

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WORKING COMMITTEE OF THE MAYO COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION DELHI HELD ON 22<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 2022 AT 6.00 PM AT CLARIDGES HOTEL**

**Present**

Mr Harmeet Singh(President)  
Mr Sumant Dhamija (Vice – President)  
Mr Pankaj Karna(Treasurer)  
Mr Alok Shriram  
Mr Dipin Kapur  
Mr Rudra Shriram  
Mr Vikramaditya Jaitly (Co-opted member)  
Mr Pankaj Rakesh(Co-opted member)  
Mr Kirit Javali(Secretary)  
Ms Cini Suresh(Executive Assistant)

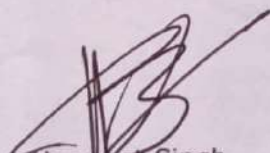
**Leave of Absence**

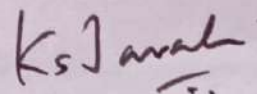
Dr Jitendra Nath Misra  
Mr Ambarish Raghuvanshi  
Mr Sameer Mutreja  
Mr Vilas Pawar

1. The President extended a warm welcome to all the members present. Thereafter, he called the meeting to order to discuss the following issues.
2. **Review of the Minutes of the last Meeting.** The President said that the minutes of the last meeting had been circulated and asked if there were any comments regarding the minutes. As there were no comments, they were approved.
3. **Mentorship program.** The Secretary updated the members the following information.
  - A Google form has been created for the Mayo Alumni students with questionnaires and got 40 – 45 responses. Mainly, the responses have been received for the Sectors interested - Law, Banking, Finance, Hospitality, Advertising, Aviation, Civil Service.
  - Around 10 to 15 Mayo Alumni have been showed interested to be mentor for the event. interested mentors names are Mr Vilas Pawar(1983 batch), Ms Nivedita Kukreti(1997 batch), DIG, Mr Siddharth Vardarajan(1982 batch), Ms Geetanjali Khadria(1996 batch), Mr Sundeep Kumar(1974 batch), Mr Amol Agarwal(1996 batch), Mr Ankur Gupta(1996 batch) etc , final names will be confirmed in next two days.
  - Date and Time – 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022 / 6 to 8 pm
  - Venue – Claridges Hotel
  - Plan to schedule hybrid program
  - The students of class X, XI and XII of Mayo College, Ajmer can watch the program live and the Secretary already had a word with Gen Kulkarni, Director & Principal, Mayo College, Ajmer in this regard.
  - The President recommended to share a list of Mayo Alumni who offered to be the Mentors to the Mayo Alumni of 2017 to 2022 batch.
4. **MAAD Membership.** The Committee members had discussed about the MAAD membership at length and concluded with the following points:-
  - To keep all MAAD events free for the undergraduate students and limited to Delhi NCR and the younger alumni should present a valid id at the event registration desk.
  - Mr Dipin Kapur has agreed to design a digital card to the Life Members
  - Members opined keeping annual membership will be a difficult task, on which Mr Dipin Kapur informed the members that the MAAD App has

backend software. Hence, the notification regarding the pending amount will be sent automatically. Further, he recommended to keep Annual Membership as well.

- After deliberate discussion, it was decided to do further discussion on this point again in next meeting.
5. **Newsletter.** The President informed the members that he and Mr Kirit Javali had spoken to Ms Pooja, the new President of MCGS Society. Further, the President informed that MCGS Alumni Society is interested in doing the Newsletter along with MAAD. It was decided to approach Mr K V Anniruddha or Mr Promit Maulik for the layout and designing of the Newsletter. Mr Pankaj Karna opined that the person who help MAAD in designing can give a space for visibility in the Newsletter for his Company's publicity as a token of appreciation. "MAAD Musing" has been suggested as a Brand Name for the Newsletter. The President requested Mr Vikramaditya Jaitly for approaching batch coordinators for inputs/ News of their batches for the Newsletter.
  6. **Mayo Golf.** Mr Alok Shriram opined that ITC Classic and Jaypee Greens are charging a hefty amount for golfing. Hence, MAAD can look forward to holding the golf tournament at Qutab Golf Club or DGC. Mr Rudra Shriram suggested Noida Golf Club. The President suggested that each suggested golf course can be approached for their costing and facilities provided and thereafter can take the decision.
  7. **Webinar.** The Secretary informed the members that the next webinar will be organised in May 2022 with the topic on "Crypto and NFT Currency".
  8. **Charitable Activities.** The Treasurer informed that Dr Ashish Chopra approached MAAD to circulate a message for fund raising for his foundation - "Maa ka Ashirwad". It was discussed and decided that MAAD is not used as fund raising platform for non-Mayo Alumni activities. Hence, Dr Chopra's request cannot be considered.
  9. **MAAD website and App.** Mr Dipin Kapur informed the members that 1315 users have been registered/updated on the MAAD App so far, mainly alumni from younger batches. He further informed that funds are required for adding further features. Mr Rudra Shriram urged access to the database is the main concern due to which some of his batchmates are not interested to get themselves registered on MAAD App. The President requested Mr Dipin Kapur to give a presentation with various features that can be added in the App and their cost and App maintenance cost as well in the next meeting. Mr Alok Shriram has suggested that this needs to be discussed in the sub-committee. It was decided to approach MOBS and other chapters for fund raising for MAAD App. The President requested Mr Dipin Kapur to prepare a proposal for considering offers that can be extended by MAAD to various chapters.
  10. **Monthly Mayo Alumni Meet.** After due discussion, it was proposed to give an offer to the life members on this event by charging entrance fee from the non-MAAD registered members. Further, the President opined that keep the entrance fee for non-MAAD members can attract more Alumni to enrol themselves to MAAD life membership. The President requested the Secretary to approach Mr Vikramaditya Singh in this regard.
  11. **Next Meeting.** The next meeting will be held on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2022
  12. **Vote of Thanks.** The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

  
Harjeet Singh  
(President)

  
Kirit Javali  
(Secretary)