

**APJ Abdul Kalam Technological University
Thiruvananthapuram**

Abstract

APJAKTU - Academic - Approval of MOOC - Modifications in the process - Resolution of the 27th Academic Council held on 19.07.2024 - Item No: 027.03.11 - Implemented - Orders issued -Reg:

ACADEMIC SECTION

U.O.No. 2146/2024/KTU

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 02.08.2024

- Read:-*1. Clause R 11.5 of B.Tech 2019 Regulations
2. Clause R 12.5 of B.Tech 2019 Regulations
3. Clause R 3.6 of M.Tech 2022 Regulations
4. UO No 2034/2021/KTU dated 04.12.2021
5. Item No: 027.03.11 in the minutes of the 27th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 19.07.2024

ORDER

Vide paper read 1 and 2, it has been stipulated that students could acquire 8 credits by opting two Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) approved by the Academic Council for the successful completion of Minors and Honours in the BTech programme.

Vide paper 3, students are required to complete a MOOC in the third semester to successfully complete MTech programmes.

MOOCs are to be recommended by the Board of Studies, and then approved by the Academic Council for the University to offer to the students.

Vide paper read 4, students are not permitted to register for MOOCs other than those approved and published by the University to earn credits for their Honours/Minor Programmes.

Students who complete MOOCs at the end of the semester have to obtain approval from the Academic Council if the MOOC was not previously approved by the University. Consequently, students need to wait until the next Academic Council meeting, may causing delays that affect their career and prospects, particularly for final-year students.

In this context, the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor has ordered that the matter of modifying the approval process of MOOCs be placed before the Academic Council.

Accordingly, the Academic Council, while considering the matter in its 27th Meeting, has resolved the following:

- Henceforth, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor will approve all the requests for approval of MOOCs



recommended by the Board of Studies.

- Under no circumstances, shall a request from an affiliated college, to consider the approval of a MOOC after a student enrolls for such a course, be considered.

Considering the whole matter in detail, sanction has been accorded by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor to implement the resolution of the resolution of Academic Council in the item no: 027.03.11 of the 27th Meeting of the Academic Council.

Orders are issued accordingly.

Sd/-

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