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47th ANNUAL CONVOCATION CEREMONY

MINUTE TO MINUTE PROGRAMME FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 2017

- 11.00 a.m.: The Registrar (Officiating), Deans of the Faculties, Members of the Court assemble for robing in front of VIDYASAGAR MANCHA (CONVOCATION HALL).
- 11.20 a.m.: Guest-in-Chief, Guests of Honour, Awardees of D.Sc. (*Honoris Causa*) and D.Litt. (*Honoris Causa*), Immediately Preceding Vice-Chancellor arrive at Vidyasagar Mancha and are received by the Vice-Chancellor and Members of the Court.

Robing of The Vice-Chancellor, the Guest-in-Chief, Guests of Honour and the distinguished persons on whom the '*Honoris Causa*' to be conferred upon.

Flag hoisting

A Ceremonial Procession will then be formed and enter the CONVOCATION HALL in the following order:

- a) THE REGISTRAR (OFFG.)
- b) THE VICE-CHANCELLOR
- c) THE GUESTS OF HONOUR
- d) THE GUEST-IN-CHIEF



- e) THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING VICE-CHANCELLOR
- f) RECIPIENT OF. D.Sc. (*HONORIS CAUSA*)
- g) RECIPIENT OF D.Litt. (*HONORIS CAUSA*)
- h) THE DEANS OF THE FACULTY COUNCILS FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDIES
- i) THE MEMBERS OF THE COURT

As the CEREMONIAL PROCESSION enters the HALL, all the members of the audience will rise in their seats and remain standing until the members of the CEREMONIAL PROCESSION have taken their seats on the dais.

11.30 a.m.: Court Meeting

INVOCATION (Opening song Vande Mataram)

11.35 a.m.: THE VICE-CHANCELLOR will say

“I DECLARE THE 47TH ANNUAL CONVOCATION OPEN. THIS CONVOCATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL HAS BEEN CALLED TO CONFER DEGREES UPON THE CANDIDATES WHO HAVE BEEN CERTIFIED TO BE WORTHY OF THESE DEGREES. LET THE CANDIDATES STAND FORWARD.”

VICE-CHANCELLOR will administer exhortation and the recipients will stand up:



VICE-CHANCELLOR

CANDIDATES WILL RESPOND

I exhort you as follow:

PURSUE HIGHER KNOWLEDGE

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

DO YOUR DUTY

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

SPEAK THE TRUTH

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

SHOW YOUR DEVOTION TO YOUR
PARENTS AND PRECEPTORS

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

AVOID ANTI-SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

LOVE YOUR *ALMA MATER*

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

LOVE AND DEFEND YOUR
MOTHERLAND

I TAKE THE PLEDGE

THIS IS THE TEACHING, THIS IS THE
COMMAND; THIS IS THE SPECIAL
INJUNCTION.

The recipients of the degrees and diplomas will then
bow to receive blessings and remain standing.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say
“CANDIDATES BE SEATED”

11.40 a.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will address the
CONVOCATION.

11.50 a.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will then request DR.



SEKHAR BASU, THE GUEST-IN-CHIEF to DELIVER THE CONVOCATION ADDRESS and the GUEST-IN-CHIEF will address the CONVOCATION.

12.00 noon: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will request DR. PARTHA CHATTERJEE, THE GUEST OF HONOUR to ADDRESS the Convocation and the GUEST OF HONOUR will then address the CONVOCATION.

12.05 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will request SRI GOUTAM DEB, THE GUEST OF HONOUR to ADDRESS the Convocation and the GUEST OF HONOUR will then address the CONVOCATION.

12.10 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will request THE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING VICE-CHANCELLOR to ADDRESS the Convocation and the IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING VICE-CHANCELLOR will then address the CONVOCATION.

12.15 p.m.: THE VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say:
“I have the privilege to present before you Dr. Sekhar Basu for the conferment of the DOCTOR OF SCIENCE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

CITATION TO BE READ BY THE REGISTRAR (OFFICIATING).

The VICE-CHANCELLOR shall thereupon say
“THE COURT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF



NORTH BENGAL is pleased to confer upon you the Degree of DOCTOR OF SCIENCE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR alongwith the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Higher Education Department, Government of West Bengal will then deliver the Diploma of the Honorary Degree of DOCTOR OF SCIENCE (*Honoris Causa*) to **Dr. Sekhar Basu**.

The Vice-Chancellor will request **Dr. Sekhar Basu, Recipient of D.Sc. (*Honoris Causa*)** to deliver his speech.

12.20 p.m.: THE VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say:

“I have the privilege to present before you Professor Amitava Raychaudhuri for the conferment of the DOCTOR OF SCIENCE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

CITATION TO BE READ BY THE REGISTRAR (OFFICIATING).

The VICE-CHANCELLOR shall thereupon say
“THE COURT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL is pleased to confer upon you the Degree of DOCTOR OF SCIENCE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR alongwith the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Higher Education Department, Government of West Bengal will then deliver the Diploma of the Honorary Degree of DOCTOR OF



SCIENCE (*Honoris Causa*) to Professor Amitava Raychaudhuri.

The Vice-Chancellor will request Professor Amitava Raychaudhuri, *Recipient of D.Sc. (Honoris Causa)* to deliver his speech.

12.25 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say:
“I have the privilege to present before you Sri Sirshendu Mukhopadhyay for the conferment of the DOCTOR OF LITERATURE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

CITATION TO BE READ BY THE REGISTRAR (OFFICIATING).

The VICE-CHANCELLOR shall thereupon say
“THE COURT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL is pleased to confer upon you the Degree of DOCTOR OF LITERATURE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR alongwith the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Higher Education Department, Government of West Bengal will then deliver the Diploma of the Honorary Degree of DOCTOR OF LITERATURE (*Honoris Causa*) to Sri Sirshendu Mukhopadhyay.

The Vice-Chancellor will request Sri Sirshendu Mukhopadhyay, *Recipient of D.Litt. (Honoris Causa)* to deliver his speech.



12.30 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say:
“I have the privilege to present before you Sri Pradip Kumar Banerjee for the conferment of the DOCTOR OF LITERATURE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

CITATION TO BE READ BY THE REGISTRAR (OFFICIATING).

The VICE-CHANCELLOR shall thereupon say
“THE COURT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL is pleased to confer upon you the Degree of DOCTOR OF LITERATURE (*Honoris Causa*)”.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR alongwith the Hon’ble Minister-in-Charge, Higher Education Department, Government of West Bengal will then deliver the Diploma of the Honorary Degree of DOCTOR OF LITERATURE (*Honoris Causa*) to **Sri Pradip Kumar Banerjee.**

The Vice-Chancellor will request **Sri Pradip Kumar Banerjee, Recipient of D.Litt. (*Honoris Causa*)** to deliver his speech.

12.35 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will say
“DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WE NOW COME TO THE SIGNIFICANT AND IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY OF CONFERRING DEGREES TO THOSE STUDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN

EXAMINED AND FOUND QUALIFIED TO RECEIVE THEM. ALL OF THESE DEGREES HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY OF THE UNIVERSITY”.

The Vice-Chancellor will then say **“LET THE CANDIDATES BE PRESENTED.”**

The DEAN, Faculty Council for Post Graduate Studies in Science shall say to the candidates for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Science.

“Will the candidates for the conferment of the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Science please stand up and remain standing until I request them to resume their seats”.

The DEAN, Faculty Council for Post Graduate Studies in Science shall then say to the Vice-Chancellor:

“Sir, I present to you the candidates and pray that they may be admitted to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Science”.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR will say to the candidates who will remain standing:

“BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED UPON ME BY THE HON’BLE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL, I, THE VICE-CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL ADMIT YOU TO THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN SCIENCE OF THE UNIVERSITY. I CHARGE



YOU TO PROVE WORTHY OF THIS DEGREE THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFE". PLEASE BE SEATED.

12.40 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR will say
"DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WE NOW COME TO THE SIGNIFICANT AND IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY OF CONFERRING DEGREES TO THOSE STUDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN EXAMINED AND FOUND QUALIFIED TO RECEIVE THEM. ALL OF THESE DEGREES HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY OF THE UNIVERSITY".

The Vice-Chancellor will then say **"LET THE CANDIDATES BE PRESENTED."**

The DEAN, Faculty Council for Post Graduate Studies in Arts, Commerce & Law shall say to the candidates for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Arts, Commerce Law.

"Will the candidates for the conferment of the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Arts, Commerce & Law please stand up and remain standing until I request them to resume their seats."

The DEAN, Faculty Council for Post Graduate Studies in Arts, Commerce & Law shall then say to the Vice-Chancellor:



“Sir, I present to you the candidates and pray that they may be admitted to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Arts, Commerce & Law”.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR will say to the candidate who will remain standing:

“BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED UPON ME BY THE HON’BLE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL, I, THE VICE-CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL ADMIT YOU TO THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN ARTS, COMMERCE & LAW OF THE UNIVERSITY. I CHARGE YOU TO PROVE WORTHY OF THIS DEGREE THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFE”. PLEASE BE SEATED.

12.45 p.m.: The DEAN, Faculty Council for Post Graduate Studies in Science shall say to the candidates who have passed Master of Science of 2016, Master of Computer Applications of 2016, Bachelor of Science of 2016, Bachelor of Computer Applications of 2016, Bachelor of Software System of 2015, Post Graduate Diploma of 2016.

“Will the candidates who are to be presented for the Master’s and Bachelor’s Degrees and Post Graduate Diploma, please stand up and remain standing until I request them to resume their seats.”

The Dean, Faculty Council for P.G. Studies in Science



shall then say to the Vice-Chancellor:

“Sir, I present to you the candidates for the Degree of Master of Science of 2016, Master of Computer Applications of 2016, Bachelor of Science of 2016, Bachelor of Computer Applications of 2016, Bachelor of Software System of 2015 and Post Graduate Diploma of 2016 and pray that they may be admitted to the respective Degrees and Diploma.”

The VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say to the candidates who will remain standing:

“BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED UPON ME BY THE HON’BLE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL, I, THE VICE-CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL ADMIT YOU TO THE RESPECTIVE MASTER DEGREES AND DIPLOMA OF THE UNIVERSITY AND I CHARGE YOU TO PROVE WORTHY OF THIS DEGREE THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFE”. PLEASE BE SEATED.

12.50 p.m.: The DEAN, Faculty Council for Post Graduate Studies in Arts, Commerce & Law shall say to the candidates who have passed Master of Arts, Master of Commerce, Master of Law of 2016, Master of Business Administration of 2016, Master of Library & Information Science of 2016, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law of 2016, Bachelor of Library & Information Science of 2016, Bachelor of Business Administration of 2016, Bachelor



of Education of 2016, Bachelor of Physical Education of 2016, Post Graduate Diploma of 2016 and M. Phil of 2015.

“Will the candidates who are to be presented for the Master’s and Bachelor’s Degrees and Post Graduate Diploma please stand up and remain standing until I request them to resume their seats.”

The Dean, Faculty Council for Post-Graduate Studies in Arts, Commerce & Law shall then say to the Vice-Chancellor:

“Sir, I present to you the candidates for degree of Master of Arts, Master of Commerce, Master of Law of 2016, Master of Business Administration of 2016, Master of Library & Information Science of 2016, Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law of 2016, Bachelor of Library & Information Science of 2016, Bachelor of Business Administration of 2016, Bachelor of Education of 2016, Bachelor of Physical Education of 2016, Post Graduate Diploma of 2016 and M. Phil of 2015 and pray that they may be admitted to the respective Degrees and Diploma.”

The VICE-CHANCELLOR will say to the candidates who will remain standing:

“BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED UPON ME BY THE HON’BLE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL, I, THE VICE-CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF



NORTH BENGAL ADMIT YOU TO THE RESPECTIVE MASTER DEGREES AND DIPLOMA OF THE UNIVERSITY AND I CHARGE YOU TO PROVE WORTHY OF THIS DEGREE THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFE". PLEASE BE SEATED.

12.55 p.m.: The DEAN, FACULTY COUNCIL OF SCIENCE will invite the candidates to the dais to receive CERTIFICATES for the award of the Ph.D. (Science) by the University under FACULTY OF SCIENCE.

01.00 p.m.: The DEAN, FACULTY COUNCIL OF ARTS, COMMERCE AND LAW will invite the candidates to the dais to receive CERTIFICATES for the award of the Ph.D.(Arts, Commerce & Law) by the University under FACULTY OF ARTS, COMMERCE AND LAW.

01.05 p.m.: The REGISTRAR (OFFICIATING) will invite the candidates to the dais to receive MEDALS & PRIZES of the University.

01.15 p.m.: The VICE-CHANCELLOR alongwith the dignitaries present on the dais and the members of the Court will rise and the Vice-Chancellor will say **"I DECLARE THE CONVOCATION DISSOLVED."**

NATIONAL ANTHEM.

The ACADEMIC PROCESSION will leave in the same order in which it entered. All the members of the audience will rise to their seats and remain standing



until the ACADEMIC PROCESSION has left the Convocation Hall.

01.20 p.m.: The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor will arrive at the University Guest House.

The Guest-in-Chief, Guests of Honour, Recipients of D.Sc. (*Honoris Causa*) and D.Litt. (*Honoris Causa*), Immediately Preceding Vice-Chancellor, Members of the Court, Members of the Executive Council, Guests, Dignitaries, Steering Committee Members, Members of the different Sub-committees will join the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor at the University Guest House for LUNCH.

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