



**OFFICE OF DEAN RESEARCH STUDIES**  
**UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU**

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF RESEARCH STUDIES IN THE FACULTY OF LAW FOR THE SESSION MARCH, 2025 HELD ON 10.06.2025 AT 10.30 A.M. IN THE OFFICE CHAMBER OF DEAN RESEARCH STUDIES, UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU.

**P R E S E N T**


1. Prof. Neelu Rohmetra *(In the Chair)*  
Dean Research Studies;
2. Prof. Arvind Jasrotia  
Department of Law;
3. Prof. Satinder Kumar  
Department of Law  
Dean Faculty of Law;
4. Prof. Manju Jamwal  
Department of Law;
5. Prof. Seema Nargotra  
Department of Law;
6. Prof. Savita Nayyar  
Department of Law;


In the introductory remarks, the Dean Research Studies welcomed the members of BORS (Law). Dean Research Studies requested that the cases be submitted to office of Dean Research Studies with explicit recommendations of DRC of respective departments after examining the cases as per norms and the Ph.D Statutes. It was further emphasized that timely submission and completion of the Ph.D work be encouraged by regular progress monitoring & necessary facilitation accordingly by departments. Members appreciated the contributions of Mrs. Alka Gupta Assistant Registrar (R & A) towards the Research and Award Section for having served for a long period and having superannuated on 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2025. Thereafter, Assistant Registrar (R&A) took up the Agenda for the deliberations on the items:-

**ITEM NO. 1:**

Considered the confirmation of the Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Law held on 17.12.2024, as already circulated.

  
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**RESOLVED that** the Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in *Law* held on 17.12.2024, as circulated are approved.

**ITEM NO. 2:**

**Considered the Progress Reports of the Research Scholars pursuing research leading to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of *Law*.**

**RESOLVED that** the Progress Reports of the Research Scholars pursuing research leading to the award of Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of **Law** be placed on record. Further resolved that the Head of the Department concerned shall initiate the **process for cancellation** of registration of those scholars under rules, whose **three** consecutive progress reports have not been received by the Department after giving an opportunity to the candidate with the consent of the Supervisor. NOC in favour of such candidates be provided by HOD concerned. Further, the cases for cancellation of Registration which are pending due to non-submission of NOC by the scholar concerned, the HOD may obtain the NOC from the concerned offices/libraries through e.mail and send the cases complete in all respect to the office of DRS for further course of action in the matter.


Further it was observed that since registration period of some scholars is going to expire soon, therefore, in cases of candidates mentioned at {S.No. 3 (Yogita Sharma), S.No. 4 (Yasmeena Jan), S.No. 5 (Komal Sharma), S.No. 6 (Ramneek Singh Katoch), S.No. 7 (Anu Sen) & S.No. 8 (Ghulam Mustafa)}, HOD and concerned Supervisors to encourage scholars to submit the thesis well within stipulated time period. Further, for candidate mentioned at S.No. 29 (Priya Sharma): HOD to send case for cancellation after completing all required formalities within one month of issuance of these Minutes.

**ITEM NO. 3:**

**Considered the the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee of the department of Law for grant of extension in favour of below mentioned scholars w.e.f. the dates as shown against each for two years beyond three years in the period for submission of Ph.D. theses in Faculty of Law:**

S. No.	Name of the Candidate	Supervisor	Date of Registration	Extension required	w.e.f.
1	Sumeet Kumar	Dr. Monika Bhardwaj	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027
2	Nishu Sudan	Prof. Arvind Jasrotia	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027

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3	Akash Deep Singh	Prof. Arvind Jasrotia	19.05.2022	2 years	19.05.2025 to 18.05.2027
4	Monika Dogra	Prof. Satinder Kumar	06.06.2022	2 years	06.06.2025 to 05.06.2027
5	Juhi Dwivedi	Dr. Monika Bhardwaj	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027
6	Supriya Chouhan	Prof. Sanjay Gupta	06.06.2022	2 years	06.06.2025 to 05.06.2027
7	Vikas Badhoria	Dr. Satinder Kumar	22.05.2022	2 years	22.05.2025 to 21.05.2027
8	Neha Charak	Prof. Savita Nayyar	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027
9	Mehak Fatima Malik	Dr. Mohd. Arif	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027
10	Alisha Sharma	Prof. Sanjay Gupta	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027
11	Megha Choudhary	Prof. Sanjay Gupta	03.04.2022	2 years	03.04.2025 to 02.04.2027
12	Pooja Jamwal	Dr. Vijay Saigal	06.06.2022	2 years	06.06.2025 to 05.06.2027
13	Intakhab Ahmed	Dr. Mohd. Arif	18.05.2022	2 years	18.05.2025 to 17.05.2027
14	Nazia Nabi	Dr. Mohd. Arif	18.05.2022	2 years	18.05.2025 to 17.05.2027
15	Chandni Bhagat	Dr. Mohd. Arif	17.05.2022	2 years	17.05.2025 to 16.05.2027

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**RESOLVED that** in accordance with Ph.D Statutes 2019, the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee regarding extension beyond three years for two years in favour of above mentioned research scholars w.e.f. the dates as shown against each for pursuing research leading to the award of Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of Law are approved.

**ITEM NO. 4**

**Considered the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee of Department of Law for conversion of Status from whole-time to part-time registration in favour of the following Ph.D scholars for pursuing research leading to the award of Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of Law:**

S. No	Name of the Candidate	Supervisor	Date of Registration	Date of joining employment/Conversion to part-time
1	Rufi Maqbool Khan	Prof. Sanjay Gupta	28.04.2021	01.09.2023
2	Amit Kumar	Prof. Satinder Kumar	29.04.2021	16.10.2024

**RESOLVED that** in accordance with Ph.D Statutes 2019, the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee regarding conversion of status from whole-time to part-time in favour of above mentioned scholars w.e.f. date of their joining the job for pursuing research leading to the award of Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of Law are approved. Necessary notification/ order shall be issued accordingly.


**ITEM NO. 5:**

**Considered the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee of the Department of Law regarding extension beyond ten years in favour of Ms. Mini Gupta for submission of her Ph.D thesis pursuing research leading to the award of Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of Law:**


S. No.	Name	Name of the Supervisor	Date of registration	Extension w.e.f.	%age of work done
1.	Mini Gupta	Prof. Arvind Jasrotia	01.09.2014	01.09.2024	95% (last reported to this office)

**RESOLVED that** case is referred back to DRC to examine the case under rules and submit explicit recommendations in the matter.

  
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**ITEM NO. 6:**

**Considered the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) for Constitution of Research Advisory Committee (RAC) for scholars/candidates admitted in the Session Sept.-Oct., 2024 in the Department of Law.**

S.No.	Name of the Candidate	Research Advisory Committee (RAC)
1.	Jyoti Chowdhary	1. Dr. Monica Narang (Convener) 2. Prof. Sanjay Gupta 3. Dr. Monika Bharadwaj
2.	Sachin Kumar Sharma	1. Prof. Satinder Kumar (Convener) 2. Prof. Savita Nayyar 3. Dr. Mohd. Arif
3.	Mehnaz Chowdhary	1. Prof. Savita Nayyar (Convener) 2. Prof. Arvind Jasrotia 3. Prof. Satinder Kumar
4.	Ratul Dhiman	1. Dr. Bindu Sangra (Convener) 2. Prof. Manju Jamwal 3. Prof. Arvind Jasrotia
5.	Anirudh Thakur	1. Prof. Arvind Jasrotia (Convener) 2. Prof. Manju Jamwal 3. Dr. Mohd. Arif
6.	Sourabh Gupta	1. Dr. Monika Bhardwaj (Convener) 2. Prof. Arvind Jasrotia 3. Prof. Satinder Kumar
7.	Naira	1. Dr. Mohd. Arif (Convener) 2. Prof. Manju Jamwal 3. Prof. Sanjay Gupta
8.	Supriya	1. Dr. Seema Sharma (Convener) 2. Dr. Navdeep Kour Sasan 3. Dr. Bindu Sangra

**RESOLVED that** in accordance with Ph.D Statutes 2024, the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee for constitution of Research Advisory Committee for scholars mentioned above are approved.

  
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# ITEM NO.7 :

To consider the recommendations of the Departmental Research Committee for Ph.D registration of the following candidates in the Faculty of Law for the Session March, 2025.

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S. NO	NAME OF THE SCHOLAR/S	ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION/S	UNIVERSITY	TOPIC OF RESEARCH	SUPERVISOR/ CO-SUPERVISOR	DOR/ ENROLLMENT	FEE DETAILS	REMARKS, IF ANY
1	Shriya Sharma D/o Ajit Sharma Whole time 738/WG/10	LLM (2020) Entrance test & Course Work Pass	University of Jammu	Plastic Waste Management: A Socio-Legal Study in Jammu Division	Prof. Manju Jamwal	07.11.2023	Receipt No: 3145 Dated 11.04.2025	Approved
2	Anant Shivani D/o Lahari Singh Whole time	LLM (2022) Entrance test & Course Work Pass	Ch. Charan Singh University, Meerut	Implementation of Artificial Intelligence in Law Enforcement: A Comparative Study of India and International Legal Frameworks	Dr. Aarti Sharma	07.11.2023	Receipt No: 3203 Dated 15.04.2025	Synopsis is referred back to DRC for revisiting the title and accordingly making necessary amendments in the synopsis (if any). DRS is authorized to approve the modified topic on the recommendations of DRC & Dean, Faculty of Law.  Migration Certificate is to be submitted to the office of Registration Section.
3	Tahmeena Farooq D/o Farooq Ahmad Bhat Whole time	LLM (2021) Entrance test & Course Work Pass	Central University of Punjab	Legal Framework and Conservation Strategies of Wetlands: A Socio-legal Study in Jammu and Kashmir	Dr. Aarti Sharma	07.11.2023	Receipt No: 3144 Dated 11.04.2025	Title modified & approved.  Title page be send to the office of DRS for record.

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								Migration Certificate is to be submitted to the office of Registration Section.
4	Arun Dev Singh Jamwal S/o Parbhat Singh Jamwal Whole time 09/TWSU/10	LLM (2020) Entrance test & Course Work Pass	University of Jammu	Evaluating Good Governance through Public Service Guarantee Act, 2011: A Socio-legal Analysis of Public Service Delivery in Select Government Departments in Jammu and Kashmir	Prof. Arvind Jasrotia	07.11.2023	Receipt No: 3135 & 3358 Dated 11.04.2025 & 17.04.2025	Title approved. However, synopsis is referred back to DRC for review of literature, index, page numbering, format & references. DRS is authorized to approve the modified synopsis on the recommendations of DRC & Dean, Faculty of Law.
5	Urvashi Vaid D/o Devki Nandan Whole time	LLM (2022) Entrance & Course Work Pass	Chandigarh University	Regulation of Mental Health care in India: A Socio-Legal Study in Jammu and Kashmir concerning young persons	Prof. Sanjay Gupta		Receipt No: 3259 Dated 15.04.2025	Title modified & approved. However, synopsis is referred back to DRC for review of hypothesis and examine the case in the light of deliberations held during BORS meeting w.r.t date of effect of Registration. The fresh recommendations of DRC be submitted to the office of DRS. DRS is authorized to approve the modified synopsis on the recommendations of DRC & Dean, Faculty of Law.  Migration Certificate is to be submitted to the office

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6	Parul Sharma D/o Jatinder Kumar Sharma Whole time	LLM (2022) Entrance & Course Work Pass	Chandigarh University	Exclusivity in Competition under Intellectual Property Laws and Competition Law: Comparative Study of India, U.S.A. & U.K.	Dr. Raj Kumar		Receipt No: 3260 Dated 15.04.2025	of Registration Section. Title modified & approved. However, synopsis is referred back to DRC to examine the case in the light of deliberations held during BORS meeting w.r.t date of effect of Registration. The fresh recommendations of DRC be submitted to the office of DRS. DRS is authorized to approve the Date of Registration on the recommendations of DRC & Dean, Faculty of Law.  Migration Certificate is to be submitted to the office of Registration Section.
7	Neha Sawhney D/o Ramesh Chander Sawhney Whole time	LLM (2021) Entrance & Course Work Pass	Sharda University	Understanding the dynamics of cruelty against husbands in Jammu and Kashmir: A Socio-legal study	Dr. Monika Bhardwaj		Receipt No: 3124 Dated 11.04.2025	Title modified & approved. However, synopsis is referred back to DRC for review of Research methodology & examine the case in the light of deliberations held during BORS meeting w.r.t date of effect of Registration. The fresh recommendations of DRC be submitted to the office

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								of DRS. DRS is authorized to approve the modified synopsis on the recommendations of DRC & Dean, Faculty of Law.  Migration Certificate is to be submitted to the office of Registration Section.
8	Sobia Ferdous D/o Akhlaq Ahmed Whole time 126/GDCMP/12	LLM (2021) Entrance test & Course Work Pass	University of Jammu	Disparities between Law and Practice in Marriage and Divorce among Muslim Women: A Socio-Legal Study with special reference to Gujjars and Bakerwals of Jammu and Kashmir	Dr. Mohd. Arif	07.11.2023	Receipt No: 3142 Dated 11.04.2025	Title modified & approved. However, synopsis is referred back to DRC for review of methodology. DRS is authorized to approve the modified synopsis on the recommendations of DRC & Dean, Faculty of Law.

**NOTE:**

1. The candidates mentioned at S.No. 1 to 8 in Item No. 7 are required to submit an affidavit duly attested by first class Magistrate to the effect that he/she has/has not joined/engaged any type of regular/private/adhoc/contractual job to the office of DRS for timely issuance of registration letters.
2. The candidates at S.No. 2, 4, 5, 7 & 8 are required to submit the revised/modified synopsis as indicated against them within one month from the date of issuance of minutes of the meeting of BORS. The revised synopsis be signed by the DRC and duly recommended & forwarded by Dean concerned, certifying that the suggestions/corrections have been incorporated in the synopsis. The changes made in the revised synopsis be highlighted.
3. The candidates admitted in the year 2022 are approved with observations as shown against each as one time exception for late submission of synopsis. Further, HOD is advised that two separate cycles of Coursework be conducted simultaneously for students who are required to undergo 6 months Coursework & 18 months Coursework respectively and accordingly their synopsis be submitted within stipulated time period as per Statutes.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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Dated: 24/07/2025

**Copy to:-**

1. Spl. Secy. to Vice Chancellor for kind information of worthy Vice Chancellor.
2. Dean Research Studies for kind information.
3. Prof. \_\_\_\_\_, Head, Department of \_\_\_\_\_, *with the request to circulate the minutes among all the Supervisors concerned and also to initiate follow up action.*
4. Prof. \_\_\_\_\_, Department of \_\_\_\_\_, Member of BORS, University of Jammu.
5. Department of \_\_\_\_\_ for office record and further follow up action.
6. Incharge Website for uploading the same on the Website.

  
Assistant Registrar (DRS)