SORAN UNIVERSITY

Faculty of Education — Department of Kurdish

MINUTES OF MEETING NO. (10)

Department: Kurdish Department

Meeting Number: (10) Tenth

Date & Day: Tuesday, June 30, 2026

Chair: Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir (Head of Department Council)

Attendees: Dr. Ali Hamad Othman, Asst. Lect. Shukri Ahmad Muhammad, Asst. Lect. Hunar Anwar Mam Sufi, Asst. Lect. Hamid Hamid (Nabi)

On Tuesday, June 30, 2026, the Department Council met online under the chairmanship of Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir. At the start of the meeting, the Head of the Council warmly welcomed the members and presented the meeting agenda focusing on academic curriculum updates.

First Agenda Item: Scientific Affairs of the Department

The Department Council discussed and officially approved changes to the Kurdish Department curriculum following comprehensive reviews conducted by specialized committees:

- **Language Committee No. (74)** — Convened on June 2, 2026
- **Literature Committee No. (75)** — Convened on June 2, 2026
- **Education Committee No. (76)** — Convened on June 2, 2026

1. Course Title Changes

No.	Old Course Title	New Course Title	Semester
1	Introduction to Literature	Literary Theory	Second
2	Grammar	Methods of Teaching Grammar	Second
3	Dialectology	Revision of Linguistics	Third
4	History of Literature	Contemporary Literature	Sixth
5	Theoretical Linguistics	Modern Linguistic Theories	Sixth

2. Course Name & Placement Realignments

No.	Old Course Name	New Course Name	Placement Revision
1	Introduction to Linguistics	General Linguistics	
2	Folklore	Folk and Popular Literature	Moved from Semester 5 to Semester 1
3	Classical Literature	-----	Moved form semester 7 to semester 3
4	Literary Styles	Stylistics	—
5	Developmental Psychology	Child & Adolescent Developmental Psychology	—
6	Academic Composition	Academic Writing	
7	Modern Literature	—	Moved from Semester 8 to Semester 5
8	Theoretical & Applied Syntax	Syntax	
9	Kurdish Dialects	—	Moved from Semester 4 to Semester 6
10	Theoretical Criticism	Theories of Criticism	Moved from Semester 4 to Semester 7
11	Practical Criticism	—	Moved from Semester 5 to Semester 8
12	Educational Linguistics	Applied Linguistics II	—

3. Ministerial Courses

Ministerial Course Title	Semester
Professional Skills	Third
Entrepreneurship Education	Fourth
Observation / Practicum	Sixth

Thus, the meeting was formally concluded.

Signatures & Sign-off

- Dr. Ali Hamad Othman — Member
- Asst. Lect. Hunar Anwar Mam Sufi — Member
- Asst. Lect. Hamid Hamid Nabi — Member
- Asst. Lect. Shukri Ahmad Muhammad — Member & Minutes Secretary
- Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir — Committee Chairman / Head of Department

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Administrative Order No. 76

Date: June 2, 2026 (Gregorian) / 2729 (Kurdish)
Subject: Formation of Education Course Curriculum Committee

By virtue of the authority vested in us, we have decided to form a committee to discuss and evaluate the curriculum in our education department, comprising the following members:

No.	Lecturer Name	Academic Title	Role / Note
1	Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir	Lecturer	Committee Chair
2	Asst. Lect. Shukri Ahmad Muhammad	Assistant Lecturer	Minutes Secretary
3	Asst. Prof. Dr. Abdul-Fattah Hassan Fattah	Assistant Professor	Member
4	Asst. Lect. Alan Poshtewan Karim	Assistant Lecturer	Member
5	Asst. Lect. Peshawan Faris Abdullah	Assistant Lecturer	Member

Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir
Head of the Kurdish Department

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Administrative Order No. 74

Date: June 2, 2026 (Gregorian) / 2729 (Kurdish)
Subject: Formation of Language Course Curriculum Committee

By virtue of the authority vested in us, we have decided to form a committee to discuss and evaluate the curriculum in our linguistic department, comprising the following members:

No.	Lecturer Name	Academic Title	Role / Note
1	Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir	Lecturer	Committee Chair

2	Asst. Lect. Shukri Ahmad Muhammad	Assistant Lecturer	Minutes Secretary
3	Asst. Prof. Dr. Diler Sadiq Kanabi	Assistant Professor	Member
4	Dr. Ali Hamad Othman	Lecturer	Member
5	Asst. Lect. Bahri Lateef Yahya	Assistant Lecturer	Member

Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir
Head of the Kurdish Department

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Administrative Order No. 75

Date: June 2, 2026 (Gregorian) / 2729 (Kurdish)
Subject: Formation of Literature Course Curriculum Committee

By virtue of the authority vested in us, we have decided to form a committee to discuss and evaluate the Literature curriculum in our department, comprising the following members:

No.	Lecturer Name	Academic Title	Role / Note
1	Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir	Lecturer	Committee Chair
2	Asst. Lect. Shukri Ahmad Muhammad	Assistant Lecturer	Minutes Secretary
3	Prof. Dr. Sirwan Jabbar Zand	Professor	Member
4	Dr. Kazim Hussein Sheikh	Lecturer	Member
5	Asst. Lect. Hunar Anwar Mam Sufi	Assistant Lecturer	Member

Dr. Hawkar Omar Khidhir
Head of the Kurdish Department