Minutes of the Meeting of the Working Committee of the Academic Council held on July 17, 2012
at SCEPTRE Program Centre, 74B, A.J.C. Bose Road, Kolkata –700 016.

WC/30/12 Opening Devotion:
As the Chairperson, Dr. Takatemjen Ao, could not attend the meeting, he requested the President of the Senate, Bishop Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos to chair the meeting. The Chair welcomed the members at the beginning of the meeting of the Committee. He commenced the meeting with a word of prayer.

WC/31/12 Roll Call
Members
a. Present
   Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxinos Episcopa, President, (in the Chair)
   Rev. Manmasih Ekka
   Rev. Dr. M.J. Hynniewta
   Rev. Dr. Wati Longchar
   Rev. Dr. H. Vanlalauva
   Rev. Dr. Ravi Tiwari, Registrar
b. Apology:
   Rev. Dr. Takatemjen Ao
   Rev. Dr. Simon Samuel
c. Invitees
   Dr. M.T. Cherian

WC/32/12 Hours of Session:
Resolution I:
That the following hours be approved
Tuesday, July 17, 2012
From 9.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.

WC/33/12 Appointment of the Recording Secretary
Resolution II:
That Dr. Wati Longchar be appointed Recording Secretary for this meeting.

WC/34/12 Adoption of Agenda
The Agenda, as presented, was adopted.

WC/35/12 New Principals of Affiliated Colleges:
i. Fr. Dr. Jacob Kurian, Principal, Orthodox Theological Seminary, Kottayam in place of Fr. Dr. K.M. George.
ii. Dr. G. Jesudian Vijayasingh, Principal, Bethel Bible Institute, Danishpet in place of Dr. Beulah Herbert

iii. Dr. Samuel George, Principal, Master’s College of Theology, Visakapatnam in place of Rev. George Livingstone Bandi.


v. Dr. L. Soto, Principal, ITS, Chennai, in place of Mr. A. James Murugesan

The Committee noted the above changes in the Principal-ship of the colleges as informed by the Colleges.

INTERIM BUSINESS

WC/36/12 Adoption and approval of Minutes:
Minutes of the meeting of the Working Committee of the Academic Council held on January 11, 2012, at SCEPTR Program Centre, Kolkata.
It was reported that the minutes were approved by the members and was received by the Senate-2012.
The Committee resolved:
Resolution III:
That the Minutes of the Working Committee of the Academic Council held on January 11, 2012 at SCEPTR Program Centre, Kolkata be adopted.

Committee noted that the results of B.C.S., Dip.C.S. and D.Min. Entrance examination were approved through circulation and declared.
The Committee resolved:
Resolution IV
The result for examination conducted in November/December 2011 and Common Entrance Examination-2012, as approved by circulation and declared by the Registrar, be confirmed.

NEW BUSINESS

WC/38/12 Report on result declaration for the Examination held during March-April, 2012 for the following courses:

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Registrar reported that most of the results are ready; only a few marks from one of the examiners are yet to come.
The Committee resolved that
Resolution V:
i. the Registrar be authorized to declare the results that are ready;
ii. The results be declared on the basis of the marks from the one examiner, if the marks are not received from the other on or before July 20, 2012;
iii. the results of the candidates from the Colleges which have not submitted Practical Work Report be withheld till they are submitted;
iv. the Committee expresses its appreciation and thanks to all the paper setters, examiners and superintendents of the examination centers for their help and cooperation.
WC/39/12  Result-United Theological College, Bangalore-Autonomous B.D. Course.
The Committee received the results and resolved that
Resolution VI
B.D. results of United Theological College, Bangalore (Autonomous) be declared.

WC/40/12  Scholarship for M.Th. Course –2012: Statement
The Committee received following statements concerning scholarship (Appendix I):
a. Funds received for MTh scholarship
b. Scholarship awarded under faculty development-2002-11,
c. Scholarship account-2011-12
Committee noted that BTESSC funds are coming through Solidarity fund and specific endowment with BTESSC. Committee resolved that:
Resolution VII
The MTh specific endowment with BTESSC be transferred to Senate from BTESSC Bangalore Office.

WC/41/12  New applications for M.Th. Scholarship for 2012-2013
The Committee noted that there were 36 requests were made; that only nine were properly submitted with documents; that only a few, under faculty development, can be considered due to limited fund available. It was also noted that colleges are not scrutinizing the applications and have merely been forwarding the requests; that colleges are not sending their recommendation and priority list. It was also noted that the forms do not provide clear picture of the finances and the need of the student, the status of his/her spouse, other support, and residing with the family in the campus. The Committee suggested that the forms should be suitably amended and colleges be requested to interview the students and forward the applications with their recommendation and priority.
After considering the applications, the Committee resolved:
Resolution VIII
i. Scholarship be granted to following students:
   1. Mr. Liju Mathew  MSOTS  1600x12
   2. Mr. Rynthathiang Pynskhemborlang M/JRTS  1600x12
   3. Ms. T. Akumla  F/Tribal  1600x12
   Subject to staying with family in the college campus, and spouse is not working:
   4. Ms. Christie Shirly Phileminbhat  F/UBS  2500x12
   5. Mr. Thangiakhup Hangsing  TTS (Imphal)  2500x12
   6. Ms. K. Julie Lavanya  F/Church  2500x12

WC/42/12  Staff List from M.Th. B.D. & B.Th. affiliated Colleges: A Report
The Committee was informed that the staff list is being prepared as per the new programme; that a new performa is being used; that the list will be posted in Senate website.
The Committee also received the following information with regards to staff with doctorate degrees:
Old Testament  32
New Testament  37
Christian theology  44
History of Christianity  18
Religions  34
Christian Ministry  33
Communication  07
Social Analysis  06
Women’s Studies  02
It was also noted that 4 BTh and 4 BD colleges do not have principals with doctoral degree, and eight BD colleges do not have required number of staff with doctorate. It is also brought to the notice of Committee that 11 candidates are waiting for their viva-voce and about 27 theses are in the process of evaluation. The Committee also received the information that following colleges have sent incomplete information:
CTC, Mokokchung
TTS, Madurai
UTC, Bangalore
It also received the information that the list of college offering MT courses will be presented to the next meeting.
The Committee resolved
**Resolution IX**

i. College be requested to send the complete information about their staff;
ii. No permission, henceforth, be granted to the colleges which do not have two core faculty with recognized doctoral degree;
iii. all MTh colleges should have two staff with recognized doctoral degree as core faculty to continue MTh programme from 2013-14 session.
iv. 1/2/3 member Evaluation teams should be sent to the colleges after five years, and arrangement should be made as early as possible

**WC/43/12 Practical Work Report from the B.Th. & B.D. : A Report**
The Registrar informed the Committee that all the Colleges, except the following, have submitted the Practical Work Report. The Committee resolved that:

**Resolution X**

i. The results of the Colleges, if they do not submit the Practical Work Report, be not declared;
ii. The following Colleges be requested to send the Practical Work Report as early as possible.
   a. Clark Theological College, Mokokchung
   b. Gujarat United School of Theology, Ahmabad
   c. United Theological Seminary of Maharashtra, Pune

**WC/44/12 Affiliation Cases:**

**A. Confirmation: Compliance Report**

a. **Calvin Institute of Theology, Chengalpet Road, Kanchipuram**
   (Sen/17/III/2012; WC/09/12, 294/2011; WC/59/11)
The Committee received the compliance report of Calvin Institute of Theology, Chengalpet Road, Kanchipuram with satisfaction. **(Appendix II)**

b. **Concordia Theological Seminary, Nagercoil – B.D.**
   (Sen/17/B/2012; WC/09/12, 294/2011; WC/61/11/L, AC/31/11, WC/26/10, WC/59/2010)
The Committee received the compliance report of Concordia Theological Seminary, Nagercoil with satisfaction. **(Appendix III)**

c. **Indian Theological Seminary, Avadi, Chennai–B.D. in English medium**
The Committee received the compliance report of Indian Theological Seminary, Avadi, Chennai with satisfaction. **(Appendix IV)**

**B. New Affiliation**

I. **For BD courses**
   Witter Theological College, Vankhosung, Nagaland
The Committee was informed that the self evaluation report and other documents have been received, and that the college has no Principal with recognized doctoral degree. The committee resolved that

**Resolution XI**

i. the college appoint principal with MTH and recognized doctoral degree as early as possible;

ii. following members of Evaluation commission be appointed who will visit the college after the appointment of proper principal;
   - Dr. Wati Longchar
   - Dr. M.J. Hynniewta
   Registrar

**II. For B.Miss. course:**

The Committee was informed that some colleges have submitted request for offering BMiss course, but have not so far submitted self-evaluation reports. It appointed following members of the commission which will visit college only after they submit the report:

**Resolution XII**

i. Bethel Bible Institute, Danishpet, Tamilnadu
   - Dr. Udaya Kumar
   - Mr. Sungijemmeren Imchen (UBS)
   Registrar

ii. Faith Theological Seminary, Manakala, Kerala
   - Dr. C.P. Mathew (Jubilee)
   - Dr. P.T. George
   Registrar

iii. New Theological College, Dehra Dun
   - Dr. Vanlalechhuanawma
   - Rev. Richard Rodgers
   Registrar

iv. Missionary Training College, Aizawl
   - Rev. Isaac Devadoss
   - Dr. Jacob P. Thomas (DJVP)
   Registrar

**C. Up-gradation:**

**Methodist Bible Seminary, Vasad – IBD Program in English medium**

Committee noted that the Seminary does not have adequate staff and the principal as per the criteria. It is suggested to bring this to the notice of the Seminary and wait till proper report is submitted. Seminary may also continue with the BTh programme for the time being while preparing for the up-gradation.

**WC/45/12 List of Colleges for visit in 2012:**

The Committee received the report (Appendix- V)

Following members be appointed to visit DJVP
- Rev. J. Sundar Raj
- Dr. P.C. Gine
- Dr. Wati Longchar

**WC/46/12 B.Th. Comprehensive Course from 2012**

The Committee received the information sent to BTh institutions by the Registrar, concerning BTh comprehensive course. **(Appendix VI)**
WC/July/12-Final

**WC/47/12** Diploma in Worship and Music & Diploma in Bible Translation – Request for affiliation from New Theological College, Dehra Dun.

The Committee received the papers sent by NTC, Dehradun. It also appreciated that such a course is now being offered in various colleges and there is a need to offer a diploma in this area after consulting others engaged in training in church music.

After some discussion, the Committee resolved

**Resolution XIII**

i. Offering a diploma in Church Music, in principle, be accepted;
ii. The syllabus sent by NTC be sent to following for comments/suggestions/addition:
   - Dr. Santosh Kumar (UTC)
   - Dr. Fr. M.P. George (OTS)
   - Mr. S.S. Symleih (JRTS)
   - Mr. Zothanmawna (ATC)
   - Dr. Akheto Sumi

**WC/48/12** Matters on M.Th. Course:

**A. New Course/s in the affiliated Colleges:**
   i. Faith Theological Seminary, Manakala – Christian Ethics
   ii. Union Biblical Seminary, Pune – History of Christianity

It was noted the self evaluation report has yet to be received.

**B. Clark Theological College, Mokokchung – Christian Theology (continuation)**


Committee noted that the degrees from Trinity Theological College, Singapore, are not recognized by Serampore. It, therefore, suggested the College to appoint another staff with Serampore recognized doctorate.

**C. M.Th. Thesis Proposals:** Revised and Final Thesis Proposals

   i. Aizawl Theological College, Aizawl
   ii. Eastern Theological College, Jorhat
   iii. FRRRC, Kerala
   iv. Faith Theological Seminary, Manakala
   v. Gurukul Lutheran Theological College, Chennai
   vi. NIIPGTS, Serampore
   vii. Tamilnadu Theological Seminary, Madurai
   viii. United Theological College, Bangalore

   **Not submitted yet:**
   i. Union Biblical Seminary, Pune
   ii. Clark Theological College, Mokokchung

The Committee resolved that:

**Resolution XIV**

The revised M.Th. thesis titles of the Colleges as presented be approved. (Appendix VII)

**WC/49/12** Revision of M.Th. Program (WC/49/12, AC/28/11; EC/46/11; Sen/25/B/2011; WC/15/11;AC/12/10-I;AC/21/09,p. 139;AC/13/10-iii; WC/17/11)

The Committee was informed that the preliminary information was sent and the Academic Council discussed the issue. It is now time that a larger group meet and discuss the modalities. Document presented by Dr. Simon Samuel needs to be further discussed. The Committee suggested some matters for the consideration:
a. Importance of biblical and classical languages at higher theological studies
b. MTh for those who have studies BD without Biblical/classical languages
c. Curriculum and limitation of courses within curriculum
d. Evaluation process in MTh studies
e. Evaluation criteria – review
f. Requirements of staff at PG level

The Committee resolved

Resolution XV
i. A joint meeting of Academic Council and Boards of Study be called to discuss the Curriculum revision.
iii. ICSA, or ECC, Bangalore, may be approached for the venue of the meeting

WC/50/12 Extension Programs: D.Min. Program:

a. Change of supervisor of D.Min. Dissertation:
   Rev. Cherian Mathew (DMN/163/2008) – Dr. Annie George in place of Dr. Isaac V. Mathew.
   On the recommendation of the Dean, the Committee resolved that
   Resolution XVI
   Dr. Annie George be appointed Supervisor in place of Dr. Isaac V. Mathew.

b. Extension of time to submit D.Min. Dissertation:
   Fr. K. Geevarghese (DMN/148/2007)
   On the recommendation of the Dean, the Committee resolved that
   Resolution XVII
   The extension be granted to Fr. K. Geevarghese (DMN/148/2007) with the payment of extension fee of Rs.1500/- (Rs. One thousand five hundred only) as per Senate rule

WC/51/12 Change of name: (As per rule)

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The Committee received the request from the above candidates to record their name as changed and they have submitted required documents for the change, as per Senate rules. It was resolved that:

Resolution XVIII
The names of the above student, who has fulfilled all the requirements of the Senate for change of name, be noted and necessary action be taken.

WC/52/12 Transfer cases:

i. Shining J. Rinchui (AA0456) – From BBC Guntur to MTC, Manipur
ii. Haireiwangbe Kuame (AA3254) – From BTC, Pfitsero to TTC, Dimapur
iii. Merensashi R. Jamir (AA0393) – From JRTS, Shillong to CTC, Nagaland
iv. Kanhaialal Bharadwaj (AA3187) – From DJVP, Faridabad (College not mentioned)
v. Ambika Bharadwaj (AA3186) - From DJVP, Faridabad (College not mentioned)
vi. Sam B.M. (AA0901) - From DJVP, Faridabad (College not mentioned)

vii. T.F. Jain Kumar (AA3108) – From ITS, Chennai to KUTS, Thiruvananthapuram (Change of medium also)

viii. Andy Sumer (AA0403) – From JRTS, Shillong to LTC, Jabalpur

ix. Sanen Jamir (BD/8814/2007) – From CTC, Mokokchung to TTC, Dimapur

x. R. John Caleb (AA0040) – From NTC, Dehra Dun to BBC, Guntur

xi. Shebin Saju (AA0043) - From NTC, Dehra Dun to BBC, Guntur

xii. T. Mongsen Phom (AA0103) – From CTC, Mokokchung to TTC, Dimapur

xiii. Elite King (AA3257) – From BTC, Pfitsero to TTC, Dimapur

xiv. Samuel Lallhawmmawia (AA1093) – From ABS, Allahabad to BTC, Pfitsero

xv. Dakutmon Suchiang (AA2292) – From BC, Kolkata to GLTC, Chennai

xvi. Devashine D.L. (AA1104/2010)– From ABS, Allahabad to MSOTS, Ernakulam

Resolution XIX
Transfer of the students be approved and a fee of Rs. 2000/- be charged as per rule for the transfer.

The Committee received the list of the students whom Migration Certificate has been issued during the academic year 2011- 2012. (Appendix VIII)

WC/54/12 Publication of Thesis: D.Th., M.Th.
The Committee received requests from former students for the permission to publish their theses. It was informed that the comments received from the evaluators to revise the thesis, has been forwarded to some of the following applicants, for necessary action.
The Committee resolved that:
Resolution XX
The requests from the following candidates be granted as per rules:
D.Th. Dissertations:

i. Dr. Samuel George (301/2006)

ii. Rev. Dr. A. John Prabhakar (300/2006)

iii. Dr. Songram Basumatari (302/2003)

iv. Rev. Dr. Koshy P. Varughese (102/2005)

v. Dr. Lovely Awomi James (196/2003)

vi. Rev. Dr. Woba James (197/2003)

M.Th. Thesis:

i. Rev. P.S. Chittibabu (1419/2009)

ii. Mr. Malwinstone Passah (2055/2008)

iii. Mr. Lahpai Shawng Htoi (1359/2009)

iv. Mr. L. Mhonthung Humtsoe (1144/2006)

v. Mr. Wilson Cherian (1149/2007)

vi. Mr. Binu Peniel (1187/2007)

vii. Mr. Jijoy Mathew (1295/2008)


B.Th. B.D. & DCPC:


ii. Rev. Sabu Issac (BD/9000/2008)

WC/55/12 Approval of syllabus – DCPC 15: Counseling Children with Special Problems
The committee was informed that the syllabus was circulated to other centres and the suggestions and comments were incorporated in the syllabus.
The Committee resolved that
Resolution XXI
The Syllabus be approved for the DCP course. (Appendix IX)
WC/56/12  **Discontinuation of Studies:**
Committee was informed that the Principals of the Colleges reported the discontinuance of studies of the following students, due to unavoidable circumstances.
The Committee resolved that
**Resolution XXII**
The registration of following students be kept, wherever applicable, active as per Senate rule till application for discontinuance to this effect is received:
1. A.L. Vijay Kumar S. (AA3112)
2. L. Solanthing Ezung (AA1360)
3. Moaakum (AA1364)
4. Pynshningainlang Nongsiej (AA2235)
5. Helen Epkiba Rani (AA1024)

WC/57/12 **Pedagogical Seminars – A Report**
It is reported that a seminar is due in FFRRC, Kottayan, thereafter a few will be taking place in NTC, Deharadun and UBS, Pune, during the year.
The Committee agreed to the suggestion that a few, if possible, may be arranged on the basis of discipline/cluster-wise. The Registrar and Dr. Wati Longchar were requested to look into it.

WC/58/12 **Change of medium of study: T.F. Jain Kumar (AA3108) English to Malayam (see also, WC/52/12 viii)**
The Committee noted that KUTS has permission to offer courses in Malayalam. Tamil and English medium. The Committee resolved that
**Resolution XXIII**
Student be allowed to change his medium of studies from English to Malayalam and pay the fee as per rule.

WC/59/12 **Re-registration: Mr. Samuel Vijayakumar (4783/2002)**
Committee noted that the Student does not qualify for registration; that Gurukul was promoting him to higher classes in spite of his not receiving credit; that Gurukul was not following Senate rule for promotion; that the student has failed in 13 courses during his period of studies; that he has does not qualify for re-registration.
**Resolution XXIV**
The student be asked to register again and repeat the course.

WC/60/12 **Cancellation of Registration: Mr. Chethang Thongkholun Mate B.D. Up grader- (B.Th/44439/03)**
The Committee was informed that the Student completed BTh course from Trulock Theological Seminary, Imphal in 2007; that he could not attend convocation; that the Principal of his Seminary took his certificate, but did not give to him. As he did not have degree certificate he falsely submitted another certificate inserting his name. Senate cancelled his registration sent from the Aizawl Theological College. Taking cognizance of the circumstance, the Committee resolved:
**Resolution XXV**
1. A lenient view be taken and duplicate certificate, as per rule, be issued to the student;
2. he may be admitted for up-gradation after one year;
3. in-absentia certificate, henceforth, be not be given to Trulock Theological seminary.
WC/61/12  Recognition as Classical language - Kannada : Channakeshavalu- M.Th. Registration

The Committee took note of the information that a few more regional languages have been accorded classical language status by the Parliament. In the light of this, the Committee resolved that

Resolution XXVI
i. The language be identified and be accorded due place in Serampore curriculum;
ii. Courses in religion at BD level be modified and they be prepared keeping in mind the religious literature available in those languages;
iii. MTh curriculum revision group should take this into consideration in devising courses in Religion and theology

WC/62/12  Equivalence: M.Div Course (ATA)

The Committee was informed that there have been quite a few applications for such graduates for pursuing Serampore Degrees; that Serampore recognizes ATA-BTh with qualifying examination for higher studies; that such a privilege can be extended to MDiv (ATA) students.

The Committee discussed the matter with careful consideration and resolved to recommend to the Senate that

Resolution XXVII
The cases of ATA-MDiv student be considered in the light of following;
a. admission requirement for ATA-MDiv should be the same as that of admission to Serampore BD courses;
b. length of courses and number of courses studied during the period of studies should also match with that of Serampore BD;
c. ATA-MDiv should pass the following 8 courses at BD level, either as internal, or external, students under Senate examined courses:

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WC/63/12  BOARD OF MODERATORS  (Memo)

WC/64/12  List of Examiners and Evaluators: 2011
The Committee received the list. (Appendix X)

WC/65/12  Proposal for new diploma: DPHM
Registrar informed that there was a long standing demand for a course in pastoral healing ministry for the medical and paramedical workers in Nepal. Dr. Irmgard Spittler, a Doctor working in Nepal, has submitted a proposal for a diploma course which will help the Christian medical workers in Nepal to provide ministerial service to the people in need.
The Committee took a preliminary view of the proposal and resolved that

**Resolution XXVIII**

i. the proposal of offering an undergraduate Diploma in Pastoral Ministries, in principle, be accepted;

ii. Content of the course be worked out after consulting those involved in DCPC course;

iii. Registrar preparing a draft regulation along the line with DipCS and DipBT for further consideration.

**WC/66/12 Date of next meeting**
Committee was informed that, the Committee, if necessary, may meet before, after the meeting of the joint meeting of the Academic Council and Boards of Studies.

**WC/67/12 Closing prayer and Benediction**
The Chairperson requested Dr. M. J. Hynniewta to offered the closing prayer and Chairperson pronounced the benediction.

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Rt. Rev. Dr. Isaac Mar Philoxenos Dr. Wati Longchar Dr. Ravi Tiwari
Chairperson/President Recording Secretary Registrar

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### Appendices

I. a. Funds received for MTh scholarship
    b. Scholarship awarded under faculty development-2002-11
    c. Scholarship account-2011-12

II Compliance Report: Calvin Institute of Theology, Chengalpet Road, Kanchipuram

III Compliance Report: Concordia Theological Seminary, Nagercoil

IV Compliance Report: Indian Theological Seminary, Avadi, Chennai–B.D. in Eng.medium

V List of Colleges for visit in 2012

VI. B.Th. Comprehensive Course


VIII Issue of Migration Certificate

IX. Syllabus: DCPC 15: Counseling Children with Special Problems

X. List of Examiners and Evaluators: 2011
Appendix I a.

Funds received for MTh scholarship

From 2004-5 to 2011-12

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Compliance Report
Calvin Institute of Theology, Chengalpet Road, Kanchipuram

Ref: Sen/17.A.i (WC/09/12, 294/2011; WC/59/11) Resolution XIX:

a) “The Institution should appoint principal with D.Th/Ph.D. degree of Serampore or its equivalent.”

As it is required by the Senate to appoint one who holds Ph.D. as the Principal, the Executive Council of Reformed Churches in India has appointed Rev. Dr. G. Jacob to be the Principal of the Seminary. He shall take over the responsibility from June 01, 2012.

b) “Core faculty in Religion with Serampore recognized qualification be appointed.”

The Governing Board has appointed Rev. Dr. Christudoss as the core faculty to teach Philosophy from June 2012.

c) “Professors with at least MA in philosophy, Sociology and Psychology be appointed to teach BD first year students under five years BD course under new BD curriculum.”

The Governing Board has appointed Rev. Matthew Luke as the core faculty in the field of Religion. Accordingly,

Rev. Matthew Luke
Assistant Professor of Religion & Philosophy
B.D., Serampore College, West Bengal, 1998

The Governing Board has appointed Mrs. Shekinah Bernice Athisayam to teach Psychology from the academic year June 2012. Accordingly,

Mrs. Shekinah Bernice Athisayam
Lecturer in Psychology
M.A., Linguistics, University of Salford, Manchester, UK, 2009.
BA., English Lit., Psychology and Journalism.
St. Anne’s College for Women, Bangalore, 2006.

We have taken necessary steps to appoint a fulltime faculty member to teach Sociology at the earliest.

d) “A complete report should be submitted to the Senate within April, 2012.”

We regret for sending this report late, and we assure you, Sir, that in future, all the communications and reports will be sent on or before the due date.

e) “Subject to fulfill the above recommendations, the Calvin Institute of Theology, Kanchipurambe granted provisional affiliation with effect from academic session 2012-2013.”

We thank you for granting provisional affiliation to CIT and we hope this compliance report will be accepted and for the further actions.

f) “Institute shall only admit students only in BD first and second year under new BD Curriculum”

We agree to the terms and conditions given to us that we admit students only in BD first and second year under new BD Curriculum. We have advertised the affiliation status of our seminary in different magazines and to our member Reformed Churches. We hope to admit 20 students for BD first year and 20 students for BD second year. Together we will be able accommodate 40 students for the year 2012-2013.

g) “During the Provisional period, all courses, as per rule, shall be examined by the Senate.”
Accordingly we acknowledge the requirement that all the courses, as per rule, will be examined by the Senate. We shall prepare the accordingly for the Senate examinations.

Rev. Dr. G. Jacob
Principal

Appendix III

Compliance Report

Concordia Theological Seminary, Nagercoil

I. Faculty Position:
I would like to report that the Faculty for Religion, Christian Ministry, Philosophy, Sociology and Psychology are as given below:

Religion:
i. Rev. Dr. Joshua Siromony B.A., B.D., M.Th. and D.Th. (Religion)

Christian Ministry:
ii. Rev. T. Samuel B.A., B.D., M.Th. (On study leave doing his D.Th. at UTC and will be joining the Seminary in 2014)

Sociology:
ii. Rev. Dr. James Paramananda Dhas, B.D., M.A., M.Th., D.Th. (Social Analysis)
ii. Rev. C. Thankappan, M.A., B.D., M.Th. (Social Analysis)

Psychology:
ii. Rev. Dr. Jayaseelan B.D., M.Th. (Counselling), D.Min.

II. Replacement for Retiring Faculty members:
The Seminary is taking note of the faculty members who are retiring in another 2-3 years. A few young people have been sent for further studies both under the Senate of Serampore D.Th., programs and Ph.D., from the American University.

Rev. Christudoss is doing his Doctoral Studies in History of Christianity at GLTC
Rev. T. Samuel is doing his Doctoral Studies in Christian Ministry (Counselling) at UTC

Two young men are doing their studies at the Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, USA in Theology and Biblical Studies.

All are members of the India Evangelical Lutheran Church. The Church is taking keen interest in developing future leaders for the Seminary development. Also since the Church has changed the policy of making it an ecumenical Seminary, accepting to appoint faculty members and admitting candidates for theological studies from other Ecumenical Churches. In the event, we do not find proper IELC candidates, the Seminary has the right to appoint qualified faculty from other Churches as per our need. This year we have appointed Rev. John Vijayaraj B.A., B.D., M.Th., (Submitted his D.Th. Thesis and waiting for his Viva) from CSI as a core faculty in the Department of New Testament.
III. Library
In the month of March, we have procured around 600 (six hundred) books costing U.S. $11,000.00 and we are awaiting another consignment of around 500 books worth another U.S. $10,000.00 expecting it to be delivered to us soon, apart from other resources added from the Indian publishers. Kindly see the list of new books added as Appendix 1.

We have bought a few Indian books both from the BTE/SSC and ISPCK and other secular and Christian publishers for the courses.

The matter of procuring journals is taken with utmost care. We have been promised to get the online ATLA and other theological journals which we do not have in ATLA by our partner Church LCMS.

IV. Hostel Facilities
A Building plan for men’s hostel has been submitted to the Town planning office and awaiting their approval for the 50 double rooms with kitchen and dining facilities to accommodate 100 people in a three storied building (Ground plus two stories). Provision also has been made to have about five Guest rooms for International visiting professors to be accommodated with an estimate of 4.4 Cr. Approximately. Kindly refer the Building plan attached as a pdf file as Appendix 2. We are still waiting for the approval as soon as the permission is granted, the construction work will begin.

I humbly submit this compliance report to your kind perusal and grant us the permanent affiliation. If you need further clarification and information, I will be happy to submit them to your kind self.

Dr. Samuel W. Meshack
Principal

Appendix IV
Compliance Report
Indian Theological Seminary, Avadi, Chennai

The Senate Evaluation Commission consisting of Rev. Dr. P. Mohan Larbeer visited GGM’s Indian Theological Seminary on September 22nd, 2011. The President was out of the Country during the visit. Dr. Larbeer visited with the faculty and students. The Evaluation Commission Report was received on March 16, 2012. The Seminary and its administration are grateful to the Evaluation Commission for the advice and suggestions for growth and development.

Faculty:
The Faculty list for the academic year 2012-2013 is as follows:

Principal:
Dr. S.L. Soto
Education: M.Th., D.Th.
Field of Specialization: Christian Theology
Experience: 17 years
Church Affiliation: Baptist

Old Testament
1. Ms. Sobana I.
Education: M.A. in Sociology, M.Th. (D.Th.) completed course work
Field of Specialization: Old Testament
Experience: NIL
2. **Rev. P. Nelson (Part Time)**
   Education: M.A., Public Administration, M.Phil. Christianity, M.Th.
   Field of Specialization: Old Testament
   Experience: 15 years
   Church Affiliation: CSI

**New Testament**
3. **Mr. Byjumon V.S.**
   Education: M.Th.
   Field of Specialization: New Testament
   Experience: 3 years
   Church Affiliation: Independent

   Field of Specialization: New Testament
   Experience: 15 years
   Church Affiliation: ALC

**Christian Theology & Ethics**
5. **Ms. Abisha Stalin**
   Education: M.th.
   Field of Specialization: Christian Theology
   Experience: 2 years
   Church Affiliation: CSI

6. **Mr. V.M. James**
   Education: M.A.-Sociology, M.Phil, M.Th.
   Field of Specialization: Christian Ethics
   Experience: 17 years
   Church Affiliation: CSI

7. **Mrs. Helena (Part Time)**
   Field of Specialization: Women Studies
   Experience: 8 years
   Church Affiliation: CSI

**History of Christianity**
8. **Rev. Jothi Kumar**
   Education: M.Th
   Field of Specialization: History of Christianity
   Experience: 3 years
   Church Affiliation: IMC

**Christian Ministry**
9. **Mr. L. Raja**
   Education: M.Th.
   Field of Specialization: Christian Ministry
   Experience: NIL
   Church Affiliation: Independent

**Communication**
10. **Mr. Samuel Sunder Rajan**  
   Education: M.A.-Communication, M.Phil-Communication & Journalism, B.Lib., M.Th.  
   Field of Specialization: Communication  
   Experience: 8 years  
   Church Affiliation: CSI

Religion  
11. **Mr. James Murugesan (Part Time)**  
   Education: M.A., B.D. – Comparative Religion and Philosophy (Specialization in Christian Studies), (Ph.D.) – Religion (Inter-Disciplinary Saiva Siddhanta and Christianity), [Department of Saiva Siddhanta, University of Madras, Chennai] UGC-NET Comparative Study of Religion  
   Experience: 3 years  
   Field of Specialization: Religion  
   Church Affiliation: Assemblies of God

Language: English  
12. Mr. Sam Paul (Tutor)  
   Education: M.A.-English, M.Div.  
   Field of Specialization: English  
   Experience: 3 years  
   Church Affiliation: Independent

Sociology  
13. **Ms. Sobana I.**  
   Education: M.A. in Sociology, M.Th. (D.Th.) completed course work  
   Field of Specialization: Old Testament  
   Experience: NIL  
   Church Affiliation: CSI

14. **Mr. V.M. James**  
   Education: M.A.-Sociology, M.Phil, M.Th.  
   Field of Specialization: Christian Ethics  
   Experience: 17 years  
   Church Affiliation: CSI

Psychology  
15. **Mrs. Helena (Part Time)**  
   Field of Specialization: Women Studies  
   Experience: 8 years  
   Church Affiliation: CSI

Philosophy  
16. **Mr. James Murugesan (Part Time)**  
   Education: M.A., B.D. – Comparative Religion and Philosophy (Specialization in Christian Studies), (Ph.D.) – Religion (Inter-Disciplinary Saiva Siddhanta and Christianity), [Department of Saiva Siddhanta, University of Madras, Chennai] UGC-NET Comparative Study of Religion  
   Experience: 3 years  
   Field of Specialization: Religion  
   Church Affiliation: Assemblies of God

Women’s Studies
Mrs. Helena (Part Time)
Field of Specialization: Women Studies
Experience: 8 years
Church Affiliation: CSI

Facilities:
1. There are six faculty members who reside on campus or at walkable distance. As the priority at this time is the construction of the library, the construction of a new faculty quarters has been put on next years agenda.
2. Married students are provided accommodation at walkable distance from the campus.
3. Seven female students were accommodated in a 1200 sq. ft. dormitory. Female staff had not resided in the female dormitory on a long-term basis. ITS has always had a female warden. Since 2011, a 45 year old woman has served as warden.
4. Male students shall be accommodated three in a room from the coming academic year.
5. Shortly after the Evaluation Commission visit, a water purifier worth Rs. 1,00,000 was installed. Purified drinking water has not only been made available to the students but to the entire community.
6. The current library continues to function in the same place with the addition of a reading room to provide more space for shelving books and a journal section. A minimum of 5 books have been attained in each subject for the first three years of the B.D. program. Book list is attached. Over Rs. 55,000 has been spent on upgrading the library with syllabus books. Books are currently catalogued in the computer library.
7. The Executive Committee is currently reviewing the Policies & Procedures and Service Rules and Regulations. It shall be made available to the staff in the 2012-2013 academic year. Every staff member received an appointment letter upon commencement of service.
8. Dr. S.L. Soto shall commence his duties as Principal on 1st June, 2012.
9. Scholarships with no obligations of up to 20% have been provided to needy candidates. Work-aid scholarships are not only on paper. Many students have made use of this provision in the past. In recent years, students have preferred to pay the already subsidized fee rather than working.

Library:
1. A minimum of 5 books have been attained for each subject for the first three years of the B.D. program.
2. Of the books mentioned in the B.D. syllabus for Sociology, Psychology and Philosophy, 5 books per subject have been attained in each discipline.
3. New journals have enhanced the new and improved journal section.
4. Evangelical literature has been separated from subject books.
5. We are in the process of signing contracts and agreements for the new library to begin construction shortly.

Physical Facilities:
1. A television is available to students in the dining hall, though a separate recreation room is unavailable, our campus is vast and students have plenty of area to spend leisure hours and congregate.
2. More computers with internet facility will be added in the new library. A separate computer lab has been planned in the layout of the new Library. For now, the current computer lab has access to a printer available for student and faculty use.
3. Construction of chapel and staff quarters are goals of the Seminary but at this time the priority is the new library.

Administration:
1. Steps have been taken to recruit more qualified faculty. The new Principal holds a doctoral degree and Ms. Sobana I. of the department of Old Testament has completed her D.Th. course work. Other interested faculty shall be recommended for higher studies.

2. Construction of staff quarters on campus is a long-term goal of the seminary and shall be completed according to the availability of funds.

3. ITS already has the private provident fund provision for its full-time staff members. Details of study leave are mentioned in the service rules. As mentioned above, interested faculty shall be recommended.

4. The Seminary already has a separate budget.

5. Student leaders are representatives of the student community and their input is valued and well taken. The student leaders shall form a forum to discuss student-related issues.

6. The Seminary has had students from CSI, CNI, Methodist, Baptist, Pentecostal, Lutheran, LMS etc. Though the spirit of ecumenism is apparent, ITS is an evangelical Seminary.

7. Our annual staff turnover has improved in recent years. The average length of service is 5-6 years. The Seminary continues to strive to provide better salaries and benefits to its staff members.

8. The improvement of the Library is at the top of the list for growth and development at ITS. Partial funds for the construction

9. As per the recommendation of the Senate, new books in all the disciplines have been purchased. The book list is attached. In each branch especially in the Old Testament, New Testament and Theology several hundreds of Senate related reference books and Biblical commentaries are available. We have also upgraded the journal section.

10. Improved accommodations for students are also at the top of the list of priorities. The female dormitory shall be separated into cabins for better privacy and shall be ready for occupation from the coming academic year. This is a temporary solution to the long term goal of constructing a female hostel.

11. A separate building for married student quarters shall also be constructed according to the availability of funds.

12. Fees structure has been revised which will help to ensure financial independence.

13. ATA courses are handled separately in separate classrooms.

14. Service rules and politics and procedures of the Seminary shall be sent the Senate upon Executive Committee approval in the annual meeting in June 2012.

**Senate Recommendations:**

1. ITS has taken note of all the Senate suggestions and has implemented or is in the process of implementation.


3. Dr. S.L. Soto shall commence duties as Principal on 1st June, 2012.

4. Steps to better equip the library with books and journals have been taken and all the new books are being loaded in the computer library and will be ready before the coming academic year. A list of new books and journals is attached.

**Conclusion**

GGM’s Indian Theological Seminary has taken and is continuing to take various steps to upgrade itself to the standard set by the Senate of Serampore for the B.D. course. We hope and pray that the improvements made will be satisfactory to admit students in the 2012-2013 academic year and that the Senate will permit this privilege. We thank the Senate for the encouragement, prayers and support. It is indeed a blessing to be a part of the Senate family as we continue to train and equip men and women for Church and Mission ministries. It has been two years since we have received provisional affiliation for B.D. Our growth is step by step like a growing seed. I request the Senate to continue to encourage us and inspire us to rise to new heights of theological learning.
Appendix V

LIST OF COLLEGES TO BE VISITED IN 2012

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B.Th. Comprehensive course

Following decision of the Senate, and its concerned committees, it is helpful to those institutions that are not in a position to introduce BD programme under new curriculum and syllabus, and are provided with a special provision of the continuance of BTh:

a. The Committee was informed that there are seven church-sponsored BTh seminaries, including two in Sri Lanka and Bangladesh, which are not in position to initiate BD programme. Theological College of Lanka, Pilimatalawa, Sri Lanka did initiate discussion with the churches which feel that they still need BTH courses for the sake of convenience as well, as per their needs for ministers. (EC/89/11; WC/27/11; Ref. WC/63/10, p. 229; Sen/25/11 E)

b. Continuation of B.Th. Course (Sen/22/2012; page no. 135 of 2011; EC/89/11, WC/27/11; WC/63/10, p. 229; Sen/25/11 E)
   i. Seminaries/colleges that are sponsored by the churches, and are offering BTh courses only, be allowed to offer BTh courses for five years (2012-17);
   ii. Senate shall conduct comprehensive examination as it does in case of colleges in Sri Lanka;
   iii. Students under such registration shall be allowed to appear two courses per year as comprehensive examination.

As such, affiliated institutions that are opting to continue with BTh course under comprehensive system for another five years are requested to inform the Senate by June 15, 2012.

The following guidelines may be helpful for the colleges opting for BTh programme under Comprehensive System:
1. Students are admitted as per normal procedures and registered with the Senate as per general instruction and time-schedule.
2. Twenty-four Courses are conducted as per BTh Regulations and prescribed syllabus.
3. Suggested schema for the courses is as per the attached enclosure-I.
4. There shall be no Senate examination in the first year, though the colleges shall conduct the examination of the courses taught at the end of the term/semester, and the marks submitted to the Senate as usual.
5. Colleges shall submit Examination Entry of the College examination to the Senate as per schedule (normally in October-November), and the results of each student in the prescribed form to the Senate every year at the end of academic session, on or before May 20th.
6. Students shall appear in the first Comprehensive Examination at the end of Second year in three papers.
7. Before a student is allowed to proceed to the Comprehensive Examinations, Principal of the college/seminary shall certify that the candidate has satisfied the requirements in respect of course examinations.
9. Students may also appear in one of the qualifying English courses as well.
11. Students shall receive the credit in Comprehensive Examinations only if he/she passes in minimum of two courses out of three courses prescribed for the year.
12. Student has to pass minimum of three college papers in the year to get credit.
13. As all papers, Senate as well college, shall be evaluated by two examiners, Senate should not entertain any request for revaluation.
14. Students shall have to complete the course in the maximum time of seven years.
15. College should see that while teaching particular courses, students should also be taught to think, and reflect on the subjects-taught in comprehensive way.
16. The Colleges shall encourage course teachers not to cover the entire syllabus by lectures, but rather persuade students to read and writing assignments.
17. Colleges may add seminar classes in the second semesters for revising the courses in comprehensive way.
18. Report of practical work should be submitted every year along with the statement of marks.

COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION SYSTEM

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Appendix IX

Syllabus
DCPC 15: Counseling Children with Special Problems

Objectives
1. To introduce the candidates about special problems and disorders among children
2. To equip the candidates to assess the special problems and disorders among children
3. To provide the candidates special skills in counseling children with special problems
4. To equip the candidates to apply specific counseling and family therapy to children with special problems.

Course Content
A. The Role of family background/heredity and environment for the special problems in children

B. Classification of Special Problems of Children

  Development problems/Disorder
  1. Mental Retardation
  2. Learning disability
  3. Eating problems
  4. Sleep disorders
  5. Habit problems

  Behavioral problems
  1. Conduct problems
  2. Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder
  3. Oppositional defiant disorder
  4. School refusal
  5. Compulsivity to media

  Anxiety Problems/Disorders
  1. Separation Anxiety
  2. Anxiety with Somatic complaints
  3. Phobias

C. Skills in understanding and counseling children with special problems

D. Skills in orienting parents, teachers and trainers to understand children with special problems

E. Application of therapies to the children with special problems
   Therapies: Rational Emotive Behavior Therapy, Person Centred Counselling, Solution Focussed Brief Therapy and behavior therapy.

F. Application of therapies/counseling to the parents having children with special problems
   Therapies: System Approach to Family Therapy, Object Relation Family Therapy
Method of Teaching
1. Lectures
2. Role plays
3. Participation in live sessions
4. Reflective reading
5. Visit to the training centres/schools of children with special problems

Evaluation
1. Written Examination
2. Case Presentation
3. Verbatim reports

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