

Department of Biochemical Engineering and Biotechnology
Curriculum Review & Development (04/2016-17)

February 14, 2017

The 4th Departmental Curriculum Review & Development Meeting of the session 2016-17 was held on 13th February 2017 at 3 pm in the Departmental Committee Room (I-230). The following members were present:

1. Prof. Atul Narang	Chairman
2. Dr. D. Sundar	Member
3. Dr. Shilpi Sharma	Member
4. Dr. Preeti Srivastava	Member
5. Dr. Z. Ahammad	Member
6. Dr. Ashish Misra	Member

The committee deliberated on the following agenda items.

1. Discussion on the lab handouts

It was noted that lab handouts for two core courses (Genomics and Proteomics and Instrumentation and Analytical methods in Bioengineering), and elective courses (Immunology, Enzyme catalyzed organic synthesis and High resolution methods in Biotechnology) were not available. The concerned faculty members are requested to provide the handouts for the mentioned courses.

[DS & PS, SM & PM, RK, PM & MNG, SM & PM]

A sub committee consisting of Dr. D. Sundar, Dr. Shilpi Sharma and Dr. Preeti Srivastava was formed to look at the overlaps in the lab handouts of the following four courses : Biochemistry, Microbiology, Molecular Biology and Genetics and Recombinant DNA technology.

A sub committee consisting of Prof. Atul Narang, Dr. Z.A. Shaikh and Dr. Ashish Misra was formed to look at the overlaps in the labs of three courses Bioseparation engineering, Enzyme science and engineering and Reaction engineering.

2. Equipment from DBT-HRD infrastructure grant

Head informed that DBT-HRD infrastructure grant supports teaching labs by providing funds ~50 lakhs. It was decided to compile a list of equipments present in the UG lab. The equipments required for the teaching labs will then be compiled for submitting the proposal to DBT-HRD tentatively by mid march.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Preeti Srivastava