

Proceedings of the 248th Meeting of Board of Studies of College of Veterinary Sciences held on 18.04.2016 at 2:30 p.m. in the Committee Room of Dean, COVS, LUVAS, Hisar.

The followings were present:

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| 1. Dr. Gurdial Singh, Dean, COVS | - Chairman |
| 2. Dr. N. K. Rakha, Dean, PGS | Special Invitee |
| 3. Dr. R. A. Luthra, Director, IPVS | -do- |
| 4. Dr. S. K. Gupta, COE | -do- |
| 5. Dr. Ravinder Sharma, DR | -do- |
| 6. Dr. Pawan Kumar, HOD, VAN | -Member |
| 7. Dr. Nirmal Sangwan, HOD, VPB | -Member |
| 8. Dr. N. K. Mahajan, HOD, VPHE | -Member |
| 9. Dr. K.K. Jakhar, HOD, VPP | -Member |
| 10. Dr. S. S. Sangwan, HOD, VAHE | -Member |
| 11. Dr. S. K. Kadian, Rep HOD, VMI | -Member |
| 12. Dr. A. K. Sangwan, HOD VPA | -Member |
| 13. Dr. Minakshi, HOD, ABT | -Member |
| 14. Dr. Umed Singh, HOD, VGO | -Member |
| 15. Dr. Ashok Kumar, HOD, VSR | -Member |
| 16. Dr. Parveen Goel, HOD, VMD | -Member |
| 17. Dr. Harish Kumar Gulati, HOD, LPM | -Member |
| 18. Dr. B. L. Pander, HOD, AGB | -Member |
| 19. Dr. Nand Kishore, HOD, AN | -Member |
| 20. Dr. D. P. Sharma, HOD, LPT | -Member |
| 21. Dr. Prem Singh, Director, TVCC | -Member |
| 22. Dr. Naresh Jindal, Editor Haryana Veterinarian | Special Invitee |
| 23. Dr. Vinod Kumar, HOD, VPT | -Secretary, BOS |

At the outset, the Chairman welcomed all the members present in 248th meeting of Board of Studies and the following decisions were taken after detailed deliberations.

Agenda Item No. 1. Confirmation of proceedings of 247th meeting of BOS held on 18.01.2016 at 03:30 P.M.

Confirmed

Agenda Item No. 2. Repeat/Compartment Examination rules for Diploma Students- Amendments thereof.

The agenda proposed by the Director IPVS was approved as below.

Existing Rule	Approved Rule
<p>9.3 Repeat/compartment examination of incomplete papers of 1st year will be conducted within 15days after announcement of the result. The results of such repeat/compartment examination shall be declared within five days after the examination is conducted. Similarly, the repeat examination of incomplete course(s) of 3rd semester in case of DVLT and DIDT will be conducted within 15days after the announcement of the result of 3rd semester.</p>	<p>9.3 Repeat/ compartment examination will be conducted after 15 calendar days of commencement of next academic session. If a student fails in the compartment examination, he shall get last chance to pass the course(s), the examination of which will be conducted after 10 days of declaration of result of 1st compartment examination. The result of compartment examination (s) will be declared within 10 days of conduct of examination(s). In case a student still fails to clear/pass the course(s) he will be declared fail in all the course for the relevant year. Such students(s) will be reverted back to 1st or 2nd year as the case may be/dropped as per rule. The Repeat/compartment examination of 3rd semester in case of DVLT and DIDT will be conducted after the declaration of result of 3rd semester in a similar manner as above.</p>

Agenda Item No. 3. Gold Medals/Awards Rules for Post-Graduate Students

Rules and regulations governing award of Gold medal to post-graduate students approved by academic council's 30th meeting were reviewed in the light of further suggestions received. A member of academic council has recommended that the criteria for the quality of research done by the post-graduate students should also be included as selection criteria along with OGPA obtained by the student.

The agenda was deliberated upon at length. The members were of the opinion that the OGPA and components of research quality should not be clubbed together as criteria for deciding the Gold medals/ Awards for post-graduate students as it may tend to create a number of problems. Therefore, the BOS approved that the rules regulations for Gold Medals/ Awards to post-graduate students as approved by Academic Council in its 30th meeting should be implemented as such.

However, BOS also approved that separate awards may also be instituted to promote post-graduate research quality e.g. Best Thesis Awards exclusively based on research components of post-graduate students of LUVAS.

Agenda Item No. 4. Increase in number of seats for admission to VLDD w.e.f. 2016-17 at IIVER, Bahu Akbarpur.

In total, 74 seats were approved for admission to VLD Diploma Course w.e.f. academic session 2016-17 at IIVER, Bahu Akbarpur in the light of recommendations of the inspection committee constituted by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for renewal of affiliation of IIVER, Bahu Akbarpur for VLD Diploma Course as well as for increasing the admission capacity from 60 to 90 from academic session 2016-17. The 50% seats will be filled from state quota and remaining 50% seats will be filled under management quota as per rules.

Agenda Item No. 5. Suggestions for implementation of provisions of national policy on occupational safety, occupational health and working environment.

Dean PGS informed the house that Secretary UGC has suggested that a course on occupational safety, occupational health and working environment should be framed and taught to LUVAS students. In response, some HODs have recommended and proposed a course on the above mentioned topic.

The Dean PGS informed the BOS that since Veterinary Council of India (VCI) has initiated revision of post-graduate course curriculum, the suggestions received from HODs may be compiled and forwarded to VCI for consideration in new post-graduate course curriculum being framed by VCI.

Agenda Item No. 6. Establishment of a new Post-graduate course - M.Sc. in Biotechnology

As per the recommendations of the committee constituted for recommending guidelines regarding requirement and feasibility of M.Sc. Biotechnology degree programme, it was approved that M.Sc. Biotechnology programme would not be started in College of Veterinary Sciences, LUVAS and five additional seats would be created for M.V.Sc. Animal Biotechnology on a similar pattern as for other departments.

Agenda item No. 7. Prospectus for diploma courses for 2016-17.

The prospectus for admission to diploma courses i.e. Veterinary Livestock Development Diploma (VLDD) and Diploma in Veterinary Lab Technology for the year 2016-17 was approved. It was also decided that the necessary changes would be made in the prospectus keeping in view the increase in number of seats from 60 to 74 for VLD Diploma at IIVER, Bahu Akbarpur.

Agenda Item No. 8. Amendment in the PG Education Regulations

The agenda proposed by Dean PGS was approved after minor changes as below.

S.No.	Existing Rule	Approved Rule
1.	<p>(Rule 3.1) A credit load with minimum of 9 credit hours and a maximum of 18 credit hours may be taken by a student. Under no circumstances, except as provided below, the student should be allowed to take more or less credits than these limits Non –credit courses to the extent of one course only in a semester are not to be taken into account while calculating the minimum and maximum number of credit hour to be offered by a student.</p>	<p>A credit load with minimum of 9 credit hours and a maximum of 20 credit hours may be taken by a student. Under no circumstances, except as provided below, the student should be allowed to take more or less credits than these limits Non –credit courses to the extent of one course only in a semester are not to be taken into account while calculating the minimum and maximum number of credit hour to be offered by a student.</p>
2.	<p>(Rule 5.2) HOD will ensure that a major advisor shall be assigned to each post-graduate student within one month after admission, in consultation with the post-graduate faculty of the Department in which the student is doing his/her major work. Besides, there shall also be an Advisory Committee for each student which shall be approved by the Dean, PGS on the recommendations of the Advisor through the Head of the Department, Dean of the College, in the same semester. The members of the Advisory Committee shall be chosen from the post graduate faculty. The Dean PGS will ensure that Advisors are appointed in time so that non-appointment of Advisor does not come in the way of implementation of the rules. The Advisors should be appointed adequately in advance so that they are in a position to guide the students for preparing and submitting programme of work and synopsis. Under no circumstances, the appointments of Advisors should take more than one semester.</p>	<p>HOD will ensure that a major advisor shall be assigned to each post-graduate student within five days after admission, in consultation with the post-graduate faculty of the Department in which the student is doing his/her major work. Besides, there shall also be an Advisory Committee for each student which shall be approved by the Dean, PGS on the recommendations of the Advisor through the Head of the Department, Dean of the College, in the same semester. The members of the Advisory Committee shall be chosen from the post graduate faculty. The Dean PGS will ensure that Advisors are appointed in time so that non-appointment of Advisor does not come in the way of implementation of the rules. The Advisors should be appointed adequately in advance so that they are in a position to guide the students for preparing and submitting programme of work and synopsis. Under no circumstances, the appointments of Advisors should take more than one month.</p>

Agenda Item No. 9. Number of seats for Post-Graduate Programme

The number of seats in M.V.Sc. and Ph.D. programs for Post-Graduate Prospectus 2016-17 were approved as under.

Discipline	No. of Seats					
	M.V.Sc.			Ph.D.		
	To be filled from Haryana Residents	To be filled through ICAR on all India basis	NRI	To be filled form Haryana Residents	To be filled through ICAR on all India Basis	NRI
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Animal Biotechnology	12*+2**+5*** (Ceiling of 14 seats)	-		4	ONE SEAT IN EACH DEPARTMENT	
Animal Genetics & Breeding	3	1		3		
Animal Nutrition	4	1		4		
Livestock Production Management	1	1		1		
Livestock Products Technology	1	1		1		
Vety. Anatomy	1	1		1		
Vety. & Animal Husbandry Extension Education	2	1		2		
Vety. Biochemistry	3	1		2		
Vety. Gynaecology & Obstetrics	1	1		1		
Vety. Immunology	1	1		1		
Vety. Medicine	4	1		1		
Vety. Microbiology	3	1		1		
Vety. Parasitology	4	1		1		
Vety. Pathology	3	1		1		
Vety. Pharmacology & Toxicology	2	1		1		
Vety. Physiology	4	2		1		
Vety. Public Health & Epidemiology	4	2		2		
Vety. Surgery & Radiology	4	1		2		
Total	59	19	10	30	18	04

* The admission to 12 M.V.Sc. seats (Animal Biotechnology) will be made by the JNU as per guidelines of DBT (GOI). The students admitted under this project will be awarded a studentship of Rs. 8,000/- per month.

** The DBT has approved to reserve two seats for the Haryana residents (out of intake capacity of 14) for admission in Animal Biotechnology. However, the admission of these two candidates will be done on the merit of Entrance Test plus weightage, if any.

*** 5 Seats will be filled on the merit of Entrance Test of LUVAS plus weightage, if any.

Agenda Item No. 10. Submission of research articles through department advisory committee

The Dean has desired that the agenda will be rediscussed in the next meeting of Board of Studies.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/-

(Vinod Kumar)
Secretary, BOS

Approved

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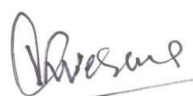
(Dr. Gurdial Singh)
Chairman, BOS

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Dated: 21.04.2016

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action please.

1. Dean, COVS, LUVAS, Hisar
2. The Registrar, LUVAS, Hisar.
3. Dean PGS, LUVAS, Hisar
4. Director of Research, LUVAS, Hisar
5. Director, IPVS, LUVAS, Hisar
6. Controller of Examination, LUVAS, Hisar
7. All members of Board of Studies, COVS, LUVAS, Hisar.
8. Assistant (Academic) O/o the Dean, COVS
9. Editor, Haryana Veterinarian
10. Dr. Vijay Jadhav for uploading the proceeding on University website.



Secretary (BOS)