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**REPORT FOR THE Ph.D. VIVA VOCE**

- 1- Name of the Candidate Shri Balam Singh Dafouti
- 2- Subject: Computer Science & Applications
- 3- Name of the Doctorate Degree:
- 4- Title of thesis: Optimization of Learning Management System to Improve User Experience & Learner Retention : A case study of Uttarakhand Open University
- 5- Name of the examiner with full postal address: Prof. Rajeev Singh, Professor- Computer Engineering, College of Technology, GB Pant University of Agriculture & Technology, Pantnagar- 263145 Uttarakhand

Note – Under the ordinance relating to Doctorate Degree a thesis shall comply with the following conditions and the examiners are requested that in case they approve a thesis for the degree, it should be definitely mentioned in the report that the thesis complies with these requirements.

- (a) It must be a piece of research work characterized either by the discovery of facts or by a fresh approach towards the interpretation of facts or theories. In either case it should evince the candidate's capacity for critical examination and sound judgment.
- (b) It shall be satisfactory in point of language and presentation of subject matter. The examiners will also indicate whether the thesis is suitable for publication in its present form with or without amendments.

**IMPORTANT**

The Examiner is requested to recommend definitely whether;

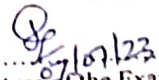
- (a) The candidate be admitted to the degree.  
Or  
 (b) The candidate should improve and resubmit the thesis.  
Or  
 (c) The thesis should be rejected.

**REPORT**

The candidate, Shri Balam Singh Dafouti has demonstrated dedication, perseverance, and a thorough understanding of the subject matter. Their work exhibits originality, critical thinking, and a strong research foundation. I am confident that the findings presented in this thesis will contribute significantly to the academic community and inspire further research in the field.

It is my belief that the candidate's work will make a valuable and enduring contribution to the field of study, and I recommend the thesis be accepted for the Doctorate Degree in its present form.

Dated 07 July, 2023

  
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(Signature of the Examiner)

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