



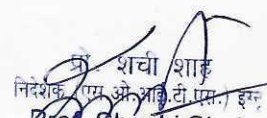
Indira Gandhi National Open University
School of Interdisciplinary and Trans-Disciplinary Studies (SOITS)

Minutes of 32nd School Board of SOITS held on 04th May, 2022

The 32nd Meeting of the School Board of SOITS was held on 04th May 2022 through online mode.
The following members were present:

1.	Prof. Shachi Shah, Director, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Chairperson
2.	Prof. R.K. Srivastava Chairman, SEAC- Uttarakhand Govt., Professor & Head Department of Environmental Sciences, G.B. Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pant Nagar, Udham Singh Nagar, Uttarakhand- 263145	Member
3.	Prof. Subhakanta Mohapatra, Professor, SOS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
4.	Prof. Pramod Kumar, Professor, SOH, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
5.	Dr. K.S. Arul Selvan, Associate Professor, SOJNMS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
6.	Dr. P. Vijayakumar, Associate Professor, SOA, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
7.	Prof. Nandini Sinha Kapur, Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
8.	Prof. Shubhangi Vaidya, Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
9.	Prof. Boyina Rupini, Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
10.	Dr. Sadananda Sahoo, Assistant Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
11.	Dr. V. Venkatramanan, Assistant Professor, SOITS, IGNOU	Member
12.	Dr. Deeksha Dave, Assistant Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
13.	Dr. Y.S.C. Khuman, Assistant Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Member
14.	Dr. Sushmitha Baskar, Assistant Professor, SOITS, IGNOU, New Delhi	Special Invitee

Prof. S.M Patnaik, Professor of Anthropology, Delhi University, Prof. P.K. Joshi, Professor,
School of Environmental Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, Dr. Ashish Kumar,
Joint Director, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India, New


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Delhi and Dr. Pragati Sahni, Associate Professor, Department of Philosophy, Delhi University, New Delhi- 110007 could not attend the meeting.

At the outset, the Chairperson Prof. Shachi Shah extended a warm welcome to all the Members of the School Board and thanked them for their guidance and constant support to strengthen the school activities.

The chairperson apprised the School Board about the achievements and activities of the school since the last School Board meeting.

The following agenda items were taken up for consideration and approval by the School Board.

SB. 32.1	To confirm the minutes of the 31 st Meeting of the School Board of SOITS held on 04 th May 2022 and Action Taken Report on the minutes
SB.32.1.1	The chairperson informed that the minutes of the 31 st Meeting of the School Board of SOITS were circulated to all School Board members. Since no comments have been received and hence the minutes of the 31 st Meeting of the School Board may be confirmed. The Action Taken Report of the 31 st School Board meeting was reviewed and the members noted the action taken report.
SB. 32.1.2	The School Board confirmed the minutes of the 31 st School Board meeting and noted the Action Taken Report.
SB. 32.2	To consider and approve the minutes of the 17 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee of the Ph.D (Environmental Science) PHDEV Programme
SB.32.2.1	The Chairperson Prof. Shachi Shah presented the Minutes of the 17 th Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D (Environmental Science) PHDEV for the consideration and approval of the School Board
SB.32.2.2	The School Board considered and approved the 17 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee of the Ph.D (Environmental Science) PHDEV Programme
SB. 32.3	To consider and approve the minutes of the 18 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee Meeting of Ph.D (Environmental Science) PHDEV Programme
SB.32.3.1	The Chairperson Prof. Shachi Shah presented the Minutes of the 18 th Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D (Environmental Science) PHDEV for the consideration and approval of the School Board. She informed that 85 candidates were called for Ph.D interview and 12 candidates were selected.
SB.32.3.2	The School Board considered and approved the minutes of the 18 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee Meeting of the Ph.D (Environmental Science) PHDEV Programme

SB. 32.4	To consider and approve the minutes of the 34 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D Interdisciplinary Studies (PHDITS) Programme
SB.32.4.1	The Chairperson Prof. Shachi Shah presented the 34 th Minutes of the Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D Interdisciplinary Studies (PHDITS) Programme for the consideration and approval of the School Board
SB.32.4.2	The School Board considered and approved the Minutes of 34 th Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D Interdisciplinary Studies (PHDITS) Programme
SB. 32.5	To consider and approve the minutes of the 35 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D Interdisciplinary Studies (PH.DITS) Programme
SB.32.5.1	The Chairperson Prof. Shachi Shah presented the Minutes 35 th of the Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D Interdisciplinary Studies (PH.DITS) Programme for the consideration and approval of the School Board. She informed that a total of 53 candidates were called for the Ph.D interview for PHDITS and 9 candidates were selected.
SB.32.5.2	The School Board considered and approved the minutes of the 35 th Meeting of the Doctoral Research Committee of Ph.D Interdisciplinary Studies (PHDITS) Programme

The Chairperson thanked all the members for their valuable suggestions.

The Meeting ended with a Vote of Thanks to the Chair.


Prof. Shachi Shah,
Director
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