

Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur Senate Undergraduate Committee

SUGC/2023-24/Minutes/4th

Date: December 22, 2023

Minutes of the 2023-24/4th Meeting of the SUGC held on Wednesday, December 18, 2023, at 03:00 PM in Room No. 208, Academic Affairs Building, IIT Kanpur

The following SUGC members were present:

Prof(s): Amar Agarwal (DUGC, ES and acting SUGC), Arnab Samanta, Manabendra Chandra, Harshwardhan H. Katkar, Arghya Das (acting DUGC, CE), Rajat Mittal (acting DUGC, CSE), Arshad Rahman, Anindya Chatterjee, Alok Ranjan Verma, Suchitra Mathur, Suman Surabh, S. Ghorai (acting DUGC, MTH), Sarang Ingole, Amitesh Omar, Mr. Prashant Kumar Mishra (acting student nominee), Sahil Panjwani (acting student nominee), Gaurav Raj (acting student nominee).

The following members were absent:

Prof(s). Anjan K Gupta, Manoj Kumar Harbola, Sai Prasad Pydi, Sapam Ranjita Chanu, Ark Verma, Niraj Sinha, Amarendra Edpuganti, Mainak Das, Pritam Chakraborty, Supratik Banerjee, Mr. Apoorv Tandon, and Ms. Shruti Ramchandra Dalvi.

At the outset, the Chairperson, SUGC, welcomed the present members and subsequently after the following announcement and Action Taken Report (ATR), the agenda items were taken up for discussion:

A. Announcement

• No Announcements.

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Item No. 1 Decision on the equivalent courses offered by the ECO and HSS departments for per Old UGARC and New UGARC

The committee discussed the equivalent courses detail shared by the Economics Science (ECO) and Humanities & Social Science (HSS) departments for per Old and New UGARC and after due deliberations, the committee recommended detail of equivalent courses to the Senate for further consideration with the following minor change:

 The UG level course ECO261A of ECO dept. cannot be equivalent to two PG level modular courses ECO611M + ECO6613M and after discussion, the committee requested to remove this from the equivalent course list.

Item No. 2	Consideration of termination of academic programme of students due to un-authorized		
	absence (2023-24-I semester)		

The committee discussed the detail of students recommended for the termination of academic programme due to un-authorized absence as they neither applied for semester/Exchange programme nor informed to UG office regarding their absence in current semester i.e., 2023-24-I. After due deliberations, the committee recommends the name of the following two students for the termination of academic programme to the Senate for further consideration:

S.	Roll No.	Name	Prog. /	Remark
No.			Dept.	
1	180498	PANKAJ KUMAR	BT/CE	Academic programme of these two
2	18807843	VAIBHAV SUKHDEV ANAND	DD/BSBE	students is recommended for termination.

Item No. 3	Decision on the 2nd Branch/programme change of Y22 BT/BS batch at the end of 3rd
	semester i.e., 2023-24-l

The committee discussed the data of 2nd branch/programme change for Y22 BT/BS batch at the end of 3rd semester i.e., 2023-24-I and after due deliberations, the committee recommends branch/programme change of 10 students to the Senate for further consideration.

Item No. 4	Decision on the report of the Academic Performance Evaluation Committee (APEC) based
	on the performance of the students in 2023-24-I semester

The SUGC considered and recommended the report of the Academic Performance Evaluation Committee (APEC) of Undergraduate students for 2023-24-I semester to the Senate for further consideration and approval. On behalf of SUGC committee, the chairman SUGC (acting) thanked to Dr. Harshwardhan H. Katkar (Convener, APEC) for presentation of APEC report.

Item No. 5	Consideration of the new course proposal of Economics Science (ECO) department
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The committee discussed the following course proposals received from the Economics Science (ECO) department and after discussion, the committee approved the same:

S. No.	Title of Course	Proposed	Credits	Type of	Suggested
		by		Course	Course Code
1	Spatial Econometrics	ECO	09	UG	ECO5XX

Item No. 6	Decision on the proposed course template of Space Planetary & Astronomical Sciences
	and Engineering (SPASE) department for Dual Degree Category-B

The proposal of the Space Planetary & Astronomical Sciences and Engineering (SPASE) department to offer a Dual Degree programme in "Space Science & Engineering" was discussed in the meeting and after due deliberation, the committee suggested the following to the department and requested to share updated template:

- Template should include semester wise course/thesis work requirement.
- UG level course SPA401 should be removed from the template.

Further, updated template will be circulated on the SUGC member list for feedback.

Item No. 7	Consideration of 1st Migration data of Y20 BT/BS students to the Dual Degree programme
	at the end of 7th semester (i.e., 2023-24-1)

The committee deliberated on the migration data of Y20 BT/BS students for migration in the Dual Degree programme at the end of 7th semester (i.e., 2023-24-1) and approved the same for generation of PG roll number.

As per the report, a total of 53 students are eligible for migration in the Dual Degree category programme.

Item No. 8	Decision on the course/credit(s) waiver request of the following five students to fulfill		
	their graduation requirement		

The committee discussed course/credit(s) waiver request of the following five students for completion of the programme and after due deliberations, committee recommended request of students to the Senate for further consideration:

- 1) Request of Mr. Suman Kumar Maharana (201442/MSPD/PHY) to consider PHY600 course in place of department compulsory course PHY400.
- 2) Change the course registration of Mr. Chinmay Buchake (170224/BS/CHM) from MTH113M+MTH114M' to MTH102A with grade 'B'.
- 3) Request of Mr. Rajat Narnauli (190677/BT/EE) to consider MSO202M (New UGARC) in place of MSO202A (Old UGARC).
- 4) Request of Ms. Yashwani Kumari (191176/BT/CE) to consider MSO203M (New UGARC) in place of MSO203B (Old UGARC).
- 5) Request of Mr. Pankaj Kumar (170455/BS/PHY) to consider ESO213 (New UGARC) in place of ESO213A (Old UGARC).

The course replacement request of Mr. Rajat Narnauli and Ms. Yashwani Kumari was swapped in the agenda and the same has been corrected in the Minutes of the meeting.

Amar Agarwal
Acting Chairperson, SUGC

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