETING
HELD ON 26TH SEPTEMBER, 2018**

AND

**DULY CONFIRMED IN
FOURTH SENATE MEETING
HELD ON 24TH APRIL, 2019**



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8th October, 2018

**TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE SENATE OF SCHOOL OF PLANNING
AND ARCHITECTURE, NEW DELHI**

**SUBJECT: MINUTES OF 03rd SENATE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY, 26TH
SEPTEMBER, 2018 AT 11.00 AM.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith the Minutes of the 03rd Meeting of Senate of School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi, held on Wednesday, 26th September, 2018 at 11.00 a.m. in the New Committee Room of School.

Comments on the Minutes, if any, may please be forwarded within two weeks' time.

Yours faithfully,

(Umakant Agarwal)
Registrar-Secretary

1.	Prof. Dr. P. S. N. Rao Director-Chairman School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi – 110002	10.	Prof. Dr. Mahavir Dean (Academic) SPA, New Delhi-110002
2.	Prof. Dr. Rane Maria Leonie Vedaumuthu Dean, School of Architecture and Planning Anna University, Chennai – 600025 (nominated by Chairperson (BOG))	11.	Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh Dean (Faculty Welfare) SPA, New Delhi-110002
3.	Prof. B. K. Sengupta CA-127, Salt Lake City, Sector -1, Kolkata -700064 (West Bengal) (nominated by Chairperson (BOG))	12.	Prof. Dr. V. K. Paul Dean (Planning & Development) SPA, New Delhi-110002
4.	Prof. Alok Ranjan Dept. of Architecture, MNIT, Jawahar Lal Nehru Marg, Jhalana Gram, Malviya Nagar, Jaipur, Rajasthan-302017 (nominated by Chairperson (BOG))	13.	Prof. Dr. Vinay Maitri Dean (Students Affairs) SPA, New Delhi-110002
5.	Prof. Rajiv Mishra Principal, Sir J.J. College of Architecture, 78/3, Dr. D. N. Road, Mumbai- 400001. (nominated by Chairperson (BOG))	14.	Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri Dean (Research) SPA, New Delhi-110002
6.	Prof. Dr. Yogesh Garg Department of Architecture & Planning, Maulana Azad National Institute of Technology, 16, Amaltas Phase – I, Chuna Bhatti, Kolar Road, Bhopal-462016 (nominated by Chairperson (BOG))	15.	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh Head of the Dept. of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
7.	Prof. Dr. Najammuddin Institute of Town Planners, 4-A, Ring Road, I.P. Estate, New Delhi-110002 (nominee of ITPI)	16.	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar Head of the Dept. of Housing SPA, New Delhi-110002
8.	Ar. Soumyendu Shankar Ray M/s Vastukar Architects, 2855, Nageswar Tangi, Bhubaneswar-751002 (nominee of Council of Architecture)	17.	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta Head of the Dept. of Transport Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002
9.	Ar. Ashutosh Kr. Agarwal Architect-Urban Designer, 201-222 (2 nd Floor), A-2 Acharya Niketan, Mayur Vihar Phase -1, New Delhi-110091 (nominee of All India Council for Technical Education)	18.	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhoté Head of the Dept. of Landscape Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002

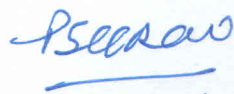
19.	Prof. Dr. Anil Dewan Head of the Dept. Building Engineering & Management SPA, New Delhi-110002	30.	Prof. Dr. Aruna Ramani Grover Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
20.	Prof. Dr. Poonam Prakash Professor of Physical Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002	31.	Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
21.	Prof. Dr. Vinita Yadav Head of the Dept. of Regional Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002	32.	Prof. Dr. Ranjana Mittal Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
22.	Shri M. Palaniappan Head of the Dept. of Urban Planning, SPA, New Delhi-110002	33.	Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur Professor of Physical Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002
23.	Ms. Anuradha Chaturvedi Head of the Dept. of Arch. Conservation SPA, New Delhi-110002	34.	Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram Professor of Transport Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002
24.	Ms. Anuradha Chaturvedi Head of the Dept. of Environmental Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002	35.	Dr. P. Rajaprakash Assistant Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
25.	Shri Arunava Dasgupta Head of the Dept. of Urban Design SPA, New Delhi-110002	36.	Shri S. K. Aaditya Assistant Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
26.	Shri Parag Anand Meshram Head of the Dept. of Industrial Design SPA, New Delhi-110002	37.	Shri Prabhjot Singh Sugga Assistant Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
27.	Prof. Dr. R. Biswas Head, CASS & Professor of Physical Planning SPA, New Delhi-110002	38.	Ms. Parul Kiri Roy Assistant Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002
28.	Prof. Y. K. Jain Professor of Civil Engineering Department of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002	39.	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta Registrar (In-Charge) - Secretary School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi-110002
29.	Prof. Manoj Mathur Professor of Architecture SPA, New Delhi-110002		

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SCHOOL OF PLANNING AND ARCHITECTURE: NEW DELHI

MINUTES OF THE 03rd MEETING OF THE SENATE HELD ON WEDNESDAY 26th SEPTEMBER, 2018 AT
11.00 A.M. IN THE NEW COMMITTEE ROOM OF THE SCHOOL.

Present:

1. Prof. Dr. P.S.N. Rao Director	Chairperson
2. Prof. B. K. Sengupta (BOG Nominee) Prof., Arch. & Regn. Plng., IIT Kharagpur	Member
3. Prof. Rajiv Mishra (BOG Nominee) Principal, Sir J.J. College of Arch. Mumbai	Member
4. Prof. Dr. Najammuddin (Nominee of ITPI) Secretary-General , ITPI	Member
5. Ar. Soumyendu Shankar Ray (Nominee of COA) M/s Vastukar Architects, Bhubaneswar	Member
6. Ar. Ashutosh Kr. Agarwal (Nominee of AICTE) Arch.-Urban Designer	Member
7. Prof. Dr. Mahavir, Dean (A)	Member
8. Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh, Dean (FW)	Member
9. Prof. Dr. V. K. Paul, Dean (P & D)	Member
10. Prof. Dr. Vinay Maitri, Dean (SA)	Member
11. Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri, Dean (R)	Member
12. Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta, HOD (TP)	Member
13. Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote, HOD (LA)	Member
14. Prof. Dr. Anil Dewan, HOD (BEM)	Member
15. Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar, HOD (H)	Member
16. Prof. Dr. Poonam Prakash, HOD (PP)	Member
17. Prof. Dr. Vinita Yadav, HOD (RP)	Member
18. Shri M. Palaniappan, HOD (UP)	Member





19. Shri Arunava Dasgupta, HOD (UD)	Member
20. Shri Parag Anand Meshram, HOD (ID)	Member
21. Prof. Dr. R.Biswas, Head CASS	Member
22. Prof. Dr.Mayank Mathur (Representing Prof.Anuradha Chaturvedi, HOD(EP))	Member
23. Prof. Dr.Mayank Mathur (Representing Prof.Anuradha Chaturvedi, HOD(AC))	Member
24. Prof. Y.K. Jain	Member
25. Prof. Manoj Mathur	Member
26. Prof. Dr. Aruna Ramani Grover	Member
27. Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar	Member
28. Prof. Dr. Ranjana Mital	Member
29. Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur	Member
30. Dr. P. Rajaprakash	Member
31. Shri P.S.Sugga	Member
32. Shri Umakant Agarwal	Registrar-Secretary

Prof.Dr.Yogesh Garg (important official engagements), Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram (being on educational tour) and Ms. Anuradha Chaturvedi (being out of country) regretted their inability to attend.

Prof. Dr. Rane Maria Leonie Vedaumuthu (being out of country), Prof. Alok Ranjan, Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh (being out of country), Shri S. K. Aaditya, and Ms. Parul Kiri Roy (on CCL) did not attend.

Director welcomed all the Senate members and called the meeting to session. The Director also introduced new members and also the new Registrar-Secretary.

03 SENATE ITEM NO.1: TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF 02nd MEETING OF SENATE OF THE SCHOOL HELD ON 21st MARCH, 2018

The Minutes of the 02nd Senate Committee Meeting held on 21st March, 2018 were confirmed.

03 SENATE ITEM NO.2 : TO REPORT ACTIONS TAKEN ON THE MINUTES OF THE 02nd SENATE MEETING OF THE SCHOOL HELD ON 21st MARCH, 2018.

Action Taken Report was noted by the Senate, as under:

1. Minutes of 01st Senate Meeting held on 16.09.2017 were confirmed.
- 2-14 ATR on Sl.Nos.2 to 14 were noted.
3. The year corrected as 2016-17 in the ATR.
5. It was informed that the first "Abhijit De Design Award" is being awarded in the Foundation Day to be held on 2nd November, 2018.
16. For organising the events on the occasion of Platinum Jubilee Celebrations of the Department of Architecture, a Committee under the chairpersonship of Prof.Dr.Ranjana Mital has been set-up for rolling down the series of events / activities. It was informed that first event of LOGO Competition has been announced and 55+ entries have been received, which is very encouraging for the Department. The inauguration of all other events and celebrations shall be started from the Foundation Day.
17. As regards celebrations of Golden Jubilee, the Department of Urban Design is still working on the conduct of events/celebrations.
- 18-21. Noted

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 3(i): TO CONSIDER NAMES OF GRADUANDS ELIGIBLE FOR AWARD OF DEGREE CERTIFICATE AT THE XXXVI CONVOCATION OF THE SCHOOL.

The Senate members considered and approved the names of the graduands eligible for award of degree certificate and award of medals & prizes for the session 2017-2018 at the forthcoming Convocation of the School to be held in November, 2018.



03 SENATE ITEM NO. 3(ii): TO CONSIDER NAMES OF GRADUANDS ELIGIBLE FOR AWARD OF DEGREE CERTIFICATE AT THE XXXVI CONVOCATION OF THE SCHOOL (ADDITIONAL NAMES)

The Senate authorised the Director-Chairperson, Senate to include the additional names of the students, whose results are not yet declared / being declared, for award of degree certificates at the XXXVI Convocation.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 3(iii): TO REPORT ON THE WITHDRAWAL OF RESULT IN A CASE OF PLAGIARISM

The Senate noted the withdrawal of result in a case of plagiarism in case of Ms. Rhythm Grover, UP/1270.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 4: TO CONSIDER AMENDMENTS IN THE ORDINANCE - I (RULES OF EXAMINATIONS, 2017)

To avoid some operational problems and to have more clarity, the Ordinance - I (Rules of Examination, 2017) need some amendments. The Senate after deliberating at length considered and approved the followings:

Sl. No.	Existing Section(s)	Proposed Amendment	Considered and Approved by the Senate
1.	List of Sections 13. Promotion to Higher Semester 14. Promotion to Higher Year	13. Promotion to Next Semester 14. Promotion to Next Year 23. Retotaling and Revaluation of Marks	13. Promotion to Next Semester 14. Promotion to Next Year 23. Retotaling and Revaluation of Marks
2.	15.1 Only IE courses having a theory paper are permitted for Carry-over or Grade Improvement. There shall be no carry-over or grade improvement of an IO course or a course having a Jury examination and their respective grades shall	15.1 Only IE courses having a theory paper are permitted for Carry-over or Grade Improvement. There shall be no carry-over or grade improvement of an IO course or a course having a Jury examination and their respective grades shall be final. (new Section to be added)	15.1 Only IE courses having a theory paper are permitted for Carry-over or Grade Improvement. There shall be no carry-over or grade improvement of an IO course or a course having a Jury examination and their respective grades shall be final. (The issues regarding

	be final.	<p>Supplementary examinations may be conducted only in case of theory examinations of the last/ preceding semester (i.e. 9th/ 10th Semester in case of B. Arch., 7th/ 8th Semester in case of B. Planning and 3rd/ 4th Semester in case of master's Programmes, to be conducted only once in June/ July of the relevant final year.</p>	<p><i>charging of full/half tuition fee or examination fee, attendance issues, remedial classes/ extra tutorials for slow learners came up for discussions and in light of these issues, the new Section to be proposed to be added to section 15.1 was dropped)</i></p>
3.	<p>22.3 The Degree Certificate shall be signed by the Chairman of the Board of Governors, the Director and the Registrar.</p>	<p>22.3 The Degree Certificate shall be signed by the Director - Chairman of the Senate, the Dean (A) and the Registrar.</p>	<p>22.3 The Degree Certificate shall be signed by the Director-Chairman of the Senate, the Dean (Academic) and the Registrar.</p>
4.	<p>26.2 Use of unfair means by a student, including breach of discipline, disturbing or disrupting the examination shall be a cause for disciplinary action by the competent authority as recommended by the Control of Unfair Means Committee (CUMC), ranging from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Award of grade 'F' in the specific examination where unfair means were used, ii. Award of grade 'F' in all subjects of the semester, iii. Expulsion for a specified period or rustication from the School. 	<p>26.2 Use of unfair means by a student, including breach of discipline, disturbing or disrupting the examination shall be a cause for disciplinary action by the competent authority as recommended by the Control of Unfair Means Committee (CUMC), ranging from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Award of grade 'F' in the specific examination where unfair means were used, ii. Award of grade 'F' in all subjects of the semester, iii) Debarring from award of any academic medals/ prizes/ distinction, etc. iv)Expulsion for a specified period or rustication from the School. 	<p>26.2 Use of unfair means by a student, including breach of discipline, disturbing or disrupting the examination shall be a cause for disciplinary action by the Competent Authority as recommended by the Control of Unfair Means Committee (CUMC), ranging from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Award of grade 'F' in the specific examination where unfair means were used, ii. Award of grade 'F' in all subjects of the semester, iii.Debarring from award of any academic medals/ prizes etc. iv Expulsion for a specified period or rustication from the School.

5.	26. MALPRACTICES AND USE OF UNFAIR MEANS	26.6 The School reserves the right to withdraw/ cancel or modify the result already declared or recall a Degree already conferred, if any discrepancy or irregularity or use of Unfair Means is brought to the notice of the School at a later stage.	26.6 The School reserves the right to withdraw/ cancel or modify the result already declared or recall a Degree already conferred, if any discrepancy or irregularity or use of Unfair Means is established by the School at a later stage.
	A.3 Calculation of DGPA	Illustration to be modified and also included for B. Planning programme.	Illustration modified and also included for B. Planning programme.

In addition, the Senate also approved Section 5.1, under Table 2, as under:

Existing Section(s)

5. GRADES, GRADE POINTS AND COMPUTATION OF SGPA & CGPA

5.1 At the end of every semester, the sum total of numerical marks obtained by the student in the Internal Assessment and/or External Examination of a subject shall be converted to Letter Grades as per **Absolute Grading Classification**. For each **Letter Grade**, the equivalent **Numerical Grade Points** shall be as per the **Table 2** below:

Table 2: Conversion of Marks to Grade Points.

% Marks	% Marks Interval	Grade	Grade Point
Equal to or more than 85%	85 - 100	O (Outstanding)	10
Equal to or more than 80% but less than 85%	80 - 84.99	A+ (Excellent)	9
Equal to or more than 70% but less than 80%	70 - 79.99	A (Very Good)	8
Equal to or more than 60% but less than 70%	60 - 69.99	B+ (Good)	7
Equal to or more than 50% but less than 60%	50 - 59.99	B (Above Average)	6
Equal to or more than 45% but less than 50%	45 - 49.99	C (Average)	5

Equal to or more than 40% but less than 45%	40 - 44.99	D (Pass)	4
Less than 40%	0 - 40	F (Fail)	0
No marks awarded for incomplete work (for Thesis/Dissertation only)		I (Incomplete)	0
Withdrawn from a registered course and not examined		X	0
Audit Course Passed		AP	0
Audit Course Failed		AF	0

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 5: TO CONSIDER MAKING OF ORDINANCES ON (I) GUIDELINES FOR CONDUCT OF CAPACITY BUILDING/TRAINING PROGRAMMES BY SPA; AND (II) GUIDELINES FOR CONDUCT OF RESEARCH PROJECTS IN THE SCHOOL

The Senate considered the guidelines approved by earlier Academic Council and the Executive Council and approved the same to be adopted by the SPA, New Delhi, as Ordinances, with an observation that tax rules shall be as applicable.

- 1) Ordinance No.III GUIDELINES FOR CONDUCT OF CAPACITY BUILDING/TRAINING PROGRAMMES BY SPA
- 2) Ordinance No.IV GUIDELINES FOR CONDUCT OF RESEARCH PROJECTS IN THE SCHOOL

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 6: TO CONSIDER CREDITS FOR MASSIVE OPEN ONLINE COURSES (MOOCS) UNDER STUDY WEBS OF ACTIVE LEARNING FOR YOUNG ASPIRING MINDS (SWAYAM) SCHEME IN SPA

The members observed that the School should add more online courses for the students besides one online course on "City and Metropolitan Planning". The members deliberated upon the issues regarding credits to be given to students from SPA / outside SPA, fee to be charged, infrastructural support, etc. and arrived at a consensus that a Committee of 3-Members may be constituted to look into all these issues including necessary incorporation in Ordinance-I (Examination Rules 2017). The Senate authorized Director-Chairperson to constitute the said Committee and place its report before the next Senate.



03 SENATE ITEM NO. 7: TO NOMINATE ONE EXPERT NOMINEE FROM OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL ON THE SELECTION COMMITTEE FOR RECRUITMENT OF ACADEMIC STAFF (EXCLUDING THE DIRECTOR), OR FOR PROMOTION OF ACADEMIC STAFF

Some of the Members pointed out that as per COA norms, while making recruitment of Academic Staff for the B.Arch programmes, one Expert-Member should be a Nominee of the COA. On this, it was considered to place the matter before the SPAs Council to add one more Expert Member as Nominee of Council of Architecture on the Selection Committee for making recruitment / promotion of faculty for the Architecture Department.

In the meanwhile, the Senate authorised the Director-Chairperson to nominate one Expert nominee outside the School on the Selection Committee for recruitment of Academic Staff (excluding the Director), or for promotion of Academic Staff.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 8: INTRODUCING THE SUBJECT 'FUTURE REGIONS' AS INSTITUTE ELECTIVE IN THIRD SEMESTER OF MASTER OF PLANNING (REGIONAL PLANNING)

The Senate considered the introduction of the subject 'Future Regions' as Institute Elective in the Third Semester of Master of Planning (Regional Planning) and approved the elective subject and syllabus.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 9: TO CONSIDER SHOWING TEACHING LOAD IN TIME TABLE FOR Ph.D. GUIDANCE.

This was deliberated at length and after detailed discussions, it was not approved.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 10: TO REPORT ON HOLDING OF XXXV CONVOCATION OF SPA-NEW DELHI

Senate noted the successful holding of XXXV Convocation on 20th July, 2018.

- 03 SENATE ITEM NO. 11: TO REPORT OFFER OF HONORARY POSITION OF VISITING PROFESSOR TO PROF. DR. VIRENDRA K. PAUL, DEAN (P&D) BY THE SCHOOL OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT, LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY FOR THREE YEARS W.E.F. 1st FEBRUARY, 2018.

The Senate noted and congratulated Prof.Dr.Virendra K.Paul for this appointment.

- 03 SENATE ITEM NO. 12: TO REPORT THE ENGAGEMENT OF ASSISTANT PROFESSORS ON CONTRACT BASIS IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE STUDIES IN THE SCHOOL FOR THE SESSION 2018-19.

Senate noted the appointments of Assistant Professors (On Contract Basis).

- 03 SENATE ITEM NO. 13: TO REPORT THE ENGAGEMENT OF CONSULTANT (CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST) & MEDICAL OFFICER BY THE SCHOOL

Senate noted the appointments. However, it opined that the matter regarding their remuneration, etc. may be placed before the Finance Committee.

- 03 SENATE ITEM NO. 14(i) (ii): TO REPORT ON THE ADMISSIONS OF POST GRADUATE AND UNDER-GRADUATE COURSE FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2018-19.

Senate noted the admissions for the UG & PG courses for the academic session 2018-2019.

- 03 SENATE ITEM NO. 14 (iii): TO REPORT ON THE ADMISSIONS FOR Ph.D FOR THE YEAR 2018

Senate noted the Ph.D admissions during the year 2018.

- 03 SENATE ITEM NO. 15: TO REPORT ON SUPERNUMERARY SEATS FOR UNDER-GRADUATE COURSE FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2018-19 VIDE LETTER RECEIVED FROM MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS/MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

The Senate noted the letter received from MEA/MHRD and approved the admission of two students (Ms.Ishika Sarawagi and Ms. Khushi Sarkar) in B.Arch against the supernumerary seats during the academic session 2018-19.

However, it was advised to write to COA for admitting students more than sanctioned intake so that the students do not face difficulty in getting themselves registered with COA on acquiring their degrees.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 16: REPORTING OF STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME AT THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL PLANNING

Senate noted the joining of one student from University of Cologne, Germany during the semester (July/August - December, 2018) under exchange programme and she shall be given credits for the courses undertaken by her in various Departments of the School.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 17: TO REPORT ON EXCHANGE PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES, ERFURT, GERMANY

The Senate noted the participation of 15 students of B.Arch programme in a week long exchange programme at FHE University of Applied Science, Erfurt, Germany.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 18: TO REPORT TRAINING OF TWO STUDENTS OF B.ARCH. AT RICARDO BOFILL, SPAIN

Senate was informed that the two students underwent their practical training of six months at M/s Ricardo Bofill, Spain.

Senate noted with appreciation, the completion of their training.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 19: TO REPORT PARTICIPATION OF TWO STUDENTS IN SEMESTER ABROAD PROGRAMME AT UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

Senate noted the participation of Ms. Reshma C. (Enrl.No.SPA/NS/LA/619) and Ms. Ritika Sara Thomas (Enrl.No.SPA/NS/AC/809) at University of Melbourne, Australia.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 20: TO REPORT LIST OF PUBLICATIONS BY THE FACULTY MEMBERS

The Senate noted the publications made by the faculty. Chairperson requested the faculty that in future, they forward the information on their publications in time so that all publications could be placed before the Senate.

03 SENATE ITEM NO.21: TO REPORT FACULTY ATTENDING INTERNATIONAL / NATIONAL CONFERENCE/WORKSHOP/SEMINAR ETC.

The Senate noted the participation of faculty in international / national conferences / workshops / seminars etc.

03 SENATE ITEM NO.22: TO REPORT OFFER OF HONORARY POSITION OF GUEST FACULTY TO PROF. DR. PRIYALEEN SINGH, DEAN (FACULTY WELFARE) & PROFESSOR OF ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION BY THE INSTITUTE FOR DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATION, (RECOGNISED BY PANJAB UNIVERSITY), CHANDIGARH FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019.

The Senate noted and congratulated Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh for this appointment.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 23: TO REPORT OF FACULTY VISITS TO NTNU, NORWAY

The Senate noted the visits of faculty to NTNU, Norway. It was also informed that two students from the Department of Environmental Planning and three students from Urban Design also visited the NTNU, Norway.

Table Items:

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 24: TO REPORT THE MINUTES OF THE JDRC HELD ON 19.09.2018

The Senate approved the minutes of the JDRC held on 19.9.2018. (Please also see Any Other Item No.5)

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 25: TO CONSIDER THE MATTER OF ADMISSION OF MR. RAHIL KRISHNA SWAMY UNDER PwD CATEGORY AND MISREPRESENTATION OF NATIONALITY

The Senate Members deliberated the matter of admission of Mr. Rahil Krishna Swamy at length and considered to approve his admission, subject to the following:

- i) He has to fill a revised application form, correctly mentioning his 'NATIONALITY'
- ii) He should be treated as 'PIO' student and NOT as an 'Indian' student and shall pay his fees, as applicable to PIO students.



03 SENATE ITEM NO. 26: TO REPORT NORMAN FOSTER FOUNDATION AWARD TO MR.KUSHAGRA SINHA, STUDENT OF MASTER OF PLANNING WITH SPECIALISATION IN TRANSPORT PLANNING (2016-2018)

The Senate noted the awarding of Norman Foster Foundation Award to Mr. Kushagra Sinha (TP) and conveyed their appreciation.

03 SENATE ITEM NO. 27: TO CONSIDER INSTITUTION OF "DR.P.C.JAIN ALUMNI GOLD MEDAL" FOR THE BEST ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE IN THE FIRST YEAR MASTER OF BUILDING ENGG. AND MANAGEMENT IN MEMORY OF LATE DR.PREM C. JAIN

The Senate considered the institution of "Dr.P.C.Jain Alumni Gold Medal", and approved the proposed medal, terms and conditions, etc. except that instead of Annual Convocation it shall be awarded on the Foundation Day of the School.

On this, Dr. Mahavir, Dean (Academics) informed that sometime back the proposal to institute an award in the memory of Late Prof. M. N. Chatterji was also moved. Due to certain reasons, the award could be not instituted. The Senate, in principle, approved the proposal of instituting an award in the honour of Late Prof. M. N. Chatterji. The matter shall be reported in the next Senate.

ANY OTHER ITEMS:

1. Faculty requested Senate to consider research grant for the faculty to be provided by the School. The Director-Chairman of the Senate stated that currently there is no such provision and faculty are encouraged to apply to various research funding agencies.
2. It was brought to the notice of the Senate by Prof.Dr.Aruna Ramani Grover that during students' strike in October, 2017, the faculty was made to compensate their classes by an extra week. The faculty who worked extra week, should be given duty leave and those who were not in town at that time, may be given the benefit of waiver of their earned leave, as the case may be. The Senate authorized the Director to take an administrative view of the same as per provision of the Statutes of the School.




3. Prof.Dr.V.K.Paul stated that while the School had issued the faculty Laptops about 10 years ago, they have all become outdated / not in working condition. Therefore, it was requested that all faculty members be given new Laptops as a replacement, as it is the basic infrastructure for teaching/research. The Senate recommended the same and advised that the matter to be placed before the next Finance Committee.
4. Prof.Dr.V.K.Paul raised the issue of biometric attendance and stated that in IITs and other colleges, this practice is not followed. It was suggested that in SPA-D also, this practice may be discontinued for the faculty. The Senate agreed that this could be taken up in the next BOG meeting.
5. The issue of extension given to Ph.D Scholar Smt.Chetna Singh, registered with the Deptt. of Physical Planning was raised by Prof.Dr.Vinita Yadav. On this, it was pointed out that the scholar registered in the year 2010-2011 and the same lapsed after 7 years of registration. It was also stated that she was given the benefit of 2 years on her switching from Full Time to Part Time. Prof.Vinita Yadav alleged irregularity in granting the Ph.D scholarship to Smt.Chetna Singh. On this, Chairperson, DRC, Physical Planning clarified that the extension was sought by the scholar in March, 2018 and considering her meritorious performance, the DRC considered her extension for six months for submission of her thesis. Chairperson, DRC, Physical Planning also clarified that the scholar is covered under Old Rules of Ph.D which permits extension. Chairperson, DRC, Physical Planning also clarified that there was an error in recording the minutes and revised minutes were being sent covering the period of extension from the last DRC / period ending 7 years from the date of Registration (**Please see the Revised JDRC Minutes - Appendix-03 Senate/I enclosed herewith**). On this, Director-Chairman, Senate advised that irregularity, if any, in scholarship payment shall be looked into and suitable action initiated. The Director-Chairman also apprised that that the period of completion of Ph.D will be as applicable to Part Time Scholars. The Director-Chairman also apprised that the extension is permitted under Rule - R-8.5 of Old rules, applicable in the case of Ms.Chetna Singh. The Senate considered the clarifications and approved the extension of Ms.Chetna Singh for a period of 10 months from 22.03.2018.



The Dean (Academic) and Chairperson, JDRC also clarified that the minutes of the JDRC were prepared at a short notice. There could be minor errors in details. The same will be corrected before sending the minutes of the Senate. (Please see the Revised JDRC Minutes, Appendix-03 Senate/I).

Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.



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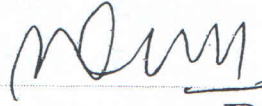
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04th October, 2018

NOTE

Please find enclosed herewith the Minutes of Joint Departmental Research Committee Meeting held on 19th September, 2018 at 2.00 P.M. in the NCR.

With Kind Regards,


(Prof. Dr. Mahavir) 07.10.18
Dean (Academics)

Encl: As above

1. All Chairpersons, DRC
2. Prof. Atiya Habeeb Kidwai, External Member
3. Prof. Dr. K.B. Jain, External Member
4. Head, CASS
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6. Assistant Registrar (A&E)

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**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE JOINT DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE
HELD ON 19TH SEPTEMBER, 2018 AT 2.00 P.M. IN THE NEW COMMITTEE ROOM OF
THE SCHOOL**

Members Present:

1. Professor Dr. Mahavir, Chairperson JDRC, Dean – Academics
2. Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram, Coordinator, Ph.D. Programmes
3. Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh, Chairperson DRC– Architecture
4. Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh, Chairperson DRC – Urban Design
5. Prof. Dr. Anil Dewan, Chairperson DRC- Building Engineering & Management
6. Prof. Dr. Poonam Prakash, Chairperson DRC – Physical Planning
7. Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar, Chairperson DRC- Housing
8. Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta, HOD – Chairperson DRC - Transport Planning
9. Prof. Dr. Vinita Yadav, HOD – Chairperson DRC -Regional Planning
10. Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote, – Head of the Department of Landscape Architecture & Chairperson DRC - Environmental Planning
11. Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri,- Chairperson DRC – Urban Planning
12. Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh, - Chairperson DRC - Architectural Conservation
13. Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote , Head of the Department of Landscape Architecture & Chairperson DRC - Landscape Architecture
14. Shri Parag Anand Meshram, Chairperson, DRC – Industrial Design
15. Prof. Dr. Atiya Habeeb Kidwai A-59, Sector-26 Noida
16. Prof. Kulbhushan Jain, 10 A Tolak Nagar, Near Mahalakshmi Char Rasta Paldi, Ahmedabad - 380007

The Chairperson , JDRC welcomed all the members and apprised that the Committee is meeting after six months. The Departments of studies have conducted the Departmental Research Committee Meetings and the Recommendations of DRC are placed before JDRC for its consideration and recommendation.

With the above observations, the Chairperson called the Meeting to order.

ITEM NO. 1: TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF JDRC MEETING HELD ON 14th March, 2018

The Chairperson apprised the Committee that the Minutes of the Meeting of JDRC held on 14th March, 2018 were circulated to all members on 20th March, 2018 and no comments were received on the Minutes.

With the above observation, the Minutes of JDRC Meeting held on 14th March, 2018 were confirmed.

ITEM NO. 2: TO REPORT ACTIONS TAKEN ON THE MINUTES OF JDRC MEETING HELD ON 14th MARCH, 2018

The JDRC observed that Under Item No. 2 (Item No. 4: To consider the Recommendations of DRC of the Department of Housing on Pg. No. 45 of Agenda), in the case of Ms. Aparna Das, "The DRC at its Meeting held on **23rd September, 2018**" should read as "The DRC at its Meeting held on **23rd August, 2018.**"

The JDRC noted the same and the action taken Report in respect of all the other items.

ITEM NO.3: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REGIONAL PLANNING

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that Ms. Shashi Mehta, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) registered in 15th February, 2017 had presented her work and received inputs to present the objective wise methodology and findings as well as to bring theoretical and conceptual clarity. Her work was found to be satisfactory.

The applications of new Ph.D. candidates, Mr. Aftaf Hussian (Full time) and Ms. Suverna Dubey (Full time) were considered by DRC and the DRC agreed to review their applications for Ph.D. in the next DRC for admission.

The applications of Mr. Meet Fatewar (Part -Time) and Ms. Priya Bhardwaj (Part-Time) were considered and recommended by DRC.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC.

ITEM NO. 4: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURAL CONSERVATION

The Chairperson, DRC apprised the Committee that Mr. Hakim Sameer Hamdani Ph.D. Scholar (Part Time) registered on 27th January, 2012 as Ph.D. scholar had submitted a draft report in July and will be submitting the final report by October, 2018. The candidate has been requested to submit the synopsis at the earliest for approval by DRC. His progress was found to be satisfactory.

JDRC recommended that it may be ensured that the candidate has published at least two papers in the peer journal before his thesis report is sent to examiners for evaluation.

Ms. Bulbul Shukla, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) registered on 10th June, 2016 presented her work and she received inputs regarding methodology of study. She was advised to start writing her report. Her progress was found to be satisfactory.

Ms. Shalini Dasgupta, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) registered on 24th September, 2018 made a short presentation on the subject with a revised focus on heritage hotels in Kolkata as the typology to study. The Chairman, DRC stated that she will be reframing her thesis title with more focus on hospitality sector. Her progress was found to be satisfactory.

The application of Ms. Ibynta Bakmen Tiewsoh, a new Ph.D. candidate with the thesis topic, "Sustainable Community Led approach towards Rural Tourism to Conserve the Built & Natural Heritage of Meghalaya" was considered by DRC. The DRC accepted her Ph.D. topic with Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh as her Thesis Supervisor.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC.

ITEM NO. 5: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT

The Chairperson, DRC apprised the Committee that Mr. Yash Kumar Mittal Ph.D. scholar (Full-Time) registered in 2016-17 presented his work. His work was found to be satisfactory and DRC recommended that the process of examination may be initiated.

Col. Gopikrishnan Seshadri, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) registered in 2016-17 made a detailed presentation and submitted the complete synopsis of the work and the report. DRC was satisfied by the performance of the Candidate and recommended that the process of examination may be initiated.

Mr. Ganesh Krishna Chaukiyal, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) registered in 2016-17 presented his work. His work was found to be satisfactory.

Mr. Deepak Saigal, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) was registered in 2013-14. Mr. Saigal presented his work. The DRC directed that he should present the research work plan as per methodology in the next DRC and completion of work should be within one year.

Ar. Abhijit Rastogi is a Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) registered in 2018-19. His Thesis titled "**Study of** Challenges in Fly Ash Utilization and Development of proposal for promotional initiatives." The Ph.D. scholar presented his work. He was recommended to attempt literature based research paper. The candidate was also asked to present the detailed research methodology, linked with research questions and objectives.

JDRC recommended to remove "**Study of.**" from his thesis topic.

Mr. Arun Sekhar, Ph.D. scholar (Part-Time) has requested for withdrawal of his candidature.

In the case of **new admissions**, DRC recommended the candidatures of:

- (1) Maj. Gen. T.S. Sidana (Retd.) (part-time).
- (2) Ms. Arshia Khajooria (part-time)
- (3) Ms. Aparna Ash Kanoujia (part-time),
- (4) In the case of Mr. Vaibhav Bhatt (Full-Time), DRC recommended that candidate may revise his proposal and present in next DRC.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC.

ITEM NO. 6: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF URBAN DESIGN HELD ON 14TH JUNE, 2018 AND 05TH SEPTEMBER, 2018

Observations of DRC at its Meeting held on 14th June, 2018

The Chairperson, DRC apprised the Committee that Ms. Arathy Gopal registered in 2016-17 made a presentation before DRC and the Committee observed that she may be transferred as a full time Ph.D. scholar **from Urban**

Planning Department to Urban Design Department with some revision of area of thrust. This was recommended with mutual consent of the candidate, her Supervisor and the two DRCs.. Her work was found to be satisfactory.

JDRRC, after detailed deliberations recommended her transfer to Urban Design Department. Her registration date (2016-17) will be the same as in Urban Planning Department. She will be paid scholarship for the remaining period (the scholarship paid during the previous years will also be counted). Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh will be her Supervisor and Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur will be her Co-Supervisor.

Ms. Advaita Jalan registered in 2017-18 presented her work and her work was found to be satisfactory by DRC.

Mr. Manu Mahajan, registered in 2016-17 presented his work and his work was found to be satisfactory.

JDRRC recommended for a minor change in his topic . His thesis topic was: "Impact Of Metro On The Cultural Economy And Spatial Transformations Of Inner City Areas."

Minor change in the topic is highlighted as under:

"Impact Of Metro **Rail** On The Cultural Economy And Spatial Transformations Of Inner City Areas."

Ms. Aishwarya Tipnis registered in 2016-17 presented her work and her work was found to be satisfactory by DRC.

In the case of Shri Arunava Dasgupta registered in 2012-13, the Chairperson , DRC apprised that Shri Dasgupta could not attend the meeting as he was travelling international. The candidate submitted his final synopsis .

His progress was found to be satisfactory. He will also be submitting his Thesis report soon.

The Chairperson, DRC informed that Ms. Deepashree Chowdhary registered in 2012-13, Ms. Kamini Singh and Mr. Govind Rawat did not attend the Meeting as they could not be informed.

Observations of DRC at its Meeting held on 05th September, 2018

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that the ~~Committee~~ approved the candidatures of Ms. Arpita Dayal , Ms. Vandini Mehta (subject to finalization of Supervisor), and Ms. Kamini Singh.

The candidature of Mr. Govind Rawat was rejected as he did not attend the DRC Meeting.

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that Shri Arunava Dasgupta, registered in 2012-13 has submitted his draft report. He was advised to reframe conclusions in the light of comments made. He will be submitting his revised draft report after incorporating the suggestions. His work was found to be satisfactory.

~~The Progress of Ms, Deepashree Chowdhary registered in 2012-13, Ms. Aishwarya Tipnis registered in 2016-17, Mr. Manu Mahajan, registered in 2016-17 and Ms. Arathy Gopal registered in 2016-17 were found to be satisfactory~~

Ms. Advaita Jalan registered in 2017-18 could not attend . Her Supervisor shared her work and her work was found to be satisfactory.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC.

ITEM NO. 7: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE

Recommendations of DRC held on 26th March, 2018

The Chairperson. DRC apprised that the Ph.D. scholars, Ms. Manjari Khanna Kapoor (2014-15) and Ms. Ms. Neena Singh Zutshi registered (2012-13) (Full-Time) recommended for the process of examination.

The DRC found the work of Mr. Khushal Matai (2016-17), Ms. Suruchi Modi (2016-17), Ms. Jyoti Singh (2017-18), Ms. Parul Kiri Roy (2017-18), Ms. Priyanka Gayen (2017-18) to be satisfactory.

Mr. Atul Kumar Singhla (2016) due to non-receipt of intimation as the communication was sent to wrong email id. and Ms. Pallavi Sharma (2016) did not attend the Meeting. Mr. Abhijeet De (2013-14), Ph.D. scholar passed away on 31.12.2017.

With regard to new admissions, Ms. Monolita Chatterjee and Ms. Hinna Devi Singh, were requested to reappear in the next DRC. Ms. Deepshikha Sarkar did not appear for the Meeting.

Ms. Navneet Kaur, Ms. Arshia Khjooria Hazarika, Mr. Heera Mani Thapliyal, Mr Rewat, Mr. Balamaheshwaran Renganathan, Mr. Shabbir H. Lehri, Ms. Sakshi Gupta and Ms. Richa Malik did not attend the Meeting and their applications were rejected.

Recommendations of DRC held on 15th September, 2018

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that the examination process is underway in respect of and Ms. Manjari Khanna Kapoor , registered in 2014-15 (Part-Time).

The Progress of Ms. Suruchi Modi (2016-17- Part-Time), Mr. Atul Kumar Singla (2016-17- Part-Time) , Mr. Khushal Matai (2016-17- Full-Time), Ms. Jyoti Singh (2017-18 – Part-Time) and Ms. Priyanka Gayen (2017-18 – Full-Time) are found to be satisfactory.

Ms. Pallavi Sharma(2016-17- Part-Time) has not been attending DRC Meetings. So her application stands rejected.

JDRC recommended the same.

Ms. Parul Kiri Roy (2017-18- Part-Time) is on Child Care Leave and requested the DRC for leave of absence.

Report of new admissions

Chairperson, DRC reported that there were 6 new applications. The Committee recommended the candidatures of 1) Ms. Shruti Sharad Nagdeve as Full Time Ph.d. Scholar, 2) Ms. Peu Banerjee as Part Time Scholar , 3) Ms. Hinna Devi Singh requested to appear in the next DRC due to her health problem, 4) Ms. Monolita Chatterjee is involved in rehabilitation work in Kerala. DRC has accepted her request and informed to appear in the next DRC. 5) The proposal of Mr. Muzaffar Ali was not found to be acceptable and his application was rejected. 6) Ms. Jyoti Yadav and 7) Ms. Deepshikha Sarkar did not attend or send any leave application. So their applications stand rejected.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC.

ITEM NO. 8: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT PLANNING

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that Ms. Chidambara (2014-15- Part-time) has submitted her synopsis. The same were sent to examiners and were accepted by them. Her Thesis Report will be sent to examiners as soon as it is finalized.

Ms. Anjali Goyal (2012-13) had requested for another year extension as she has some official preoccupation. The Committee taking into account the fact that the candidate has still time to finish her Ph.d. before March, 2020 had advised to appear before the DRC meeting after one year and to report her progress on her research.

JDRC recommended that, since Prof. Dr. P.K. Sarkar , Ph.D. Supervisor of Ms. Anjali Goyal had retired, Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram to sign her Thesis Report as her main Supervisor.

Shri Bhaskar G. Sudagani (2013-14- part- Time) informed the DRC about his inability to attend the Meeting due to ill health.

Shri Swarup Mukherjee (2016-17- part-Time) could not be present at the DRC as he was on site attending official duties. However, Chairman presented the progress report of the candidate and his progress was found to be satisfactory.

The progress of Ph.D. scholars, Ms. Farhat Azad, (2014-15, Part-Time), Mr. Laghu Parashar (2017-18- Part-Time), Ms. Vaishali Gijre (2017-18- Part-Time), Mr. Pankaj Kant (2017-18 – Full Time), Mr. Sujeet Modi (2017-18 – Part-Time) and Mr. Amal Jose (2017-18 – Full Time) were found to be satisfactory.

DRC approved the candidatures of Ms. Naina Gupta (Full Time), Mr. Shawon Aziz, Mr. Sairam Dasari, Ms. Monika Singh and Ms. Kushagra Sinha.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC

ITEM NO. 9: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF URBAN PLANNING

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that the progress of Ph.D. Scholars, Ms. Nilanjana Dasgupta Sur (2013-14 – Part-Time), Ms. Shilpa Jain (2017-18 - Part-Time), Ms. Honey Jalali (2017-18 - Part-Time) were found to be satisfactory.

Ms. Mutum Chaobisana Devi (2016-17 – Part-Time) could not attend the DRC Meeting due her ill health.

In respect of new candidates, DRC had recommended the candidatures of Ms. Shruti Madav Vaishampayan and Mr. Sunil.

The applications of Ms. Aditi Mitra Ghosh and Mr. Varun Jain will be considered on the availability of vacancies for guidance. The Chairperson, JDRC suggested to advise the candidates to explore the possibility of finding a Supervisor from elsewhere in the School.

The Ph.D. Scholar, Mr. Debraj Chakraborty has requested for conversion from full time to part time and the same was recommended by DRC.

Mr. Jayeshkumar Maheshkumar Bhagwat and Ms. Akshaya Ravindrakumar Kudale have withdrawn their applications.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC

ITEM NO. 10: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that the progress of Ms. Anjali Sharma (2 June, 2016 – Full Time) and Ms. Suparna Lahiri (8 January, 2018, Full Time) are found to be satisfactory.

DRC found the progress of Ms. Aparna Das and Mr. Brij Kumar Agarwal to be unsatisfactory. Further it was observed that Ms. Aparna Das has not paid tuition fees for the previous year.

JDRC recommended that a mail be sent to Ms. Aparna Das enquiring about her non-payment of fee and her intentions to complete her Ph.D. Programme.

In the case of new admission, the DRC did not consider the candidature of Mr. Kuldeep as it was felt that the research proposal is not fully developed and lacked analytical rigor.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC

ITEM NO. 11: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL PLANNING

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that the Supervisor of Ms. Chetna Singh (2010-11) has informed that her Thesis Report can be accepted. The same was accepted by DRC. Her request for extension for another six months was also accepted by the DRC.

It was observed by the JDRC that the 7 year period ending from her date of registration to current DRC be also included in the period of extension. The

Chairperson, DRC clarified that Minutes will be corrected and revised accordingly.

The revised Minutes of DRC are enclosed as **Appendix - A**.

JDRC accepted the recommendation for extension of time.

DRC observed that the progress of Ph.D. Scholars, Ms. Seema Kaushal (2013), Ms. Neha Verma (2016) and Mr. Parul Sharma (2017) were found to be satisfactory.

The Progress of thesis work of Mr. P. Suresh Babu (2013), Harikrishna Gopal Nambiar (2014), Mr. Lalit Kumar (2014), were found to be unsatisfactory.

Mr. Ajay Kaushal, Ph.D. scholar could not be present in the DRC Meeting due to his illness.

In the case of new admissions, the candidatures of Ms. Rashmi Ashtt (part-time), Ms. Shilpi Bhaskar Aggarwal (Part-Time) and Mr. Raghunanda S. Aiyangar (Part-Time) were recommended for admission by DRC.

Ms. Sundus Samreen Wani (Full Time) was recommended for admission subject to the topic not registered by any other scholar in the School.

The Recommendations of DRC were accepted by JDRC

ITEM NO. 12: TO CONSIDER THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING

Recommendations of DRC held on 26th March, 2018

The Chairperson, DRC was apprised that the Examination process is underway in respect of Ms. Piyali Bandhopadhyay .

The DRC found the work of Ms. Mahalaxmi Karnad (2013-14), Ms. Jayeeta Sen (2016-17) to be satisfactory. Ms. Neha Sarawate (2017-18) did not attend the Meeting.

Recommendations of DRC held on 17th September, 2018

The Chairperson, DRC apprised that the progress of Ph.D. scholars, Ms. Mahalaxmi Karnad (2013-14) and Ms. Jayeeta Sen (2016-17) were found to be satisfactory.

Ms. Neha Sarawate (2017-18) Ph.D. scholar could not attend the DRC Meeting due to illness.

In respect of new admissions, the DRC recommended the candidature of Ms. Meenakshi Pawar. Ms. Kumud Dhanwantari and Mr. Akash Sharma were suggested to modify their thesis topic and to reappear again.

Ms. Anubha was not considered for admission to Ph.D. Programme as she did not meet the qualification as per new rules of Ph.D.

General Observation of JDRC

1. A consolidated list showing the status of Ph.D. scholars (including new admissions) are enclosed as **Appendix – B**.
2. A Ph.D. scholar maybe considered as a student (for the purpose of load on Supervisor) till the satisfactory reports from all the three examiners are received to conduct the viva voce.
3. The Chairperson, JDRC observed that a few proposed topics and their registration in specific departments required a re-look in the light of subject expertise of the respective departments and the proposed Supervisors. It appeared that there were other departments and/or Supervisors who were better equipped and skilled to facilitate research in those areas. Specific attention was drawn to Section 4.4 (iii) of Ordinance – II (Ph.D. Regulations) .

The Meeting ended with Vote of Thanks to the Chair.

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4 October, 2018

NOTE

Please find enclosed the revised minutes of Departmental Research Committee after incorporating the comments given by the members and by the Joint Departmental Research Committee.



(Dr. Poonam Prakash)
Professor and Head,

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 Dean (A)

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15 September 2018
(Revised as on 26 September, 2018)

Minutes of the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) meeting of the Department of Physical Planning held on 15 September 2018

The following members were present in the meeting

Prof. Poonam Prakash, Chairperson, DRC
Prof. Sewaram, Coordinator, Ph.D. Programme (CPP)
Dr. P. Jaypal, External Member Member
Prof. Ashok Kumar
Prof. R. Biswas
Prof. Mahavir
Prof. Mayank Mathur

Prof. Manoranjan Parida, Expert Member could not attend as he was unwell.

The following agenda was discussed and summary of comments of the students' progress are as given below.

Item No. 1. To confirm the minutes of the last DRC meeting held

The Committee confirmed minutes of the last meeting of the DRC held on 25 January 2018 after discussion. DRC was also informed that open research seminar of five students as decided in the last DRC was held on 14 September 2018 which was attended by faculty from other departments.

Item No. 2. Progress of the Thesis Work of Ms. Chetna Singh (Admission: 2010-2011, Topic: Transformations in Peri-urban Areas and Role of State: A Case Study of Chennai Metropolitan Area, Supervisor: Professor Dr. Mahavir)

Supervisor, Prof. Mahavir informed that report of the student can be accepted. Her earlier request for extension from 22 March 2018 and her current request for extension for another six months is accepted by the DRC. The total extension period will be ten months from 22 March 2018. DRC recommended the names of the examiners to be sent to Coordinator, Ph.D. Programme.

Item No. 3. Progress of the thesis work of Mr. P. Suresh Babu (2013 - Topic: Approaches to Procurement of Land for City Planning and Development, Supervisor: Professor Ashok Kumar)

The members of DRC suggested that the student has still not clearly presented the hypothesis and research design. In the absence of this it was difficult to evaluate findings related to each objective need to be clearly articulated. The work continues to be more descriptive and less analytical. The progress of the student was recorded as unsatisfactory.

~~**Item No. 4. Progress of the thesis work of Ms. Seema Kaushal (Admission 2013; Topic: A Framework for Evaluation of Master Plans and Plan Making Process, Supervisor: Professor Ashok Kumar and Prof. Poonam Prakash)**~~

Student's work was considered satisfactory. She is expected to present her final conclusions and proposals in the next DRC. The student is expected to publish a paper in the next six months.

Item No. 5. Progress of the thesis work of Mr. Harikrishna Gopal Nambiar (Admission 2014; Topic: Housing Transformation around Major Urban Transportation Nodes in Delhi, Supervisor: Prof. Mayank Mathur)

It was suggested that the student needs to revisit his research hypothesis and undertake more comprehensive and critical literature review. He should also present his research design including sample size and types of primary surveys. His progress was recorded unsatisfactory. The DRC would like to see a more systematic approach to the work. The student is expected to publish a paper in the next six months.

Item No. 6. Progress of the thesis work of Mr. Lalit Kumar (Admission 2014; Topic: Impact of Private Urban Development on Different Socio-Economic Groups in Haryana: a Case of Sonipat-Kundli Urban Complex. Supervisor: Professor Ashok Kumar)

The DRC members reiterated the suggestions given in the last DRC. The student is required to undertake more comprehensive literature work particularly in light of his first objective. He was also asked to explain research design. His progress was considered unsatisfactory. The student is expected to publish a paper in the next six months.

Item No. 7. Progress of the Thesis Work of Ms. Neha Verma (Admission: 2016, Topic: Spatial Perspective on Primary Health Care Services Accessibility in Slum with Focus on Women, Supervisor: Professor Poonam Prakash)

The student's progress was considered satisfactory. The student is expected to publish a paper in the next six months and complete her data collection/ she is expected to present her analysis in the next DRC.

Item No. 8. Progress of thesis work of Mr. Ajay Kaushal (Admission: 2017, Topic: Inter-Policy Coherence for Better City Planning and Development: A Case of Metropolitan Indian City, Supervisor: Professor Ashok Kumar)

The student did not attend the DRC due to illness.

Item No. 9 Progress of thesis work of Mr. Parul Sharma (Admission: 2017, Topic: Creating Accessible Urban Spaces: An Inclusive City Planning Approach in India. Supervisor: Professor Ashok Kumar and Professor Rabidyuti Biswas)

His progress was considered satisfactory. He is required to present comprehensive literature review and research design in the next DRC.

Item No. 10 New Admissions

The DRC recommended admission of four students for Ph.D. in the Department as per the details given

For New Student

1.	Name of the Candidate	Ms. Sundus Samreen Wani (Full time)
2.	Qualification	M.Plan (Urban Planning)
3.	Experience	June 2017 - Present
4.	Proposed Research Topic	Climate change and Urban flooding - A Case study of Srinagar
5.	Proposed Research Supervisor(s)	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar and Prof Dr. R. Biswas
6.	DRC's observations	Relationship between urban flooding and climate change to be more clearly articulated.
7.	Recommended/Not Recommended/ Revision and presentation	Recommended subject to this topic not registered by any other Scholar in the School
8.	Any other	


1.	Name of the Candidate	Ms. Rashmi Ashtt (Part Time)
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2.	Qualification	B.Arch., M.Plan, Phd (JIT University, Rajasthan)
3.	Experience	25 Years
4.	Proposed Research Topic	Governance of Built Spaces of Historical Importance
5.	Proposed Research Supervisor(s)	Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur and Prof. Dr.R.Biswas
6.	DRC's observations	It was decided that possibility of additional Supervisor with conservation expertise from within or outside the school may be explored. Coursework related to governance and other areas may be identified by the student in consultation with Supervisor and informed in the next DRC.
7.	Recommended/Not Recommended/ Revision and presentation	Recommended
8.	Any other	

1.	Name of the Candidate	Ms. Shilpi Bhaskar Aggarwal (Part Time)
2.	Qualification	MURP (Dept. of Arch. MS University of Baroda, Vadodara)
3.	Experience	12 Years
4.	Proposed Research Topic	Economic growth and Spatial development
5.	Proposed Research Supervisor(s)	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar
6.	DRC's observations	Coursework related to economics and other areas may be identified by the student in consultation with Supervisor and informed in the next DRC.
6.	DRC's observations	
7.	Recommended/Not Recommended/ Revision and presentation	Recommended
8.	Any other	

1.	Name of the Candidate	Mr. Raghunanda S Aiyangar (Part Time)
2.	Qualification	Post Graduate Diploma in Planning (Centre for Planning and Technology, (CEPT) Ahmedabad)
3.	Experience	8 Years
4.	Proposed Research Topic	Technology, Governance and Service Delivery of Public Health for the Urban Poor - A Case Study of Bengaluru
5.	Proposed Research Supervisor(s)	Prof. Poonam Prakash
6.	DRC's observations	It was decided that Coursework related to technology and other areas may be identified by the student in consultation with Supervisor and informed in the next DRC. He is required to identify a clear differentiation from a similar topic being done in the department.
7.	Recommended/Not Recommended/ Revision and presentation	Recommended
8.	Any other	

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair


(Dr. Poonam Prakash)
Professor and Head (PP)

Ph.D Coordinator (CPP)

Cc: Dean (A)

Department of Regional Planning

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Shashi Mehta (PT)	Resource Management in Aravalli Region	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Vinita Yadav
Mr. Aftaf Hussian (FT)	Impact of Tourism Industry on the development of Ladhak region		Will be reviewed in next DRC meeting		
Ms. Suverna Dubey (FT)	Impact of Industrialization on Handloom Industry		Will be reviewed in next DRC meeting		
Mr. Meet Fatewar (PT)	Impact of Subaltern Urbanization.. Case Study of Uttar Pradesh		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. Vinita Yadav
Ms. Priya Bhardwaj (PT)	Outmigration from Hill Region of Disaster and Migration in Uttarakhand		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. Vinita Yadav

Department of Architectural Conservation

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Ibyanta Bakmen Tiewsoh (PT)	Sustainable Community Led Approach towards Rural Tourism to Conserve the Built and Natural Heritage of Meghalaya		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh
Mr. Hakim Sameer Hamdani (PT)	Inspired Architecture : The Architecture : The Syncretic Architectural Traditions of Masjids, Aastans and Khankahs of Kashmir	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh
Ms. Bulbul Shukla (PT)	Colonial Maidan and Urban Culture : An Inquiry through Collective Memory	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh Dr. Anand Wadwekar
Ms. Shalini Dasgupta (PT)	Evaluating Energy Efficiency in Heritage	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Priyaleen Singh

	Buildings in India: Residential Typology in Hot- Humid Climate				Prof. Ranjan Rawal
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Department of Building Engineering Management

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Mr. Yash Kumar Mittal (FT)	Cost of Delay in Infrastructure	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. V.K. Paul
Col. Gopikrishnan Seshadri (PT)	User Satisfaction Index (USI) Linked Interventions for Enhancement of Performance in Government Residential Buildings	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. V.K. Paul
Mr. Ganesh Krishna Chaukiyal (PT)	The Diagnostic Study of Parameters of Airport Projects Contributing Towards Cost and Time Overruns During Planning and Execution Stages	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. V.K. Paul
Mr. Deepak Saigal (PT)	Study of Cost Overruns in Hydro Power Projects for Developing Model for Realistic Cost Prediction	Ongoing		Unsatisfactory	Prof. Dr. V.K Paul
Mr. Abhijit Rastogi (PT)	Study of Challenges in Fly Ash utilization and Development of proposal for promotional initiatives	Ongoing			Prof. Dr. V.K Paul
Maj. Gen. Sidana (Retd.) (PT)	Develop a Value Index for Quality of Life (QOL) Parameters of Residential Built Environment		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. V.K *Paul *
Mr. Vaibhav Bhatt (FT)	Design and Development of novel computer-based tools for construction Industry		Recommended to present in Next DRC	To revise and present in next DRC	XXXX
Ms. Arshia Khajooria (PT)	Design of Building Elements for Energy Efficiency : Case Study of Jammu City		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. V.K. Paul *
Ms. Aparna Ash Kanoujia(PT)	Methodology for Building Envelope Design Optimization for Thermal and Lighting		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. V.K *Paul *

	Efficiency for Lighting Efficiency for Vernacular/Local Context: Case of Jammu City				
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Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Arathy Gopal (FT) (Transferred from Urban Planning to Urban Design)	Tourism as a Determinant of Change in Urban Form in Temple Cities of India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Ms. Advaita Jalan (PT)	Urban Design Codes and its Significance : Vadodara City	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Mr. Manu Mahajan (PT)	Impact of Metro on the Cultural Economy and Spatial Transformations of Inner City Areas Case – Old Delhi	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta
Ms. Aishwarya Tipnis (PT)	Exploring Paradigms for Culturally Relevant Adaptive reuse as a Tool for Urban Regeneration of Derelict Industrial Landscapes in India: Reconciling Protection Conservation & Development	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Mr. Arunava Dasgupta (PT)	Urban Design Directions for Rural Settings under Transformation	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Ms. Deepashree Chowdhary (PT)	Collage city urbanism: Reading of Kolkata	Ongoing		Did not attend	Prof. Dr. Sanjukkta Bhaduri
Ms. Kamini Singh	Green Urbanism as Tool for Climate Resilient Urban Development		New Applicant	Did not attend	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Mr. Govind Rawat	Role of Control in the Design Management and Use of Different Public-Space Types		New Applicant	Rejected	Prof. Manoj Mathur

Department of Urban Design – DRC 5th September 2018

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Arpita Dayal (PT)	Connective Urban Liminalities: Every day Environments and Social Spaces		Recommended for Admission		Dr. Leon Morenas
Ms. Vandini Mehta(PT)	In-filtrating urbanism : Delhi's Unauthorized Colonies		Recommended for Admission (subject to identifying a Supervisor)		
Ms. Kamini Singh (PT)	Green Urbanism as a Tool for Climate Resilient Urban Development		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Mr. Arunav Dasgupta (PT)	Urban Design Directions for Rural Settings under Transformation	Ongoing	Submitted the Draft Report	Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Ms. Deepashree Chowdhary (PT)	Collage city urbanism: Reading of Kolkata	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhadur
Ms. Aishwarya Tipnis (PT)	Exploring the Role of Adaptive Reuse in Place-Keeping for Derelict Industrial Landscapes in India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Mr. Manu Mahajan(PT)	Impact of Metro on the Cultural Economy and Spatial Transformations of Inner City Areas: Case – Old Delhi	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta Dr. Leon Morenas
Ms. Arathy Gopal (FT)	Tourism as a Determinant of Change in Urban Form in Temple Cities of India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur
Ms. Advaita Jalan (PT)	Urban Design Codes and its Significance : Vadodara City	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh

Department of Architecture- DRC 15th September 2018

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Neena Singh Zutshi (FT)	Samrangana Sutrdhara and Contemporary Architecture in India : An Empirical Interpretation	Ongoing		Her Examination Process is Underway	Prof. Manoj Mathur
Ms. Manjari Khanna Kapoor (PT)	Integrating Security in the Architecture of Public Environments – An Assessment & Evaluation Tool	Ongoing		Her Examination Process is Underway	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Ms. Suruchi Modi (PT)	Evaluating the Social Sustainability of Residential High Rises from the Perspective of Raising Children	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Manoj Mathur
Mr. Atul Kumar Singla (PT)	Optimal Resources Planning for University Design	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Manoj Mathur
Mr. Kushal Matai (FT)	Environmental Impact of Solar Photovoltaics Installation/Integration on Urban Head Island Effect and Strategies for Mitigation	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Dr. Shweta Manchanda
Ms. Pallavi Sharma(PT)	Architecture Beyond Mimetics		Her Application was rejected.		
Ms. Parul Kiri Roy (PT)	Questioning Permanence In Architecture	Ongoing		To appear in Next DRC	Prof. Manoj Mathur
Ms. Jyoti Singh (PT)	Transformation of Concept into Product; A Detailed Study on Concept Development in Architecture Design Studio	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Priyanka Gayen (FT)	Strategic Framework for Designation of Modern Heritage in India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Shruti Sharad Nagdeve (FT)	Evaluating the effects of "Glass Facades" on occupant satisfaction in Office Buildings of Tropical Climate Regions		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. Anil Dewan Shweta Manchanda
Ms. Peu Banerjee (PT)	Deconstructing the form of Bengal Temples to Drive the Underlying Design		Recommended for Admission		Prof. Dr. Ranjana Mittal

	and Construction Principles				
Mr. Muzaffar Ali	Developing a Learning Model for Bridging the Gap between Architecture Practice and Pedagogy		His Application was rejected		
Ms. Hinna Devi Singh (PT)	Understanding Contemporary Vernacular Mountain Architecture		To appear in the Next DRC		Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Monolita Chatterjee (PT)	Design Against Crime Against Women for Urban India – Kerala		To appear in the Next DRC		Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Jyoti Yadav	Healing Environments : Role of Indoor and Outdoor Spaces in Human Health and Well-being		Her Application was rejected		Prof. Dr. Anil Dewan
Ms. Deepshikha Sarkar	Design of a Climatic Responsive Architecture for Residential Buildings		Her Application was rejected		Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar

Department of Architecture- DRC 26th March 2018

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Mr. Khushal Matai (FT)	Environmental Impact of Solar Photovoltaics Installation/ Integration on Urban Heat Island Effect and Strategies for Mitigation	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Dr. Shweta Manchanda
Ms. Suruchi Modi (PT)	Evaluating the Social Sustainability of Residential High Rises from the Perspective of Raising Children	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh
Ms. Manjari Khanna Kapoor (PT)	Integrating Security in the Architecture of Public Environments – An Assessment & Evaluation Tool	Ongoing		Process of Examination to begin	Prof. Dr. Mandeep Singh

Ms. Monolita Chatterjee (FT/PT -not mentioned in Application form)	Design Against Crime Against Women for Urban India- Kerala		Recommended to Reappear in the Next DRC		Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Jyoti Singh (PT)	Transformation of Concept into Product; A Detailed Study on Concept Development in Architecture Design Studio	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Deepshikha Sarkar	Design of a Climatic Responsive Architecture for Residential Buildings		Her application was rejected by DRC held on 15:09:2018		Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Parul Kiri Roy (PT)	Questioning Permanence in Architecture	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Manoj Mathur
Ms. Neena Singh Zutshi (FT)	Samrangan Sutradhara and Contemporary Architecture in India : An Empirical Interpretation	Ongoing		Process of Examination to begin	Prof. Dr. Manoj Mathur
Ms. Priyanka Gayen (FT)	Strategic Framework for Designation of Modern Heritage in India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Hinna Devi Singh (FT/PT -Not mentioned in Application Form)	Understanding Contemporary Vernacular Mountain Architecture		Reappear in Next DRC		Prof. Dr. Jaya Kumar
Ms. Pallavi Sharma (PT)	Architecture Beyond Mimetics	Ongoing		Has not been attending DRC Meeting	Dr. Leon Morenas
Mr. Abhijit De (PT)	Architecture of the House; The Home in the 21 st Century Indian City and its Aesthetic Origins	The candidate passed away on 31.12.2017 Supervisor : Prof. Dr. Ranjana Mittal			

Department of Transport Planning

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Chidambara (PT)	A Comprehensive Planning Approach to Last	Ongoing		Process of Examination underway	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta

	Mile Connectivity (LMC) for Public Transport Systems				
Ms. Anjali Goyal (PT)	A New Investment Model for High Speed Rail in India	Ongoing		Requested for Extension for 1 year	Prof.Dr. P.K. Sarkar (Retd.)
Mr. Bhaskar Gowd Sudagani(PT)	Gap acceptance Behaviour of Drivers at Roundabouts in Urban Areas and Its Effect on Capacity	Ongoing		Could not attend meeting due to poor health. No Progress Report submitted	Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram
Mr. Swaroop Mukherjee (PT)	A Rational Approach in Urban Transport Investment policy in India	Ongoing		Presented his progress report and it was found to be satisfactory	Prof. Dr Sanjay Gupta
Ms. Farhat Azad (PT)	Assessment of Impact of Freight Traffic on Road Safety in NCR	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram
Laghu Parashar (PT)	Sustainable PPP Framework for City Bus Operations	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta
Ms.Vaishali Gijre (PT)	Urban Transport Institutional Framework for Smart Cities of India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta
Mr.Pankaj Kant (FT)	Sustainable Urban Freight Distribution System for Indian Cities	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta
Sujeet Modi (PT)	Development of Indigenous Star Rating Method for Highways and Urban Arterials	Ongoing.		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram
Mr. Amal Jose (FT)	Benchmarking of Accessibility to Airports with respect to travel time reliability	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof.Dr. Sewa Ram
Ms.Naina Gupta(PT)	Environmental Capacity of Urban Roads a Under mixed traffic Conditions		Recommended for admission		Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram

Mr. Shawon Aziz (PT)	Rationale Approach for Black Spot Assessment and its Management		Recommended for admission		Prof. Dr. Sewa Ram
Mr. Sairam Dasari (FT)	Transport Modelling for NMT Infrastructure in Urban Areas		Recommended for admission		Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta*
Ms. Monika Singh (FT)	Transport Disadvantage and Social Exclusion Group in Urban Transport policy development		Recommended for admission		Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta *
Mr. Kushagra Sinha (FT)	Mobility Transformations in Digital Age and its Implications on transport services in Indian Cities		Recommended for admission		Prof. Dr. Sanjay Gupta *

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Department of Urban Planning

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Nilanjan DasGupta Sur (PT)	Knowledge Networking of Urban Local Bodies for Improved Service Delivery	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Ms. Mutum Chaobisana Devi (PT)	Carrying Capacity as a Determinant for Transit Oriented Development: Case Study -Delhi	Ongoing		Not Attended DRC Meeting	Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Ms. Honey Jalali (PT)	Community Participation in Conservation of Water Bodies and their Catchment in NCT Delhi	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Ms. Shipa Jain (PT)	Public- Private Partnerships (PPP) in Development of Urban Built Heritage in the Indian Context	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Ms. Shruti Madav Vaishampayan(PT)	Urban Redevelopment and		Recommended		Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri

	patterns of Gentrification in Indian Cities				
Mr. Sunil (PT)	Dynamics of Land Transformation in Peri Urban Areas Around Multi Transit Corridors		Recommended		Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Ms. Aditi Mitra Ghosh (PT)	Barrier- Free Energy Transition in Urban India		Recommended (subject to identifying a Supervisor)		Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Mr. Varun Jain	Digitally Mediated Shared Spaces Envisaging Socio-Spatial Shift at Neighborhood Level		Recommended (subject to identifying a Supervisor)		Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri
Mr. Debraj Chakrabarty (PT)	Inclusive resilience in Urban flooding using loss Estimation		Conversion from FT to PT was recommended by DRC		Prof. Dr. Sanjukta Bhaduri

Department of Housing

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Anjali Sharma (FT)	Comprehending the Process of Slum Redevelopment in Mumbai	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. P.S.N Rao Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar
Ms .Suparna Lahiri (FT)	Cost- Economic of Housing in India: Study of High- rise, Mid-rise and Low-rise Prototypes to determines an Optimal Building height for a Cost Effective Housing Model	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. P.S.N Rao
Ms. Aparna Das (PT)	Revisiting jute Mills- Role of Land Policies and Local Economy of Kolkata	Ongoing		Unsatisfactory	Prof. Dr. P.S.N Rao

Mr. Brij Kumar Agarwal (PT)	Land Titling in India	Ongoing		Unsatisfactory	Prof. Dr. P.S.N Rao
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Department of Physical Planning

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Chetna Singh (PT)	Transformations in Peri-urban Areas and Role of State : A Case Study of Chennai Metropolitan Area	Ongoing		Report accepted by DRC. Recommended for Examination Process	Prof. Dr. Mahavir
Mr. P. Suresh Babu (PT)	Approaches to Procurement of Land for City Planning and Development	Ongoing		Unsatisfactory	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar
Ms. Seema Kaushal(PT)	A Framework for Evaluation of Master Plans and Plan Making Process	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar Prof. Dr. Poonam Prakash
Mr. Harikrishna Gopal Nambiar (PT)	Housing Transformation around Major Urban Transportation Nodes in Delhi	Ongoing		Unsatisfactory	Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur
Mr. Lalit Kumar (PT)	Impact of Private Urban Development on Different Socio-Economic Groups in Haryana, Case Study of Sonapat,-Kundli Urban Complex	Ongoing		Unsatisfactory	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar
Ms. Neha Verma (PT)	Spatial Perspective on Primary Health Care Services Accessibility in Slum With Focus on Women	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Poonam Prakash
Mr. Ajay Kaushal (PT)	Inter- Policy Coherence for Better City Planning and Development, Case Study of Metropolitan Indian City	Ongoing		Not Attended	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar
Mr. Parul Sharma(PT)	Creating Accessible Urban Spaces: An Inclusive City Planning Approach in India	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar Prof. Dr. R. Biswas
Ms. Sundus	Climate Change and		Recommended		Prof. Kr. Ashok

Samreen Wani (FT)	Urban Flooding- A Case Study of Srinagar				Kumar Prof. Dr. R. Biswas
Ms. Rashmi Ashtt (PT)	Governance of Built Spaces of Historical Importance		Recommended		Prof. Dr. Mayank Mathur Prof. Dr. R. Biswas
Ms. Shilpi Bhaskar Aggarwal (PT)	Economic Growth and Spatial Development		Recommended		Prof. Dr. Ashok Kumar *
Mr. Raghunanda S Aiyagar (PT)	Technology, Governance and Service Delivery of Public Health for the Urban Poor- A Case Study of Bengaluru		Recommended		Prof. Dr. Poonam Prakash

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Department of Environmental planning- DRC 26th March 2018

Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Piyali Bandhopadhyay(PT)	Developing an Interface between Environmental Information System (ENVIS) and National Information System (NUIS) for Climate Change and City Planning	Ongoing		Examination Process Underway	Prof. Dr. Mahavir
Ms. Mahalaxmi Karnad (PT)	Ecological Planning for Urban Storm Water Management	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote
Ms. Jayeeta Sen (PT)	Instruments for Maintaining Bio-Diversity in Urban Planning	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote
Ms. Neha Sarwate (PT)		Ongoing		Did not Attend	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote

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Name of Candidate	Proposed Topic	Ongoing Ph.D. Scholar	New Admission	Progress of Ph.D. Scholar	Proposed/Present Supervisor/Co-Supervisor
Ms. Mahalaxmi Karnad (PT)	Ecological Planning for Urban Storm Water Management	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote

Ms. Jayeeta Sen (PT)	Instruments for Maintaining Bio-Diversity in Urban Planning	Ongoing		Did not attend DRC meeting	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote
Ms. Neha Sarwate(PT)	Institutionalizing the Environmental Approach to Zoning	Ongoing		Satisfactory	Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote
Ms. Kumumd Dhanwantari (PT)	Environmental potentials and Challenges of Aravali Range: A Robust Strategy for Resilient Hilly Ecosystem		Suggested to modify and reappear again		Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote
Ms. Meenakshi Pawar (PT)	Optimization of Air – Pollution Mitigation Through Vegetation along Hierarchy of Green Spaces with Different Landuses Case Study: Delhi		Recommended		Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote
Mr. Akash Sharma (PT)	Cultural Planning Approach in Heritage Cities		To Reappear again		Prof. Dr. Meenakshi Dhote