

Central University of Punjab Bathinda

MINUTES



67th Meeting of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

25th March 2026



Minutes of Emergent 67th Meeting of the Executive Council

67th Meeting of the Executive Council of the Central University of Punjab was held on 25th March 2026 at 7:00 p.m. onwards in hybrid mode.

Venue: Conference Room, Aryabhata Academic Block, Adjacent Vice-Chancellor's Office, CU-Punjab

The list of the members present during the meeting on 25th March 2026 is annexed.

The Chairman of the Executive Council welcomed all the members present in the meeting, especially the external members, namely Prof. KRS Sambasiva Rao, Prof. Manoj Dixit and Prof. Vandana Mishra who attended the meeting in online mode.

After detailed discussions on the agenda item listed for this meeting, the unanimous resolutions of the Council are as follows:

<u>Items for Consideration</u>	
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:1 to 6</u>	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u>
To consider the appointment of faculty positions in Department of Education (Integrated Teacher Education Programmes)	The Central University of Punjab, Bathinda released the Advt. No. CUPB/25-26/008 dated 10.11.2025 for recruitment of various Faculty positions on regular basis. The last date for applying online was 09.12.2025, which was later extended to 19.12.2025. All the online applications were screened by the duly approved Screening Committee including the external expert. The remarks of the Screening Committee for individual candidates were uploaded on the university website giving normally three to five days to the candidates for claiming their eligibility with requisite documentary proof through recruitment portal. All the representations/objections of the candidates were put up to the Screening Committees. Accordingly, shortlisted eligible and provisionally eligible candidates were called for interview. The recommendations of the Selection Committee meetings for appointment of faculty (Under Direct recruitment) in Department of Education (Integrated Teacher Education Programmes) held from 23.03.2026 to 25.03.2026 at the Conference Room, VC's Office, of the University.
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:1</u>	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u>
Department of Education (ITEP- History)	The details of positions advertised, number of candidates applied, candidates shortlisted and number of candidates



(under direct recruitment) Interviews held on 23.03.2026	appeared in the interviews are as follows: <table><tr><th>S. No.</th><th>Name (Cat. & No.) of Post</th><th>No. of Candidates Applied online</th><th>No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted</th><th>No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>Assistant Professor (EWS-01)</td><td>30</td><td>15</td><td>11</td></tr></table> The proceedings of the same, in sealed envelope containing the recommendations of the Selection Committee for the post(s) of Assistant Professor (EWS-01) in the Department of Education (ITEP-History), will be placed on the table. The recommendations of the Selection Committee are placed before the Council for consideration.	S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview	1.	Assistant Professor (EWS-01)	30	15	11
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1.	Assistant Professor (EWS-01)	30	15	11							
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council considered and unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of the Selection Committee for appointment of following candidate(s), as detailed: Assistant Professor (01-EWS) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10. Following two (02) candidates are in panel in the order of merit: 1. Anamika Trivedi – Recommended 2. Amit Shanker – Waitlist-1 <i>Note: The pay and emoluments will be as per rules unless the Selection Committee has recommended otherwise.</i>										
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:2</u> Department of Education (ITEP- Economics) (under direct recruitment) Interviews held on 23.03.2026	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u> The details of positions advertised, number of candidates applied, candidates shortlisted and number of candidates appeared in the interviews are as follows: <table><tr><th>S. No.</th><th>Name (Cat. & No.) of Post</th><th>No. of Candidates Applied online</th><th>No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted</th><th>No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>Assistant Professor (UR-01)</td><td>99</td><td>25</td><td>15</td></tr></table> The proceedings of the same, in sealed envelope containing the recommendations of the Selection Committee for the post(s) of Assistant Professor (UR-01) in the Department of Education (ITEP-Economics), will be placed on the table. The recommendations of the Selection Committee are placed before the Council for consideration.	S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview	1.	Assistant Professor (UR-01)	99	25	15
S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview							
1.	Assistant Professor (UR-01)	99	25	15							
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council considered and unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of the Selection Committee										



	for appointment of following candidate(s), as detailed: Assistant Professor (UR-01) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10. Following three (03) candidates are in panel in the order of merit: 1. Ankita Shukla: Recommended 2. Jaskaran Singh: Wait list -1 3. Nishu Khunger: Wait list - 2 <i>Note: The pay and emoluments will be as per rules unless the Selection Committee has recommended otherwise.</i>										
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:3</u> Department of Education (ITEP- English) <i>(under direct recruitment)</i> Interviews held on 24.03.2026	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u> The details of positions advertised, number of candidates applied, candidates shortlisted and number of candidates appeared in the interviews are as follows: <table><tr><th>S.No.</th><th>Name (Cat. & No.) of Post</th><th>No. of Candidates Applied online</th><th>No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted</th><th>No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>Assistant Professor (EWS-01)</td><td>28</td><td>19</td><td>10</td></tr></table> The proceedings of the same, in sealed envelope containing the recommendations of the Selection Committee for the post(s) of Assistant Professor (EWS-01) in the Department of Education (ITEP-English), will be placed on the table. The recommendations of the Selection Committee are placed before the Council for consideration.	S.No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview	1.	Assistant Professor (EWS-01)	28	19	10
S.No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview							
1.	Assistant Professor (EWS-01)	28	19	10							
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council considered and unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of the Selection Committee for appointment of following candidate(s), as detailed: Assistant Professor (EWS-01) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10. Following two (02) candidates are in panel in the order of merit: 1. Manish Agrawal: Recommended 2. Amandeep Kaur: Wait list - 1 <i>Note: The pay and emoluments will be as per rules unless the Selection Committee has recommended otherwise.</i>										
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:4</u> Department of Education (ITEP- Communicative Skills in English) <i>(under direct recruitment)</i>	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u> The details of positions advertised, number of candidates applied, candidates shortlisted and number of candidates appeared in the interviews are as follows: <table><tr><th>S. No.</th><th>Name (Cat. & No.)</th><th>No. of</th><th>No. of</th><th>No. of</th></tr></table>	S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.)	No. of	No. of	No. of					
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	of Post	Candidates Applied online	Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	Candidates Appeared in Interview												
1.	Assistant Professor (UR-01)	111	25	17												
2.	Assistant Professor (PwDd&e-01)	07	02	01												
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council considered and unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of the Selection Committee for appointment of following candidate(s), as detailed: 1. Assistant Professor (UR-01) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10. Following three (03) candidates are in panel in the order of merit: 1. Ambika Bhalla: Recommended 2. Supninder Kaur: Wait list -1 3. Osheen Sharma: Wait list -2 2. Assistant Professor (PWD-d&e-01) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10: “None found suitable” The candidates who appeared for the interview, were not found suitable to be appointed. Therefore, it was resolved to re-advertise the post. <i>Note: The pay and emoluments will be as per rules unless the Selection Committee has recommended otherwise.</i>															
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:5</u> Department of Education (ITEP- Communicative Skills MIL Hindi Teaching) (under direct recruitment) Interviews held on 25.03.2026	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u> The details of positions advertised, number of candidates applied, candidates shortlisted and number of candidates appeared in the interviews are as follows: <table><tr><th>S. No.</th><th>Name (Cat. & No.) of Post</th><th>No. of Candidates Applied online</th><th>No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted</th><th>No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>Assistant Professor (ST-01)</td><td>16</td><td>11</td><td>09</td></tr></table> The proceedings of the same, in sealed envelope containing the recommendations of the Selection Committee for the post(s) of Assistant Professor (ST-01)) in the Department of	S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview	1.	Assistant Professor (ST-01)	16	11	09					
S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview												
1.	Assistant Professor (ST-01)	16	11	09												



	Education (ITEP-Communicative Skills MIL Hindi Teaching), will be placed on the table. The recommendations of the Selection Committee are placed before the Council for consideration.										
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council considered and unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of the Selection Committee for appointment of following candidate(s), as detailed: Assistant Professor (ST-01) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10. Following two (02) candidates are in panel in the order of merit: 1. Ram Gopal Meena – Recommended 2. Asha Rani Sundi – Wait list - 1 <i>Note: The pay and emoluments will be as per rules unless the Selection Committee has recommended otherwise.</i>										
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:6</u> Department of Education (ITEP- Geography) <i>(under direct recruitment)</i> Interviews held on 25.03.2026	<u>AGENDA NOTE</u> The details of positions advertised, number of candidates applied, candidates shortlisted and number of candidates appeared in the interviews are as follows: <table><tr><th>S. No.</th><th>Name (Cat. & No.) of Post</th><th>No. of Candidates Applied online</th><th>No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted</th><th>No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>Assistant Professor (OBC-01)</td><td>42</td><td>25</td><td>16</td></tr></table> The proceedings of the same, in sealed envelope containing the recommendations of the Selection Committee for the post(s) of Assistant Professor (OBC-01) in the Department of Education (ITEP-Geography), will be placed on the table. The recommendations of the Selection Committee are placed before the Council for consideration.	S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview	1.	Assistant Professor (OBC-01)	42	25	16
S. No.	Name (Cat. & No.) of Post	No. of Candidates Applied online	No. of Candidates Screened/ Shortlisted	No. of Candidates Appeared in Interview							
1.	Assistant Professor (OBC-01)	42	25	16							
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council considered and unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of the Selection Committee for appointment of following candidate(s), as detailed: Assistant Professor (OBC-01) in the Pay Matrix Academic Level-10. Following two (02) candidates are in panel in the order of merit: 1. Amandeep Singh: Recommended 2. Md. Babor Ali: Waitlist-1 <i>Note: The pay and emoluments will be as per rules unless the Selection Committee has recommended otherwise.</i>										
<u>Item.No:EC:67:2026:7</u> To consider the	<u>AGENDA NOTE:</u> The University invited applications from eligible teachers from time to time to be considered for promotion under Career										



recommendations of "Selection Committee in respect of Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, Associate Professor, Department of History for promotion from the post of Associate Professor (Academic Pay Level-13-A) to Professor (Academic Pay Level-14) under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) Interviews held on 23.03.2026	Advancement Scheme (CAS) as per UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and Other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 The application of Dr. Sanjeev Kumar, Associate Professor, Department of History for the promotion from the post of Associate Professor (Academic Pay Level-13A) to Professor (Academic Pay Level-14) has initially been screened by the internal Committee constituted for evaluation of API Scores of the faculty members for promotion under CAS and been recommended for the promotion to the post of Professor. Further, after successful assessment and recommended by the internal Committee, and after successful evaluation of three publications (for the period under review) of Dr. Sanjeev Kumar by the external experts, he appeared before the duly constituted Selection Committee as per the UGC Regulations, 2018 for the promotion to the post of Professor (Academic Pay Level-14) w.e.f. 31/10/2025 (FN). The recommendation of the Selection Committee is placed in sealed envelope before the Council for consideration.
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of Selection Committee to promote Dr. Sanjeev Kumar from the post of Associate Professor (Pay Matrix Academic Level 13A) to the post of Professor in Pay Matrix Academic Level 14 under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) w.e.f. 31/10/2025 (FN).
<u>Item:No:EC:67:2026:8</u> To consider the recommendations of Selection Committee in respect of Dr. Shruti Kanga, Associate Professor, Department of Geography for promotion from the post of Associate Professor (Academic Pay Level-13-A) to Professor (Academic Pay Level-14) under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) Interviews held on 25.03.2026	<u>AGENDA NOTE:</u> The University invited applications from eligible teachers from time to time to be considered for promotion under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) as per UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and Other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 The application of Dr. Shruti Kanga, Associate Professor, Department of Geography for the promotion from the post of Associate Professor (Academic Pay Level-13A) to Professor (Academic Pay Level-14) has initially been screened by the internal Committee constituted for evaluation of API Scores of the faculty members for promotion under CAS and been recommended for the promotion to the post of Professor. Further, after successful assessment and recommended by the internal Committee, and after successful evaluation of three publications (for the period under review) of Dr. Shruti Kanga by the external experts, she appeared before the duly constituted Selection Committee as per the UGC Regulations, 2018 for the promotion to the post of Professor (Academic Pay Level-14)



	The recommendation of the Selection Committee is placed in sealed envelope before the Council for consideration.
<u>RESOLVE:</u>	The Executive Council unanimously resolved to approve the recommendations of Selection Committee to promote Dr. Shruti Kanga from the post of Associate Professor (Pay Matrix Academic Level 13A) to the post of Professor in Pay Matrix Academic Level 14 under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) w.e.f. 25/10/2025 (FN).
<u>Item:No:EC:67:2026:9</u> Any other item with permission of the Chair	No item discussed.
To fix the date of next meeting of the Executive Council	The Council authorized the Vice-Chancellor to fix the next date of meeting of the Executive Council.

The meeting of the Executive Council concluded with thanks from and to the Chair.

Sd/-
(Dr. Vijay Sharma)
Registrar &
Secretary, Executive Council

Minutes Approved

Sd/-
(Prof. Raghavendra P. Tiwari)
Vice-Chancellor &
Chairman, Executive Council