

Board of Studies**Meeting No. 2****Department: Geography****Day: Thursday****Date: 24th February 2022****Time: 2:00 pm****Mode: Online mode on Google Meet Platform****Minutes of the 2nd BoS Meeting**

Item 2.01: All the members of the Board of Studies present for the meeting of the Department of Geography were welcomed by Asst. Prof. Archana R. Doifode Head of the Department of Geography. Dr. Sanjukta Sattar could not attend the meeting due to some personal reason. Following members were present for the meeting.

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| Dr. R.B. Bhagat | IIPS, Mumbai |
| Dr. P. S. Hire | HPT College, Nashik |
| Mr. Ganesh Maral | Rolta India, Mumbai |
| Mr. Manish Gosavi | Joshi Bedekar Junior College, Thane |
| Ms. Archana Doifode | Head, Department of Geography, Joshi Bedekar College (Autonomous) Thane |
| Mr. Shivaji Naik | Joshi Bedekar College (Autonomous) Thane |
| Ms. Pratiksha Mohite | Joshi Bedekar College (Autonomous) Thane |

Item 2.02: The Minutes and Action Taken Report (ATR) of the previous Meeting held on 29th June 2021 were read and confirmed

| Issue/Recommendation | Action Taken |
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| Structure of rural urban settlement | Incorporated in the changed FYBA Syllabus. |
| Specific Environmental Movements | Incorporated in the changed syllabus of FYBA and FYBCom classes. |

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| For projects collaboration with TMC pollution department | Due to pandemic students are not assigned any field and survey activities. |
| Evaluation pattern | As per the decision 60:40 pattern of examination is accepted and accordingly examinations are conducted. |
| Bridge Course | Successfully conducted for FYBA Geography and 23 Students benefited by the same. |
| Value Added Course | Due to pandemic and other restrictions, the course was not conducted. It will be conducted in the next academic year. |

Item 2.03: The existing syllabus at Second Year of UG level was presented Semester wise.

Following were the changes and suggestions proposed by the members after discussion:

| Sr. No. | Name of the Member | Changes/Suggestions |
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| 1. | Dr. R.Bhagat | Rainfall pattern within India |
| 2. | Dr.S. Hire | Geology of India |
| 3. | Dr.R. Bhagat | Add Subsections in 1 unit of agricultural geography of India |
| 4. | Dr. R.Bhagat | Arrange add on course related to Health-sanitation OR Gender equality |

Item 2.04: Approval for the changes in the syllabus was obtained from the Board of Studies and it was decided to forward it to the Academic Council for obtaining its approval

Item 2.05: Approval for the Internal (40 marks) and External (60 marks) evaluation pattern was accepted

Internal Evaluation consists of

Written Test

20 marks

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| Project, Assignment etc. | 15 marks |
| Class Participation | 05 marks |

External Evaluation consists of 60 marks – 5 questions of 12 marks each from all the five modules with internal choice.

Item 2.06: The Bridge Course for FYBA and the Add on Course on “**Urban Environment: Practicing Sustainability, Responsibility and Ethics**” were presented and approved.

Item 2.07: Vote of Thanks was proposed by Ms. Archana R. Doiofde, the Head of Department of Geography.

Chairperson and Head of the Department: Asst. Prof. (Ms.) Archana R. Doiofde

Approved by the Principal

Day and Date of Approval