

3-DAY ONLINE TRAINING PROGRAMME ON THE TOPIC “CBCSS-UG REGULATIONS 2019”

Report

The Department of Education, University of Calicut is running a Teaching Learning Centre (TLC) sponsored by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission for Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNTT). The TLC aims to promote on a continuous basis discipline specific curricula, pedagogy, learning materials (including e-content) for teachers of Tertiary and Higher Secondary levels.

The MHRD-TLC planned 3-day online training programme on the topic “CBCSS-UG Regulations 2019” in two batches to the chairpersons and other selected members of Boards of Studies under various faculties.

The second batch of the training programme for BoS members under the following faculties was conducted from 13th to 15th July 2020.

Faculties:

1. Commerce and Management Studies
2. Language and Literature
3. Humanities
4. Journalism
5. Fine arts

On the first day 13.07.2020, Monday, official proceedings started at 10 am with the introductory speech by Dr. K. Abdul Gafoor, Project Head, TLC, University of Calicut. Followed by presidential address by Dr. K.P Meera, Head of the Department, Department of Education, University of Calicut. Dr. V. Anil Kumar, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, University of Calicut delivered the inaugural address. Keynote Address was conveyed by Dr. C.L.Joshy, Registrar, University of Calicut. Dr. P.K Aruna, Former Project Head, TLC, University of Calicut, and Dr. Lajish V.L, Head of the Department, Department of Computer Science, University of Calicut felicitated the occasion with their positive remarks. Finally, the official session was concluded with the vote of thanks delivered by Dr. C. Abdul Majeed, Director, TLC.

At 10.45 am, the first technical session was handled by Dr. K. Abdul Gafoor, Project Head, TLC, University of Calicut on the theme “*The Programme Objectives*”. The session went on to half an hour, and for next 75 minutes there were presentations from different Board of Studies Chairpersons.

At 1.30 pm, the second technical session was taken by Dr. Vinod Kumar K.P., Member Syndicate, University of Calicut on the topic “*CBCSS-UG Regulation 2019*”; which was indeed very much beneficial for all Board of Studies Chairpersons and members. From 3.15 pm to 4.00 pm the floor was open for discussions and queries which were really helpful for the participants to a larger extent.

On the second day 14.07.2020, Tuesday, at 10 am; Dr. Edamana Prasad, Professor, IIT Madras handled the third technical session on a very important topic of the current era, known as “*Outcome Based Curriculum Development*”. The session was highly remarkable and valuable for all. From 12.00 pm to 12.30 pm it was activity cum discussion occasion, in which all participants equally participated on a positive note.

Technical Session 4 began at 1.30 pm, and it continued till 3.00 pm. It was handled by a famous administrator and academician, Dr. Shakila T Shamsu, Formerly OSD (NEP), MHRD and Secretary, Committee to draft National Education Policy. Her topic for discussion was “*Developing Academic Leaders in Higher Education Institutions*”. It was a very significant area and interesting matter, and all participants raised their few apprehensions and doubts regarding this topic in the discussion section which was from 3.15 pm to 4.00 pm.

Final day of training session, 15th July 2020 (Wednesday) started with technical session 5, handled by Prof. (Dr.) M. Manoharan, Member Syndicate, University of Calicut. His area of discussion was “*University Governance Structure*”. He very well explained about the diverse amendments, Acts, and statutes of Calicut University and its legal, administrative structure. Active deliberations took place from the participants’ side from 12.00 pm to 12.30 pm on this theme.

Last technical session on last day started exactly at 1.30 pm, and it was Dr. Mumthas N.S & Dr. K Vijayakumari, Associate Professors, Farook Training College, Feroke, who handled the session with an extraordinary topic called as “*Test Item Construction and Question Banking*”. They clearly spoke about the importance of Bloom’s taxonomy in the academic environment especially while preparing question papers. The session was really exuberant and worthwhile for all. From 3.15 pm to 4.00 pm the floor was open for discussions and queries which were really helpful for the participants to a great extent.

At 4.00 pm, Valedictory Session started, and the Welcome Speech was delivered by Prof. (Dr.) K Abdul Gafoor, Project Head, MHRD-TLC. There were few positive and motivating reflections by the Participants. Valedictory Address was given by Dr. C. L. Joshy, Registrar, University of Calicut, and finally the Vote of Thanks was officially conveyed by Dr. C Abdul Majeed, Director, MHRD-TLC.