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Dated: 24-04-2025

### Minutes of Meeting of Department Research Committee

A meeting of Departmental Research Committee (DRC) was convened at SACMS, on **24<sup>th</sup> of April, 2025 at 10:00 am** in the Conference Room of the Shaikh ul Aalam Centre for Multidisciplinary Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar under the chairmanship of Prof. Aadil Amin Kak, Chairman, SACMS. The agenda of the meeting was to discuss the synopses of the newly admitted Ph.D Research Scholars of the Centre. The meeting was attended by the following faculty members of the Departmental Research Committee.

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| 1. Prof. Aadil Amin Kak<br>Chairman<br>Shaikh ul Aalam Centre for Multidisciplinary Studies<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar | (In Chair)       |
| 2. Prof. Peerzada Irshad Ahmad<br>Department of Political Science<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                           | (V.C's Observer) |
| 3. Prof. Aaliya Ahmad<br>Institute of Kashmir Studies (IKS)<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                                 | (DRC Member)     |
| 4. Prof. Tabasum Firdous<br>Director, Centre of Central Asian Studies<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                       | (DRC Member)     |
| 5. Prof. Shazia Manzoor<br>Head, Department of Social Work<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                                  | (DRC Member)     |
| 6. Prof. Sabeha Mufti<br>Professor, Media Education and Research Centre<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                     | (Member)         |
| 7. Prof. Syeda Afshana<br>Professor, Media Education and Research Centre<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                    | (Member)         |
| 8. Prof. Malik Zahra Khalid<br>Professor, Media Education and Research Centre<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar               | (Member)         |
| 9. Dr. Tariq Ahmad<br>Associate Professor, Department of Arabic<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                             | (Member)         |
| 10. Dr. Abdul Rashid Lone<br>Associate Professor, Department of History<br>University of Kashmir, Srinagar                     | (Member)         |
| 11. Prof. Gh. Hassan Mir<br>Rtd.Professor, Life Long Learning  | (Member)         |

### Note:

At the outset, the Chairman extended a warm welcome to the members of Departmental Research Committee, Shaikh ul Aalam Centre for Multidisciplinary Studies. Thereafter, following items were discussed:-

#### Item No. 1:- Allotment of Supervisors and Presentation of theme for newly admitted Research Scholars

The Committee considered the proposals of broad theme and supervisor preference of newly admitted research scholars to the Centre during the academic year 2024-2025.

#### Resolved:-

After due deliberation, the Committee approved broad themes and assigned supervisors to different scholars listed below:

S. No.	Name of the Research Scholar	Supervisor	Subject	Broad Theme
01	Iram	Prof. Sabeha Mufti	MERC	Sociology and Digital Journalism
02	Mehroob Mushtaq	Prof. Syeda Afshana	MERC	Media and Technology
03	Zakia Qureshi	Prof. Aaliya Ahmad	MERC	Media Narratives
04	Faisal Anjum	Prof. Malik Zahra Khalid	MERC	Media and Gender
05	Shabir Ahmad Tantray	Dr. Tariq Ahmad Ahangar	Arabic	Kashmiri and Arabic Quranic Translations and Interpretations
06	Saba Mushtaq Zargar	Prof Aadil Amin Kak	Linguistics	Comparative Literature
06	Irfan Ali Najar	Prof Javid Ahmed Dar	Political Science	Comparative Political Theory

#### Item No. 2. Consideration of the pre-synopsis presentation of Ms. Bushra Bashir

#### Resolved:-

The synopsis of Ms. Bushra Bashir, under the title, "Islam in Local Contexts: A Comparative Study of Kashmir and Bengal (16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> Century)" was approved by the committee to be presented before the Board of Research Studies (BORS).



**Note:**

**Item No. 3. Case for the Consideration of change of supervisor and pre-synopsis presentation of Ms. Rakiba Jan in the discipline of History**

**Case:-**

Ms. Rakiba Jan, a scholar of the Centre admitted in the discipline of History in the academic year 2023-2024, had put in an application for the allotment of a new supervisor since her earlier supervisor; Prof. Darakshan Abdullah attained superannuation.

**Resolved:-**

Ms. Rakiba Jan's application was deliberated upon in the Committee within the stipulations and guidelines of University statutes. The issue that cropped up during this discussion was that the faculty having expertise in the chosen research area of Ms Rakiba Jan, i.e Modern History from the Department of History do not have any vacancy available. Dr Javeed ul Aziz and Dr Sajad Darzi who specialize in Modern History are already supervising students from the Centre and hence, as per statutes, cannot undertake supervision of Ms. Rakiba Jan. Hence, it was resolved that the matter must be forwarded to the authorities for advice.

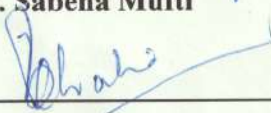
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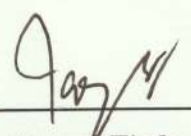
  
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