MINUTES OF 16TH ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING

DATE & TIME : 2

: 26.06.2021, 10.30 a.m.

VENUE

: BOARD ROOM

KONGU ENGINEERING COLLEGE (Through Online and Onsite mode)

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The 16th Academic Council Meeting of Kongu Engineering College was conducted on 26.06.2021 at 10.30 am through online and onsite mode. Dr. G. Murugesan, Member Secretary of Academic Council, welcomed the members and Dr. V. Balusamy, Principal and the Chairman of Academic Council presented the following agenda items for the approval.

S.No.	Item No.	Agenda/Resolution
1.	2021.16.01	Agenda:
		Reporting Items:
		a) NAAC / NBA Accreditation:
		The Kongu Engineering College has been accredited with 'A' grade for 5 years by NAAC from February 2016. Data submitted for renewal in May 2021.
		Currently nine BE/BTech programmes accredited by National Board of Accreditation.
	- C	b) NoC for Three New BTech Programmes
		NoC received from Anna University for the introduction of the following new BTech Degree Programmes with an intake of 60 for each from the academic year 2021-22 onwards.
		1. BE/BTech - Artificial Intelligence and Data Science
		2. BE/BTech - Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning
		3. BE/BTech - Computer Science and Design
		c) Infrastructure - Centre of Excellence and MoUs Signed
		❖ Centre of Excellence
		1. Robotics & Automation with FANUC Corporation, Japan at a cost of Rs. 67 Lakhs
		 Smart Energy Laboratory with Schneider Electric Infrastructure Ltd (SEIL) with French Ministry for Education at a cost of Rs. 78 Lakhs
		3. Energy Studies with Fluke Corporation, USA at a cost of Rs. 35 Lakhs
		4. Data Sciences with nVIDIA, USA at a cost of Rs. 15 Lakhs
		MoU: Number of live MoU is 47
		d) R & D Activities:
		* Faculty publications, incentive for faculty for paper publications, grants received for projects, seed money for faculty for research and stipend for full time PhD scholars were presented.
		e) Faculty and Students Achievements:
	3	Faculty training, PhD completed, PhD pursuing and International/National conferences attended details and students' placement were presented.
		f) End Semester Examination Systems
	'	November / December 2020 End Semester Examinations were conducted
		through proctored online mode with multiple choice question paper pattern
	1	as per the direction of Revenue and Disaster Management Department
		Tamil Nadu Government (G.O. No. 640 dated 13.11.2020) through Registrar Anna University, Chennai (Lr. No. 19707/C12/2020 Dated 30.11.2020).
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		online mode with multiple choice question paper pattern as per the direction of Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Tamil Nadu Government (Letter No. 36992/D.M.IV/2020-1 dated 22.12.2020) through Registrar, Anna University, Chennai (Lr. No. 19707/C12/2020 Dated 23.12.2020). ❖ No grievances received from students on Nov / Dec 2020 examination results and hence there is no need for conducting re-examinations. Resolution: Members appreciated KEC for the above activities.
2.	2021.16.02	Agenda: To consider and approve the new members of Boards of Studies for the period of two years from 2021-22 to 2022-23 as listed in Annexure I. Resolution: Resolved to approve the new members of Boards of Studies for the period of two years from 2021-22 to 2022-23 as listed in Annexure I.
3.	2021.16.03	Agenda: To consider and approve the Curriculum and Syllabi of the following under Regulations 2020 as provided in Annexure II. (i) 3 rd semester to final semester of all BE/BTech and BSc programmes (ii) 5 th semester to final semester of MSc programme Resolution: Resolved to approve the Curriculum and Syllabi of the above mentioned programmes under Regulations 2020 as provided in Annexure II.
4.	2021.16.04	Agenda: To consider and approve the procedure as given below for transfer of credits from other Institutions / Universities. ❖ The Principal will appoint a committee to finalise the equivalent credits to be transferred for the candidates who are doing courses in other institutions. They have to complete the minimum number of credits prescribed in the curriculum in order to award degree. Resolution: Resolved to approve the procedure as mentioned above for transfer of credits from other Institutions / Universities.
5.	2021.16.05	Agenda: To consider and approve special elective courses for PhD Programmes, One/Two Credit Courses and Online Courses to be offered in the academic year 2021-22 as listed in Annexure III. Resolution: Resolved to approve special elective courses for PhD Programmes, One/Two Credit Courses and Online Courses to be offered in the academic year 2021-22 as listed in Annexure III.
6.	2021.16.06	Agenda: To consider and ratify the amendments made in the curriculum and syllabi under R2014, R2018 and R2020 as given in Annexure IV. Resolution: Resolved to ratify the amendments made in the curriculum and syllabi under R2014, R2018 and R2020 as given in Annexure IV.
7.	2021.16.07	Agenda: To consider and ratify special elective courses for PhD Programmes, One/Two Credit Courses and Online Courses offered in the academic year 2020-21 as listed in Annexure V. Resolution: Resolved to ratify special elective courses for PhD Programmes, One/Two Credit Courses and Online Courses offered in the academic year 2020-21 as listed in Annexure V.

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8.	2021.16.08	Agenda: To consider and approve the online examination patterns to be followed for the April/May 2021 End Semester Examinations as given as given below (in line with the examinations patterns conducted in April/May 2020 and November/December 2020) Question Paper Pattern: / Each Question paper will contain 75 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) with 15 questions from each unit. / All the questions should be answered. / Time duration: 90minutes. / There is no negative marking Examination Procedure: / Students are allowed to answer the questions, one after another in ascending order only. / Students are not allowed to answer previous questions. / Without answering the current question, students are not allowed to move on to the next / subsequent questions. / Once a question is answered and submitted, then the answer cannot be altered. Resolution: Resolved to approve the online examination pattern to be followed for the April/May 2021 end semester examinations as mentioned above. Also, it was decided to conduct examinations for a few courses involving drawings and excessive analytical contents, through either conventional hand-written method, proctored and supervised by an invigilator or through a different MCQ type question paper containing less number of questions carrying more marks. These exemptions shall be done through proposals by the concerned departments and approval granted by Principal.
		Other general points suggested by the members:
2		1. Centre for Alumni Affairs may be formed to increase the alumni participation in
9.	2021.16.09	the growth of the institution
		2. Incentive may be given for faculty members having good citations in paper publications.

Finally the meeting was concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. G. Murugesan, Member Secretary of Academic Council.

Member Secretary Dr.G.Murugesan Chairman Dr.V.Balusamy

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3.	Dr. S. Paramasivam General Manager (R&D) ESAB No.13, 3rd Main Road, Sai Nagar, Ambattur, Industrial Estate, Chennai – 600 058.	S. PARAMASIVAM	
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6.	Dr. P. Palanisamy Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli - 620 015.	Version in	252	
7.	Mr. Murugan Subramanian, Vice President (ER & D) Brakes India Limited MTH Road, Padi, Chennai- 600 050.		My	
8.	Mr. SethuKanagasabapathy, Associate Director IBM Global Business Services Chennai, Tamilnadu, India		DocuSigned by: 26-June-2021 E06629E4811E477	

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12.	Dr. C. Jagadheesan Chairman, Board of Studies in Automobile Engineering	0-/26/6/2021	
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14.	Dr. A. Sheela Chairman, Board of Studies in Electrical and Electronics Engineering	A. 5 Lla 28/6/21	
15.	Dr.S.Vijayachitra Chairman, Board of Studies in Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering	Juh 26/6/2021	
16.	Dr.N. Shanthi Chairman, Board of Studies in Computer Science and Engineering	Sentus 16/21	
17.	Dr. R. Thangarajan Chairman, Board of Studies in Information Technology	(B) Y26. (.2024	
18.	Dr. K. Kannan Chairman, Board of Studies in Chemical Engineering	\$. Food (2)	
19.	Dr. V. Chitra Devi Chairman, Board of Studies in Food Technology	Caria 26/00/2011	
20.	Dr. C. Duraisamy Chairman, Board of Studies in Science and Humanities	c. 2 Jul/2/29	

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24.	Dr. S. Shanthi Chairman, Board of Studies in Software Systems (5 Years Integrated Programme)	か名し一気1
25.	Dr. P. Senthilvelmurugan Chief Coordinator (Affiliation and Ranking)	12/0/20/20/20/2/
26.	Dr. K. Krishnamurthy Chief Coordinator (Student Affairs)	Dem 28/6/21
27.	Dr. P. Shanmugam # Controller of Examinations	26/6/21
28.	Dr. P. Navaneethakrishnan Chief Coordinator (Planning Cell)	20/6/21
29.	Dr. R. Parameshwaran Chief Coordinator (TBI & IIC)	A COLVA
30.	Dr. S.Shankar Chief Coordinator (R & D)	May 261614
31.	Dr. R. Baskar Chief Coordinator (Alumni Affairs) & Professor Incharge (Library)	2. om ut 16/21

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33.	Dr. P. Priakanth Professor Incharge (Computer Systems)	1. N. 26/4/21		
34.	Dr. S. Vengataasalam HOD/Maths	Leave of Absence		
35.	Dr. C. Rangasami HOD/Physics	عدادانا		
36.	Dr. A. Geetha HCD/Chemistry	X. July 6/21		
37.	Dr. A. Robby Sebastian Clement HOD/English	J. J. 120/24 .		
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38.	Dr. R. Somasundaram Professor / MBA	26/6/21		
39.	Dr. S. Balaji Professor / Civil	1 26 16 pt		
40.	Dr. P. Jayanthi # Associate Professor / CSE	P. Jayant 26/6/21		
41.	Dr. P. Srinivasan Assistant Professor (Sr.G) / Chemistry	D 20/0/21		
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42.	Dr. G. Murugesan # Chief Coordinator (Academic)	orgustur 26/6/2021		

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