

Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar
(An Autonomous College)

Minutes of the 4th Meeting of Academic Council held on May 16, 2026.

The 4th meeting of the Academic Council of Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar, an Autonomous College was held on May 16, 2026 under the guidance of Chairperson Principal Dr. Surinder Kaur. The following members attended the meeting:

- Dr. Surinder Kaur, Dean Academic Affairs, Khalsa University Amritsar
- Dr. Dalbir Singh Ghuman Ji, Additional Honorary Secretary, Khalsa College Charitable Society, Amritsar
- S. Gunbir Singh Ji, Finance Secretary, Khalsa College Charitable Society, Amritsar
- Dr. Rajneesh Arora, Managing Director, Amritsar College of Engineering and Technology, Amritsar
- Prof. Atul Khanna, Physics Department, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar
- Prof. Shweta Shenoy, MYAS-GNDU, Department of Sports Sciences and Medicine, GNDU, Amritsar
- Prof. Anupam Kaur, Human Genetics Department, GNDU, Amritsar
- Dr. Sukhmeen Bedi, Controller of Examination, Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar
- S. Balbir Singh Jaffal, Internal Auditor, Khalsa College Charitable Society, Amritsar
- Dr. Manbir Kaur, Head, School of Physical and Applied Sciences, Khalsa University Amritsar
- Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Head, School of Computer Science, Khalsa University Amritsar
- Dr. Sumit Chhabra, Senior Faculty Member, School of Computer Science, Khalsa University Amritsar
- Dr. Pritika Mehra, Senior Faculty Member, P.G. Department of Computer Science, Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar
- Dr. Ritu Dhawan, Head, School of Commerce and Management, Khalsa University, Amritsar
- Dr. Namrata, Senior Faculty Member, School of Commerce and Management, Khalsa University, Amritsar
- Dr. Sharina Mahajan, School of Fashion Designing, Khalsa University, Amritsar
- Dr. Jaswinder Singh, Head Department of Economics, Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar
- Mrs. Samandeep Kaur, Senior Faculty Member, Department of English, Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar
- Dr. Nirmal Kaur, Senior Faculty Member, School of Physical and Applied Sciences, Khalsa University, Amritsar

The meeting of the Academic council started with recital of “Mool Mantra Path”.


Dr. Ritu Dhawan, with the permission of Chairperson, took up the agenda items one by one.


<u>Agenda Item No. 3</u> To confirm the proceedings of 3 rd meeting of Academic Council held on May 24, 2025	Dr. Ritu Dhawan read the proceedings of 3 rd meeting of Academic Council held on May 24, 2025, which were approved by members of Academic Council.
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<p><u>Agenda Item No. 4</u> To discuss the proceedings of the meeting of Board of Studies (BoS) with regard to: the Ordinance; Scheme (Structure); Syllabi; of all the programmes for the session 2026-27 as per NEP 2020.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Board of Studies in Arts and Social Science 2. Board of Studies in Economics 3. Board of Studies in Punjabi 4. Board of Studies in English 5. Board of Studies in Science (Medical, Non-Medical) 6. Board of Studies in Biotechnology 7. Board of Studies in Medical Lab Technology 8. Board of Studies in Nutrition and Dietetics 9. Board of Studies in Computer Science 10. Board of Studies in Commerce and Management 11. Board of studies in Tourism and Hotel Management 12. Board of Studies in Fashion Designing and Cosmetology 	<p>Dr. Ritu Dhawan informed the members of the council that every department conducted Board of Studies meeting for their respective programs on different dates, during which the suggestions from external members were thoroughly considered. The ordinance, scheme of the programmes, syllabi were approved by the members, with suggestions for minor changes.</p> <p>Certain Revisions in the form of modifications in the course title or additions or deletions in the course content were suggested. The suggestions were carefully considered and duly incorporated by the respective departments.</p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 5</u> The mandatory course on Entrepreneurship Mindset introduced by Punjab Government (2025-26) has been implemented in all the Commerce and Vocational Programmes of the college as per GNDU guidelines.</p>	<p>The Council approved the Agenda Item No. 5.</p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 6</u> For the session 2025–26, 21 students have been placed in Sanvi Technologies, 60 students in PNB MetLife India Insurance Company Limited, and 96 students in Akal Academy.</p>	<p>The council members appreciated the placement achievements of the students for the session 2025–26, with a significant number of students successfully securing placements in reputed organizations.</p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 7</u> To acknowledge the achievements of 27 students who, during the session 2025–26, initiated their own startups and emerged as entrepreneurs.</p>	<p>The council members appreciated the students who initiated their own startups and emerged as successful entrepreneurs, highlighting the institution’s continuous efforts towards fostering innovation, entrepreneurship, and skill development among students.</p>

<p><u>Agenda Item No. 8</u> A 7-Day Training Programme for Teachers was organized in collaboration with PUM Netherlands from 29-04-2026 to 07-05-2026 under the guidance of trainer Ms. Ineke Ten Dam.</p>	<p>The council members appreciated the effective organization and successful conduct of the 7-Day Training Programme for Teachers.</p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 9</u> To bring on record and appreciate the efforts of Dr. Bakshish Singh for contributing Rs. 8,00,000 every year for the benefit of poor and needy girl students through Khalsa Global Reach Foundation USA.</p>	<p>The council members appreciated the efforts of Dr. Bakshish Singh Sandhu or proving Financial help to our needy students. Through his contributions, many deserving students can pursue their academic goals without the burden of financial constraints.</p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 10</u> Any other item with the approval of Chair.</p>	<p>The suggestions regarding the inclusion of mini projects, Courses on AI tools, and Cyber Laws in the curriculum of all departments were discussed by the members. The Board appreciated the suggestions and recommended that the concerned departments may explore the feasibility of incorporating these components in the curriculum, wherever applicable, in accordance with university guidelines and subject requirements.</p>

The meeting ended up with Vote of Thanks by Dr. Ritu Dhawan.


Dr. Ritu Dhawan
Dean Academic Affairs


Dr. Surinder Kaur
Chairperson