



MAR GREGORIOS COLLEGE OF LAW

MAR IVANIOS VIDYANAGAR, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

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COLLEGE ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING – 16/12/2023

Sl. No.	Name	Signature
1.	Prof. Dr. John P C	
2.	Rev. Adv. Joseph Venmanath	
3.	Rev. Adarsh Kumblathu	
4.	Dr. Thomaskutty P G	absent
5.	Ms. Ushakumari K G	
6.	Mr. Ramachandran Nair	
7.	Rev. Dr. Koshy Issac Punnamoottil	absent
8.	Prof. (Dr.) Bismi Gopalakrishnan	absent
9.	Rev. Fr. Vincy Varghese	
10	Dr. Abraham T Mathew	absent
11	Dr. Joju John	
12	Dr. R Biju Kumar	absent
13	Dr. NL Sajikumar	
14	Ms. Reeya Susan John	
15	Mr. M V George	
16	Mr. P D John	
17	Ms. Sushma George Mathew	

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Academic Council Meeting

Date –December 16, 2023

Time – 10.30 AM to 12 PM

MGCL Conference Hall

The Academic Council was chaired by

Prof. (Dr.) John P.C., Principal, Mar Gregorios College of Law

The following Council members were present:

Fr. Adv. Joseph Venmanath, Director, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Fr. Adarsh Kumblathu, Bursar, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Rev. Fr. Vincy Varghese, Principal-in-charge, Mar Ivanios College

Prof. (Dr.) Joju John, Mar Theophilos Teacher Training College, Thiruvananthapuram

Prof. Dr. N.L. Sajikumar, Government Law College, Thiruvananthapuram

Mr. M V George, Retd. District Judge, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Mr. John PD, Assistant Professor, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Ms. Ushakumari K G, Assistant Professor, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Ms. Sushma George Mathew, Assistant Professor, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Ms. Reeya Susan John, Assistant Professor, Mar Gregorios College of Law

Prof. (Dr.) Thomaskutty P.G., Academic Advisor, Mar Gregorios College of Law (excused)

Prof. (Dr.)Victoria P.K.,Principal, Mar Ivanios College, Thiruvananthapuram (excused)

Rev. Dr. Koshy Issac Punnamoottil, Finance Officer, Major Archdiocese of Trivandrum (excused)

Dr. Bismi Gopalakrishnan, Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Kerala (excused)

Dr. R. Bijukumar, Principal, Government Law College, Trivandrum (excused)

Prof. Ramachandran Nair, Vice Principal (Academics), Mar Gregorios College of Law (excused)

Prof. (Dr.) Abraham T Mathew, Mar Baselios College of Engineering and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram (excused)

The meeting started with a silent prayer.

AGENDA

The agenda items for the Council meeting were the following:

- (1) Update on the progress of academic collaborations, including the introduction of new certificate courses
- (2) Areas for further academic collaboration

The Council passed the minutes of the previous meeting held on May 22, 2023.

The Council was informed by the Principal, Mar Gregorios College of Law about the academic developments of the college including affiliation being sought for LLM courses in Maritime Law, Criminal Law, International Trade Law and law Relating to Artificial Intelligence and Forensics. The Council was also informed that it was formulating a minor course on law to be offered alongside the rollout of the New Education Policy.

RESOLUTIONS

The Council deliberated on new areas for collaboration and agreed upon the cooperation for the following specific activities:

1. Offering of a certificate course on Legal Aspects of Startups in collaboration with Legal Startups, Law Teachers India, and Mar Baselios College of Engineering and Technology. The course would be a 30-hour certificate course covering areas such as IPR, taxation, labour laws and company law.
2. The Council agreed that Mar Gregorios College of Law and Government Law College, Trivandrum would collaborate in the training program organized for SC/ST students aspiring to join for legal education. LLM students from MGCL would be deputed for the same.
3. The Council also agreed that the MGCL could take measures to establish a Consumer Awareness Cell as well as an Election Literacy Club.
4. The Council members agreed to participate in the International Conference on Education to be conducted by Mar Theophilos Training College in January 2024.
5. Mar Ivanios College agreed to cooperate with MGCL on the rollout of the course on legal aspects of startups as well as examine new avenues to offer the course on law and literature.