

FOREST RESEARCH INSTITUTE DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY DEHRADUN

Minutes of Meeting of Research Degree Committee held on 04.07.2022 at 10:00 A.M

The meeting of Research Degree Committee was held on 04.07.2022 at 10.00 A.M in offline/online mode in the Board Room of FRI Deemed to be University. The following members were present in the meeting:-

1. Dr. Renu Singh, Director, FRI & VC, FRIDU/Chairperson RDC
2. Dr. H.S. Ginwal, Dean (Academic), FRI Deemed to be University
3. Sh. R.P. Singh, IFS, Head, Silviculture & FM Division, FRI
4. Dr. Amit Pandey, Scientist-G & Head, Forest Protection Div, FRI
5. Dr. P.K. Gupta, Scientist-G & Head, Forest Products Div, FRI
6. Sh. N. Bala, Scientist-G & Head, FE&CC Division, FRI
7. Dr. Vineet Kumar, Scientist-G, Chemistry & Bio-prospecting Div, FRI
8. Dr. Santan Barthwal, Scientist-F, G&TI Division, FRI.
9. Dr. Mala Rathore, Scientist-F, Silviculture & FM Division FRI
10. Dr. Shailendra Kumar, Scientist-D, Forest Products Div, FRI
11. Dr. A.K. Tripathi, Registrar, FRI Deemed to be University, **Member Secretary**

Online mode

12. Dr. R.K. Verma, Scientist-G, HFRI, Shimla
13. Dr. V.P. Uniyal, Scientist-G, WII, Dehradun
14. Dr. Stutee Gupta, Scientist-SE, NRSC, Hyderabad
15. Dr. Pramod Tiwari, Scientist-D, TFRI, Jabalpur

At the outset the Director, FRI/Chairperson Research Degree Committee welcomed the members of the Research Degree Committee and thereafter, the Registrar with the permission of the chair started the proceedings of the meeting.

Resolution No.04/2022:- The individual files of all the 12 Ph.D. Scholars, whose viva-voce examination of have been completed were placed before the members of the Research Degree Committee. The members having gone through the summary reports, evaluation reports of the examiners and viva-voce examination reports of the scholars **resolved** that the undernoted research scholars be provisionally awarded Ph.D. Degree in Forestry in the respective disciplines as mentioned against each with effect from the dates of their Viva-voce examination:-

Sl. No.	Name of the Scholar	Name of Supervisor & Co-supervisor	Discipline & Topic in which Ph.D. Degree is awarded	Date of Award of Ph.D. Degree
1.	Ms. Deepika Dangi 17PHD446	Dr. Vineet Kumar, Scientist-G, FRI, Dehradun Dr. Pradeep Sharma, (Retd.) Scientist, FRI, Dehradun	Chemistry of Forest Products Chemical modification of polysaccharides by cross-linking.	17.03.2022


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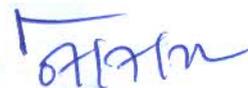

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2.	Mr. Akshay Kumar 15PHD390	Dr. R.K. Verma, Scientist-G, HFRI, Shimla	Forest Ecology & Environment Ecological Studies in Alpine Pastures of District Mandi, Himachal Pradesh.	24.03.2022
3.	Mr. Arun Kumar Thakur 15PHD384	Dr. R.K. Verma, Scientist-G, HFRI, Shimla	Forest Ecology & Environment National Forest Inventory Perspective for Biodiversity Information in Western Himalayas.	25.03.2022
4.	Mr. Vinod Manikrao Mhaiske 16PHD400	Dr. Avinash Jain, Scientist-F, TFRI, Jabalpur	Forest Ecology & Environment Economic valuation and carbon stock assessment in plantations of Wardha coalfield area (Maharashtra)	29.03.2022
5.	Ms. Khulakpam Apsahana 15PHD375	Dr. A.K. Sharma Retd. Scientist, FRI, Dehradun	Non Wood Forest Products Studies on Wild Edible Plants of Senapati District, Manipur, India	11.04.2022
6.	Ms. Saloni Singh 16PHD404	Dr. S.K. Sharma Retd. Scientist, FRI, Dehradun	Climate Change & Forest Influence Physiological and Biochemical Characterization of <i>Dendrocalamus strictus</i> Clones for Carbon Sequestration and Mitigation Efficiency	20.04.2022
7.	Ms. Shikha Anand 15PHD372	Dr. Stutee Gupta, Scientist-SE, IIRS, Dehradun	Environment Management Comparative assessment of geospatial approaches for spatial prioritization of ecosystem services hotspots	22.04.2022



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8.	Ms. Smitha G Nair 16PHD402	Dr. V. Sivakumar, Scientist-G, IFGTB, Coimbatore	Forest Genetics Studies on stability and adaptability of growth, morphology and pulpwood traits in clones of <i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i> Dehnh	02.05.2022
9.	Mr. Aman Kumar 15PHD377	Dr. A.K. Sharma, (Retd.) Scientist, FRI, Dehradun Sh. Rajesh Kumar, (Retd.) ISS, FSI, Dehradun	Non Wood Forest Products Predicative Distribution Modeling of <i>Taxus Baccata</i> in Himachal Pradesh, India	05.05.2022
10.	Mr. Sunil Waman Bhondge 13PHD307	Dr. Vaneet Jishtu, Scientist-E, HFRI, Shimla	Forest Botany Studies on the Traditional Knowledge and Population Assessment of Threatened Medicinal Plants in Rupin Valley, Himachal Pradesh	24.05.2022
11.	Ms. Vandana Mehrwar 16PHD421	Dr. V.P. Uniyal, Scientist-G, WII, Dehradun Dr. Vinod Bhatt, Executive Director, NBCC&OFR, Dehradun	Wildlife Science Assessment of Pollinators in Indigenous Farming Systems in Garhwal Himalaya, Uttarakhand	09.06.2022
12.	Mr. Vinod Kumar 14PHD338	Dr. Rajesh Sharma, Scientist-G & ADG (External Project), ICFRE, Dehradun	Forest Botany Studies on distribution and regeneration status of <i>Rhododendron arboreum</i> in Shimla District of Himachal Pradesh and standardization of its propagation techniques	14.06.2022



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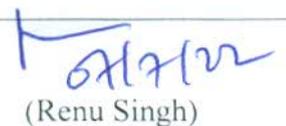
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Resolution No. 5/2022:- The RDC having considered the recommendations of RAC, as per rules and also in the light of UGC Notice No. 1-10/2020 (CPP-II) dated 16.03.2021 and No. 1-10/2020 (CPP-II) dated 02.12.2021 **resolved** that the term of registration of undernoted Ph.D. scholars is extended upto the period as mentioned against their names:-

Sl. No.	Name of Research Scholar	Date of Registration	Period of extension approved by RDC
1.	Mr. Ravindra Singh 15PHD383	01.03.2016	01.03.2022 to 31.08.2022 He shall have to deposit a sum of Rs.13000/- towards Renewal of registration fee, Annual fee and Library fee. No further extension shall be considered.
2.	Ms. Sonalika Roy 15PHD391	01.03.2016	01.03.2022 to 31.08.2022 She shall have to deposit a sum of Rs.13000/- towards Renewal of registration fee, Annual fee and Library fee
3.	Mr. Jalaj Saxena 14PHD364	01.03.2015	01.03.2022 to 30.06.2022 He shall have to deposit a sum of Rs.13000/- towards Renewal of registration fee, Annual fee and Library fee. However, as recommended by RAC his term has been extended upto 30.06.2022 but he did not submit his thesis to the university by 30.6.2022. No further extension shall be considered and now, his thesis will not be accepted and considered in FRI Deemed University for evaluation.
4.	Mr. Kelkar Bhushan Uday 16PHD427	01.09.2017	01.09.2022 to 31.08.2023 He shall have to deposit a sum of Rs.12000/- towards Annual fee and Library fee. No further extension shall be considered
5.	Ms. Sonali Bhagat 15PHD395	01.03.2016	01.03.2022 to 31.08.2022 She shall have to deposit a sum of Rs.13000/- towards Renewal of registration fee, Annual fee and Library fee
6.	Ms. Thounaojam Bidya Chanu 15PHD382	01.03.2016	01.03.2022 to 31.08.2022 She shall have to deposit a sum of Rs.13000/- towards Renewal of registration fee, Annual fee and Library fee


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Resolution No.6/2022:- The Research Degree Committee has considered the recommendation of Research Advisory Committee and **resolved** to appoint Dr. P.K. Gupta, Scientist-G & Head, Forest Products Division, FRI as Co-Supervisor of Sh. Krishna Kant Shukla (20PHD632), Ph.D. Scholar, Forest Products Division, FRI.

The meeting then ended with thanks to the chair.



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