

**Minutes of the Fourth meeting of the State Level Academic Committee  
(SLAC) held on 22.09.2021 at 2.30 pm through video conferencing**

The following members attended the meeting:

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| 1. Prof. Rajan Gurukkal P.M.    | - | Vice Chairman, KSHEC & Chairman, SLAC                            |
| 2. Prof. V. P. Mahadevan Pillai | - | Vice Chancellor, University of Kerala                            |
| 3. Prof. Sabu Thomas            | - | Vice Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi University                       |
| 4. Prof. V. Anilkumar           | - | Vice Chancellor, Thunchath Ezhuthachan Malayalam University      |
| 5. Dr. Rajasree M.S.            | - | Vice Chancellor, APJ Abdul kalam Technological University        |
| 6. Prof. K.N Madhusoodanan      | - | Vice Chancellor, Cochin University of Science and Technology     |
| 7. Dr. K. Mohanan               | - | Vice Chancellor, Kerala University of Health Science             |
| 8. Prof.R. Saseendranth         | - | Vice Chancellor, Kerala Veterinary and Animal Science University |
| 9. Prof. R. Chandrababu         | - | Vice Chancellor, Kerala Agricultural University                  |
| 10. Dr. Saji Gopinath           | - | Vice Chancellor, Digital University Kerala                       |
| 11. Dr. Rajan Varughese         | - | Member Secretary, KSHEC & Convener, SLAC                         |

Dr. M. Nasser (Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Calicut) & Dean, Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies were also present in the meeting.

Special Invitee – Dr. Subrata Sinha, MD PhD; *FAMS FNA FASc FNASc*, J C Bose Fellow, Dean (Research), Professor and Head, Department of Biochemistry, Head, Dept of Laboratory Medicine, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi 110029, India. (Note Attached).

### Decisions

**Agenda Item No. 1 Applications/ Grievances received from students who completed BSc. and MSc. Allied health courses**

After detailed discussion including the comments of the special invitee Dr. Subrata Sinha (AIIMS) it was resolved to recognize Para Medical Courses including BSc Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT)/ MSc Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) & Allied health courses recognized by regulatory bodies for employment and higher studies.



**Agenda Item No. 2 Equivalency of B.Sc Statistics of Sri. Rejith S acquired through Distance mode from Manonmaniam Sundarnar University**

Based on the expert opinion on the similarity of the syllabus, it was resolved to recognize B.Sc Statistics acquired through Distance mode from Manonmaniam Sundarnar University Thirunelveli as equivalent to B.Sc Statistics (regular).

**Agenda Item No. 3 Reporting of the action taken on applications received by the Council.**

The meeting approved all the recommendations related to Recognition/ Equivalency reported below.

Sl. No	File No.	Name	Subject	Recommendation	Remarks
1	A7-AM (III) SLAC 5 09/02/2021	Jai Rajan - Kollam	Application for Equivalency of MSc (Polymer Chemistry) from Madura Kamaraj University	In the light of UGC announcement – the application cannot be considered	
2	A7-AM(III) SLAC 3 21/04/2021	ASWIN E.A. – Aluva, Ernakulam	Application for Equivalency of (Instrumentation Mechanic) and Junior instructor (Instrumentation Mechanic – Chemical Plant) -PSC Recruitment Junior Instructor– reg.	PSC to consider certificate issued by CUSAT	
3	A7-AM(II) - SLAC 101 20/02/2021	Dhanyasree Nair and others - Thrissur	Application for Equivalency of B.Sc. Optometry degree- Kerala University of Health Sciences	Cannot be considered	Reply given on Additional Chief Secretary (B) Department - 24/06/2021
4	A7-AM(1) - SLAC-76 27/12/2019	Asha. A - Thrissur	Application for Equivalency of M.Sc Zoology acquired through Distance mode from Bharathiar University	Cannot be granted	



