NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SIKKIM

(An Institute of National Importance, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India)

Minutes of the 29th Meeting of the Senate

The 29th Meeting of the Senate was held on 27th July, 2024 at 11:00 AM under the Chairmanship of Prof. Mahesh Chandra Govil, Chairman Senate in the conference room of the Institute. The following members were present in the meeting:

Sl.No Name Desig	Name Designation		
1. Prof. Mahesh Chandra Govil Director Cha	irman, Senate		
2. Prof. Lalit Kumar Awasthi			
Former Director, NIT Jalandhar	External Expert		
3. Prof. Nupur Tandon			
Professor MNIT Jaipur Ex	xternal Expert		
4. Prof. Adrijit Goswami			
Professor, IIT Kharagpur Ex	xternal Expert		
5. Prof. Virendra Singh	1		
Professor, IIT Bombay E	xternal Expert		
6. Dr. Ranjan Basak, Dean Academic	Member		
7. Dr. Achintesh N. Biswas, Dean Admin & HoD, Chemistry	Member		
8. Dr. Aurbindo Panda, HoD, EEE	Member		
9. Dr. Sanjay Kumar Jana, HoD,ECE	Member		
10. Dr. Anil Lal S, HoD, ME	Member		
11. Dr. Ravi Srivastav, HoD Mathematics	Member		
12. Dr. Dhananjay Tripathi, Dean Faculty Welfare & HOD, HSS	Member		
13. Dr. Md. Nurujjaman, HoD, Physics	Member		
14. Dr. Sourav Mallick, Dean Student Welfare	Member		
15. Dr. Pratyay Kuila, HoD, CSE	Member		
16. Dr. Joy Pal, HoD,CE	Member		
17. Dr. Molay Roy, Associate Dean Academic Coordi	nating Member		
18. Dr. Abhishek Rajan, Associate Dean Academic Coordi	nating Member		
19. Mr. Ram Nepal, Assistant Registrar (Academic) Coordin	nating Member		



At the outset, the Chairman welcomed all the members in the meeting. The following agenda items were placed for discussion and accordingly, decisions were taken as under;

Item No.29.01: To confirm the Minutes of the Meeting of the 28th Senate held on 20th June, 2024.

The minutes were circulated amongst the members, no comments were received. The minutes of the 28th Senate were unanimously confirmed.

Item No. 29.02: Academic Report & Action Taken Report.

The Senate noted the academic reports and the action taken by the Institute. The actions taken by the Institute were appreciated by the members.

Item No.29.03: To consider and approve the revised syllabi of B. Tech. 1st year to be effective from academic session 2024-25.

The Senate deliberated and approved the revised syllabi of B. Tech. 1st year. The revised syllabi will be effective from Academic session 2024-2025.

Item No.29.04: To consider and approve the revised course structure of B.Tech. in Civil Engineering Department.

The Senate approved the revised course structure of B.Tech. Civil Engineering for academic year 2021-25, 2022-26, 2023-27 without revision of its syllabus. These structure will be effective from 2024-25 academic session.

Item No.29.05: To consider and approve the course mapping for B.Tech. students shortlisted by IIT Hyderabad.

The Senate deliberated and approved the course mapping for B.Tech students shortlisted by IIT Hyderabad after minor modification.

Item No.29.06: To consider and approve the cancellation of enrolment of students from the Institute

The Senate approved the cancellation of enrollment of the following students:

Roll. No.	Name	Program B.Tech (course withdrawal)		
B230031CS	Soumya Basuli			
M230009CS	Dhananjoy Saha	M.Tech (course withdrawal)		

The final notice of cancellation of studentship shall be issued from the Institute and sent through registered post as well as email to the concerned student.

Item No.29.07: To consider the extension of Ph.D. tenure of Mr. Romio Atha (PHEE190005) for one year.

The Senate approved one year extension of Ph.D. tenure to Mr. Romio Atha w.e.f. 27.08.2024.

FOON

Item No.29.08: To consider and approve the inclusion of core/ elective subjects in the B.Tech. curriculum to be effective from 2024-2025 Academic Session.

The Senate approved the same after due deliberation. The courses have been designed by taking suggestions from external experts and the department will incorporate in their respective course structure. The details are given below:

S. No.	Name of Course	Code	Credit	Sem.	Core/ Elective	Offering Dept.
1	Engineering Economics and Management	HS15102	3	V .	Core	All Department
2	Entrepreneurship and Startup	HS16102	2	VI	Core	All Department
3	Entrepreneurship and Startup	ZZ17101	1	VII	Core	All Department
4	Advanced Reinforced Concrete Design	CE1*119	3	VII/ VIII	Elective	
5	Design of Machine Foundations	CE1*126	3	VII/ VIII	Elective	CE Department
6	Design of Bridge Structures	CE1*116	3	VII/ VIII	Elective	

Item No.29.09: Any other items with the permission of the Chair.

No Additional Agenda were placed for permission to the Chair. The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Dean Academic & Registrar (I/c)

29.8.24

Director & Chairman