



Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University

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PRESS NOTE

2nd Academic Council Meeting of MRSPTU, Bathinda was held at 11:00 am on 31-05-2017 in the Committee Room of GZSCCET, Bathinda under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the University Dr. (Prof.) Mohan Paul Singh Ishar. Dean, Directors and Registrar of the University, council members from Constituent and Affiliated Colleges attended this Meeting. The members confirmed the proceedings of the 1st Academic Council Meeting held on 11-03-2016. Dean Academic Affairs of the University Dr. (Prof.) Gursharan Singh informed the Council, the decisions taken in the 1st Academic Council Meeting & the actions taken thereof, on the above said proceedings. Some of the salient features of the proceedings of this 2nd Meeting are: Approval of amendments in Choice Based Credit System- 2016 and Migration Regulations – 2016.

The Academic Council Empowered the University to evolve Academic Grading System based on Quality Parameters to issue ranking of all Affiliated Colleges; the University may deny recommendations for Post Matric Scholarship in Colleges where there is low Grade in the Academic Audit or the College does not enforce Bio-metric Attendance. Further, it was decided that University may upload the evaluated answer sheets in the student login on the university portal or University may issue a certified photo copy of evaluated answer sheet to the student at a nominal rate on the request of the student, for maintaining transparency in the Examination System. It was further decided that the university will give more emphasis on organization of Finishing Schools and Skill Development Programmes. The decision of the University to establish the Department of Education Technology was also welcomed by the Council. To promote R & D work, faculty members were allowed to register upto extended date 26-05-2017 for becoming Ph.D. Supervisors ;



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University has already approved research facility with state of art instrumentation and construction on the building is going on. The Academic Council approved all the modernised syllabi for UG, PG and Ph.D course work. It is to be mentioned that syllabus of various teaching programmes have been revised with inputs from various experts. The members also approved the syllabi of One Year Skill certificate programmes developed after exhaustive deliberations with experts from industries.. These include Plumbing, Welding, Food Processing, Tools and Die making, Electrician, Farm equipment maintenance, Refrigeration and AC repair, Electric instrumentation and computer programming; and these will be launched from the coming session in the constituent colleges ie PIT's of the University. Rules regarding pre-Ph.D course work were approved along with model Ph.D entrance test format.

It was also approved to start MBA in University Main Campus with Retail Management as specialization. The members ratified the decisions taken in the 1st Meeting of Standing Committee of Academic Council held on 20-12-2016 which includes ratification of the UGC Ph.D Regulations-2016 approved in the above meeting of Standing Committee of Academic Council. The Dean Academic Affairs, MRSPTU, Bathinda thanked the Chairman and the members of the Council for participating in this Meeting and their contributions.

**Dean Academic Affairs,
MRSPTU, Bathinda**