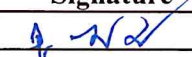





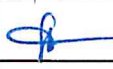



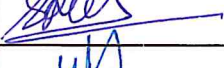

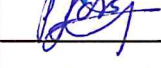
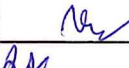

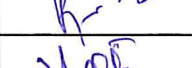
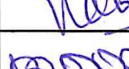

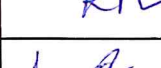
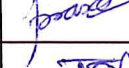
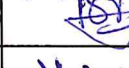




# LAKIREDDY BALI REDDY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

(An Autonomous Institution since 2010)

## Minutes of 22<sup>nd</sup> Academic Council Meeting held on 23-09-2023

The Twenty-Second Meeting of the Academic Council (AC) was held on 23-09-2023, Saturday, 10:00 AM through online mode using Microsoft Teams Platform under the Chairmanship of Prof. K. Appa Rao, Principal. The following members were present.

Sl.	Name of the Member	Designation	Signature
1	Dr. K. Appa Rao, Principal	Chairman	
2	Dr. K. Venkata Reddy Director, Academic and Planning, JNTUK, Kakinada	Member (University Nominee)	
3	Dr. B. Bala Krishna Director of Evaluation, JNTUK, Kakinada	Member (University Nominee)	
4	Dr. S. Siva Naga Raju Director, Foreign Universities Relations, JNTUK, Kakinada	Member (University Nominee)	
5	Dr. A. Venu Gopal Professor, NITW, Warangal	Member (Education)	Attended (online)
6	Dr. A. Arockia Rajan Professor, IITM, Chennai	Member (Education)	Attended (online)
7	Sri. M.S.R. Murthy Sr. Consultant, TCS, Hyderabad	Member (Industry)	Attended (online)
8	Sri. S. Sambasiva Reddy, APP, Govt. of Telangana	Member (Law)	NOT PRESENT
9	Dr. K. Harinadha Reddy, Vice-Principal	Member	
10	Dr. D. Veeraiah, HoD/CSE	Member	
11	Dr. S. Jayaprada, HoD/CSE(AI&ML)	Member	
12	Dr. B. Srinivasa Rao, HoD/IT	Member	
13	Dr. O. Ramadevi, HoD/AI&DS	Member	
14	Dr. J. Siva Vara Prasad, HoD/EEE	Member	
15	Dr. S. Pichi Reddy, HoD/ME	Member	
16	Dr. Y. Amar Babu, HoD/ECE	Member	
17	Dr. P. Lovaraju, HoD/ASE	Member	
18	Dr. V. Rama Krishna, HoD/CE	Member	
19	Dr. A. Adishesha Reddy, HoD/MBA	Member	
20	Dr. A. Rami Reddy, HoD/FED	Member	
21	Dr. Sujit Kumar Rath, HoD/CGT	Member	
22	Dr. B. Ramesh Reddy, Coordinator, IQAC	Member (Principal Nominee)	
23	Dr. E. V. Krishna Rao, Dean - R&D	Member (Principal Nominee)	
24	Dr. K. R. L. Prasad, In-Charge, Information Centre	Member (Principal Nominee)	
25	Dr. T. Satyanarayana, Coordinator, R&D	Member (Principal Nominee)	
26	Dr. P. V. Chandra Sekhar Rao, CoE	Member	
27	Dr. M. Srinivasa Rao, Dean - Academics	Member Secretary	

The Principal of Lakireddy Bali Reddy College of Engineering and Chairman of the Academic Council extended a warm welcome to all the members and declared the 22<sup>nd</sup> Academic Council Online meeting open at 10:00 AM.

The Chairman expressed sincere thanks to Prof. K.V.S.G. Murali Krishna, former DAP, for his valuable guidance, suggestions and support towards the holistic growth of the college.

The Chairman has greeted and welcomed the new University Nominee, Dr. K. Venkata Reddy, Director, Academic and Planning, JNTUK, Kakinada, and requested his kind guidance and support for the development of the college.

The following agenda points were discussed, deliberated upon and the decisions taken are as follows.

**1. Confirmation of minutes of the 21<sup>st</sup> Academic Council meeting held on 06-05-2023.**

The minutes of the 21<sup>st</sup> Academic Council meeting have been confirmed with the consent of the esteemed members of the Academic Council.

**2. Review of Action Taken Report (ATR) on minutes of the 21<sup>st</sup> Academic Council meeting held on 06-05-2023.**

The Chairman presented the Action Taken Report in response to the suggestions given by the Hon'ble members.

Agenda Item	Decision / Suggestion	Action taken
Confirmation of minutes of the 20 <sup>th</sup> Academic Council meeting held on 26-11-2022.	Confirmed	--
Review of Action Taken Report (ATR) on minutes of the 20 <sup>th</sup> Academic Council meeting held on 26-11-2022.	Reviewed and approved	Being Implemented
Information on College Accreditations and Rankings.	Noted	<b>NBA:</b> ASE and CE programs are accredited. MBA – waiting for result. <b>NIRF-2023</b> Innovation: 101-150 Rank Band <b>Autonomous</b> Status: Extended up to A.Y.2032-33
Information on the Implementation of the Teaching-Learning Process.	Noted	Being Implemented
Approval of Academic Results of UG & PG students for the A.Y.: 2022-23 (Odd and Even Semesters, Regular/ Supplementary Examinations) and issuance of Provisional Certificates.	Approved	Remedial Classes are being conducted
Approval of Academic Calendars of UG & PG for the A.Y.: 2023-24.	Approved	Being Implemented
Approval of Transitory Regulations for the Student transferred from the other Institution.	Approved	Being Implemented

Agenda Item	Decision / Suggestion	Action taken
Approval of the Vision and Mission Statements of the Artificial Intelligence & Data Science Department.	Approved	Being Implemented
Information and discussion on students detained due to shortage of Attendance for the A.Y.: 2022-23.	Noted	Different strategies are being implemented to improve the regularity of students
Information & Discussion on Research & Development Activities for the A.Y.: 2022-23.	Noted	Guidelines are given to publish papers in Indexed Journals only. <b>SCI: 20, ESCI: 07, Scopus (J): 21 Scopus (C): 78</b>
Information & Discussion on Training & Placement Activities for the A.Y.: 2022-23	Noted & appreciated	Placements through PEGA (TCS: 34 Students)
Information on Student Support Systems and Achievements	Noted & Appreciated achievements	--
Any other point with the permission of Chair	Guidelines on CSP Teaching competency for advanced courses. Focus on core branch admissions.	Being implemented. Faculty are being deputed for FDPs, Conferences.

### 3. Information on College Accreditations and Rankings.

#### a) NBA

The Aerospace and Civil Engineering departments have successfully achieved NBA Accreditation for a three-year period, from A.Y. 2023-24 to 2025-26. With these accreditations, all seven eligible UG programs (ASE, CE, CSE, IT, ECE, EEE, and ME) are accredited by NBA under Tier-I. Additionally, the NBA expert team has already conducted their visit to PG program MBA, and we are currently awaiting the result.

#### b) Extension of Autonomous Status

UGC has extended Autonomous status for 10 years, i.e., up to A.Y. 2032-33 and the same is conferred by JNTUK Kakinada.

#### c) NIRF India Rankings 2023

The college has secured a position in the Rank band of 101-150 in NIRF India Rankings 2023 under the Innovation Category.

#### Decision:

The hon'ble members appreciated the efforts of the Principal, Staff, and Students for achieving NBA accreditation under Tier-I and for securing a position in the NIRF India Rankings 2023 under Innovation.

#### 4. Approval of R23 Regulations (UG & PG).

- ❖ The committee has suggested that R23 Regulations will be applicable to students readmitted in the first year, first semester based on the interest of the students and suggested that an Undertaking Form is to be collected from both students and parents prior to their re-joining into current Regulations and other members also approved the same.

#### Decision:

- ❖ The members of the Academic Council have thoroughly reviewed and approved the R23 Regulations for UG and PG programs and also changes in the course contents for Engineering Mechanics and Engineering Graphics in the I Semester of the I B.Tech. program.
- ❖ Program Outcomes for PG Programs: MBA and M.Tech. are duly approved by the committee.

#### 5. Ratification of the minutes of the previous BoS meeting.

The minutes of the Board of Studies (BoS) meetings held in months of August & September 2023 have been ratified by the members of council.

#### 6. Approval of Academic Results of UG & PG students for the A.Y.: 2022-23 (Odd Semester and Even Semesters, Regular/ Supplementary Examinations) and issuance of Provisional Certificates.

The Chairman has duly presented the following academic results for the Academic Year 2022-23 to the council.

##### a) R20 Regulations:

B.Tech. (I Semester) Suppl.	- Aug. 2023
B.Tech. (II Semester) Regular/Suppl.	- Jul/Aug. 2023
B.Tech. (III Semester) Suppl.	- Jul. 2023
B.Tech. (IV Semester) Regular/Suppl.	- Jun/Jul. 2023
B.Tech. (V Semester) Suppl.	- May 2023
B.Tech. (VI Semester) Regular	- May 2023
MBA (II Semester) Regular/Suppl.	- Jul. 2023
MBA (IV Semester) Regular/Suppl.	-Jul/Aug. 2023
M.Tech. (IV Semester) Regular	- May 2023

##### b) R17 Regulations:

B.Tech. (I semester) Suppl.	- May 2023
B.Tech. (II Semester) Suppl.	- May 2023
B.Tech. (III Semester) Suppl.	-May 2023
B.Tech. (IV Semester) Suppl.	-May 2023
B.Tech. (IV Semester) Regular (RA)	-June/July 2023
B.Tech. (V Semester) Suppl.	-May 2023
B.Tech. (VI Semester) Regular (RA)	-May 2023
B.Tech. (VI Semester) Suppl.	-May 2023

**c) R14 Regulations:**

B.Tech. (I Semester) Suppl.	- May 2023
B.Tech. (II Semester) Suppl.	- May 2023
B.Tech. (III Semester)Suppl.	-May 2023
B.Tech. (IV Semester)Suppl.	-May 2023
B.Tech. (V Semester) Suppl.	-May 2023
B.Tech. (VI Semester) Suppl.	-May 2023

The details of students **eligible for the Award of a Degree** are as follows.

**i) Regular Category:**

<b>MBA</b>	- R20 Regulations	96 Students
<b>M.Tech.</b>	- R20 Regulations	01 Student
	<b>Total</b>	<b>97 Students</b>

**ii) Supplementary Category:**

<b>B. Tech.</b>	- R14 Regulations	09 Students
<b>B. Tech.</b>	- R17 Regulations	64 Students
<b>MBA</b>	- R20 Regulations	03 Students
	<b>Total</b>	<b>76 Students</b>
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>173 Students</b>

**Decision:**

- ❖ The committee has diligently reviewed the results and subsequently granted approval for the issuance of provisional certificates to students who have successfully graduated.
- ❖ The esteemed members have granted approval for the immediate issuance of provisional certificates following the announcement of results, allowing supplementary students to pursue job opportunities upon approval of Results Committee.

### 7. Approval of Academic Calendars of UG & PG for the A.Y.2023-24 (B.Tech. I & II Semesters and M.B.A I, II, III & IV Semesters)

The chairman has presented the details of academic calendars for the academic year 2023-24.

**Decision:**

The committee members have conducted a comprehensive review and duly approved the academic calendars for both undergraduate (UG) and postgraduate (PG) programs for the academic year 2023-24, which cover the following semesters:

- **B.Tech.:** I and II Semesters
- **M.B.A:** I, II, III, and IV Semesters

**8. Information on students detained due to shortage of Attendance for the A.Y.:2022-23 (B.Tech. -II Sem).**

The chairman has presented the total of 13 students those were detained, consisting of 9 undergraduate (UG) students pursuing B.Tech.in various branches (CE-1, CSE-2, CSE (AI&ML)-1, ECE-1, EEE-1, IT-1, ME-2) and 4 postgraduate (MBA) students.

**Decision:**

- ❖ The academic departments responsible for these students would reach out to them individually to understand the reasons for their attendance issues.
- ❖ The members advised to conduct counselling sessions and mentoring programs to help these students improve their attendance in the upcoming semesters.

**9. Information on students detained due to shortage of Credits for promotion to B.Tech. V & VII semesters for the A.Y.: 2023-24.**

The chairman has presented a total of 7 undergraduate (UG) students who were detained due to a shortage of credits. This group comprises 6 students from various branches (CE-1, CSE-1, EEE-1, IT-1, ME-2) who were not promoted to the V Semester and 1 student from the ME branch who was not promoted to the VII Semester.

**Decision:**

The committee has suggested conducting remedial classes to help students overcome credit shortages, enabling them to meet the eligibility requirements for promotion to the next semester.

**10. Any other point with the permission of Chair.**

- Prof. A. Venu Gopal garu suggested the inclusion of Program Outcomes (POs) for PG programs, and this suggestion was duly approved. Additionally, he recommended adhering to the university's guidelines regarding the swapping of institutions by students in accordance with the R23 Regulations.
- M.S.R. Murthy garu suggested raising awareness among non-IT students about pathways to enter the software industry and emphasized exploring job opportunities in core companies for ME, CE, EEE, and ECE students. He also acknowledged our impressive placement track record and recommended including data on placement cell registrations and successful placements for a more comprehensive overview of our placement efforts.
- **Re-joining of the Students into I B.Tech. I Semester:** Prof. B. Bala Krishna garu and Prof. K. Venkata Reddy garu advised that the R23 Regulations will be applicable to students readmitted in the first year, first semester based on the interest of the students and suggested that an Undertaking Form is to be collected from both students and parents prior to their re-joining into current Regulations and other members also approved the same.

- The committee has suggested to print the Month & Year of Pass in the Memorandum of Grades, Consolidated Grade Cards, Provisional Certificates etc as per the first subject conducted month & year of examinations for a particular semester (i.e., the month which is mentioned in the examination issued notification) . This will be applicable for all the UG & PG regular & supplementary semester end examinations conducted from January 2024 onwards.
- The Chairman has presented the information of training by PEGA and placements in TCS.
- The Chairman presented the few remarkable following achievements of students to the members.
  - K. Sai Venkata Supraja, IV. B.Tech. ECE got 2<sup>nd</sup> place in State level “Best Student Award” Presented by Hon’ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh Sri. Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy on 20-06-2023.
  - K. Ruby, III B. Tech. ASE got Appreciation Certificate from Hon’ble Vice Chancellor, JNTUK, Kakinada for getting AIR – 652 in GATE 2023.
  - 83 Students from various department have received the North South Foundation (NSF) scholarship worth of Rs. 20.75 Lakhs.
- Stakeholder feedback on curriculum for the A.Y.: 2022-23 is approved.
- Approval of AQAR of the A.Y.: 2022-23 is discussed and approved.

**Concluding Remarks:**

The Principal has expressed sincere thanks to all the members of Academic Council for sparing their valuable time and giving constructive suggestions to the holistic growth of the institution.

The meeting was concluded at 11.30 A.M.

*g. n. n. 18/10/2023*  
Dr. K. Appa Rao

Principal & Chairman, Academic Council

**Copy to:**

All the Members of Academic Council

**Date:** 18-10-2023