



**KONGUNADU COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY
(AUTONOMOUS)**

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29th June 2022

Minutes of the Sixth Academic Council Meeting

The Sixth Academic Council meeting was held on 29th June 2022 through online mode in Zoom app at 11:30AM. The Chairman of the Academic Council Dr R Asokan, Principal welcomed all the members of the council and proceeded as per the Agenda of the meeting.

Members Present:

S. No	Name of the Member	Category
1	Dr.R.Asokan, The Principal, Kongunadu College of Engineering and Technology, Tiruchirappalli.	Chairman
2	Prof.C.R.Muthukrishnan, Former Deputy Director Department of Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Madras, Chennai – 600 036.	Member– Anna University Nominee
3	Dr.K.Sankaran, Former Professor, Department of Biotechnology, ACT Campus, Anna University, Chennai – 600 025.	Member– Anna University Nominee
4	Dr.A.Selvaraj, CEO and Chief Facilitator, Jeyarekha Industries, Madurai – 625 012.	Member– Anna University Nominee
5	Dr.R.Krishnamoorthy, Professor / IT, Dean Academic & Research, SRM University, Trichy Campus, Tiruchirappalli.	Expert Member
6	Dr.P.Palanisamy, Professor / ECE National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli.	Expert Member

7	Mr.V.Muruganandam, The General Manager, Communication Navigation & Surveillance, Airport Authority of India, Chennai.	Expert Member
8	Mr.V.Ramachandran, The Senior General Manager (Technical), Kothari Sugars & Chemicals Limited, Kattur, Lalgudi, Tiruchirapalli.	Expert Member
9	Dr.V.Gopinath Associate Professor/AGE	Head of the Department
10	Dr.K.Baskar Associate Professor/AI&DS	Head of the Department
11	Mr.T.Ashok, Associate Professor / BME	Head of the Department
12	Dr.S.Kavipriya, Professor / Civil	Head of the Department
13	Dr.C.Saravanabhavan, Professor / CSE	Head of the Department
14	Dr.M.Dharmalingam, Professor / ECE	Head of the Department
15	Dr.R.Shankar, Professor / EEE	Head of the Department
16	Mr.N.Premkumar, Associate Professor / IT	Head of the Department
17	Dr.D.Jagadeesh, Associate Professor / Mech	Head of the Department
18	Dr.K.Balasubramanian, Professor / S & H	Head of the Department
19	Dr.S.Gobinath, Professor / Mech	Faculty Member
20	Dr. K. Amudha, Associate Professor / ECE	Faculty Member
21	Dr.A.Nithya, Associate Professor / Mech	Faculty Member
22	Mr.C.Radhakrishnan, Assistant Professor / CSE	Faculty Member
23	Dr.P.Arul, Professor / EEE & Controller of Examinations	Member Secretary

Item 6.01	To confirm the minutes of Fifth Academic Council meeting held on 16.12.2021
Resolution	Resolved to confirm the Minutes of Fifth Academic Council Meeting
Item 6.02	Approval for Renaming the Programme and increase in Intake for the Academic year 2022-23 Principal presented the change of programme name from B.E. Agriculture Engineering to B.Tech Agricultural Engineering as per Anna University Circular. The same change has been applied to AICTE for changing in the AICTE approval. Increase in intake for B.E - Computer Science and Engineering from 60 to 120 has been applied for the Academic Year 2022-2023.
Resolution	Resolved to approve the change of programme name and increase in intake.
Item 6.03	To Approve the Changes in Autonomous Regulations KNCET-UGR2020 and KNCET-PGR2020. Principal presented the few changes in the UG and PG Regulations as per the circular from Anna University.
Resolution	Approved the changes in the Autonomous Regulations KNCET-UGR2020 and KNCET-PGR2020.
Item 6.04	To Ratify and Approve the Examination modalities of Academic year 2021-22(Odd semester): Approval of exam modalities for the Fifth and Seventh semesters and Arrear Examinations(of All semesters) (Anna University, R2017), Arrear Examinations(of All semesters) (Anna University, R2013) & Third Semester and Arrear Examinations (Autonomous, KNCET-UGR2020). Ref: Letter No: 351/AU/CAC/Auto-ESE/2022 dated 24.01.2022 Theory Courses (UG): • The examinations are conducted in online mode and the duration of the examination is 3 hours. • The pattern of Question paper is same as the one that was followed before the COVID-19 pandemic (offline, pen & paper examination). • The Passing requirements and the weightage assigned are as per the Regulations. Evaluation of Practical Examinations • The evaluation for the Practical Examinations is carried out as per

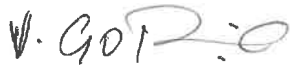
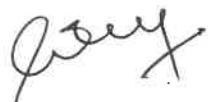
	the Regulations through physical mode. Approval of exam modalities for the Third Semester and Arrear Examinations of PG(KNCET-PGR2020) & PhD Course Work Theory and Practical Courses : Examinations conducted as per the Regulations through Physical mode.
Resolution	Approved the exam modalities for the Academic year 2021-22(Odd semester)
Item 6.05	To discuss and Approve the Minutes of Board of Studies Meetings The Chairman of the council presented a brief summary of all department BoS minutes conducted during the 2021-22 Even Semester. Agriculture Engineering - The curriculum up-to eighth semester and Syllabus for Fifth and Sixth semesters were discussed and got approved. - The Professional Elective – I and Professional Elective – II syllabus were discussed and approved. - The Open Elective course list and syllabus were discussed and approved. Artificial Intelligence and Data Science - The curriculum up-to eighth semester and Syllabus for Fifth and Sixth semesters were discussed and got approved. - The Professional Elective – I and Professional Elective – II syllabus were discussed and approved. - The Open Elective course list and syllabus were discussed and approved. - A NPTEL equivalent course “ Software Testing” were approved as online course.
Resolution	Resolved to approve the BoS minutes of the respective boards.
Item 6.06	To Approve the Academic Calendar for the UG and PG Programmes for the Academic Year 2022-2023/ Odd Semester.
Resolution	Resolved to approve the Academic Calendar for both the UG and PG Programmes for the academic year 2022-2023/Odd Semester.
Item 6.07	To review the Academic Performance of students Principal presented the Odd semester results of the Academic Year 2021-

	2022.
Resolution	Noted and recorded the Academic Performance of students.
Item 6.08	To review Placement Details of current Academic Year 2021-22 Principal has presented the Placement details for the Academic Year 2021-2022, A total of 99.6% placed students details was presented to the council members, and highlighted the increase in number of MNC offers like Wipro, TCS and Sutherland with higher CTC.
Resolution	Noted and recorded the placement details.
Item 6.09	To review the Co-curricular and Extra Curricular Activities of students Principal has presented the details of Club activities, Value Added Courses, Internship as part of Co-curricular activities. • Students Participation – Co-curricular activities: ▪ Students have won prizes in Paper Presentation / Project / Technical Event / Seminar / Workshop / Competitions. • Students Participation – Extra-curricular activities: ▪ Students have actively participated in the activities like Anna University Inter Zonal Athlete Event, South Zone Inter University outdoor games like Football, Kabaddi & Hockey, All India University Athlete events like Boxing, Athletics, and Cross Country, State level Hockey Junior Women National Championship Tournaments conducted in Andhra Pradesh
Resolution	The council noted and recorded the achievements
Item 6.10	To review the Professional Enrichment Activities – Publications / FDP / STTP / Conference / Workshop / Seminar / NPTEL for current Academic Year 2021-22 Principal presented department wise details of Faculty Publications, Incentives for the articles published in SCI/SCIE indexed journals Conferences, Workshops, Seminars, FDP, STTP and NPTEL courses attended by faculty members
Resolution	The members noted and recorded the achievements

Item 6.11	To review the Sponsored Programmes, Sponsored Research and Patent Details for current Academic Year 2021-22. Principal presented the Sponsored Programmes, Sponsored Research, and Patents filed during the Academic Year 2021-22. • Sponsored Programmes: • Received funds worth Rs. 10,20,000/= from various funding agencies such as DBT, Anna University, AICTE, MoE, NAAC, CSIR during the Academic Year 2021-2022. • Sponsored Research: • Dr. R. Asokan, Dr. M. Dharmalingam and Dr. K. Amudha received grant under AICTE – RPS (Research Promotion Scheme) for a sum of Rs. 9,81,666/- for the proposal “Design and Development of Low Power Consumption and Portable Device for Finding Trapped People during Disaster Scenes using Wi-Vi Technologies” • Patents filed: ▪ 10 Patents were filed during the Academic Year 2021-2022.
Resolution	The council noted and recorded the achievements
Item 6.12	Other discussion
	The council congratulates the following Achievements, • NBA re-accreditation for the departments CSE, ECE & EEE from July 2022 to June 2025. • AICTE Lilavathi Award 2021-22 in the category of “Women Entrepreneurship” The Members approved the guidelines for awarding punishment to Malpractice Cases of Students . Suggestions • The members of the council suggested to encourage the students to write competitive examinations. • Members encouraged to utilize the Academic and Administrative Audit of the institute to find the areas of improvement needed for the institution. • Raising of funded projects may be scaled up to a higher level. • Industrial visits and training of faculty may be improved further to explore real time examples to students. • Autonomous status may be exploited well for the growth of the institution. • Encouraging students to clear GATE would open up lot of avenues in the government sector. • Research focus and problem based learning will bring lot of entrepreneurship and startups. • The Institutional Development Plan (IDP) progress was reviewed for the Academic year 2021-22 and planned metrics were discussed for the AY 2022-23.

Finally the meeting was concluded with a Vote of Thanks by Dr P Arul, Controller of Examinations/Member Secretary – Academic Council.

S. No	Name of the Member	Signature
1.	Dr.R.Asokan, Chairman	
2.	Prof.C.R.Muthukrishnan, Member- Anna University Nominee	
3.	Dr.K.Sankaran, Member- Anna University Nominee	
4.	Dr.A.Selvaraj, Member- Anna University Nominee	
5.	Dr.R.Krishnamoorthy, Expert Member	
6.	Dr.P.Palanisamy, Expert Member	
7.	Mr.V.Muruganandam, Expert Member	
8.	Mr.V.Ramachandran, Expert Member	

9.	Dr.V.Gopinath HoD/AGE	
10.	Dr.K.Baskar HoD/AI&DS	
11.	Dr.S.Kavipriya HoD/Civil	
12.	Mr.T.Ashok, HoD /BME	
13.	Dr.C.Saravanabhavan HoD/ CSE	
14.	Dr.M.Dharmalingam HoD/ ECE	
15	Dr.R.Shankar HoD/ EEE	
16.	Mr.N.Premkumar HoD/ IT	

17.	Dr.D.Jagadeesh, HoD/ Mech	
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