



BIHAR ANIMAL SCIENCES UNIVERSITY

(Established under Bihar Act 15, 2016)

Bihar Veterinary College Campus, Patna, Bihar 800 014

Proceedings of the 24th Meeting of Academic Council of Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna held under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor, BASU, Patna on 03.01.2026 at 11.30 A.M. at Conference Hall No.-02, Bihar Veterinary College, Patna.

Attendance - Available in concerned file.

Agenda No.	Particulars
01/AC-24/26	Confirmation of the Minutes of the 23rd Meeting of Academic Council held on 20th September, 2025.

Note: The minutes of the 23rd meeting were circulated vide L.No.- BASU/Reg./Acad./F.No.-01(20)/1173 dated 24.09.2025.

No comments have been received; the proceeding of the 23rd meeting is placed before the Academic Council for confirmation.

Resolution:	Confirmed
02/AC-24/26	To apprise with the "Action Taken Report" in pursuance of the decisions taken in the 23rd Meeting of Academic Council held on 20th September, 2025.
Resolution:	Accepted

Academic Calendars of different Semesters of Under-Graduate and Post-Graduate Programme of the University have been published in anticipation of approval from the Academic Council of the University as indicated below -

Name of Programme	Name of Professional Year/Semester/ Batch	Ref. No. of publication/ notification of Academic calendar
B.V.Sc. & A.H.	Academic Calendar 2 nd Professional Year, 2024-26 Batch and 3 rd Professional Year, 2023-24 Batch Academic Session 2025-26	Memo No. BASU/Reg./Acad./F.No.-03(II)/1311, dated 26.09.2025
	Academic Calendar 4 th Professional Year, 2022-23 Batch Academic Session 2025-27	Memo No. BASU/Reg./Acad./F.No.-03(II)/1477, dated 05.11.2025
	Academic Calendar 1 st Professional Year, 2025-26 Batch Academic Session 2025-26	Memo No. BASU/Reg./Acad./F.No.-03(II)/1548, dated 25.11.2025

B.Tech. (D.T.)	Revised Academic Calendar 1 st Year (1 st & 2 nd Semester) 2025-26 Batch	Memo No. BASU/Reg./ Acad./F.No.-03(II)/1687, dated 17.12.2025
M.Tech./M.F.Sc. & Ph.D.	Academic Calendar 3 rd Year (5 th & 6 th Semester) 2023-24 Batch Academic 2025-26	Memo No. BASU/Reg./ Acad./F.No.-03(II)/1394, dated 16.10.2025
M.V.Sc./M.Tech./ M.F.Sc. & Ph.D.	Academic Calendar 1 st Year (1 st & 2 nd Semester) 2025-26 Batch 4 th Year (7 th & 8 th Semester) 2022-23 Batch 6 th Year (12 th Semester) 2020-21 Batch Academic 2025-26	Memo No. BASU/Reg./ Acad./F.No.-03(II)/1638, dated 06.12.2025

The Academic Council may ratify the aforementioned Academic Calendars.

Resolution: Ratified

04/AC-24/26 **Guidelines for Medical and Health Services of the students in Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna.**

The Resident Instruction Committee of the University in its 9th meeting held on 02.09.2025 has proposed the Guidelines for Medical and Health Services of the students in Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna, as detailed below-

As per the National Education Policy 2020, all Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) are required to ensure quality medical facilities for all students in their institution. The students are entitled to reasonable attention to medical and health requirements including free and periodic health check-up and treatment/ hospitalization in case of medical emergencies. (UGC Rules & Regulations for fitness of university and colleges for Grants under section 12B of the UGC Act, 1956, Private university Regulation, Deemed University Regulation).

In order to cater to the health care needs of the students and staffs, BASU, Patna needs a well-kept medical room equipped with all necessary medications, and a first aid kit along with 2-single beds for emergency cases. A full time RMO Medical assistant should reside in the campus on regular/contract basis during university hrs.

- The university should have a tie-up with nearby Govt. (IGIMS)/ private hospital/ medical college in case of emergency.
- Ambulance service to take the students to the nearest hospital with tie-up.
- The institute may provide medical insurance coverage for all registered students.
- Insurance plans will help to pay for medical emergencies, hospitalization, contraction of an illness & treatment, and medical care.
- The institute may facilitate medical insurance for all students from any IRDA registered / Paramount Health Services and Insurance amounting Rs. 5 Lakh.

Accordingly, a scheme as well as guidelines for Medical and Health Services of the students in BASU, Patna has been prepared by the committee constituted under the Chairmanship of Students Welfare Officer with Registrar and Assistant Registrar Academic as the members has been prepared.

The scheme will be called "**Student Health Care Scheme**" **BASU 2025**. The fund relating to "Student Health Care Scheme" shall be utilized for following purpose:

- Payment of hospitalization, charges to students upto a maximum of Rs. 50,000/- per student per annum, subject to the conditions mentioned in these guidelines.
- Improvement of health Centres, Purchase of medical equipment, Providing expert consultancy.
- Any other purpose approved by the committee.
- **The students will also be covered against the following:**
 - a) Natural Death or Death due to accident - Rs 5 Lakh
 - b) Loss of two limbs/ two eyes - Rs. 5 Lakh
 - c) Loss of one limb/ one eye - Rs 2 Lakh
 - d) Permanent total disablement from - Rs 1.0 Lakh
- Payment of medical expenses incurred by each student up to 50, 000/- will be admissible for hospitalization cases, with regard to (a), (b), (c), and (d) above.

The scheme will cover all the students of BASU colleges, present and future in-service students of both BASU and other pursuing higher studies in BASU. The Scheme shall be run and managed by the BASU Administrative Office. A committee will be there with the following University Officers to operate the scheme

1. Vice Chancellor	- Chairman
2. Student Welfare Officer	- Convener
3. DRI-cum-Dean, PGS	- Member
4. All Deans	- Member
5. Registrar	- Member
6. Comptroller	- Member

The decision of the committee shall be final in all aspects for the operation of the scheme. An amount of Rs 1,000/- per student per academic year shall be collected in advance towards "Students Welfare Scheme" every academic year. The guideline for medical and health services of the students in BASU, Patna is enclosed as *annexure*.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Approved in principal with the following resolution:

- There is no need for a regular Medical Officer at Patna campus due to easy accessibility of Medical Services.
- Government of Bihar has sanctioned one post of Medical Officer for College of Fisheries, Kishanganj and the recruitment of the same will

be initiated as soon as possible.

- The Medical Insurance scheme shall be run and managed by the office of Student's Welfare Officer. For smooth functioning of the scheme, a committee of the following officers will be constituted –

1. Student's Welfare Officer	- Chairman
2. Chief Hostel Warden (One from Patna and One from Kishanganj)	- Member
3. Hostel Warden (Female)	- Member
4. Representative of the Registrar	- Member
5. Representative of the Finance Comptroller	- Member
- The Insurance Service Provider will be selected after due procedure and actual amount will be charged from the students each year.

05/AC-24/26

Permission for late registration in Ph.D. Programme by Dr. Km. Sonika Verma, Ph.D. student of Batch 2024, Department of Veterinary Medicine, Bihar Veterinary College, Patna.

The 17th PG Board of Studies of the University has recommended for the permission of late registration in Ph.D. Programme by Dr. Km. Sonika Verma, Ph.D. student of Batch 2024, Department of Veterinary Medicine, Bihar Veterinary College, Patna vide its agenda No. 17.2, which are as follows-

- Dr. Km. Sonika Verma was provisionally admitted on 20.03.2025 to Ph.D. Programme, Batch 2024, Department of Veterinary Medicine, Bihar Veterinary College, Patna.
- She was granted Extraordinary Leave on 02.04.2025 and handed over the charge of TVO on 24.04.2025 (forenoon) at AFRD, Government of Bihar. Accordingly, she reported in the department of Veterinary Medicine on 24th April, 2025 (forenoon).
- Her final admission and registration were scheduled on 25.03.2025; but, she could not registered on the said date due to delay in relieving.
- The course registration was completed on 28th April, 2025 which was beyond the existing provision mentioned in the PG RRI.
- As per Clause 1.14, sub-clause 1.14.3 and 1.14.4, “If a student gets herself admitted by the required fee but fails to get registered in the prescribed courses on the scheduled date, she shall be allowed to register with late fine by the permission of the DRI-cum-Dean, PGS within 7 working days, and by the permission of the Vice-Chancellor within 15 working days, with payment of fine @ Rs.100.00 per days.” Further, as per sub-clause 1.14.5, “Late registration after 15 days shall not be permitted.”
- Accordingly, she was required to have permission for late registration from the competent authority.
- Presently, she is enrolled in 2nd semester of Academic Programme.
- Now it has requested to grant permission for the delay in registration and regularize her admission. So that, the student does not have any academic loss.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Considering the future career of the student, the proposal is approved as special case which shall not be quoted as precedence in future.

06/AC-24/26 **Admission of B.F.Sc. Programme students through NEET (National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test) ranking.**

Presently, admission in B.F.Sc. Programme is made through the candidates who have qualified the BCECE (PCB Group) examination conducted by Bihar Combined Entrance Competitive Examination (BCECE), Patna.

The Board of Studies of College of Fisheries, Kishanganj in its 9th meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide its agenda No. 9.2 has recommended the following-

It is proposed that 50% of UG (B.F.Sc. degree programme) seats of College of Fisheries, Kishanganj may be filled by the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test ranking because many UG seats remained vacant when filled through Bihar Combined Entrance Competitive Examination (BCECE), Patna.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution After detailed deliberation, it is resolved to approve that admission in B.F.Sc. Degree Programme will be made from the NEET (National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test) ranking.

07/AC-24/26 **Approval of modalities/rules and regulations for the admission of international/foreign students against supernumerary seats of B.Tech. (D.T.) Programme offered by Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna.**

The Board of Studies of Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna in its 14th meeting held on 26.12.2025 vide its agenda No. 14.1 has recommended the following-

In accordance with the University Grants Commission (UGC) guidelines, a decision was taken in the 21st meeting of the Academic Council held on 24 April 2025 (Agenda No. 15/AC-21/25) to create 25% supernumerary seats for admission of international/foreign students. Accordingly, 15 supernumerary seats are created over and above the approved intake for Bihar domicile and national students in the B. Tech. (Dairy Technology) programme.

For the formulation of the modalities governing the admission of international/foreign students, a committee was constituted by the Dean, SGIDT, Patna. The committee has submitted its report vide Letter No. 79/2025/DBM/SGIDT, Patna dated 17.12.2025.

The modalities/rules and regulations for the admission of international/foreign students against supernumerary seats of B.Tech. (D.T.) Programme has been discussed and finalized in the 14th meeting of the Board of

Studies of Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna and the same is recommended for approval of the Academic Council. The proposed guideline may be seen referred annexure.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution:

Resolved to approve the modalities and rules/regulation for the foreign students against supernumerary seats of B.Tech. (D.T.) Programme with following correction in the guidelines-

- The equivalency of the degree will be decided in terms of CBSE/ University Grants Commission (UGC)/Association of Indian Universities (AIU)/Indian Agricultural Universities Association (IAUA) guidelines in this regard.
- Application and all other fees shall be obtained in online mode only from candidates/students.
- The suitability for admission of International/ Foreign students to undergraduate programmes will be assessed by the committee consisting of the Dean, Senior Faculty and Officer In-Charge (Academic) of the College.
- All foreign students, who are recommended by the Govt. of India and found eligible for admission in B. Tech (DT) Degree Programme at BASU, Patna will be charged fee as per Government of India norms.

08/AC-24/26

Proposal for engagement of Guest Faculty for effective course delivery and smooth functioning of academic activities in the Department of Dairy Engineering, Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna.

The Board of Studies of Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna in its 14th meeting held on 26.12.2025 vide its agenda No. 14.2 has recommended the following-

At present, the Department of Dairy Engineering is functioning with only two regular faculty members—one Associate Professor and one Assistant Professor—against nine sanctioned faculty positions (one Professor, four Associate Professors, and four Assistant Professors). Despite this shortfall of faculty strength, the Department is required to offer 16 courses carrying a total of 41 credit hours under the B.Tech. (Dairy Engineering) programme, in addition to several repeat courses offered each semester, resulting in a substantially high teaching workload.

The two existing regular faculty members possess specializations in Dairy Engineering and Food Process Engineering. However, the courses offered by the Department also include subjects related to Mechanical Engineering and Electrical Engineering. In the absence of regular faculty in these disciplines, the engagement of suitably specialized Guest Faculty is a prerequisite for effective teaching of courses related to Mechanical and Electrical Engineering on a contractual basis, until regular appointments are made.

Furthermore, the existing faculty members are actively involved in various institutional activities and projects, including the establishment of the Incubation Centre and the Students' Training Dairy Plant at Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna, in addition to their regular teaching and administrative responsibilities.

In view of the above constraints, the engagement of two Guest Faculties (on a contractual basis) is proposed to ensure effective course delivery and the smooth functioning of academic activities in the Department of Dairy Engineering. The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: After detailed deliberation, it is resolved to approve that services of the Adjunct Professor will be obtained for teaching of courses for B.Tech. (Dairy Engineering) of Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna. The payment shall be made as per existing norms of the University.

09/AC-24/26 **A non-refundable counselling fee of Rs. 2.0 lakh shall be fixed for admission under the Self-financed quota seats in B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree programme.**

It has been observed that, for admission to self-financed quota seats of B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree programme, eligible candidates are allotted by BCECEB, Patna based on their NEET rank through online counselling conducted for the respective colleges. However, many students who accept self-financed seats do not report to the allotted center. As a result, numerous genuinely interested candidates, who were not allotted a seat by BCECEB, Patna due to lower marks compared to other students, miss the opportunity for admission.

This issue persists up to the start of the online counselling rounds, leaving some seats vacant even though there are students willing to take admission under the self-financed quota. To address this, a non-refundable counselling fee of Rs. 2.0 lakh may be introduced for candidates opting for self-financed seats. This measure would ensure that only genuinely interested candidates participate, allowing the seats to be filled in the first round of online counselling.

At present, there is no existing provision.

All the members agreed on the agenda and recommended the introduction of a non-refundable counselling fee of Rs. 2.0 lakh for candidates opting for self-financed seats. In cases where a candidate is admitted under the self-financed quota, the counselling fee Rs. 2.0 lakh shall be adjusted against the total admission fee. Candidate who did not join the seat after allotment, their counselling fee will be forfeited. However, if a candidate is not allotted a seat, the counselling fee of Rs. 2.0 lakh shall be refunded.

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna in its meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide agenda No. 1 has recommended the agenda to the Academic Council for consideration of a non-refundable counselling fee of Rs. 2.0 lakh for admission under the Self-financed quota seats in B.V.Sc. & A.H.

degree programme. The details may be seen in referred annexure.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Approved as proposed.

10/AC-24/26

Uploading of Bonafide Certificate on BCECEB, Patna portal for admission under Ward Quota in B.V.Sc. & A.H. Degree Programme.

To address this issue, a provision may be created in the BCECEB online application system requiring candidates seeking admission under the Ward Quota to upload a Bonafide Certificate issued by the Registrar of Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna. This measure will ensure that only eligible candidates can apply for the Ward Quota.

Currently, one seat is reserved under the Ward Quota for permanent employee of BASU, in the B.V.Sc. & A.H. Degree Programme at Bihar Veterinary College, Patna. It has been observed that candidates who are not wards of BASU employees are applying through the online counselling conducted by BCECEB, Patna. This leads to delays in the admission process for the Ward Quota seat.

All the members agreed on the agenda and recommended the same.

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna in its meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide agenda No. 2 has recommended the agenda to the Academic Council for consideration of the proposal for creation of provision to upload Bonafide Certificate issued by Registrar, BASU, Patna in the BCECEB online application system for Admission under Ward Quota in B.V.Sc. & A.H. Degree Programme. The details may be seen in referred annexure.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Approved as proposed.

11/AC-24/26

Regarding admission charges for SC/ST Students from other states admitted through VCI Quota.

Currently, our University charges the General category admission fee for students admitted under the SC/ST category through the VCI quota in the B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree programme. Several students belonging to the SC/ST category have requested that they be charged the SC/ST admission fee, as they have been allotted seats under this category.

Therefore, it is advisable to establish a clear provision specifying which category fee should be charged when a student is admitted under a reserved category through the VCI quota.

At present, there is no existing rule or official guideline in the University regarding this matter.

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna in its meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide agenda No. 3 has recommended the agenda to the Academic Council for consideration of the proposal to charge the admission fees prescribed for SC/ST category as per the existing fee structure for the

students of SC/ST category of Bihar. The details may be seen in referred annexure.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Agenda rejected.

12/AC-24/26

Recruitment of Teaching Associate (TA)/ (Teaching personal (TP) on temporary basis against the vacant post in clinical Departments (VCC, VGO, VMD & VSR).

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna, Patna in its meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide its agenda No. 4 has recommended the following-

The demand of veterinary clinical services at BASU has increased tremendously during recent past years. Further, shortly the new clinical services will get increased with the beginning /start of new state level super specialty veterinary clinical complex at BASU.

To deliver the quality clinical services & teaching. There is need of teaching Associate (TA)/Teaching personal (TP) for in time delivery of quality services and teaching. There are several vacant posts in clinical departments (VCC, VGO, VMD & VSR). The TA/TP on temporary basis may be engaged to provide quality services. The provision of salary of these temporary TA/TP shall be made either from university salary head or from the revolving fund.

All the members agreed on the agenda and recommended to incorporate the following points:

The Committee noted that the demand for veterinary clinical services at BVC has increased in recent years. It was further observed that, in the near future, clinical service delivery will expand significantly with the commencement of the State-level Super Specialty Veterinary Clinical Complex at BASU. To ensure the timely delivery of quality veterinary clinical services, effective emergency coverage, and uninterrupted teaching, the Committee emphasized the urgent requirement of additional manpower.

In view of the existing shortage of faculty due to several vacant posts in the clinical departments, (VCC, VGO, VMD & VSR) and considering that regular recruitment may take considerable time, the Committee recommended interim engagement of manpower on a temporary basis.

Accordingly, the Committee recommended appointment of Junior Veterinary Residents (JVRs) and Guest Faculty on a temporary/contractual basis with the following terms and conditions:

Recruitment of Junior Veterinary Resident (JVR) & Guest Faculty on temporary basis against the vacant post in clinical Departments (VCC, VGO, VMD & VSR).

1. Junior Veterinary Resident (JVR)

- **Essential Qualification:** B.V.Sc. & A.H. Degree
- **Salary:** Rs. 65,000/- per month (fixed)
- **Tenure of Post:** 11 months, extendable based on performance and

- service requirements
- **Source of Fund:** VCC (Revolving fund)
- **Number of Posts Required:** 02
- **Mode of Selection:** Walk-in interview

2. Guest Faculty (Against vacant seats)

- **Essential Qualification:** B.V.Sc. & A.H. Degree with M.V.Sc. in VGO / VSR / VMD
- **Salary:** Rs. 75,000/- per month (fixed)
- **Tenure of Post:** 11 months, extendable based on performance and service requirements
- **Source of Fund:** BASU
- **Number of Posts Required:** Against existing vacant posts
- **Mode of Selection:** Walk-in interview

Official guidelines for the engagement of Guest Faculty against vacant posts are available. The details may be seen in referred annexure.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: After detailed deliberation, it is resolved to approved that-

- Veterinary Officers on contract will be recruited in place of Junior Veterinary Resident (JVR) for the period of Eleven Months only with condition that the selected candidate will not be eligible for another tenure.
- Guest Faculty may be recruited as per existing guidelines against vacant posts.

13/AC-24/26

Proposal for establishment of Directorate of Clinics at Bihar Veterinary College, Patna.

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna, Patna in its meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide its agenda No. 5 has recommended the following-

- **Increasing Demand for Veterinary Healthcare:** The state of Bihar has a huge livestock population with a high dependency of farmers on animal husbandry for livelihood. There is an increasing demand for specialized veterinary care, which requires a centralized body to coordinate and expand services.
- **Need for Standardization:** Presently, clinical activities are managed individually by departments within constituent colleges. The absence of a central directorate results in duplication of efforts and lack of uniform standards in treatment protocols and clinical record-keeping.
- **Teaching & Research Support:** Establishing a directorate will integrate clinical teaching, applied research and patient care, thus improving the academic quality of veterinary education.
- **Diagnostic and Laboratory Support:** A central directorate can facilitate establishment of state-of-the-art diagnostic laboratories and ensure standard protocols across all units.
- **Revenue Generation:** Organized clinical services will enhance income

through laboratory diagnostics, advanced surgical interventions, consultancy and tele-veterinary services.

- **Policy Implementation:** A directorate will act as the nodal agency for implementing University/State/National policies on animal health and welfare.
- **Visibility and Outreach:** A centralized clinical directorate will enhance the University's visibility and credibility in the field of veterinary healthcare at state and national levels.

At present, there is no existing provision. All the members agreed on the agenda and recommended to incorporate the following points-

In view of the increasing demand for advanced veterinary services, improved diagnostic facilities, and specialized treatments, the Committee observed an urgent need to streamline, strengthen, and effectively coordinate all clinical activities.

Accordingly, it is recommended that a post of Director of Clinics shall be created at Bihar Veterinary College, BASU, Patna. The Director of Clinics shall function as the central coordinating and supervisory authority for all clinical activities, veterinary hospitals, and outreach services.

It is further recommended that the post of Head, Veterinary Clinical Complex shall remain unchanged and shall assist the Director of Clinics in coordination of clinical duties and in the overall development of the Veterinary Clinical Complex.

The Director of Clinics shall initiate the process for establishment of the Directorate of Clinics and prepare a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for the same.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution:

Deferred to next Academic Council meeting, with resolution that a proposal for inclusion/modification in the name (Student's Welfare Officer; HOD, VCC and HOD, LFC) in the statute will be placed in the next Academic Council meeting by the respective Board of Studies as per clause No. 22(xii) of the Bihar Animal Sciences University Act, 2016.

14/AC-24/26

Guideline for examination of B.Sc. (Poultry Production) degree programme.

The B.Sc. (Poultry Production) degree programme has been introduced to meet the growing demand for trained human resources in the poultry sector, which is one of the fastest-growing segments of the livestock industry.

In order to ensure timely academic progression, evaluation of learning outcomes, and maintenance of academic standards, it is essential to conduct the prescribed examinations for the B.Sc. (Poultry Production) degree programme in accordance with the approved curriculum, academic regulations.

Conducting the examinations will enable assessment of students' academic performance, facilitate declaration of results, and allow eligible students to progress to the next academic year or complete the programme within the stipulated timeframe. No existing provision particularly for the B.Sc (Poultry Production) degree programme. The details may be seen in the referred annexure.

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna in its meeting

held on 31.12.2025 vide agenda No. 6 approved and recommended that the same examination pattern shall be followed for diploma and certificate courses (Minimum 06 months) introduced under the new academic programme of Bihar Animal Sciences University from the Academic Year-2025, started at Bihar Veterinary College, Patna.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Approved as proposed.

15/AC-24/26

Approval of two (02) new courses and modifications in ten (10) existing courses started at Bihar Veterinary College, Patna, Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna during Academic Year-2025.

The Board of Studies of Bihar Veterinary College, Patna, Patna in its meeting held on 31.12.2025 vide its agenda No. 7 has recommended the following-

In view of the demand of candidates and to streamline the existing courses, it is necessary to revise the course titles, duration, and course fee structure for effective implementation.

In view of the growing need for skill-based capacity building and preservation of indigenous knowledge systems, the Certificate Course in Ethno-veterinary Practice and the One-Month Hands-on Training Programme in Immunology, Basic Microbiology, Cell Culture, and Basic Molecular Biology are proposed. These courses will strengthen practical competencies, enhance employment, and support field-oriented veterinary services and laboratory readiness in alignment with the needs. Already, 10 different courses are approved.

All the members agreed on the agenda with modifications (referred Annexure). Furthermore, the Committee recommended that the fee shall be waived for different courses, as applicable, for students currently enrolled in BASU as well as students from other Universities, and also for DVLD course admission of CoVAS, Kishanganj at BVC, Patna, for the session 2025-26. The details may be seen in the referred annexure.

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Approved as proposed.

16/AC-24/26

Any other item with the permission of the Chair.

16(i)/AC-24/26

Selection of "Professor of Practice" at BASU, Patna

As per the approved Agenda Item No. 11/AC-23/25 of the 23rd Academic Council of **Bihar Animal Sciences University (BASU), Patna**, a total of **six (06) bio-data** were received for engagement of **"Professor of Practice"** at BASU, Patna.

SN	Name	Qualification	Expertise	Experience
1	Dr. Surjit Singh Makkar	M.Sc. (IT), MCA, M.F.Hom, DTS	Veterinary Homeopathy, Artificial intelligence	Adjunct faculty at GADVASU, Punjab
2	Dr. Sudhir Kumar Singh	B.Sc. (Dairy Technology),	Dairy Development, strengthening milk	MD, Vaishali Patliputra Milk Union,

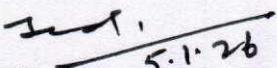
		MBA	cooperative societies	Medha
3	Shri. Pramod Kumar Sinha	M.Sc. (Dairy Technology)	Dairy Plant Operations and managements	AGM, COMFED, Patna; CEO, Nalanda Dairy
4	Shri Mahesh Mukhiya	12 th	Fish and Makhana Farming	Chairman, Mithila Makhana Producer organization
5	Dr. Pawan Kumar	M.V.Sc. (Poultry Science)	Feed mill operations, poultry production capacity building	MD, Hitech-Nutrisol; Manager operations, Venkys India Ltd.
6	Dr. Anup Kumar Kalra	M.V.Sc. (Pharmacology)	Ayurveda and business sustainability	Executive Director, Ayurvet Ltd, Business Advisor of Zenex Ltd.

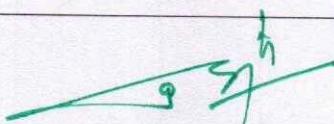
A committee comprising University officers and an external member was constituted vide Office Order No. BASU/Reg./Rect./F.No./342/442 dated 01.01.2026. The committee evaluated the biodata of the candidates on 02.01.2026 and recommended the following 05 candidates for engagement as "Professor of Practice" at BASU, Patna

S.No.	Name	Professor of Practice in the field of
1	Dr. Surjit Singh Makkar	Veterinary Homeopathy and Artificial intelligence
2	Dr. Sudhir Kumar Singh	Dairy Development, strengthening milk cooperative societies
3	Shri. Pramod Kumar Sinha	Dairy Plant Operations and managements
4	Dr. Pawan Kumar	Feed mill operations, poultry production capacity building
5	Dr. Anup Kumar Kalra	Ayurveda and business sustainability

The Academic Council may consider the aforesaid proposal and pass appropriate decision.

Resolution: Approved as proposed.


(Dr. J. K. Prasad)
Registrar (I/c)-cum-Member Secretary
Academic Council
Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna


(Dr. Inderjeet Singh)
Vice-Chancellor-cum-Chairman
Academic Council
Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna