

MINUTES OF THE TENTH ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING OF KVASU CONVENED ON 3rd FEBRUARY 2014 AT CONFERENCE HALL, CVAS, POOKODE, WAYANAD

Members present;

1. Dr. B. Ashok, IAS, Vice Chancellor
2. Dr. K.P. Sreekumar, Registrar
3. Dr. M.R.Saseendranath, Director of Academics and Research,
4. Dr. Ramkumar S., DE, KVASU
5. Dr. R. Rajendra Kumar, Dean, CDST,
6. Dr. P.I. Geevarghese, Associate Dean, CDST Mannuthy
7. Dr. Leo Joseph, Dean CVAS Pookode
8. Dr. H. Subramanian, Finance Officer
9. Dr. K. Narayanakutty, Director, CAS in Poultry Science
10. Dr. P. Kuttinarayan, Prof. and Head, LPT, CVAS Pookode

Special invitees

1. Dr.A.Jalaludeen, Special Officer
2. Sri. Amal Raj, Student representative
3. Dr. K.S. Prasanna, Asst. Professor
4. Dr.T.V.Anilkumar
5. Dr.R.S.Jiji
6. Dr.P.T.AUsha

The meeting was chaired by the Vice Chancellor, Dr. B. Ashok, IAS. In the introductory remarks, The Vice Chancellor welcomed the members and informed the house, about the successful organization of the Kerala Science Congress by the University. He moved a resolution congratulating the Director of Academics and Research and his entire team, for taking all the efforts for making the event a grand success, and the same was approved unanimously.

The minutes of the 9th Academic Council Meeting of KVASU held on 03/12/2013 at CVAS, Pookode, along with the action taken report was discussed in detail.

At the time of reporting, the following decisions were taken

1. Dr. P.T.A Usha presented the copy of the draft brochure of the P.G. Diploma Course in Ethno-pharmacology. The date of start of the course is to be determined and the course details will have to be uploaded to the website immediately. A formal inauguration function is to be organized by May 2014. (Action : Registrar and the Course Director)
 2. Regarding the UOG- KVASU Certificate Course on Laboratory Animal Medicine (CertLAM), the proposal to start the course by February, 2014 was approved, subject to the legal vetting of all connected documents. (Action : Course Director)
 3. The four selected Final year students, along with their guide Dr. John Abraham, presented a report of their Externship programme at Royal (Dick) Veterinary School of the University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom. Based on their presentations the following points were decided
 - a. To conduct a pilot trial on non-cleaning sheds and evaluate the position.
 - b. Promote the use of technical mannequins for clinical instruction and collect the details regarding the manufacturers of mannequins and take up the matter with the DAR.
 - c. The Royal Veterinary College at London is also to be included in the externship programme for one day.
 4. The DAR reported the present position of affiliation. The status report of affiliation of courses was approved and the DAR was authorized to proceed with the process of affiliation of new colleges/ courses, under report to the Academic Council and Board of Management
- The DAR informed the house that application has been called for the Deputation for acquiring PhD and the last date fixed is 20th of February. About four applications have been received so far.