



MAULANA ABUL KALAM AZAD UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, WEST BENGAL
(Formerly WEST BENGAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY)
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Minutes of the meeting of NIRF held on 23/10/2022 on ZOOM online platform at 6.30 p.m. with following members,

- 1) Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr) Saikat Maitra
- 2) Dr. Partha Pratim Lahiri
- 3) Dr. Subhashis Datta
- 4) Prof. Indranil Mukherjee
- 5) Dr. Md Aftabuddin
- 6) Dr. Somdatta Chakravorty
- 7) Prof. Sibamay Dasgupta
- 8) Prof. Nabarun Bhattacharyya
- 9) Dr. Tufan Naiya
- 10) Dr. Anindya Bose (Invitee from Burdwan University)
- 11) Mr. Prodip Mukhopadhyay
- 12) Mr. Sudiptanshu Rochoudhury

Points discussed in the meeting:

At the onset it was discussed that NIRF ranking for the University need to be improved and for that some actions might be taken in concern. Dr. Anindya Bose from Burdwan University was invited in the meeting as an expert to give suggestions regarding this and as per the discussion Hon'ble Vice Chancellor sir gave some advises to the member to improve the NIRF ranking for MAKAUT.

1. It was advised to make a team for IPR and select potential publications / projects of students to apply patent. It was also advised to hire solicitor firm to access overall patentability.
2. HODs were advised to notify their department for registration in "VIDWAN" portal and upload patent publications to that portal and do meeting with departmental faculties for completing the process.
3. It was also discussed that a particular format would be fixed as a format used in all activities of the University as **University's name and head**. That format would be circulated among the University and

affiliated colleges also to fix up the matter of using different format as a name of the University.

4. It was advised to upload all feedback from different sources about the University in social media immediately in regular basis. Also faculties updated profile need to be uploaded in the University portal.
5. It was decided that next meeting of the committee would be held on 28th October, 2022.

Meeting ended with thanks to the chair and all the member.