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**MINUTES OF THE FIRST MEETING ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**(18<sup>th</sup> September, 2017)**

The first meeting of Advisory Committee of School of Education sanctioned to Department of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu under Pandit Madan Mohan Malviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching was held on Sept. 18, 2017 at Temporary Academic Block of the Central University of Jammu. The broad objectives of the meeting were:

- To share the progress made so far, and
- To seek reflection and opinion on the Action Plan devised to direct future course of action.

Following experts attended the meeting as the core member of Advisory Committee, as special invitees and as the member of the core team of School of Education (under PMMMMNMTT):

- Prof. Ashok Aima, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu
- Prof. Lokesh K. Verma, Programme Coordinator, School of Education (under PMMMMNMTT)
- Dr. Asgar Hassan Samoon, Commissioner Secretary Higher Education
- Prof. Veena Pandita, Chairman, JKBOSE
- S. Ravinder Singh, Director, School Education (Jammu)
- Prof. R.S. Khan, Former Vice Chairman, NCTE, New Delhi
- Prof. Anita Rastogi, Programme Coordinator, School of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
- Prof. Renu Nanda, Head, University of Jammu
- Dr. Ajit Angral, Principal, M. M. College of Education, Jammu
- Dr. Rajshree Dhar, M. M. College of Education, Jammu
- Dr. Kiran, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu

- Dr. Parmod Kumar, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu
- Dr. J.N. Baliya, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu
- Dr. Ritu Bakshi, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu
- Dr. Aman, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu
- Dr. Asit Mantry, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu
- Dr. Ravi Vanguri, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Educational Studies, Central University of Jammu

The meeting started with a formal presentation of the work done so far under the aegis of School of Education (PMMMNMST) since its inception till date and sharing of template of future course of action followed by the discussion. The deliberations made and suggestions provided by the participants have been summarised as follows:

- Need was expressed to create and maintain intra-state resource pool and intra-state expert pool to be utilised to conduct various activities of School of Education.
- The State Representatives of higher education, school education and JKBOSE were requested to submit a district wise budgeting with reference to centralized allocations proposed for each activity scheduled to be organized under the School of Education.
- The emphasis was made on building ICT interface for the purpose of all future activities and action under School of Education to maximise reach.
- To maximise the reach, cascade approach was suggested to be followed for building the capacity of teachers in schools and higher education.
- The need to keep the focus on the mandate of School of Education intact was expressed by the participants.
- Suggestion to build a formative feedback and follow-up mechanism over the activities and programmes of School of Education was received.
- Immediate need was expressed to give programmes for Faculty Development a place in the proposed programme template.
- Suggestion was received to focus on the aspect of material development also to build and enrich the resource base for professional development programmes and other programmes (to be conducted by SoE). This was suggested to be proceeded through Centre for Learning and Pedagogic Study already established under School of Education, PMMMNMST.

- While discussing on the proposed activities, need for recasting the plan to promote action research was expressed. Adoption of Mentoring Model was recommended to add relevance and meaning to the activity.
- Keeping in view of the present state of affairs in school and higher education in the State of Jammu and Kashmir, support for setting-up career counselling bureaus was sought from the School of Education.
- Need was expressed to devise a strong mechanism, both at the level of school education and also at higher education, to identify the prospective beneficiaries (trainees) for the programmes to be conducted under School of Education. The chosen candidates were envisioned to invariably work as the extension of the expertise available at School of Education.
- Finally, the Chairperson on the meeting professor Ashok Aima asked for a calendared argument from the representatives of the State. He also ensured the launch atleast three activities within in the mandate of the three Centres established under School of Education, PMMMNMTT in the month of October. The action was proposed to be undertaken through the support of committee (to be constituted by the state representatives) and the core team at School of Education.

The meeting was concluded with the formal vote of thanks and at 1:45 P.M.