# Ch. S. D. St. Theresa's College for Women (A), Eluru

# **Academic Council Meeting**

Academic Council meeting was held on  $26^{\rm h}$  June, 2023 at 9.30 a.m. on hybrid mode.

## **Members of the Academic Council**

Chairperson	Dr.Sr.Mercy P	Principal, St.Theresa's College for Women, Eluru	
University	Dr.P.Venkateswara Rao	Dept. of Computer Science	
Representatives		Adikavi NannayaUniversity	
		Rajamahendravaram – 533 296	
	Prof.K.Ramaneswari	Department of Zoology	
		Adikavi NannayaUniversity	
		Rajamahendravaram – 533 296	
	Dr.P.Uma Maheswari Devi	Dept.of Commerce & M't. Studies	
		Adikavi NannayaUniversity	
		Rajamahendravaram – 533 296	
Management	Rev.Sr.Ernestine Fernandes	Correspondent, St.Theresa's	
Representatives		College for Women, Eluru.	
	Sr.Maria Christia	Vice Principal	
	Sr.M.Suseela	Controller of Examinations &	
		Director, P.G.Courses	
Management	Rev.Fr.Dr.G.A.P.Kishore, S.J.	Principal	
Nominees		Andhra Loyola College (A)	
		Vijayawada – 520 008	
	Dr.E.Karuna Sree	Programme Co-ordinator, KVK	
		Dr.YSR Horticultural University	
		Venkataramannagudem	
		CEO & Director (Academics)	
	Prof.Dr.Ratnakar D.B.	IMRF Institution of Higher	
		Education & Research	
		Vijayawada ,Amaravati	
	Dr.P.Lakshmana Swamy	Head, Dept. of Agricultural Sc.	
		Maris Stella College (A)	
		Vijayawada – 520 008	
	Mr.Khadar Valli	Global Foundation for Educational	
		Research & Development	
		Vijayawada	

#### **U.G.Courses**

#### **Subject**

## Chairpersons of the subject

1. English Dr.R.Madhavi

2. Telugu Mrs.Y.Aruna Jhansi Rani 3. Hindi Dr.Ch.V.Mahalakshmi 4. Economics Dr.P.Ratna Mary 5. History Dr.M.Esther Kalvani 6. Politics Mrs.R.Chittemma 7. Psychology Mrs.G.M.R.Josephine 8. Social Work Ms.K.Kusuma Kumari 9. Commerce Mr.S.B.V.Subrahmanyam

10. Mathematics Mr.V.Gopinath
11. Statistics Mrs.R.Sravani
12. B.Sc.Computer Science Mrs.K.L.L.Lavanya
13. B.Com. Computers Mrs.G.Radhika

14. Physics & Electronics
15. Chemistry
16. Botany
Dr.A.Nirmala Jyothsna
Dr.C.A.Jyothirmayee
Dr.BBRG Vijayalakshmi

17. Zoology Dr.R.Indira
18. Home Science Dr.M.Padmaja
19. Nutrition & Dietetics Dr.P.Jyothi Kumari
20. Microbiology Dr.A.Padmavathi
21. Biochemistry Mrs.M.Stella
22. Clinical & Aqua Lab. Dr.R.Indira
23. Web Tech & Multimedia Ms.G.Divya

24. B.B.A. Dr.Santosh Jhawar
25. Agriculture & Rural Development Mr.V.Siva Nagireddy

#### P.G. Courses

1. M.A. Economics Dr.P.Ratna Mary 2. M.A. Telugu Dr.K.Aruna

3. M.A. English
4. M.Sc. Mathematics
5. M.Sc. Physics
6. M.Sc. Organic Chemistry
7. M.Sc. Clinical Nutrition
7. M.

7. M.Sc. Clinical Nutrition Dr.M.Padmaja 8. MBA Dr.Santosh Jhawar

#### **Student Representatives:**

1. P.Manaswini, II M.Sc. Physics

2. M.Siri Ninnitha, III B.Sc. MBN

### Agenda

❖ Prayer : Sr.Maria Christia, Vice Principal

❖ Welcome : Dr.C.A.Jyothirmayee❖ Report of Academic Year : Dr.Sr.Mercy P, Principal

\* Ratification of BoS resolutions

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Standing Academic Committee

Suggestions of the Council

❖ Any other with permission of the Chair

❖ Vote of thanks : Dr.R.Madhavi

#### **Minutes:**

The meeting began with a short prayer by Sr.Maria Christia, Vice Principal invoking the blessings of God. After the prayer, Dr.C.A. Jyothirmayee welcomed the members of Academic Council for a fruitful discussions and decisions.

## **\*** Report of the Academic Year:

Dr.Sr.Mercy P, Principal and Chair Person of the Academic Council presented the highlights of the academic year 2022-23.

#### **A Ratification of Boards of Studies Resolutions:**

All the Chair persons of Boards of Studies from UG and PG Courses presented the resolutions of their respective boards which was then ratified and passed by the Academic Council.

## **Presentation of the Resolutions of Standing Committee:**

Sr.Suseela M, Controller of Examinations and PG Directress presented the Resolutions of Standing Academic Committee meeting which was held on 19.06.2023. The resolutions were ratified and were approved by the Academic Council members.

1 It was resolved to continue with the III & V Semester syllabi of all UG Programs in the coming Academic year 2023-24. The proposals of the BoS regarding minor changes stand cancelled.

- 2. In view of the sweeping changes that are taking place in the higher education in the implementation of the NEP 2020 and the directions of the A.P.State Council of Higher Education the following changes were proposed.
  - The new curriculum frame work proposed by the APSCHE is adopted from the academic year 2023-24 admitted batch.
  - ➤ All the Triple Major 3 year Bachelor Degree programs are changed to Single Major 4-year Honours program from the academic year 2023-24 (Aided & Unaided courses list enclosed).

#### **Unaided Courses:**

S.	<b>Existing Courses</b>	Intake	S.	Proposed courses	Intake
No.			No.		
1	B.Com. Finance	60	1	BBA Honours (Digital	60
				marketing	
2	B.Com. Computer Applications	60	2	B.com. Honours (Computer	60
				Applications	
3	B.Sc. Agriculture	50	3	B.Sc. Honours (Agriculture	50
				and Rural Development	
4	B.Sc Maths, Chemistry, Computer	50	4	B.Sc. Honours (Chemistry)	50
	Science			,	
5	B.Sc. Maths, Electronics,	50	5	B.Sc. Honours (Computer	50
	Computer Sc.			Science	
6	B.Sc. Maths, Physics, Chemistry	50	6	B.Sc. Honours (Mathematics)	50
7	B.Sc. Maths, Physics, Computer	50	7	B.Sc. Honours (Physics)	50
	Science				
8	B.Sc. Maths, Statistics, Acturial	50	8	B.Sc. Honours (Statistics)	50
	Science	7.0			70
9	B.Sc. Maths, Statistics, Computer	50	9	B.Sc. Honours (Computer	50
	Science			Science	
10	B.Sc. Microbiology, Biochemistry,	50	10	B.Sc. Honours	50
	Chemistry			(Microbiology)	
11	B.Sc. Microbiology, Biochemistry,	50	11	B.Sc. Honours (Biochemistry)	50
	Computer Science				
12	B.Sc. Microbiology, Biochemistry,	50	12	B.Sc. Honours (Food Science	50
	Nutrition			and Technology)	
13	B.Sc. Visual Communications.	50	13	BCA Honours	50
1.4	Electronic Media	70	1.1		70
14	B.Voc. Clinical and Aqua Lab	50	14	B.Voc .Honours. (Clinical and	50
	Technology			Aqua Lab Technology)	
15	B.Voc. Web Technology and	50	15	B.Voc. Honours (Web	50
	Multimedia			Technology and Multimedia)	
16	BBA – Bachelor of Business	50	16	BBA Honours	50
	Administration				

## **Conversion of Aided Degree programs:**

S.	Existing Courses	Intake	S.	Proposed courses	Intake
No.			No.		
			1	B.A. Honours (Special	20
1	B.A. THP, HEP	80		Telugu)	
	EPSW	80	2	B.A. Honours (History)	40
			3	B.A. Honours (Economics)	40
			4	B.A. Honours (Special	20
				English)	
			5	B.A. Honours (Psychology)	20
			6	B.A. Honours (Social Work)	20
2	Commerce	80	7	B.Com. General	80
3	B.Sc. MPC	60	8	B.Sc. Honours (Physics)	30
			9	B.Sc. Honours (Chemistry)	30
4	B.Sc. BZC	60	10	B.Sc. Honours (Botany)	30
			11	B.Sc. Honours (Zoology)	30
5	B.Sc. ZNC	50	12	B.Sc. Honours (Food	25
				Science & Nutrition)	
			13	B.Sc. Honours (Chemistry)	25
6	B.Sc. Home Science	50	14	B.Sc. Honours (Home Sc.)	50

## **Suggestions:**

The members of the Academic Council gave valuable suggestions regarding adoption of innovative teaching-learning methods, startups and internships. They appreciated the Management for the quality culture and innovative practices.

## **Response of the students:**

The student representatives Miss P.Manaswini, II M.Sc. Physics and Miss Siri Ninnetha, III B.Sc. MBN expressed their appreciation for the dedicated services by the Management and the staff towards each individual student, especially in moulding them and helping them to fit to face their future with courage.

The meeting came to an end with the vote of thanks proposed by Dr.R.Madhavi, Head of the Department of English.