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18-12-2018

Minutes of the meeting of Board of Studies in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology held on 18-12-2018 at 10.30 AM in Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Central University of Kerala, Periye, Kasaragod.

Agenda:

- 1. Reporting the renaming of the M.Sc. program
- 2. Revision of syllabus
- 3. Updating the panel of question paper setters and evaluators
- 4. Framing model question paper
- 5. Any other item

Members attended the meeting:

1.	Prof. (Dr). Govinda Rao Duddukuri	 Chairperson
2.	Prof. (Dr). Annie Abraham	 External member
3.	Prof. (Dr). T. Rajamohn	 External member
4.	Prof. (Dr). Sathisha G J	 External Member
5.	Dr. K. Arunkumar	 Member
6.	Dr. Rajendra Pilankatta	 Member
7.	Dr. R. Aswati Nair	 Member

Resolutions:

- The chairperson has welcomed the BOS committee members and thanked the members
 for their consent and endorsement for renaming the M.Sc. Biochemistry and Molecular
 Biology program as M.Sc. Biochemistry program and informed the members that the
 same was approved by Academic council held on 12-12-2018. And this would come into
 effect for students admitted in 2018-19 batch.
- The chairperson has explained the scheme of present syllabus of M.Sc. Biochemistry.
 The committee has discussed and suggested some constructive changes in the syllabus of two year M.Sc. Biochemistry program as per the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) for further strengthening the curriculum and recommended its implementation from next academic year (Annexure-I).

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- 3. The committee has discussed elective papers and their syllabi and approved (Annexure-II)
- 4. The committee has resolved and approved the question paper model for the End semester examinations as per CUK guidelines. (Annexure-III)
- The committee has resolved and approved the panel of examiners for question paper setting and evaluation for End-semester examinations as per guidelines of Central University of Kerala (Annexure-IV)

Member

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BBM 5391: MOLECULAR BIOLOGY & GENETIC ENGINEERING LAB (0-0-6-2)

Molecular Biology

- 1. Isolation of chromosomal DNA from animal tissues and separation on agarose gel electrophoresis.
- 2. Isolation of plasmid DNA from bacterial culture and separation on agarose gel electrophoresis.
- 3. Isolation of total RNA from animal tissues and separation of RNA by formaldehyde/agarose gel electrophoresis.
- 4. Restriction digestion of plasmids
- 5. PCR and Real Time PCR Assays.

Genetic Engineering

- 6. Ligation of restricted DNA fragments
- 7. Preparation of competent *E.coli* cells, transformation and expression of cloned gene
- 8. Expression of transferred gene in bacteria (LacZ) and plants (GUS)

BBM 5401: DISSERTATION (0-0-24-8)