

## Department of Mechanical Engineering Minutes of the DPPC Meeting

*Ref: IITG/ME/DPPC/UKS/2014/01/Minutes*

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held on **January 17, 2014** (Friday) at 5-00 pm in the departmental Meeting Room (Old).

**Chairman** – Prof. P. Mahanta

**Members** – Prof. A. K. Dass, Dr. S. D. Kore, and Dr. P. Biswas

**M Tech Students' Representative** – Mr. Manojkumar S. Patil

**Secretary** – Prof. U. K. Saha

1. The following PhD student(s) has been allotted supervisor(s) as indicated:

Sl.No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Allotted Supervisor(s)
1.1	Mr. Dipankar Das	136103032	Dr. V. Kulkarni
1.2	Mr. R. Vignesh Babu	136103035	Dr. S. Kanagaraj
1.3	Ms. Ngangkham Devrani	136103036	Dr. S. N. Joshi
1.4	Mr. Dipendra K. Roy	136103037	Prof. R. Tiwari
1.5	Mr. Sibananda Mohanty	136103038	Prof. S. K. Dwivedy
1.6	Mr. Sourabh Bhardwaj	136103041	Dr. Amaresh Dalal

2. The Doctoral Committee (DC) for the following students has been constituted:

Sl.No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Doctoral Committee
2.1	Ms. Anwesa Patowary	126103024	Chairman – Prof. P. Mahanta Members – Dr. Amaresh Dalal and Dr. S. Kartha (CE) Supervisors – Prof. A. K. Dass and Dr. V. Kulkarni
2.2	Mr. Shahnawaz Ahmed	136103007	Chairman – Prof. U. K. Saha Members – Dr. H. P. Gadgil and Dr. D. Bandopadhyay (CL) Supervisor – Prof. Manmohan Pandey
2.3	Mr. Sanasam S. Singh	136103012	Chairman – Dr. S. Senthivelan Members – Dr. Manas Das and Dr. Ashwini K. Sharma (PH) Supervisor – Dr. S. N. Joshi
2.4	Mr. Woldetinsay Gutu	136103029	Chairman – Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan Members – Dr. P. Biswas and Dr. A. Chattopadhyay (CH) Supervisors – Prof. U. S. Dixit and Dr. M. Ravi Sankar
2.5	Mr. Dawit Gudeta Gunjo	136103030	Chairman – Dr. N. Sahoo Members – Dr. C. Somayaji and Dr. V. V. Goud (CL) Supervisors – Prof. P. Mahanta and Prof. P. S. Robi

3. The DPPC approves the comprehensive examination syllabus along with the list of examiners for the following student:

Sl.No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	List of Examiners
3.1	Mr. Wittison Kamei (External)	126103040	Dr. C. Somayaji, Dr. H. P. Gadgil, Dr. P. Muthukumar, Dr. N. Sahoo ( <i>Supervisor</i> ), Dr. S. K. Singhal ( <i>External Supervisor</i> )
3.2	Mr. Shuvayan Brahmachary	126103045	Dr. Amaresh Dalal, Dr. Arnab K. De, Dr. S. Deepak R, Dr. N. Sahoo ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> ), Dr. G. Natarajan ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> )
3.3	Mr. Devarshi Kashyap	136103003	Prof. P. S. Robi, Prof. S. K. Kakoty, Dr. Deepak Sharma, Dr. S. Kanagaraj ( <i>Supervisor</i> )
3.4	Mr. Arvind K. Agrawal	136103008	Dr. M. Ravi Sankar, Dr. Swarup Bag, Dr. Sukhomay Paul, Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan ( <i>Supervisor</i> )
3.5	Mr. Deva Kanta Rabha	136103022	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Dr. N. Sahoo, Dr. P. Muthukumar, Dr. C. Somayaji ( <i>Supervisor</i> )
3.6	Mr. Mayur K. Devat	136103023	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Dr. H. P. Gadgil, Prof. U. K. Saha, Prof. S. C. Mishra ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> ), Dr. C. Somayaji ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> )

4. The DPPC approves an amount of **Rs. 4000/-** (Rupees Four Thousand Only) per month from **DPF-ME** to each of the following students as financial assistance to continue their PhD program. This financial support to each of the students is granted for a period of **three months** as indicated below:

Sl.No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Period of Financial Assistance
4.1	Mr. Purnendu K. Mandal	09610315	January 2014 – March 2014
4.2	Ms. Manjula Das	09610317	January 2014 – March 2014

5. **Reporting Item – 1:** The Chairman, DPPC, nominates Dr. Amaresh Dalal and Dr. Tapas K. Mandal (CL) as the members of the PhD Oral Board of Mr. B. Satya Sekhar, Regn. No. 10610308, (*Supervisor: Dr. P. Muthukumar*). Because of the schedule of viva-voce, the Oral Board was constituted on January 06, 2014. The matter is minuted here for its record.

6. **Reporting Item – 2:** Mr. R. Kalidasan (Regn. No. 10610326), having got an offer of Assistant Professor in Assam down town University, Guwahati, had submitted an application to allow him to continue the remaining part of his PhD work from the abovementioned university. He is asked to join the university on or before January 20, 2014. Upon submission of NOC from the said university, the application was forwarded to DOAA for its consideration to change the category of Mr. Kalidasan from regular to **part-time** as per rule. The matter is minuted here for its record.

  
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering**  
**Minutes of the DPPC Meeting**

Ref: IITG/ME/DPPC/UKS/2014/02/Minutes

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held on **February 07, 2014** (Friday) at 12-15 pm in the departmental Meeting Room (Old).

**Chairman** – Prof. P. Mahanta

**Members** – Prof. A. K. Dass, Dr. S. Senthivelan, Dr. S. D. Kore, and Dr. P. Biswas

**M Tech Students' Representative** – Mr. Manojkumar S. Patil

**Secretary** – Prof. U. K. Saha

1. The following PhD student(s) has been allotted supervisor(s) as indicated:

Sl. No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Allotted Supervisor(s)
1.1	Mr. Sailen Dutta	136103001	Prof. A. K. Dass and Dr. Sangamesh Deepak R.
1.2	Mr. Kamal K. Basumetary	136103031	Prof. S. K. Kakoty
1.3	Mr. Anupam Alok	136103033	Dr. Manas Das
1.4	Mr. Arbind Prasad	136103034	Dr. M. Ravi Sankar and Dr. A. N. Reddy

2. The Doctoral Committee (DC) for the following students has been constituted:

Sl. No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Doctoral Committee
2.1	Mr. Dipankar Das	136103032	Chairman – Prof. S. Kanagaraj Members – Dr. G. Natarajan and Dr. Anugrah Singh (CL) Supervisor – Dr. V. Kulkarni
2.2	Mr. Dipendra K. Roy	136103037	Chairman – Dr. S. K. Kakoty Members – Dr. Atanu Banerjee and Dr. S. Talukdar (CE) Supervisor – Dr. R. Tiwari
2.3	Mr. Saurabh Bhardwaj	136103041	Chairman – Prof. Gautam Biswas Members – Prof. A. K. Dass and Dr. Subrata K. Majumder (CL) Supervisor – Dr. Amaresh Dalal

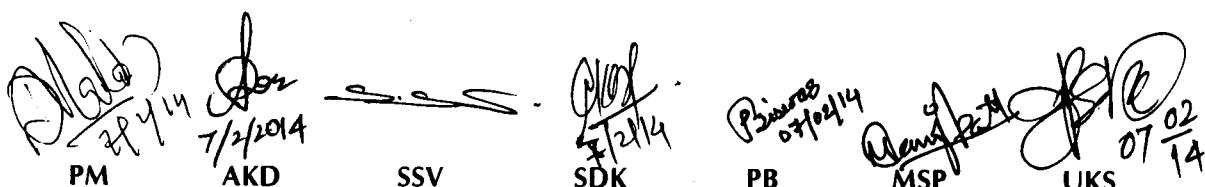
3. The DPPC approves the comprehensive examination syllabus along with the list of examiners for the following student:

Sl. No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	List of Examiners
3.1	Mr. Sanasam S. Singh	136103012	Prof. P. S. Robi, Prof. S. K. Dwivedy, Dr. Manas Das, and Dr. S. N. Joshi ( <i>Supervisor</i> )
3.2	Mr. Dawit G. Gunjo	136103030	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Prof. A. K. Dass, Prof. U. K. Saha, Prof. P. Mahanta ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> ), Prof. P. S. Robi ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> )

4. Based on the approvals of DOAA, the following Examination Committees have been formed to evaluate the seminar courses that are registered by Mr. Kiran Saikia (Regn. No. 126103010) and Ms. Urmimala Saikia (Regn. No. 126103026) during January–April, 2014 semester. DOAA has approved these courses, as a special case, in order to improve their CPI. The concerned examination committee, headed by a coordinator (C), will conduct **three** seminars for each of the courses in a phase-wise manner, and finally award a grade to the student based on his/her performance. In each case, the student will submit a report to the committee at least a week prior to the scheduled date of a seminar. The report must be prepared from the content of the syllabus earmarked by the committee. The coordinator of each seminar course will also make sure that the grades are submitted to the academic section as per the schedule.

Sl. No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Courses	Examination Committee
4.1	Mr. Kiran Saikia	126103010	ME 520 Fluid Mechanics	Prof. A. K. Dass (C), Prof. U. K. Saha, and Dr. V. Kulkarni
4.2	Ms. Urmimala Saikia	126103026	ME 662 Combustion	Dr. C. Somayaji (C), Prof. P. Mahanta, and Dr. V. Kulkarni
			ME 671 Biomaterials: Design and Applications	Dr. S. Kanagaraj (C), Prof. P. S. Robi, and Dr. Manas Das

5. The extension of financial support sought by Mr. Amitava Ghatak (Regn. No. 09610307) to continue his PhD program has been declined by DPPC on the ground that he has already been supported financially for last six months (August 2013 – January 2014).
6. Mr. Ravi K. Peetala (Regn. No. 09610314) is granted permission and academic leave to attend **Research Opportunities Week** to be held at Technische Universität München, Germany during March 17 – 21, 2014.


  
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## Department of Mechanical Engineering Minutes of the DPPC Meeting

*Ref. IITG/ME/DPPC/UKS/2014/03/Minutes*

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held on **March 18, 2014** (Tuesday) at 12-15 pm in the departmental Meeting Room (Old).

**Chairman** – Prof. P. Mahanta

**Members** – Prof. A. K. Dass, Prof. P. S. Robi, Dr. K. S. R. K. Murthy, Dr. S. Senthilvelan, Dr. S. D. Kore, and Dr. P. Biswas

**PhD Students' Representative** – Mr. Arpan K. Mandal

**MTech Students' Representative** – Mr. Manojkumar S. Patil

**Secretary** – Prof. U. K. Saha

1. The DPPC introduces the following three standard forms (at the departmental level) for the PhD students:

1.1	Form ME/PhD-1: Selection of PhD Supervisor(s)
1.2	Form ME/PhD-2: Formation of Doctoral Committee
1.3	Form ME/PhD-3: Approval for Comprehensive Examination

The concerned supervisor(s) of the PhD students are hereby requested to use the above forms as per requirement. The copies of these three forms will be e-circulated, and will also be made available in the departmental web.

2. The Doctoral Committee (DC) for the following students has been constituted:

Sl. No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	Doctoral Committee
2.1	Mr. Ashish K. Rajak	136105005	Chairman – Dr. S. Kanagaraj Members – Dr. S. N. Joshi and Prof. P. Roy Paily (EEE) Supervisor – Dr. S. D. Kore
2.2	Mr. Anupam Alok	136103033	Chairman – Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan Members – Dr. Pankaj Biswas and Dr. S. K. Majumder (CL) Supervisor – Dr. Manas Das

3. The DPPC approves the comprehensive examination syllabus along with the list of examiners for the following students:

Sl. No.	Name of Student	Regn. No.	List of Examiners
3.1	Mr. Pankaj Kumar	136103005	Dr. G. Natarajan, Prof. P. Mahanta, Prof. A. K. Dass, and Dr. Arnab K. De ( <i>Supervisor</i> )
3.2	Mr. Woldetinsay Gutu	136103029	Dr. S. Kanagaraj, Prof. P. S. Robi, Dr. A. K. Sharma, and Prof. U. S. Dixit ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> ), Dr. M. Ravi Sankar ( <i>Co-supervisor</i> )
3.3	Mr. Dipankar Das	136103032	Prof. U. K. Saha, Prof. A. K. Dass, Dr. Amaresh Dalal, and Dr. V. Kulkarni ( <i>Supervisor</i> )
3.4	Mr. Saurabh Bhardwaj	136103041	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Dr. Dipankar N. Basu, Dr. G. Natarajan, Dr. Amaresh Dalal ( <i>Supervisor</i> )

4. The DPPC reviewed the proposals for introducing two new elective courses viz., **Electromechanics** (*submitted by Dr. Karuna Kalita*) and **Thermal Design and Management of Electronic Equipment** (*submitted by Dr. Madhusudhana R. Gavara*). The syllabi of both the courses have been approved and will be forwarded to DOAA.
5. Mr. Vijay Kiran Bura (Regn. No. 126103043) joined for his PhD program during January-April, 2013. Based on his research interest, he was allotted supervisor on January 10, 2013, and was undergoing his course work. However, he left the institute in February 2013 without informing his supervisor, Dr. Manas Das. The DPPC looked into the matter and recommended the case to DOAA for terminating the studentship of Mr. Bura.
6. Mr. Barod M. Barkachary (Regn. No. 10610325), having got an offer of Assistant Professor in Jorhat Institute of Science and Technology, Jorhat, had submitted an application (with an NOC from the institute) to allow him to continue the remaining part of his PhD work as a **part-time** candidate from the abovementioned institute. The DPPC found all the supporting documents in order, and recommended the case to DOAA for a change of category of Mr. Barkachary from regular to part-time as per rule.

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## INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY GUWAHATI

Department of Mechanical Engineering

### Form ME/PhD-1: Selection of PhD Supervisor(s)

Name of the Student	
Registration No.	
Date of Registration	

To:  
The Chairman, DPPC  
Mechanical Engineering Department  
IIT Guwahati

Dear Sir:

I have joined for the PhD program of the Mechanical Engineering Department during \_\_\_\_\_, 2014 session. Based on my area of research interest, I have interacted with the concerned faculty members of the department (as indicated overleaf), and propose to work as per the details given below:

Broad Area of Research	
Supervisor – 1	
Supervisor – 2	

I request you to kindly do the needful.  
Sincerely,

Signature of the Student with date

Consent of Supervisor-1: I am willing to supervise Mr/Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ for his/her PhD work. Currently, I am supervising \_\_\_\_\_ regular student(s), \_\_\_\_\_ part time student(s), \_\_\_\_\_ sponsored students, and my quota is not full.

Signature of Supervisor – 1 with date

Consent of Supervisor-2: I am willing to supervise Mr/Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ for his/her PhD work. Currently, I am supervising \_\_\_\_\_ regular student(s), \_\_\_\_\_ part time student(s), \_\_\_\_\_ sponsored student(s), and my quota is not full.

Signature of Supervisor – 2 with date

Approved/Not Approved:

Chairman, DPPC

Date:

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P. Bhattacharyya  
S. Chatterjee  
K. Chatterjee  
A. Barua  
M. Mukherjee  
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## DECLARATION

The following is the list of faculty members with whom I have interacted for my PhD thesis work during \_\_\_\_\_ 2014.

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**INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY GUWAHATI**  
Department of Mechanical Engineering  
**Form ME/PhD-2: Formation of Doctoral Committee**

Name of the Student	
Registration No.	
Date of Registration	
Area of Research (Tentative)	
E-mail ID	
Mobile No.	

### **Proposed DC Members:**

Chairman	1.
	2.
Member (Internal)	1.
	2.
	3. Optional
Member (External)	1.
	2.
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Supervisor(s)	1.
	2.

**Signature of Supervisor – 1**

Date:

### **Signature of Supervisor – 2**

Date:

Received by DPPC Secretary on:



## INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY GUWAHATI

Department of Mechanical Engineering

### Form ME/PhD-3: Approval for Comprehensive Examination

Name of the Student	
Registration No.	
Date of Registration	
Area of Research	
Course CPI	
Proposed Date of Comprehensive Examination	

#### Syllabi and List of Examiners for the Comprehensive Examination

#### COURSE TITLE – 1 (12 point Times New Roman)

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#### References (10 Point Times New Roman)

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<b>Proposed Examiners</b>	1. (11 Point Times New Roman)
	2. (11 Point Times New Roman)

#### COURSE TITLE – 2 (12 point Times New Roman)

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#### References (10 Point Times New Roman)

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<b>Proposed Examiners</b>	1. (11 Point Times New Roman)
	2. (11 Point Times New Roman)

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**References (10 Point Times New Roman)**

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<b>Proposed Examiners</b>	1. (11 Point Times New Roman)
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**Signatures of DC Members (12 point Times New Roman)**

<b>Chairman</b>	<b>Member – 1</b>	<b>Member – 2</b>
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<b>Supervisor – 1</b>	<b>Supervisor – 2</b>
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/01)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 12 noon on April 17, 2014 (Wednesday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members: Prof. R. Tiwari, Prof. S.K. Kakoty, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Dr. Atanu Banerjee, Dr. S. Pal

Student members: Manoj Kumar S Patil (M.Tech.)

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The doctoral committee for the following student has been constituted.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
136103034	<b>Arbind Prasad</b>	Dr. M. Ravi Sankar Dr A. Narayana Reddy	<b>Chairman:</b> Prof. P.S. Robi <b>Members:</b> Dr. S. Senthilvelan, Dr. Mohd. Qureshi (Chemistry)

2. **Ravi Kumar Peetala** (Roll No. 09610314), Ph.D. student has requested extension of financial assistance for two months from April to May 2014. He was availing financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month from DPF-ME for a period of three months (January-March 2014) (Ref: DPPC meeting held on Nov 19, 2013).

This was discussed in the DPPC meeting and it is decided to extend the financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month for two months from April to May 2014. The student is expected to complete the thesis submission formalities within next two months.

3. **Purnendu Mandal** (Roll No. 09610315), Ph.D. student has requested for extension of financial assistance for three months from April to June 2014. He was availing financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month from DPF-ME for a period of three months (January-March 2014) (Ref: DPPC meeting held on Jan 17, 2014).

After discussion, DPPC considered the case favourably and recommend extending the financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month for three months from April to June 2014. The student is expected to complete the thesis submission formalities within this duration.

4. M.Tech. (Machine Design) students (7 nos.) would like to attend summer courses (2014) on Mechanical Vibrations (ME531) and Advanced Mechanics of Solids (ME530). Six students are requesting ME531 to be floated and one for ME530. They will be eligible for placements happening later this year only if they clear all the courses.

This was discussed and DPPC recommends floating Mechanical Vibrations (ME531) during summer 2014 depending on the availability of instructor. This decision was taken considering the students' future academic benefits and placement eligibility. The application of a student wanting Advanced Mechanics of Solids (ME530) to be floated during summer 2014 will be forwarded to DOAA for further action.

5. **Chandan Kumar** (Roll No. 126103018), Ph.D. student has requested permission to carry out experiments as part of his Ph.D. thesis at RRCAT, Indore. He requires academic leave for a period of four weeks from May 1 to May 30, 2014. He has also requested to provide TA and DA from the ME dept.

This was discussed in DPPC meeting and considering the fact that such a visit will help the student to complete the experimental work successfully and also encourage research collaborations, he is permitted to visit RRCAT, Indore for above said period under academic leave. The TA will be provided from the ME department as per rules.

6. (i) Jitendra Kumar (Roll No. 136103013), Ph.D. student has proposed Prof. S.C. Mishra to be his Ph.D. thesis supervisor, (ii) He wants to change the category from REGULAR to PART-TIME as he got appointment as Assistant Professor at Darbhanga College of Engg., Govt. of Bihar.

DPPC has suggested the student to have confirmation from Prof. Mishra and to submit the Form 'ME/PhD-1: Selection of PhD Supervisor(s)' for supervisor allotment. The category change will be discussed thereafter.

7. SubhraSankarKalita (Roll No. 126103006), Ph.D. student was suffering from Infective Hepatitis.

His request for medical leave for 26 days (from 5-2-2014 to 2-3-2014) has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for further action.

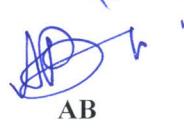
8. P.V.S.S. Sridhar (Roll No. 10610309), Ph. D. student has applied for leave for 12 days from 31-3-2014 to 11-4-2014. He has also requested (through email) to extend the leave by 5 days. DPPC secretary discussed the case with Dr. S. Kanagaraj, Thesis supervisor orally. It was said that after an informal discussion with the student, his relative, DPPC and HOD held previously, he was asked to take medical leave for some time.

**This case was discussed and DPPC has asked the student to submit the supporting documents along with the application form for taking medical leave for 17 days after re-joining. This was forwarded to DOAA for further action.**

  
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/02)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 11 AM on May 8, 2014 (Thursday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members Present: Prof. S.K. Kakoty, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Dr. S. Pal, Prof. A.K. Dass, Prof. A.K. Singh

Student members: Manojkumar S Patil, Arpan Kumar Mondal

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. (a) **Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan** (Within department) and **Prof. A.K. Gogoi** (Outside department) are nominated for Ph.D. viva-voce board of **Mr. M. Chandrasekaran** (Roll No. 07610308). The proposed viva-voce date is May 16, 2014.  
(b) The request of Prof. U.S. Dixit (supervisor of the above student) to conduct the viva-voce without the presence of Prof. M. Muralidhar, NERIST (co-supervisor) has been accepted. Prof. Muralidhar will not be available during the period as he will be busy with visa activities related to his forthcoming visit to Spain.
2. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. students has been approved along with the syllabus of examination.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Examiners list
136103034	<b>Arbind Prasad</b>	Dr. M. Ravisankar Dr. Narayanan Reddy	Dr. Pankaj Biswas, Dr. S.N. Joshi, Dr. Manas Das
136103033	<b>Anupam Alok</b>	Dr. Manas Das	Dr. Swarup Bag, Dr. S. Kanagaraj, Dr. S. Pal
136103016	<b>Ashish Kumar Rajak</b>	Dr. S.D. Kore	Prof. P.S. Robi, Dr. Pankaj Biswas, Dr. S.N. Joshi

3. The doctoral committee for the following student has been constituted.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
136103011	<b>Sunil Kumar Singh</b>	Dr. Sangamesh Deepak R	<b>Chairman:</b> Prof. U.S. Dixit <b>Member (Internal):</b> Dr. Poonam Kumari <b>Member (External):</b> Prof. A.K. Singh (CE)
136103001	<b>Sailen Dutta</b>	Dr. AK. Dass, Dr. Sangamesh Deepak R	<b>Chairman:</b> Prof. Manmohan Pandey <b>Member (Internal):</b> Dr. Karuna Kalita <b>Member (External):</b> Dr. Nanda Kishore (CLE)
136103017	<b>Gayen, Debabrata</b>	Dr. Debabrata Chakraborty	<b>Chairman:</b> Prof. P.S. Robi <b>Member (Internal):</b> Dr. K.S.R.K. Murthy <b>Member (External):</b> Prof. Anjan Dutta (CE)

4. **Manjula Das** (Roll No. 09610317), Ph.D. student has requested extension of financial assistance for three months from April to June 2014. She was availing financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month from DPF-ME for a period of three months (January-March 2014).

**The case was considered favourably during discussion and the extension of financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month for three months from April to June 2014, has been recommended.**

5. Prof. Manmohan Pandey and Dr. D.N. Basu would like to revise the syllabus and reference books of Two Phase Flow and Heat Transfer (ME 657).

**After discussion, it is suggested that the revisions should be given in proper format including the existing syllabus, revised syllabus and modifications included, with proper justification. The syllabus will be circulated among DPPC members for final decision, before discussing it in IPPC. It was also suggested by DPPC not to float this course and 'Convective Heat and Mass Transfer' in the same semester.**

6. **Sumit Agarwal** (Roll No. 126103005), Ph.D. student was suffering from kidney stone and undergone operation. He has requested for medical leave from 28-3-2014 to 17-4-2014 for 21 days. He has submitted all the supporting documents to support his medical leave.

**His request for medical leave for 21 days (from 28-3-2014 to 17-4-2014) has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for further action.**

7. **PVSS. Sridhar**(Roll No. 10610309), Ph.D. student was suffering from T2 Diabetes and IBS. He has requested for medical leave from 31-3-2014 to 11-4-2014 and from 16-4-2014 to 23-4-2014. He has submitted all the supporting documents to support his medical leave. He has also submitted the fitness certificate for re-joining.

**His request for medical leave for the above said period has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for approval.**

8. Dr.HrishikeshGadgil and Prof. ManmohanPandey have requested that they should be relieved from the Ph.D. thesis supervision of Ms.UrmimalaSaikia (Roll No. 126103026). Her performance is poor in three consecutive semesters. They are suggesting that the student should be allotted to a new supervisor, with a new problem. The supervisors have already requested the same to DPPC earlier on Feb 6, 2014.

**The case has been discussed by DPPC members and the request has been accepted. Dr.HrishikeshGadgil and Prof. ManmohanPandey are asked to fill appropriate form for ‘change of supervisor’ and complete the formalities. In the meantime, the student should select a new supervisor and new problem to continue her Ph.D. thesis work.**

9. **Gaurav Kumar** (Roll No. 126103028), Ph.D. student has got an offer to work in VTT-A research centre of Finland with Dr. Kari Tammi for a period of 4 months from May 26 2014 to September 20, 2014. The student will bear all the travel expenses. The host institute, VTT, has agreed to pay 40 Euros as daily allowance and house rent. He has submitted the invitation letter, visiting researcher agreement and relocation and housing order. The student is requesting the department to provide him with the No Objection Certificate.

**The case was discussed and DPPC suggests the student and supervisor to submit the plan of work, with justification, that will be performed at VTT. Later the student and supervisor submitted justification. It is mentioned that the visit to VTT is to verify the control algorithm developed by the student using an experimental setup available at VTT, which otherwise is not possible. DPPC recommends the student visit to VTT, which will help him to complete the work promptly. Since the student avails only day to day living expenses at VTT, the DPPC recommends that the monthly stipend of the Ph.D. student from IIT Guwahati should continue for 4 months from May 26 2014 to September 20, 2014, when the student works at VTT. The case is forwarded to DOAA for final approval.**

S.K. Kakoty

S.K. Dwivedy

S. Pal

A.K. Dass

A.K. Singh

  
Manojkumar S Patil  
Arpan Kumar Mondal  
R. Ganesh Narayanan  
P. Mahanta

**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/03)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 4PM on July 7, 2014 (Monday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members Present: Dr. A. Banerjee, Prof. A.K. Dass, Prof. R. Tiwari, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Student members: Arpan Kumar Mondal

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The Ph.D. thesis supervisors of the following students are decided and the same has been approved.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors
136103039	<b>Parag Kamal Talukdar</b>	Supervisor 1: Dr. V. Kulkarni Supervisor 2: Dr. U.K. Saha
136103040	<b>Soumya Ranjan Nanda</b>	Supervisor 1: Dr. N. Sahoo Supervisor 2: Dr. V. Kulkarni
136103042	<b>Nada Barakat *</b>	Supervisor 1: Dr. Deepak Sharma

\* Transferred from Civil Engg. Department

2. The doctoral committee for the following students has been constituted.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
136103038	<b>Sibananda Mohanty **</b>	Dr. S.K. Dwivedy	Chairman: Dr. Rajiv Tiwari Member (Internal): Dr. Atanu Banerjee, S. Panda Member (External): Dr. S. Talukdar (CE)
136103042	<b>Nada Barakat</b>	Dr. Deepak Sharma	Chairman: Dr. U.S. Dixit Member (Internal): Dr. S. Pal Member (External): Dr. Ashish Anand (CSE)
136103035	<b>R. Vignesh Kumar</b>	Dr. S. Kanagaraj	Chairman: Dr. S. Senthilvelan Member (Internal): Dr. Swarup Bag Member (External): Dr. R. Prasanna Venkatesh (CL)
136103009	<b>Prasenjit Mukherjee</b>	Dr. U.K. Saha	Chairman: Dr. S. Kanagaraj Member (Internal): Dr. Vinayak Kulkarni Member (External): Dr. Anugrah Singh (CL)
136103039	<b>Parag Kamal Talukdar</b>	Dr. V. Kulkarni Dr. U.K. Saha	Chairman: Dr. P. Mahanta Member (Internal): Dr. A. Dalal Member (External): Dr. Rajib K. Bhattacharjya (CE)
136103036	<b>Ngangkham Devarani</b>	Dr. S.N. Joshi	Chairman: Dr. U.S. Dixit Member (Internal): Dr. S. S. Gautam Member (External): Dr. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

\*\* Selection done through email discussions with DPPC members

3. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. students has been approved along with the syllabus of examination.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Examiners list
136103004	<b>T. Vishnu Venugopalan *</b>	Dr. Arnab Kumar De	Dr. N. Sahoo, Dr. A. Dalal, Dr. A.K. Dass
136103007	<b>Shahnawaz Ahmed **</b>	Dr. M. Pandey	Dr. N. Sahoo, Dr. A. Dalal, Dr. G. Madhusudhana
136103037	<b>Dipendra K. Roy **</b>	Dr. Rajiv Tiwari	Dr. Karuna Kalita, Dr. S.K. Kakoty, Dr. S.K. Dwivedy
136103002	<b>Anwesa Patowary **</b>	Dr. A.K. Dass, Dr. V. Kulkarni	Dr. D.N. Basu, Dr. Arnab De, Dr. U.K. Saha
126103010	<b>Kiran Saikia</b>	Dr. D.N. Basu, Dr. M. Pandey	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Dr. A. Dalal, Dr. S.C. Mishra
136103010	<b>Manish Kumar Dubey</b>	Dr. S. Panda	Dr. D. Chakraborty, Dr. Sachin S. Gautam, Dr. Atanu Banerjee
136103038	<b>Sibananda Mohanty</b>	Dr. S.K. Dwivedy	Dr. Karuna Kalita, Dr. D. Chakraborty, Dr. S. Panda

\* Approved in the previous DPPC meeting; \*\* Selection done through email discussions with DPPC members

4. Dr. S.N. Joshi, Ph.D. thesis supervisor of Mr. Sanasam Sunderlal Singh (136103012) has recommended including Prof. Alika Khare of Physics department, IIT Guwahati as joint supervisor of the student. He has obtained consent from Prof. Alika Khare. The student has also requested the same. Since the student will perform research on Laser induced plasma micro-machining, Prof. Alika Khare's presence will help him to complete the thesis work promptly and will enhance the possibilities of collaborative research work.

**This was discussed in the meeting and the DPPC felt that this will help the student to perform thesis work efficiently, and recommends inclusion of Prof. Alika Khare as joint supervisor for Mr. Sanasam Sunderlal Singh. This will be forwarded to Chairman, IPPC and Chairman, Senate for final approval.**

5. Dr Arnab K. De has proposed Turbulent Flows (3-0-0-6) as a new elective course. The syllabus has been proposed after discussions with experts in ME department.

**DPPC members felt the importance of the elective course and hence it is recommended. This will be included for further discussion/approval in the IPPC meeting.**

6. Mr. Sushen Kintania (07610305), a part-time Ph.D. student of ME department has requested for extension of thesis completion till end of July-December 2014. His thesis supervisor Dr. D. Chakraborty has recommended the same. The student could not complete the thesis within stipulated time because of some unavoidable circumstances at his home.

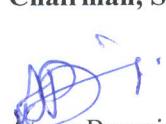
**The case was considered seriously and after thorough discussion, the extension of thesis completion date of Sushen Kintania has been accepted till the end of July-December 2014. This will be sent to DOAA and Chairman, Senate for final approval.**

7. Mr. Sai Mohan Reddy (134103011), M.Tech. student of ME department has been selected for internship work at Seimens Ltd., Gurgaon from June 2, 2014 to March 31, 2015. Seimens Ltd. will pay Rs. 20000/- per month as scholarship. The work carried out on the broad topic of Fracture Mechanics will be considered as his M.Tech. project work. This internship will help the student to complete the M.Tech. project and also expose him to solve complex problems of practical interest.

**Based on the request made by thesis supervisor, Dr. K.S.R.K. Murthy, he is permitted to complete the project at Seimens Ltd. and register for next semester. Considering it as an emergency case, approval has already been taken from HOD and DOAA.**

8. Ms. Urmimala Saikia (126103026), a Ph.D. student would like to change her thesis supervisors. The earlier supervisors, Prof. Manmohan Pandey and Dr. H.P. Gadgil, have opted out to be the supervisors of the student (Ref: Minutes of DPPC meeting held on May 8, 2014). After discussion with Dr. S. Kanagaraj and Dr. S.K. Dwivedy, she has selected them to supervise the thesis. Dr. S. Kanagaraj and Dr. S.K. Dwivedy have also accepted to supervise the thesis work of Ms. Urmimala Saikia.

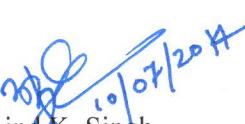
**The case was considered favourably for the student and DPPC recommends the selection of Dr. S. Kanagaraj and Dr. S.K. Dwivedy as supervisors of Ms. Urmimala Saikia. This will be forwarded to Chairman, IPPC and Chairman, Senate for final approval.**



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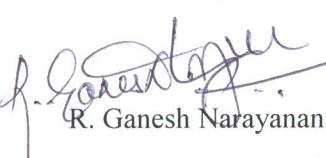
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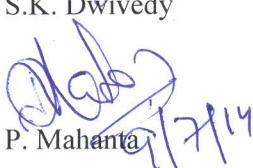
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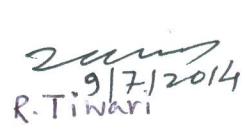
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/03\_2)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 4PM on July 7, 2014 (Monday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members Present: Dr. A. Banerjee, Prof. A.K. Dass, Prof. R. Tiwari, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Student members: Arpan Kumar Mondal

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. As suggested in the DPPC meeting held on July 7, 2014 about permitting Mr. Sumit Agarwal, Ph.D. student to visit IIT Bombay to gain technical expertise related to his thesis work, his supervisor Dr. N. Sahoo has received email permission from Prof. Viren Menezes of Aerospace dept. of IIT Bombay. The number of days of visit is 16 days from August 7-22, 2014. DPPC suggested him to postpone his visit to December 2014 so that his TA ship will continue as he will not do TA work during December. But it looks like the host professor is unavailable during this period. Hence the student will visit during the above said period. Dr. Sahoo has also mentioned that he needs academic leave from DPPC so that he can apply for financial support from project.  
**Considering the fact that this visit will help the student in gaining technical expertise related to his thesis work, DPPC recommends the academic leave for the student to visit IIT Bombay for the above said period. The financial support can be availed from the supervisor's project.**
2. Prof. U.S. Dixit, Ph.D. thesis supervisor of Mr. Sachindra Mahto (08610308) has recommended including Prof. Anup K. Gogoi of EEE department, IIT Guwahati as joint supervisor of the student. He has obtained consent from the student and Prof. Gogoi. Since the student is performing interdisciplinary research work, Prof. Gogoi's inclusion will help him to complete the thesis work promptly and will enhance the quality of the work.  
**The case was discussed in the DPPC meeting and it was suggested to obtain comments from DC members. Later comments were obtained from DC members through email. The DC members felt that the progress of Mr. Sachindra Mahto was satisfactory and Prof. Gogoi's inclusion will help the student to complete the thesis work with some analysis on electrical drive system which will bring completeness to his work. Further this extra work and thesis compilation will take six more months from now before it is submitted. Based on the recommendation received from DC members, inclusion of Prof. Anup K. Gogoi of EEE department as Joint supervisor of Mr. Sachindra Mahto is permitted. This is forwarded to Chairman, IPPC and Chairman, Senate for further approval.**
3. Mr. Vinod Pandey, Ph.D. student of our department has received invitation to visit EPFL, Switzerland as part of the student exchange internship programme. He will be there for three months from October 1 to December 31, 2014. He will receive CHF 1650 per month as fellowship. He will also get partial travel expenses from the host institute. His thesis supervisor Prof. Gautam Biswas has recommended the same. The student is requesting the DPPC to (i) give leave for the above said period, (ii) a No objective certificate, (iii) Permission to do late registration after he re-joins the institute.  
**This case was discussed with DPPC members. Since the student will perform significant part of the experimental work at EPFL, and there is a plan for long term collaboration with EPFL, he is permitted to visit EPFL during the above said period, without any objection. He is also allowed to register for the next semester, after re-joining the institute. The case is forwarded to DOAA for his approval.**



Atanu Banerjee



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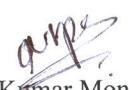
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/04)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 10 AM on July 22, 2014 (Tuesday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members Present: Dr.A. Banerjee, Prof. R. Tiwari, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Student member: --

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The doctoral committee for the following students has been constituted.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
136103031	<b>Kamal Kumar Basumatary</b>	Dr. S.K. Kakoty, Dr.KarunaKalita	Chairman: Dr. S.K. Dwivedy Member (Internal): Dr. S. Senthilvelan Member (External): Dr.SudipTalukdar (CE)

Dr. S.K. Kakoty is the thesis supervisor of Kamal Kumar Basumatary(Ref: IITG/ME/DPPC/UKS/2014/02/Minutes). DPPC discussed inclusion of Dr.KarunaKalita as another supervisor for the student, as per application and consent from the student and supervisors.Dr.Kalita has got quota for joint supervision. DPPC felt that including Dr.Kalita as one of the supervisor will help the student technically as he will be working on Bearing Dynamics, and recommends the same.

2. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. students has been approved along with the syllabus of examination.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Examiners list
136103042	<b>Nada Barakat</b>	Dr. Deepak Sharma	Dr.BuluPradhan, Dr.Ar vind K. Singh, Dr.DilwarHussain
136103039	<b>Parag K. Talukdar</b>	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Dr. U.K. Saha	Dr. Ganesh Natarajan, Dr.Anoop K. Dass, Dr. A. Dalal
136103011	<b>Sunil Kumar Singh</b>	Dr.Sangamesh Deepak R.	Dr. D. Bandopadhyaya, Dr.Manas Das, Dr. Atanu Banerjee

3. YadaiahNirisanametla (10610322) was suffering from leg fracture from 18-3-2014 to 19-5-2014 for about 62 days. He had undergone medical treatment. Now he is applying for medical leave for the above said period. He has submitted the required documents in support of his medical leave, including fitness certificate.

**DPPC discussed about this, and his request for medical leave for 62 days (from 18-3-2014 to 19-5-2014) has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for further action.**

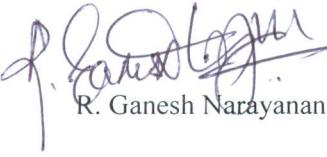
4. U.S. Hakeem Niyas (126103017) case of official leave from 11-6-2014 to 17-7-2014 has been reported as he has already got approval from Dean (R&D).

  
Atanu Banerjee

  
S.K. Dwivedy

  
Arbind K. Singh

  
Rajiv Tiwari

  
R. Ganesh Narayanan

  
P. Mahanta

**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/05)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 3 PM on August 13, 2014 (Wednesday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members Present: Dr.A. Banerjee, Prof. R. Tiwari, Prof. Anoop K. Dass, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The doctoral committee for the following student is recommended.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
136103040	<b>SoumyaRanjan Nanda</b>	Dr. N. Sahoo, Dr. V. Kulkarni	Chairman: Prof. S.K. Dwivedy Member (Internal): Dr.Narayana Reddy Member (external): Dr.AmitShelke (Civil Engg.)

2. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. students has been approved along with the syllabi of examination.

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
136103009	<b>Presenjit Mukherjee</b>	Prof. U.K. Saha	Dr. A. Dalal, Dr. C. Somayaji, Prof. A.K. Dass
136103035	<b>R. VigneshBabu</b>	Dr. S. Kanagaraj	Dr.Manas Das, Dr. S. Panda, Dr. K.S.R.K. Murthy
136103036	<b>NGangkhamDevarani</b>	Dr. S.N. Joshi	Dr. S. Kanagaraj, Dr S.D. Kore, Dr. U.S. Dixit
126103026	<b>UrmimalaSaikia</b>	Dr. S. Kanagaraj	Dr.Manas Das, Prof. P.S. Robi, Dr. S. Senthilvelan

3. The proposal for new M.Tech. program in **Aerodynamics and Propulsion** was discussed. The detailed report containing the scope of the program, syllabi, eligibility, strength etc. has been circulated to ME dept. faculty prior to the meeting. Based on the comments received from faculty, the report was modified.

**Considering the requirement of the new M.Tech. program, it was recommended and forwarded to IPPC for further discussion and approval.**

4. Pankaj Kumar (Roll No. 136103005), a Ph.D. student would like to change his supervisor, Dr.Arnav K. De. He is now willing to work with Prof. S.C. Mishra for his Ph.D. thesis.

**This has been discussed in DPPC meeting, and considering the student status and availability of guidance quota with Prof. Mishra, the change of supervisor is recommended. This is forwarded to DOAA for further action and approval.**

5. T. Moasunep Jamir (Roll No. 10610318), a Ph.D. student wants to change the category from regular to part time. He has got appointment to the post of Assistant Professor in Delhi Technological University. His supervisors, Prof. S.K. Kakoty and Dr.Karuna Kalita, have recommended the same.

**DPPC discussed the case, and recommended the change of category. The same has been forwarded to DOAA for further approval.**

6. Manojkumar S. Patil (134103044) was suffering from back pain and doctor has advised him to take bed rest for a month. He had undergone medical treatment. Now he is applying for medical leave for 25 days from 26-6-2014 to 21-7-2014. He had submitted the required documents in support of his medical leave, including the fitness certificate.

**DPPC discussed about this, and his request for medical leave for 25 days (from 26-6-2014 to 21-7-2014) has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for further action.**

7. V. Satheeskumar (Roll No. 10610311), a Ph.D. student has requested for extension of financial assistance for three months from August to October 2014.

**After discussion, DPPC considered the case favourably and recommend extending the financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month for three months from August to October 2014.**

8. Ravi Kant (Roll No. 10610319), a Ph.D. student has requested for extending financial assistance as his MHRD assistantship is completed after four years.

After discussion, DPPC considered the case favourably and recommend extending the financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month for three months from August to October 2014.

9. Sunil Kumar Singh (Roll No. 124103026) has got less than 6 CPI after completing course work during four semesters of M.Tech. He has not yet defended the M.Tech. project work. He has got DD in three courses out of ten courses completed. He would like to improve the CPI, and hence would like to register for three more courses during July-Nov 2014 semester. He also wants his stipend to be continued till the end of the semester.

**DPPC discussed about this, and felt that the student could have taken the extra courses during previous semesters or during summer so that these can be completed within four semesters. DPPC is not recommending the student to register for the courses mentioned. Stipend will not be continued as his stipend period is completed in June 2014.**

10. The Ph.D. thesis supervisors of the following students are decided and the same has been approved.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors
146103004	<b>Shashi Kant Ratnakar</b>	Dr. Deepak Sharma
146103018	<b>ShrutiJananiRapur</b>	Prof. Rajiv Tiwari
146103011	<b>PuroshottamGangsar</b>	Prof. Rajiv Tiwari
146103013	<b>Kelli Durga Prasad</b>	Dr. Manas Das (Supervisor 1) Dr. S. Pal (Supervisor 2)
146103017	<b>Pritam Kumar Rana</b>	Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan
146103021	<b>Vishal Agrawal</b>	Dr. S.S. Gautam
146103019	<b>Tinu P. Saju</b>	Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan
146103023	<b>ManashPratimBorthakur</b>	Prof. Gautam Biswas (Supervisor 1) Dr. Dipankar Bandyopadhyay (Supervisor 2)
146103024	<b>Binita Nath</b>	Prof. Gautam Biswas (Supervisor 1) Dr. Amaresh Dalal (Supervisor 2)
146103026	<b>Siddesh Desai</b>	Dr. H. Gadgil (Supervisor 1) Dr. Vinayak N. Kulkarni (Supervisor 2)
146103028	<b>Ashirbad Jana</b>	Dr. S. Kanagaraj (Supervisor 1) Dr. S. Senthivelan (Supervisor 2)
146103032	<b>Piyush Singh</b>	Dr. S.D. Kore (Supervisor 1) Dr. Pankaj Biswas (Supervisor 2)
146103034	<b>D. Sam Dayala Dev</b>	Dr. Manas Das
146103001	<b>BukkeKiranNaik</b>	Dr. P. Muthukumar (Supervisor 1) Dr. Chandramohan Somayaji (Supervisor 2)
146103012	<b>Jayashree Das</b>	Prof. P.S. Robi (Supervisor 1) Dr. M. Ravi Sankar (Supervisor 2)
146103037	<b>Uttam Kumar Tarai</b>	Dr. S. Pal (Supervisor 1) Prof. P.S. Robi (Supervisor 2)
146103036	<b>ShehasishPanigrahy</b>	Prof. S.C. Mishra
146103031	<b>Lav Kumar Kaushik</b>	Prof. S.C. Mishra (Supervisor 1) Dr. P. Muthukumar (Supervisor 2)



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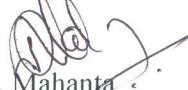
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/06)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 4 PM on August 27, 2014 (Wednesday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. P. Mahanta

Members Present: Dr.A. Banerjee, Dr. S. Pal, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Student members: Manojkumar S Patil, Arpan Kumar Mondal

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The doctoral committee for the following student is recommended.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
146103034	<b>Sam Dayala Dev</b>	Dr. Manas Das	Chairman: Dr. S. Kanagaraj Member (Internal): Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan Member (external): Prof. Bishnupada Mandal (CL)
146103026	<b>Siddesh Desai</b>	Dr. H. Gadgil, Dr. V. Kulkarni	Chairman: Prof. A.K. Dass Member (Internal): Dr. D.N. Basu Member (external): Dr. H. Sharma (CE)
146103001	<b>Bukke Kiran Naik</b>	Dr. P. Muthukumar, Dr. C. Somayaji	Chairman: Prof. S.C. Mishra Member (Internal): Dr. A. Dalal Member (external): Dr. Chandan Dass (CL)
146103011	<b>Purshottam Gangsar</b>	Prof. Rajiv Tiwari	Chairman: Prof. S.K. Kakoty Member (Internal): Dr. Karuna Kalita Member (external): Dr.S. Talukdar (CE)

2. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. students has been approved along with the syllabi of examination.

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
136103017	<b>Debabrata Gayen</b>	Prof. D. Chakraborty	Dr. S. Panda, Dr. Darun Kumar Singh, Dr. Rajiv Tiwari
146103001	<b>Bukke Kiran Naik</b>	Dr. P. Muthukumar, Dr. C. Somayaji	Dr. D.N. Basu, Dr. U.K. Saha, Dr. Vinayak Kulkarni

3. H. Lalhmingasanga (Roll No. 10610317), a Ph.D. student has requested for extension of financial assistance for three months from August to October 2014. He had given synopsis seminar on 13-8-2014, and presently he is writing his thesis.

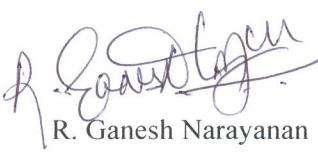
**After discussion, DPPC considered the case favourably and recommend extending the financial assistance of Rs. 4000/- per month from August to October 2014.**

4. The Ph.D. thesis supervisors of the following students are decided and the same has been approved.

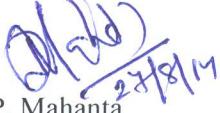
Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors
146103027	<b>Hiranya Deka</b>	Dr. H. Gadgil
146103033	<b>Dr. Akash Handique</b>	Dr. S. Kanagaraj

  
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/07)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 10 AM on September 12, 2014 (Friday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. Anoop K. Dass

Members Present: Dr.A. Banerjee, Prof. R. Tiwari, Dr. S. Pal, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Student members: --

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. Prof. U.S. Dixit is recommended to be included as joint supervisor of **R. Kalidasan**, Ph.D. student (10610326). The existing supervisor is Dr. S. Senthilvelan. As the candidate changed his category from regular to part time, extra effort and planning is required by supervisors, and hence the joint guidance will be helpful for the student. The existing and new supervisors have accepted for the joint guidance. The student has also agreed.

**This was discussed in the DPPC meeting, and the members felt that the inclusion of Prof. Dixit will help the student to complete the thesis in time. Hence it is recommended and forwarded to DOAA and Chairman, Senate for further approval.**

2. The doctoral committee for the following students is recommended.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
10610326	<b>R. Kalidasan*</b>	Dr. S. Senthilvelan, Prof. U.S. Dixit	Chairman: Prof. D. Chakraborty Member (Internal): Dr. S.N. Joshi Member (external): Dr. A. Perumal (Members remain same)
146103037	<b>Uttam Kumar Tarai</b>	Dr. S.Pal, Prof. P.S. Robi	Chairman: Dr. S. Senthilvelan Member (Internal): Dr. Pankaj Biswas Member (external): Dr. Bishnupada Mandal

\* Because of inclusion of Prof. U.S. Dixit as co-supervisor. He was the chairman of DC earlier.

3. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. student has been approved along with the syllabi of examination.

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
146103011	<b>Purshottam Gangsar</b>	Prof. R. Tiwari	Dr. SK Dwivedy, Dr. S.K. Kakoty, Dr. S.Panda

4. **Rakesh Bhadra** (11610337) wants to change his registration from regular to part-time. He has been selected for the post of Assistant Professor in the Dept. of Mechanical Engineering, Tezpur University. His work is progressing well as said by his supervisor (Dr. Pankaj Biswas, Dr. Ravi Sankar). He has got approval from supervisors and DC members.

**DPPC considered the case favourably, and recommended the category change. This is forwarded to DOAA for further approval.**

5. The Ph.D. thesis supervisors of the following students are decided and the same has been approved.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors
146103008	<b>Ramesh Kumar</b>	Dr. S.D. Kore
146103030	<b>Bibhuti Ranjan Bhattacharjya</b>	Prof. S.K. Kakoty
146103016	<b>Saipraneeth Gouravaraju</b>	Dr. S.S. Gautam
146103015	<b>Saibal Kanchan Barik</b>	Dr. N. Sahoo
146103035	<b>Mirzul Karim Hussain</b>	K.S.RK. Murthy

6. **Abhishek Kumar** (134103080) was suffering from Typhoid fever. He was asked by Doctor to take bed rest and he was not present from 28-7-2014 to 11-8-2014. Now he is applying for medical leave for the period (15 days). He had submitted the required documents in support of his medical leave, including the fitness certificate.

**DPPC discussed about this, and his request for medical leave for 15 days (from 28-7-2014 to 11-8-2014) has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for further action.**

7. **Dr. Ganesh Natarajan and Dr. Dipankar Bandyopadhyay** are nominated as examiners for conducting Ph.D. viva voce of **Pitambar Randive** (10610305), who is pursuing Ph.D. under the guidance of Dr. Amaresh Dalal. The viva voce is planned on Sep 23, 2014. The supervisor has got approval from DC members for conducting the viva voce.



Atanu Banerjee



Arbind K. Singh



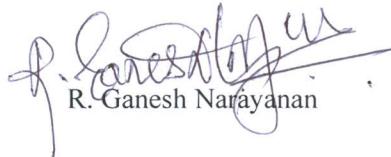
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R. Tiwari



S. Pal



Anoop K. Dass



R. Ganesh Narayanan

**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/08)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 4 PM on September 30, 2014 (Monday) at New meeting room of ME department.

Chairman: Prof. Anoop K. Dass

Members Present: Dr.A. Banerjee, Prof. R. Tiwari, Dr. S. Pal, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

Student members: Anish Gaush, Sumit Agrawal

Secretary: Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The doctoral committee for the following students is recommended.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
146103030	<b>Bibhuti Ranjan Bhattacharjya</b>	Prof. S.K. Kakoty	Chairman: Prof. S.K. Dwivedy Member (Internal): Dr. S. Pal Member (External): Dr. Amarendra Das (Design)
146103036	<b>Snehasish Panigrahy</b>	Prof. S.C. Mishra	Chairman: Dr. Manmohan Pandey Member (Internal): Dr. H.P. Gadgil Member (External): Dr. Dipankar Bandopadhyay (Chemical Engg.)

2. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. student has been approved along with the syllabi of examination.

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
146103026	<b>Siddesh Desai</b>	Dr. H. Gadgil, Dr. V. Kulkarni	Dr. Ganesh Natarajan, Dr. A. Dalal, Dr. U.K. Saha
146103034	Sam Dayala Dev	Dr. Manas Das	Dr. Swarup Bag, Dr. S. Kanagaraj, Dr. S. Pal
136103001	Sailen Dutta	Dr. A.K. Dass, Dr. Sangamesh R. Deepak	Dr. V. Kulkarni, Dr. Ganesh Natarajan, Dr. N. Reddy

3. Prof. V.S. Maholkar (CL) is recommended by DPPC to be included as joint supervisor of **Debarshi Mallick** (11610336), Ph.D. student of ME department. His present supervisor Prof. P. Mahanta will remain in the same position. This is forwarded to Chairman, IPPC and Chairman, Senate for further approval.
4. Dr. Manmohan Pandey is nominated, in place of Prof. Anoop Kumar Dass, as the new doctoral committee member of **Pankaj Kumar** (136103005) by the DPPC, ME department. This is mainly due to the change in supervisor and the topic of research. This is forwarded to Chairman, IPPC for further approval.

Atanu Banerjee

Arbind K. Singh

R. Tiwari

S. Pal

Anoop K. Dass

R. Ganesh Narayanan

Anish Gaush

Sumit Agrawal

**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/09)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 1 PM on October 21, 2014 (Tuesday) at Meeting room of ME department.

**Chairman:** Prof. Anoop K. Dass

**Members Present:** Prof. Rajiv Tiwari, Dr. K.S.R.K. Murthy, Dr. Ganesh Natarajan, Dr. Atanu Banerjee, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy

**Student members:** Anish Gaush, Sumit Agrawal

**Secretary:** Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The Ph.D. thesis supervisors of the following students are decided and the same has been approved.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors
146103014	<b>Rajendra Prasad Soni</b>	Dr. Madhusudhana R. Garava
146103029	<b>Sandip Kumar Sarma</b>	Dr. M. Pandey

2. The doctoral committee for the following students is recommended.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
146103024	<b>Binita Nath</b>	Prof. Gautam Biswas, Dr. A. Dalal	Chairman: Dr. U.K. Saha Member (Internal): Dr. D.N. Basu Member (External): Dr. Tapas Kumar Mandal (CL)
146103023	<b>Manash Pratim Borthakur</b>	Prof. Gautam Biswas, Dr. Dipankar Bandopadhyay	Chairman: Dr. S.C. Mishra Member (Internal): Dr. A. Dalal Member (External): Dr. Katha Anki Reddy (CL)

3. DPPC wants the supervisors to modify the comprehensive viva-voce syllabus of Uttam Kumar Tarai. There were two welding courses, ME 672 and ME 675. DPPC suggests replacing ME 675 course with another course relevant to the student and topic of research. However, the other two courses, ME 511 and ME672, are approved, along with the examiners for these two courses.

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
146103037	<b>Uttam Kumar Tarai</b>	Dr. S. Pal, Dr. P.S. Robi	Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan, Dr. Pankaj Biswas

4. Azd Zayoud (126103038) wants to carry out a part of his Ph.D. thesis work at Ecole Polytechnique de Montreal, Canada from January 5, 2015 to June 1, 2015. He has applied for academic leave during this period. The research plan and invitation letter from the host institute are attached. The student will get a research scholarship of CAN\$ 1000 per month to finance his stay. The supervisors, Dr. P. Mahanta, and Dr. U.K. Saha, have recommended his visit.

**Considering the fact that the visit will help the student to complete the work promptly, DPPC recommends the student's visit to Ecole Polytechnique de Montreal, Canada from January 5, 2015 to June 1, 2015, along with the academic leave. This has been forwarded to DOAA for further approval.**

5. Akhilesh Kumar (144103064) was suffering from HTN and Kidney disease. He was asked by Doctor to take bed rest and he was not present from 04-09-2014 to 19-09-2014. Now he is applying for medical leave for the period of 15 days. He had submitted the required documents in support of his medical leave, including the fitness certificate.

**DPPC discussed about this, and his request for medical leave for 15 days, from 04-09-2014 to 19-09-2014, has been recommended and forwarded to DOAA for further approval.**

6. R. Vignesh Babu (136103035) has applied for official leave for field work at IIT Hyderabad from 30-10-2014 to 11-11-2014. He has also applied for financial assistance (TA, DA) from departmental head.

**The case was discussed in the DPPC meeting, and DPPC recommends the official leave for the above said period. However the financial assistance (TA, DA) from the departmental head is not**

approved due to limited fund availability. He may avail this from his contingency and his supervisor is requested to see if Mr. Vignesh Babu can be funded from his projects. The leave application is forwarded to DOAA for further approval.

7. DPPC was informed that by taking email consent from DPPC members, Dr. Ganesh Natarajan (ME) and Dr. S.K. Majumder (CL) are nominated as examiners for conducting Ph.D. viva voce of Bibin John (09610311), who is pursuing Ph.D. under the guidance of Dr. Vinayak Kulkarni. The viva voce is planned during Second/third week of October 2014. The supervisor has got approval from DC members for conducting the viva voce.
8. **Mr. Rupesh Singh**, a PhD student working with Prof. S.C. Mishra, spent 5 months (27/8/2012 to 31/1/2013) in an university in Japan, during which period he did not receive institute assistantship as he received financial support from the university. The student gave his synopsis seminar on 22 August 2014. He completed 4 years in the institute on 26 July 2014 and he stopped receiving scholarship/ assistantship. The student now sought 'compensation' for that period by applying directly (not through HOD) to the Dean of Academic Affairs (DOAA) for extending his 'fellowship period' by 5 months from July 2014 to December 2014. The application was 'strongly' recommended by the supervisor and the DOAA approved it. Now the student has applied to the Head, Mechanical Engineering asking his attendance records to be submitted to the academic section. The DPPC specifically observes that the application should have been routed through the Head, ME as it concerns a student in the department so that the department can maintain uniformity across the students and no student receives any preferential treatment.

Rajiv Tiwari

S.K. Dwivedy

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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/10)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 3.30 PM on November 13, 2014 (Thursday) at Meeting room of ME department.

**Chairman:** Prof. Anoop K. Dass

**Members Present:** Prof. Rajiv Tiwari, Dr. K.S.R.K. Murthy, Dr. Atanu Banerjee, Dr. S. Pal, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Arbind K. Singh (CE)

**Student members:** Anish Gaush, Sumit Agrawal

**Secretary:** Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The Ph.D. thesis supervisors of the following students are decided and the same has been approved.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors
146103022	<b>Agyapal Singh</b>	Dr. Poonam Kumari

2. The doctoral committee for the following students is recommended.

Roll No.	Student Name	Supervisors	Allotted doctoral committee
146103029	<b>Sandip Kumar Sarma</b>	Prof. M. Pandey	Chairman: Prof. Gautam Biswas Member (Internal): Dr. Vinayak Kulkarni Member (External): Dr. Raghvendra Gupta (CL)
146103014	<b>Rajendra Prasad Soni</b>	Dr. Madhusudhana Rao Gavara	Chairman: Prof. U.K. Saha Member (Internal): Dr. D.N. Basu Member (External): Dr. Suresh Kartha (CE)
146103035	<b>Mirzaul Hussain Karim</b>	Dr. K.S.R.K. Murthy	Chairman: Prof. PS. Robi Member (Internal): Dr. Gautam S. Singh Member (External): Dr. Darun K. Singh (CE)
146103012	<b>Jayashree Das</b>	Prof. PS. Robi, Dr. M. Ravi Sankar	Chairman: Prof. S. Kanagaraj Member (Internal): Dr. S. Senthilvelan Member (External): Dr. D. Pamu (CE)
146103013	<b>Kelli Durga Prasad</b>	Dr. Manas Das, Dr. Sukhomay Pal	Chairman: S. Senthilvelan Member (Internal): Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan Member (External): Dr. Tamal Banerjee (CL)

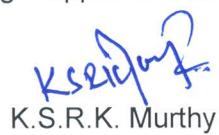
3. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. student has been approved along with the syllabi of examination

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
146103030	<b>Bibhuti Ranjan Bhattachatjya</b>	Prof. S.K. Kakoty	Dr. Swarup Bag, Dr. S.D. Kore, Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan
146103036	<b>Snehasish Panigrahy</b>	Prof. S.C. Mishra	Dr. A. Dalal, Dr. M. Pandey, Dr. Ganesh Natarajan

4. As per request made by V. Satheeshkumar (Roll No. 10610311), a Ph.D. student, the extension of financial assistance has been considered and approved by DPPC for three months at Rs. 4000/- per month, from November 2014 – December 2015. He is planning to give synopsis seminar on Nov 21, 2014.
5. Earlier DPPC wanted the supervisors to modify the comprehensive viva-voce syllabus of Uttam Kumar Tarai (146103037). Accordingly the supervisors have included ME 513 Physics of Manufacturing Processes in place of ME 675. Dr. Swarup Bag was selected as one of the experts in this subject for conducting comprehensive viva.
6. **Dr. Dipankar N. Basu (ME)** and **Dr. Anugrah Singh (CL)** are nominated as examiners for conducting Ph.D. viva voce of Ravi Kumar Petala (09610314), who is pursuing Ph.D. under the guidance of Dr. Niranjan Sahoo and Dr. Vinayak Kulkarni. The supervisor has got approval from DC members for conducting the viva voce on December first week.
7. DPPC was informed that by taking email consent from DPPC members, **Prof. M. Pandey (ME)** and **Dr. Tapas K. Mandal (CL)** are nominated as examiners for conducting Ph.D. viva voce of S. Anbarasu

(09610310), who is pursuing Ph.D. under the guidance of Dr. S.C. Mishra and Dr. P. Muthukumar. The supervisors have got approval from DC members for conducting the viva voce.

  
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**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Guwahati**  
**Minutes of the DPPC meeting (REF: ME/DPPC/RGN/11)**

The following members were present in the DPPC meeting held at 5.30 PM on December 9, 2014 (Tuesday) at Meeting room of ME department.

**Chairman:** Prof. Anoop K. Dass

**Members Present:** Prof. Rajiv Tiwari, Dr. Atanu Banerjee, Dr. S. Pal, Prof. S.K. Dwivedy, Prof. Arbind K. Singh (CE)

**Student members:** Sumit Agrawal

**Secretary:** Dr. R. Ganesh Narayanan

1. The comprehensive examination committee for the following Ph.D. student has been approved along with the syllabi of examination.

Roll No.	Student name	Supervisors	Examiners list
146103035	<b>Mirzaul Hussain Karim</b>	Dr. KSRK. Murthy	Dr. Narayana Reddy (ME 532), Dr. Darun K. Singh (ME 605), Dr. D. Chakraborty (ME 607)
146103014	<b>Rajendra Soni Prasad</b>	Dr. Madhusudhana R. Gavara	Dr. A.K. Dass, Dr. D.N. Basu, Dr. Vinayak Kulkarni

2. As per request made by Ravi Kant (10610319), a Ph.D. student, the extension of financial assistance has been considered and approved by DPPC for three months at Rs. 4000/- per month, from October 2014 – December 2014. He is planning to give synopsis seminar in another three months.
3. Mr. Mukul Parmananda (136103019) would like to change the category from Project staff to regular. This is mainly due to the delay in the project fund release for the last financial year. He is presently working in a project since March 2014 as SRF. He was a regular student from July 2013 to December 2013. DPPC considered the case favourably and approves the category change. This has been forwarded to Chairman IPPC and Chairman Senate for final approval.
4. **Dr. S.K. Kakoty (ME)** and **Dr. Arbind K. Singh (CE)** are nominated as examiners for conducting Ph.D. viva-voce of Shravankumar C. (09610304), who is pursuing Ph.D. under the guidance of Dr. Rajiv Tiwari. The supervisor has got approval from DC members for conducting the viva voce on December 9, 2014. The nomination was done via email discussion and DPPC was informed during the DPPC meeting.
5. **Achinta Sarkar** (12610342) was suffering from Anal Fisher, while he was at Kolkata for official work from Oct 13 to 22, 2014. He was asked by Doctor to take bed rest and he was not present from Oct 27 to Nov 21, 2014. Now he is applying for medical leave for the period of 25 days. He had submitted the required documents in support of his medical leave, including the fitness certificate. DPPC discussed about this, and his request for medical leave for 25 days (from Oct 27 to Nov 21, 2014) has been recommended. This is forwarded to DOAA for further approval.
6. **Somnath Singroul** (144103059) was suffering from Piles/Fisher. He went to hometown to have medical treatment and was asked by Doctor to take bed rest. He has applied for medical leave from Dec 1, 2014 to Dec 22, 2014. He had submitted the required documents in support of his medical leave. He will submit the fitness certificate after re-joining. DPPC discussed about this, and his request for medical leave for 22 days (from Dec 1 to Dec 22, 2014) has been recommended. This is forwarded to DOAA for further approval.
7. By considering the necessity of experimentation for the thesis completion, DPPC recommends the official leave of **Rohit Chandra Pauriyal** (134103048) from Dec 11 to Dec 26, 2014 for conducting experiments related to Shock tunnel at the Aerospace dept. of IIT Bombay.

8. By considering the necessity of experimentation and its value to improve the quality of thesis, DPPC recommends the official leave of **P. Ramesh Babu** (11610317) from Dec 10 to Dec 24, 2014 for conducting experiments related to Shock tunnel at the Aerospace dept. of IIT Bombay.

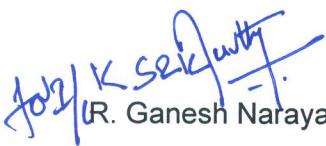
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