

Minutes of the 22nd Meeting of School Research Committee in Information Technology held on 18th January, 2007 at 03:00pm in the Committee Room of the University School of Information Technology

22nd Meeting of School Research Committee in Information Technology was held on 18th January, 2007 in the University School of Information Technology. The following members were present:

1. Prof. Nupur Prakash, Dean, USIT, GGSIPU
2. Prof. Yogesh Singh, Professor, USIT, GGSIPU
3. Prof. BVR Reddy, Professor, USIT, GGSIPU
4. Prof. Navin Rajpal, Professor, USIT, GGSIPU
5. Dr. C. S. Rai, Reader, USIT, GGSIPU
6. Dr. Pravin Chandra, Reader, USIT, GGSIPU
7. Dr. Arvinder Kaur, Reader, USIT, GGSIPU

The following points were discussed and decision was taken for formulation of Guidelines for the submission of Ph.D. thesis in the University School of Information Technology.

The Ph.D. ordinance of the University requires that the candidate must have published two papers in International Journal of repute or equivalent for his/her case to be considered for submission of the Ph.D. Thesis. This leads to a question of interpretation of the phrase "International Journal of Repute or Equivalent". The recommendations of the previous committee was considered and the following amendments are proposed.

The following minimal guidelines which must be satisfied by the candidate for the consideration of thesis submission:

1. All papers accepted for publication to be awarded numerical points. Two points minimally must be acquired before the case is brought before the School Research Committee.
2. It is mandatory to publish at least one paper in Journal(s) (not newsletters or conference proceedings) published by the following publishers:

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| i. IEEE | ix. IEICE |
| ii. Springer Verlag. | x. IOP |
| iii. Pergamon | xi. MIT Press |
| iv. Elsevier | xii. Wiley |
| v. Kluwer | xiii. SIAM |
| vi. World Scientific | xiv. EUROSIP |
| vii. Association of Computing Machinery | xv. Wiley Interscience |
| viii. IEE | xvi. ASQ |

Each paper published in these journals to be awarded 1 point. A new journal can be added to this list with the consent of the School Research Committee

3. Each publication in CSI, IE or IETE journals to be awarded a numerical value of 0.50.
4. Each paper published in any other journal (which is not published by a College) to be awarded a numerical point of 0.25.
5. Each publication in referred conference proceedings published by the publishers listed in (2) to be given a numerical value of 0.25.
6. Any other publication to be awarded a numerical point of 0.10 and maximum of the aggregate points accrued through these publication is 0.50



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Chairperson, School Research Committee